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Commander Bahawalpur Corps Lieutenant General Muhammad Aqeel (Hilal-e-Imtiaz Military) attended IUB Tech Expo 2025 as a chief guest. Innovative projects in electrical and electronic engineering, computer science, data sciences, artificial intelligence and cyber security were presented at the expo. The Commander inspected various stalls and appreciated the research and technical skills of the students. Later, he had a fruitful discussion on various topics with the students and faculty in a special session. The students, teachers and Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran thanked the Pakistan Army for the special session and discussion with Commander Bahawalpur Corps and expressed their desire for more such sessions. On this occasion, the students also paid tribute to the historic victory of the Pakistan Army in the Battle of Haq (Operation Banyan al-Marsoos).



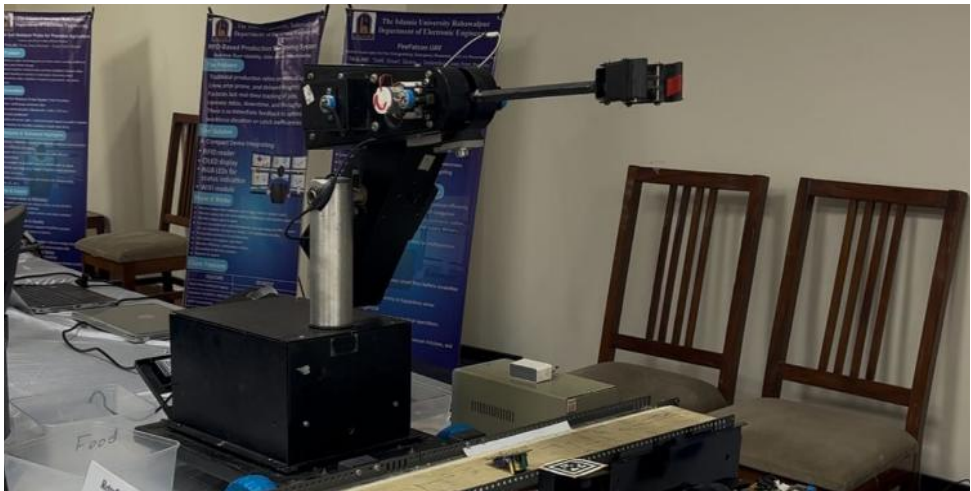
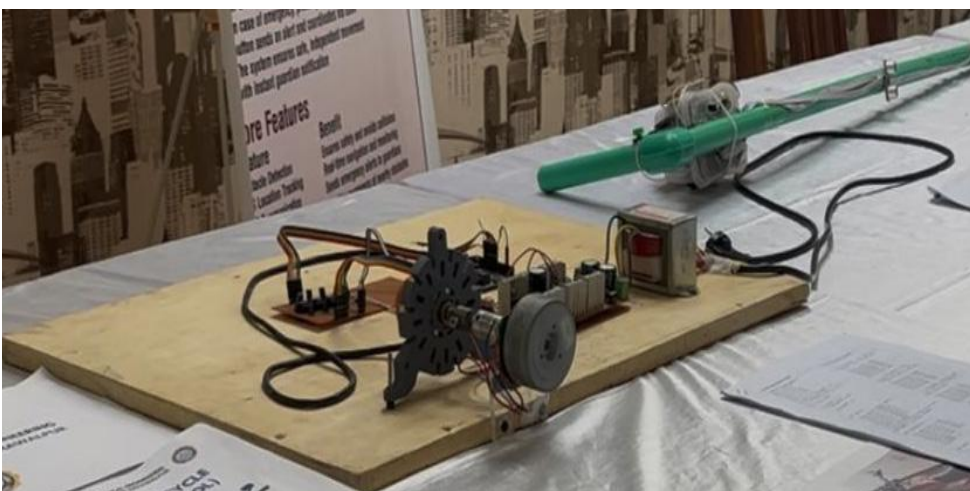
Students briefing Commander Bahawalpur Corps Lieutenant General Muhammad Aqeel (Hilal-e-Imtiaz Military), Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, and other distinguished guests about their innovative projects



Group photo of the deans, officers, and faculty members along with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran



Group photo of Expo participants along with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran



Glimpses of various innovative projects

20th Convocation of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur

significant progress in the field of educational quality and research in recent times. The position of



Former Governor Punjab Engr. Muhammad Baligh ur Rahman, Deputy Speaker Provincial Assembly Punjab Malik Zaheer Iqbal Chaner and Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran addressing the convocation

The 20th Convocation of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur was held at Khawaja Ghulam Farid Auditorium, Baghdad ul Jadeed Campus. On this occasion, Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, as per the authority delegated by the Governor of Punjab

Engineer Muhammad Baligh-ur-Rehman were the chief guests at the ceremony. Deputy Speaker Provincial Assembly Punjab Malik Zaheer Iqbal Chanter said that the world knows that higher education is the force that changes the destiny of nations. Societies that prioritize

the region. This institution has produced such students who are today demonstrating their abilities in every field across the country. Bahawalpur has always been a land of knowledge and wisdom. The soil here has Sufism, civilization and depth of research which makes

Islamia University of Bahawalpur in national and international rankings is continuously improving. Vice Chancellor Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran congratulated the students, parents, teachers and dignitaries on the convocation on behalf of Chancellor Sardar Saleem Haider



A PhD Scholar receiving her degree



A PhD Scholar receiving his degree

and Chancellor Sardar Saleem Haider Khan, awarded medals and degrees to the graduates of the spring semester 2017 to 2021. Among the recipients of the certificates were 2697 students, including 111 PhD, 744 MPhil, 79 gold medalists and 79 silver medalists. Deputy Speaker Provincial Assembly Punjab Malik Zaheer Iqbal Chanter and former Governor Punjab

knowledge achieve progress, stability and dignity. In this regard, convocation is not just a ceremony, it is a symbol of the collective consciousness where the nation entrusts the responsibility of the future to its youth. He said that this institution has played a fundamental role in the educational, cultural, scientific and social formation of

it distinguished in the prominent academic atmosphere of Pakistan. Engineer Muhammad Baligh-ur-Rehman said that today Islamia University of Bahawalpur is not just an educational institution but has become a harmonious center of research, innovation, technology, cultural sensitivity and social service. He said that the university has made

Khan. The Vice Chancellor said that a comprehensive program has been launched for the betterment of the university, which includes high educational standards, financial stability and links with international universities. Islamia University of Bahawalpur is striving to improve the quality of teaching and research and is presenting research products



Group photo of deans, officers, and faculty members along with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and other distinguished guests



Group photo of participants along with of Former Governor Punjab and Chancellor Engr. Muhammad Baligh ur Rahman, Deputy Speaker Provincial Assembly Punjab Malik Zaheer Iqbal Chaneer and Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran

for industrial use. Recently, in a major project exhibition, projects of artificial intelligence, data science, cyber security, electrical and electronics engineering were exhibited, which are of civil

and defense nature. The world ranking institutions of universities, recognizing the educational development of Islamia University of Bahawalpur, have included it in the top 10 universities of Pakistan, 281

in Asia and the top 847 in the world. An International Alumni Chapter has been included in the university, the first grand ceremony of which is being held today itself. The recent floods caused great destruction

across the country. On this occasion, the IUB Flood Relief Cell helped thousands of flood victims in rescue, relief and rehabilitation. In the field of agriculture, Islamia University of Bahawalpur is actively



Former Governor Punjab and Chancellor Engr. Muhammad Baligh ur Rahman, Deputy Speaker Provincial Assembly Punjab Malik Zaheer Iqbal Chaneer and Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran -on the occasion of convocation



participating in the Green Pakistan Initiative and the university's cotton varieties are being cultivated on a large scale in Punjab. The ceremony was attended by Members Provincial Assembly Sohail Zahid Khan and Rana Tariq Khan, Vice Chancellor of Ghazi University, Dera Ghazi Khan, Professor Dr. Ashfaq Ahmed, Vice Chancellor of Khawaja Farid University of Engineering and Technology, Rahim Yar Khan, Professor Dr. Imran Azam, Vice

Chancellor ,Vice Chancellor of Cholistan University of Veterinary and Animal Sciences, Bahawalpur, Professor Dr. Mazhar Ayaz, Deans, Principal Officers, teachers, city elders and media representatives. Moreover, A Tech Expo was also organized on the occasion of convocation. Deputy Speaker Punjab Assembly Malik Zaheer Iqbal Chanar and former Governor Punjab Muhammad Baligh-ur-Rehman visited the Tech Expo along with

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran. On this occasion, Members of Provincial Assembly Sohail Zahid Khan and Rana Tariq Khan, Vice Chancellor Ghazi University Dera Ghazi Khan Prof. Dr. Ashfaq Ahmed, Vice Chancellor Khawaja Farid University of Engineering and Technology Prof. Dr. Aamir Azam Khan, Vice Chancellor Thal University Bhakkar Prof. Dr. Saeed Ahmed Buzdar and Vice Chancellor Cholistan University of Veterinary and Animal

Sciences Prof. Dr. Mazhar Ayaz were also present. In the Tech Expo, innovative projects of Electrical and Electronics Engineering, Computer Science, Data Sciences, Artificial Intelligence and Cyber Security were presented for exhibition. The guests inspected various stalls and appreciated the research and technical skills of the students.



Engr. Muhammad Baligh-ur-Rehman, Former Governor Punjab, Malik Zaheer Iqbal Chaneer, Deputy Speaker Provincial Assembly Punjab and Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran Vice Chancellor awarding medals to scholars

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran attends the 27th National Security Workshop

Vice Chancellor the Islamia University of Bahawalpur Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran attended the 27th National Security Workshop

organized by National Defense University Islamabad. At the end of the workshop, President of Pakistan Asif Ali Zardari presented

a certificate to Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran. On this occasion, First Lady, Member National Assembly Asifa Bhutto Zardari and

Lieutenant General Babar Iftikhar and President National Defense University were also present. This security workshop was organized by the Institute for Strategic Studies, Research and Analysis.



President of Pakistan Asif Ali Zardari presenting certificate to Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran in the presence of First Lady and Member of the National Assembly Asifa Bhutto Zardari and President NDU Lieutenant General Babar Iftikhar



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran addressing during the workshop



Glimpses of Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran with participants of NSW 27



Glimpses of National Security workshop 2027



Group photo of Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, dignitaries, and workshop participants with Chief of Army Staff Field Marshal Syed Asim Munir.

IUB faculty and students participate in Hilal Talks 2025



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran presenting souvenir to Commander Bahawalpur Corps Lieutenant General Muhammad Aqeel (Hilal-e-Imtiaz Military)

The Hilal Talks 2025 program was launched under the auspices of ISPR. The aim of Hilal Talks was to raise awareness about the tactics and nefarious agendas of anti-state elements on social media. It was also highlighted that India used 'Fitna al Khawarij' and 'Fitna al-Hindustan' to conspire against Pakistan. Faculty members and students of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur participated in the program. Under this The Islamia University of Bahawalpur faculty members and students participated in this program. Moreover, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, attended the concluding ceremony of Hilal Talks 2025 at Cholistan Auditorium, Bahawalpur Garrison. After the session, the Vice Chancellor distributed certificates to IUB delegates received from ISPR at the conference room, Vice Chancellor's Secretariat, Abbasia Campus, IUB.



Vice Chancellor IUB Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and Vice Chancellor GSCWU Prof. Dr. Shazia Anjum interacting with Commander Bahawalpur Corps Lieutenant General Muhammad Aqeel (Hilal-e-Imtiaz Military) during the closing session of the Hilal Talk



Glimpses of participants during the Hilal Talk

Chief Minister Punjab, Maryam Nawaz Sharif distributes Laptops among students

Chief Minister of Punjab, Maryam Nawaz Sharif, distributed laptops to 1,781 students of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur under the Laptop Scheme and awarded scholarships to more than 2,600 students in the second phase of the Honhar Scholarship Scheme. She also addressed 7,000 students from the Multan and Bahawalpur divisions, including 1,500 students from the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, at an event in Lodhran. The enthusiasm

of the students was evident upon her arrival. Following tradition, Maryam Nawaz Sharif sat among the female students and joined them in singing the national anthem at their request. She warmly embraced a student from the Islamia University of Bahawalpur who had received the honor of Naat-e-Rasool-e-Maqbool. Students also presented a beautiful national song, "The Rising Sun is Our Pakistan," which she appreciated and congratulated them on. A well-

dressed police contingent presented a salute in honor of the students. Urooj Fatima, a student from the Department of Seraiki at the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, delivered a captivating speech in Seraiki that created an emotional atmosphere. The Chief Minister appreciated her and gave her a warm hug. Another student, Maryam Javed, shared her educational journey in English. The Chief Minister expressed her affection for the students and took

selfies with them. She personally distributed laptops and referred to the students as "superheroes" and "special guests," which filled the venue with excitement and slogans. Education Minister Rana Sikandar Hayat highlighted that 70% of students benefited from laptops and merit-based scholarships. He also stated that the Chief Minister had increased university funding by 500%. The ceremony was also attended by the Vice Chancellor of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran, along with faculty members.



IUB Performing Arts students along with Chief Minister Punjab Maryam Nawaz Sharif



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran interacting with students



VC Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran along with Minister for Education Rana Sikandar Hayat, Parliamentary Secretary for Higher Education Muhammad Ajmal Khan Chaudhary, Secretary of the Higher Education Department, Government of Punjab Ghulam Farid and others



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran participating in the rehearsal for the Honhar Scholarship and Laptop Scheme Ceremony in Lodhran along with Minister for Education Rana Sikandar Hayat Parliamentary Secretary for Higher Education Muhammad Ajmal Khan Chaudhary, Secretary of the Higher Education Department, Government of Punjab Ghulam Farid and other officials

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran visits China to strengthen academic and agricultural cooperation



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran signing MoU with a Chinese dignitary

— Pakistan Delegation Arrives in Weifang, China for Agriculture Industry-Education Cooperation Conference A high-level delegation from Pakistan has arrived in Weifang, Shandong Province, to participate in the China-Pakistan Modern Agriculture Industry-Education Collaborative Innovation Development Conference. The delegation includes Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Mr. Nadir Chattha, Secretary Skill development & Entrepreneurship Punjab (Ex-Commissioner Bahawalpur), Mr. Khan Muhammad, Science Counsellor at the Embassy of Pakistan in Beijing, Mr. Wang from ITMC, Mr. Max Ma, Mr. Yasser Shakoor from UNI International, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Naveed Aslam, The Islamia University Bahawalpur and Senior Visiting Scientist Tsinghua University Beijing, Mr. Malik Muhammad Rauf from Tsinghua University, Beijing and other esteemed delegates. The visit underscores Pakistan-China collaboration to modernize agricultural technical education, advance industry-

academia linkages, and explore opportunities in precision agriculture, protected cultivation, post harvest management, and skills development. The Conference will also be accompanied by engagements with local vocational and higher education institutions

facilities to identify priority areas for cooperation and technology transfer. Moreover The Vice Chancellor of The Islamia University Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran visited Shandong Vocational Training College of Science and Technology in China. The visit aimed to explore

Naveed Aslam Malghani. During the visit, there were in-depth discussions on future collaboration between The Islamia University Bahawalpur and Shandong Vocational Training College of Science and Technology. The talks focused on areas of mutual interest, including student exchange programs, joint research initiatives, and skill development training. The Vice Chancellor and all delegation were warmly received by the President of Shandong Vocational Training College of Science and Technology Weifang China. The visit has paved the way for a potential partnership between the two institutions, which is expected to enhance academic and research cooperation, promote cultural exchange, and foster innovation and entrepreneurship. The Islamia University Bahawalpur looks forward to strengthening its ties with Shandong Vocational Training College of Science and Technology and exploring new opportunities for collaboration. Vice Chancellor Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran attended the China-Pakistan Modern Agriculture Industry Education Collaborative Innovation Development Conference in Weifang, China. In



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran signing MoU with Chinese dignitaries

and agro industry partners in Weifang, China. Speaking on the occasion, representatives from the organizers welcomed the delegation. The delegation's schedule includes meetings with host institutions and visits to research and development

potential collaboration opportunities between the two institutions. The delegation included Secretary Skill Development Punjab Nadir Chattha (ex- commissioner Bahawalpur) Mr. Khan Muhammad from the Pakistan Embassy in Beijing, and Prof. Dr.

his address at the conference, the Vice Chancellor emphasized on further enhancing educational and industrial cooperation and collaboration, joint projects, faculty and student exchange programs and technical and educational



Group photo of Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran with Pakistan and Chinese dignitaries

cooperation between the two friendly neighboring countries. Nadir Chatha, Secretary Skill Development and Entrepreneurship Punjab, Khan Muhammad, Science Counselor of the Pakistani Embassy in Beijing, and Tanveer

of Horticulture, MNS Agriculture University, Multan, addressed the conference as keynote speakers. On this occasion, a mutual cooperation and collaboration agreement was also signed between Islamia University of Bahawalpur and School

Dr. Naveed Aslam Mulghani, Senior Faculty Member, Islamia University Bahawalpur was also present on the occasion. The agreement will pave the way to further promote existing cooperation between Pakistan and China in the field of

academia can strengthen linkages in modernizing agricultural technical education and make coordinated efforts for sustainable agriculture. During the visit, discussions were also held to establish a China-Pakistan Digital Education Alliance.



Glimpses of Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran's China visit

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran meets with Additional Chief Secretary South Punjab Fuad Hashim Rabbani

Additional Chief Secretary South Punjab Fuad Hashim Rabbani met with Vice Chancellor Islamia University of Bahawalpur Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran at the South Punjab Secretariat. Additional Chief Secretary Fuad Hashim Rabbani while talking said that Islamia University of Bahawalpur is a great educational institution which is playing a prominent role in the promotion of knowledge and skills in the region. He said that special attention should be paid to innovation and science and research in various departments

of the university because today's development is linked to science and technology. He suggested that technology based exhibitions should be organized as a regular event in the university so that students interested in scientific innovations are encouraged and they get an opportunity to show their talents. Moreover, representatives of private sector industrialists and chambers of South Punjab should also be included in the IT exhibitions. The Additional Chief Secretary assured that full efforts will be made to increase the university grant. On this

occasion, Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran said that Islamia University Bahawalpur, being the largest university in South Punjab, is playing a prominent role in the educational, social and economic development of the region. The university is paying full attention to academic excellence and quality education. All educational programs are being integrated with the dimensions of artificial intelligence, as a new BS program in Climate Change and Artificial Intelligence has been introduced. Research awards have been launched to attract

researchers towards research for the country's priorities and the benefit of the common man. Links with government and private institutions are being promoted for cooperation in research projects, especially in agricultural and industrial research. The Vice Chancellor gave a briefing on the various projects underway in the university on the occasion and invited the Additional Chief Secretary to participate in the upcoming projects exhibition of the Faculty of Engineering and Technology and the Faculty of Computing. Registrar Islamia University Muhammad Shajiur Rehman and PSO Ghulam Sarwar were also present in the meeting.



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran meets with Additional Chief Secretary South Punjab Fuad Hashim Rabbani along with Registrar Muhammad Shaji ur Rehman

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran felicitates Syed Hassan Raza on assuming the office of Deputy Commissioner Bahawalpur

Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor the Islamia University of Bahawalpur

met with Syed Hassan Raza, the newly joined Deputy Commissioner Bahawalpur. During the meeting,

Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran felicitated Syed Hassan Raza on assuming his new responsibilities



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran presenting a memento to the Deputy Commissioner Bahawalpur Syed Hassan Raza

and expressed best wishes for his tenure. The VC highlighted the pivotal role of effective coordination between academia and the civil administration in promoting educational development, good governance, and community welfare in the region. The Vice Chancellor also briefed the Deputy Commissioner about the academic, research, and community-oriented initiatives of IUB, emphasizing the University's contribution to socio-economic development of Bahawalpur and South Punjab. Syed Hassan Raza welcomed the Vice Chancellor and appreciated the role of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur as a premier institution of higher learning. He assured his full support and cooperation in matters of mutual interest, particularly in areas related to education, youth development, and collaborative initiatives for public benefit. Muhammad Shajee-ur-Rehman, Registrar IUB, was also present on the occasion.

Prof. Dr. Iqrar Ahmed Khan, PHEC Chairperson visits the Faculty of Agriculture and Environment, IUB



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and Dean, Faculty of Agriculture and Environment, Prof. Dr. Tanveer Hussain Turabi along with Chairperson, Punjab Higher Education Commission, Prof. Dr. Iqrar Ahmed Khan (HI, SI) during his visit to IUB

Chairperson Punjab Higher Education Commission Prof. Dr. Iqrar Ahmed Khan (HI, SI) visited the Faculty of Agriculture and Environment of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. On this occasion, Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran said that the agricultural scientists of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur are working hard in their research activities on national priorities. Our researchers are playing a prominent role in the Green Pakistan Initiative so that the dear homeland can be promoted in the restoration of food security and agricultural economy. Prof. Dr. Iqrar Ahmed Khan appreciated the ongoing research activities at the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, especially the efforts of agricultural scientists. Dean Faculty of Agriculture and Environment Prof. Dr. Tanveer Hussain Turabi was present on this occasion. On this occasion, the educational facilities, research initiatives and the ongoing progress of the faculty were reviewed.

School of State Sciences Faculty of Social Sciences Islamia University Bahawalpur organized the inaugural session of the 5th International Conference on the topic of Governance Identity and Empowerment Pathways to Inclusive Societies. District Police Officer Bahawalpur Muhammad Hassan Iqbal was the chief guest in the inaugural session and Additional Commissioner Coordination Dr. Nayyar Mustafa specially participated. On this occasion, Abdul Qadir Qamar DIG Police Islamabad, Dr. Khan MR Tawfiq Oxford Group University UK, Professor Dr. Adam Sot Bahria University Islamabad, Professor Dr. Shabana Fayyaz Quaid-e-Azam University Islamabad delivered keynote speeches. Conference Patron Chief Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran said in his message that Islamia University Bahawalpur is striving for academic excellence, innovation and educational linkages at the national and international levels. The organization of the conference on the topic of innovation and empowerment in governance and the participation of domestic and foreign delegates is a reflection of the fact that the Islamia University of Bahawalpur is of world standard in social sciences. Dean Faculty of Social Sciences and conference chief organizer Professor Dr. Rubina Bhatti said that in today's globalized world, social scientists are offering the best solutions to address challenges such as governance environment and identity by eliminating disparities between societies and classes. Director School of State Sciences Dr. Sarfaraz Batool said that the School of State Sciences is rendering outstanding services for governance education and research and the delegates who came to this conference will discuss

5th International Conference on Interdisciplinary Approach in Social Sciences (ICOIASS-2025)



Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, Prof. Dr. Rubina Bhatti, District Police Officer Bahawalpur Muhammad Hassan Iqbal and others on the occasion of the conference

the formation of a governance model compatible with the requirements of the modern era. Focal person of the conference and Chairman Department of Public Administration Dr. Shahbaz Ali Khan said that this conference will promote a meaningful dialogue for academic exchange and research and will be a source of harmony between scholars, experts and administrators. Chairman of the Department of Political Science and Conference Secretary Dr. Shakeel Akhtar informed about the details of the three-day conference and thanked the delegates, teachers, students and distinguished guests for their participation in the conference. Deputy Focal Person of the Conference Dr. Ansar Abbas provided information about the arrangements for the delegates. On this occasion, Prof. Dr. Abdul Rauf,

Director Students Affairs, Prof. Dr. Yasmin Ruffi Former Director School of State Sciences, Prof. Dr. Ghulam Mustafa Dean Faculty of Mathematical Sciences, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Asadullah Madani Director Quality Enhancement Cell, Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha Chairman Department of Sociology, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Saleem Chairman Department of Applied Psychology, Prof. Dr. Salman Bin Naeem Chairman Department of Information Management, Dr. Adnan Malik Chairman Department of Media Studies, Dr. Muhammad Atif Nawaz, Chairman Department of Economics, Dr. Shahzad Ahmed Khalid Director Media and Public Relations and senior teachers Dr. Jam Sajjad Hussain, Dr. Abida Noreen and Dr. Arsalan Rasool were present. The conference

concluded successfully with comprehensive recommendations presented by the delegates. In their recommendations, the delegates stated that inclusive governance is a fundamental prerequisite for social stability and sustainable development. They emphasized that maintaining social harmony is essential for ensuring identity recognition and empowerment. The delegates further said that democracy and leadership should be strengthened through participation, transparency, and the promotion of civic literacy. They stressed that for the promotion of inclusive decision-making, local and institutional capacities must be strengthened, while modern digital models of public service delivery should be developed to enhance transparency and build public

trust. They noted that reimagining Pakistan's governance framework for the 21st century requires sustainability and knowledge creation as its core elements. The delegates also recommended that literacy and cybersecurity education be integrated into the national curriculum, and that international best practices be adopted to modernize educational

governance and reduce the digital divide. The Chief Guest of the closing session was Prof. Dr. Shazia Anjum, Vice Chancellor of Government Sadiq College Women University Bahawalpur, while Dr. Nayyar Mustafa, Additional Commissioner Coordination, graced the event as a special guest. On the occasion, Prof. Dr. Rubina Bhatti, Dean Faculty of Social Sciences and Chief Organizer

of the Conference, thanked Prof. Dr. Shazia Anjum for her participation and appreciated the Vice Chancellor of The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, for his continuous guidance and patronage in organizing the event. She also acknowledged the dedicated efforts of Dr. Sarfraz Batool (Director, School of State Sciences), Dr. Shahbaz Ali Khan

(Chairman, Department of Public Administration and Conference Focal Person), Dr. Shakeel Akhtar (Conference Secretary), and Dr. Ansar Abbas (Deputy Focal Person). Finally, she expressed her heartfelt gratitude to all the delegates for visiting Bahawalpur and contributing to the success of the conference.



Dean Faculty of Social Sciences Prof. Dr. Rubina Bhatti presenting a shield to Prof. Dr. Shazia Anjum, Vice Chancellor GSCW University Bahawalpur

2nd International Conference on Aligning Global English with Local Cultures

A two-day international conference on the topic of compatibility between the global English language and local culture has begun under the auspices of the Department of English Linguistics the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. Delegates from universities of Pakistan, Turkey and Oman are participating in the

language and its compatibility with culture. This academic discussion will help teachers and students in the preparation of teaching materials and practical teaching in various aspects of the English language, especially with the help of artificial intelligence. Chairman of the Department, Dr. Riaz Hussain, has said that the organization of the

of Punjab, Dr. Shumaila Memon Sohar University Sultanate of Oman, Dr. Muhammad Ajmal Department of English Sheikh Ayaz University Shikarpur Sindh, Dr. Zahoor Hussain Associate Professor Department of English the Islamia University Bahawalpur, Dr. Muhammad Kamal Khan Department of English Allama Iqbal Open University Islamabad,

Khalid were present. The two-day international conference concluded successfully with the participation of delegates from universities in Turkey, Oman, and Pakistan. Registrar Muhammad Shaji ur Rahman, Resident Auditor Shahzad Akhtar were the guests of honor in the concluding session. Chairman of the department, Dr. Riaz Hussain, said that 28 papers were presented in the two-day international conference. Students of English language got the opportunity to learn and compare



Group photo of participants of conference

two-day conference through online channels. Additional Commissioner Coordination Nayyar Mustafa was the guest of honor at the inaugural session. In his message to the conference, Vice Chancellor Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran, has said that the importance of the English language in the present era is undeniable. The domestic and foreign delegates present at the conference will discuss the global and local importance of the English

second international conference is a reflection of high-level teaching and research in English linguistics. He thanked Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and Dean Faculty of Arts and Languages Prof. Dr. Syed Amir Sohail for their cooperation and patronage in organizing the conference. In the inaugural session, Prof. Dr. Ali Karakas Mehmet Akif Ersoy University Burdur-Turkiye, Dr. Maria Isabel Maldonado Garcia Institute of Language and Linguistics University

Dr. Saharish Iftikhar University of Southern Punjab delivered keynote addresses. Dean Faculty of Law Prof. Dr. Rao Imran Habib, Dean Faculty of Islamic and Arabic Studies Prof. Dr. Sheikh Shafiq-ur-Rehman, Chairman Department of International Relations Prof. Dr. Muhammad Ijaz Latif, Chairman Department of English Literature Prof. Dr. Muhammad Asif Khan, Chairman Department of Saraiki Dr. Muhammad Mumtaz Khan, Director Public Relations Dr. Shahzad Ahmed

different aspects of linguistics, cultural harmony, global and local compatibility of linguistics. He thanked Vice Chancellor Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran and Dean Faculty of Arts and Languages Professor Dr. Syed Aamir Sohail for their cooperation and patronage in organizing the conference. Chairman of the Department of Social Work, Professor Dr. Muhammad Asif Naveed Ranjha, Additional Registrar Arif Ramooz and students attended the event.

First Multidisciplinary Conference on SDGs Research, Policy, and Action

The first multi-disciplinary conference on SDGs (United Nations Sustainable Development Goals) Research, Policy and Action 2025 organized by the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Government Sadiq College, Women University of Bahawalpur and Cholistan University of Veterinary and Animal Sciences Bahawalpur began at the Khawaja Ghulam Farid Auditorium of Baghdad Al-Jadeed Campus. In his message on the occasion, Vice Chancellor the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran said that the Islamia University

sanitation and sustainable cities, green energy, youth and technology, climate change and sustainable environment, governance and leadership, peace and justice and institutional strengthening. In the inaugural session, the conference focal person, Dr. Maryam Abbas Soharwardy, explained the aims and objectives of this first conference and thanked the vice chancellors of the three host universities. On this occasion, the Vice Chancellor of Government Sadiq College Women's University Bahawalpur, Professor Dr. Shazia Anjum and the Vice

Climate Change, Sustainability and Protection, Professor Dr. Muqarrab Akbar, Director, Peace and Counter Extremism Research Center, Dr. Zainab Abbas, Chief Chemist and Water Expert, Water and Sanitation Authority, Professor Dr. Azhar Rasool, Director, Awrak Baba Guru Nanak University Nankana Sahib, Professor Dr. Irshad Hussain, Dean, Faculty of Education, Professor Dr. Ghulam Mustafa, Dean, Faculty of Mathematical Sciences, Professor Dr. Asadullah Madani, Director, QEC, Professor Dr. Wajid Naseem Jatoti, Director, International Center for

auditorium of Cholistan University of Veterinary and Animal Sciences Bahawalpur. On this occasion, Professor Dr. Rubina Bhatti, Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Vice Chancellor, Government Sadiq College Women's University Bahawalpur, Professor Dr. Shazia Anjum and Vice Chancellor, Cholistan University of Veterinary and Animal Sciences Bahawalpur, Professor Dr. Mazhar Ayaz, Professor Dr. Jawad Iqbal, Dean, Faculty of Management Sciences and Commerce, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, former Parliamentary Secretary Jahanzaib Warren, foreign delegates, experts from academia and industry were present. The conference was attended by delegates from various



Vice Chancellor, GSCWU Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Shazia Anjum, Vice Chancellor, Thal University Bhakkar, Prof. Dr. Saeed Ahmed Buzdar, Vice Chancellor, University of Southern Punjab, Multan, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Mukhtar, Principal, Quaid-e-Azam Medical College, Bahawalpur, Dr. Sofia Farrukh, Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, Prof. Dr. Rubina Bhatti, and others on the occasion of the conference.

of Bahawalpur is collaborating with other regional universities to achieve and implement the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals. The themes of the conference are based on socio-economic development and equity, governance and environment. The national and international delegates participating in the conference will definitely give actionable suggestions to address global, national and regional challenges, which will benefit our teachers and students. Professor Dr. Rubina Bhatti, Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, said that the aim of the conference is to bring together researchers, academia, industry and professionals, media, government and private development agencies from all over the world on one platform to see the current socio-economic conditions in the context of the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals. The main topics of the conference include poverty reduction, inequality, sustainable development of agriculture and veterinary sectors, health, education and gender equality, women's well-being, provision of clean water,

Chancellor of Cholistan University of Veterinary and Animal Sciences, Bahawalpur, Professor Dr. Mazhar Ayaz delivered keynote addresses. The panel discussion held after the inaugural session included Professor Dr. Saeed Ahmed Buzdar, Vice Chancellor, Thal University, Bhakkar, Professor Dr. Muhammad Mukhtar, Vice Chancellor, University of Southern Punjab, Multan, Dr. Sofia Farrukh, Principal, Quaid-e-Azam Medical College, Bahawalpur, Dr. Shahid Soroya, Director General, Pakistan Institute of Education, Federal Ministry of Education, Dr. Farooq Shujaat, Chief of Research/ Director, Faculty of Social Sciences, Waqas Manzoor Cheema, Director, IT DHA Bahawalpur and Cholistan Investa, Dr. Hammad Majeed, Head, Department of Chemistry and Director ORIC University of Management and Technology, Sialkot Campus, Engineer Mahmut Ince, Industrial Engineer, IT Specialist and Consultant at Huazhong University of Science and Technology, China, Professor Dr. Asif Ranjha, Chairman, Department of Social Work, Patron, Consortium on

Climate Change, Food Security and Sustainability, Professor Dr. Samar Fahad, Professor Dr. Muhammad Abdullah and Director, Public Relations, Dr. Shahzad Ahmed Khalid participated in the conference. Delegates from Malaysia, Indonesia and Turkey participated in the conference. The focal person of the conference from Government Sadiq College Women's University Bahawalpur, Dr. Uzma Maqbool, and Muhammad Kamal from Cholistan University of Veterinary and Animal Sciences Bahawalpur participated and the secretary of the conference was Professor Dr. Salman Bin Naeem. In his video message on this occasion, Chief Patron Vice Chancellor the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, congratulated the three universities on the successful holding of the first joint international conference on the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals. He emphasized the active role of universities in the implementation and execution of SDGs and the benefit of the local community. The closing session was held at the

universities in Pakistan as well as from Turkey, Malaysia and Indonesia. The conference discussed the role of universities and academia in achieving the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals. The main topics of the conference included social development and justice, poverty and inequality eradication, sustainable development of agriculture and livestock, health, education, gender equality and women's well-being, and basic human needs such as clean water, green energy and climate change. Suggestions related to youth development, governance and leadership, technology and institutional stability were also considered on the occasion. The focal person of the conference, Dr. Maryam Abbas Soharwardy, and the secretary, Prof. Dr. Salman bin Naeem, thanked the Vice Chancellor, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, and other Vice Chancellors and academia for their special guidance and cooperation in organizing the conference.

International Conference on Climate, Water, and the Environment Nexus

The second three-day international conference on the topic of Climate, Water and Environment NEXUS, Navigating Scarcity and

Pakistan is facing challenges like floods and smog in the context of environmental change. The United Nations has included Pakistan

100 delegates are participating in this conference that will be aware of the global changes and also present scientific solutions. On the

Vice Chancellor National Skills University Islamabad, Professor Dr. Muhammad Mukhtar, and Vice Chancellor Khawaja Farid University of Information and Technology Rahim Yar Khan, Professor Dr. Aamir Azam Khan also participated in this three-day international conference. Conference focal



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Dean, Faculty of Agriculture and Environment, Prof. Dr. Tanveer Hussain Turabi, and others addressing the conference

Sustainability organized by the Institute of Agro-Industry, Faculty of Agriculture and Environment, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, has begun. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor, Islamia University of Bahawalpur, said in his presidential address that the conference is of global, national and regional importance in terms of the topic. The main objective of the conference is to provide a platform to national and international experts and researchers so that they can formulate proposals for the protection of mankind in the context of changing conditions in the context of climate change. The Islamia University of Bahawalpur is one of the major universities of national and global level where students are prepared to face the challenges facing the world.

among the countries affected by climate change. As a university, Jamia Islamia is aware of its responsibilities in this regard. In this regard, a BS Artificial Intelligence and Climate Change program has been started. This degree program will help in dealing with climate change. Dean Faculty of Agriculture and Environment Professor Dr. Tanveer Hussain Turabi said that our scientists are working hard for research and innovation in climate change, green energy and green agriculture. In this regard, climate-adapted seeds of cotton, wheat, rice and various fruits and vegetables have been discovered. Professor Dr. Ghulam Hassan Abbasi, conference focal person, said that this is the second conference organized by the Institute of Agro-Industry. 9 Vice-Chancellors and more than

first day, Professor Dr. Moazzam Jameel, former Dean of Agriculture, Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Professor Dr. Muhammad Anwar ul Haq, University of Agriculture, Faisalabad, Professor Dr. Shafqat Ali, Government College University, Faisalabad, Dr. Muhammad Zia-ur-Rehman, University of Agriculture, Faisalabad, and Professor Dr. Allah Wadhayo, Sindh Agricultural University, Sindh, delivered keynote speeches. The second international conference on the topic of Climate, Water and Environment NEXUS, Navigating Scarcity and Sustainability concluded successfully at the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. On this occasion, Vice Chancellor Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran, participated as the chief guest.

person Professor Ghulam Hassan Abbasi said that experts from universities and research institutions of Turkey, Malaysia and Pakistan presented papers. Conference recommendations were presented in the concluding session of the conference. Green energy should be promoted and a waste management system should be created. Comprehensive measures should be taken for biodiversity and ecosystems. Agriculture that can cope with environmental changes should be encouraged. Links and cooperation should be created between public and private institutions at the global, national and regional levels for a better environment, climate and clean water.



Group photo of participants of conference along with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran

3rd International Conference on Emerging Trends in Physics



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor, Thal University Bhakkar, Prof. Dr. Saeed Ahmed Buzdar, Dean, Faculty of Physical and Mathematical Sciences Prof. Dr. Ghulam Mustafa, and others addressing the conference

A two-day international conference on emerging trends in the field of physics organized by the Institute of Physics, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur has begun. The conference was inaugurated by Vice Chancellor, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran. In his address, the Vice Chancellor said that physics is of fundamental importance among scientific

subjects and most of the world's discoveries, inventions and scientific progress are due to physics. He stressed that Pakistani scientists should focus on research activities on emerging trends and innovations in the field of physics so that the beloved country can progress in the scientific progress taking place at the global level. Vice Chancellor, Thal University, Bhakkar, Professor Dr. Saeed Ahmed Buzdar, in his

address, gave a detailed lecture on the evolutionary stages of physics in the past and present, research and teaching, and future prospects. He said that physics is also giving far-reaching results in the fields of climate change and medicine. Conference Secretary Dr. Alia Nazir said that in the two-day conference, domestic and foreign delegates will present papers related to materials science, medical physics, material

physics, nanotechnology, renewable energy and other modern fields. On this occasion, Dean Faculty of Physical and Mathematical Sciences Professor Dr. Ghulam Mustafa, Director Institute of Physics Professor Dr. Altaf Hussain and Focal Person Dr. Noor-ul-Ain also spoke. Dr. Noor-ul-Ain thanked the international experts who came from all over Pakistan and participated in the conference through online means. The 3rd International Conference on Emerging Trends in Physics concluded successfully with a poster presentation session at The Islamia University of Bahawalpur.. Director of the Institute, Dr. Altaf Hussain, said that the students effectively demonstrated their research capabilities through scientific poster presentations. He added that the conference provided participants with opportunities to interact with faculty members, researchers, eminent experts, and the audience for the exchange of scientific knowledge and ideas. Conference Secretary Dr. Alia Nazir thanked Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran for his special patronage and support in organizing the conference successfully.



Group photo of participants with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor, Thal University Bhakkar, Prof. Dr. Saeed Ahmed Buzdar, and Dean, Faculty of Physical and Mathematical Sciences Prof. Dr. Ghulam Mustafa and others

The first International Harmony Summit and the second International Conference organized by the Department of World Religions and Interfaith Harmony, Faculty of Islamic and Arabic Studies, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, have begun at Abbasia Campus. This global event on the role of religion in conflict resolution and the global interfaith landscape includes group discussions, book launches, special walks, calligraphy and poster exhibitions. Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, in his message, welcomed the organization of the conference on an important global topic and the arrival of the delegates. The inaugural session was addressed by Dean Faculty of Islamic and Arabic Studies Professor Dr. Sheikh Shafiq-ur-Rehman, Prof. Dr. Herman Roborgh, Christen Representative/ Head School of Religion &

1st International Harmony Summit and 2nd International Conference



Dean, Faculty of Islamic and Arabic Studies, Prof. Dr. Sheikh Shafiq-ur-Rehman, and other distinguished guests on the occasion of the conference

Philosophy, Minhaj University, Lahore, Pakistan, Parshant Singh,

Sikh Representative/ Assistant Controller, University of Punjab,

Arjun Das, Hindu Representative/ Pandit Anwar Chand, Bahawalpur,

Shanaz Mobin, Bahá'í Representative, Bahawalpur, Dr. Bülent Şenay, Muslim Representative/ Professor, Bursa Uludağ University, Turkey, Prof. Dr. Ahmad Muahammad Al-Sharqavi, Al-Azhar University, Cairo, Dr. Bülent Şenay, Associate Professor, Bursa Uludağ University, Turkey, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Abdulrazzaq Alaswad, Imam Abdulrehman bin Faisal University, Damam, Sudia Aarabia, Prof. Dr. Tristán Kapp, Research Associate, Department Religion Studies, University of Pretoria, South Africa, Dr. Hidayatullah Ahmad Al Shash, Damam, Saudia Arabia.

Focal Person Dr. Sajila Kausar said that papers are being presented on important topics such as dialogue in a multi-religious society, interfaith religion, identity and human dignity, and possibilities in global conflicts. The role of religion and nationalism in mutual conflicts and the challenges and causes faced in resolving them. The 1st International Harmony Summit and 2nd International Conference concluded successfully at The Islamia University of Bahawalpur. Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran was the chief guest of the closing session.

On this occasion, the Vice Chancellor also inaugurated a calligraphy exhibition on the occasion and appreciated the calligraphy samples made on the theme of harmony and mutual respect between religions. On this occasion, Prof. Dr. Herman Roburg, Head School of Religion and Philosophy, Minhaj University Lahore, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Mushtaq, Chairman Department of Law, Shifa, Tameer-e-Millat University, Islamabad, Dr. Bulent Seny, Muslim Representative/Professor Bursa uludag University, Turkey, Kesoo Mal Kheal Das, Ministry of State Ministry

of Religious Affairs and Harmony, Government of Pakistan, Prof. Dr. Sheikh Shafiq-ur-Rehman, Dean and Focal Person Dr. Sajila Kausar spoke. An international solidarity walk was also held at the end of the ceremony. The participants said that the role of religions in human history is of utmost importance and that nations and cultures are formed on their basis, and that these positive aspects can also prove to be effective as the basis for resolving all conflicts.

Sixth International Conference on Intelligence Technologies and Applications (INTAP25)

The Sixth International Conference on Intelligence Technologies and Applications (INTAP25) on the topic of Artificial Intelligence and Emerging Technologies in the Information Sector has begun at Islamia

Bahawalpur is playing an active role in promoting modern technology in the field of science and information and in this regard, applied research and developing human resources. The focal person of the conference, Prof. Dr. Imran Sarwar Bajwa,

where researchers, academics, industrialists share innovations and innovative minds plan future technologies. Dean Faculty of Computing Prof. Dr. Dost Muhammad Khan said in his message that the experts of the conference will

the main topics of this conference. Organizing Chair Dr. Ali Samad said that the conference will present papers on machine learning, natural language processing, public health and artificial intelligence, social media analysis, smart environment and communication technologies. The 6th International Conference on Intelligent Technologies and Applications on the topic of Artificial Intelligence and Emerging Technologies in the field of Information Technology concluded successfully at The Islamia University of Bahawalpur. In his message Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran said that organizing an international conference at the Islamia University of Bahawalpur and the participation of national and international delegates is a symbol of the global position of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. Our IT experts are busy preparing modern curricula with artificial intelligence. In this regard, the new course on AI and Climate Change is just one example of how the university is preparing graduates according to the needs of the rapidly changing domestic and foreign job market. Conference Focal Person Prof. Dr. Imran Sarwar Bajwa, Chairman, Department of Computer Science, said that Pakistani and foreign IT experts participating in the conference gave lectures on modern topics like Artificial Intelligence, Web Intelligence and Bio-Inspired Intelligence. In addition, papers were presented on Machine Learning Language Processing for Public Health and the Use of Artificial Intelligence and Communication Technologies.



Prof. Dr. Imran Sarwar Bajwa, Chairman, Department of Computer Science, and other distinguished guests on the occasion of the conference

University of Bahawalpur. In his message to the conference, Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran said that in this era of globalization, access to modern technology, a strong economy and a trained workforce are the key areas. The Islamia University of

Chairman, Department of Computer Science, said that on the first day of the conference, renowned IT experts from the United States, Britain, Morocco, China and Malaysia addressed the conference online. He said that this conference provides an international platform

discuss the changes brought about by artificial intelligence in decision-making, information technology and daily life. Dr. Muhammad Ibrahim Publication Chair said that new developments in artificial intelligence, web intelligence and bio-inspired intelligence will be



A view of the panel discussion

89th meeting of the Syndicate



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran presiding over the meeting

The 89th meeting of the Syndicate of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur was held at Abbasia Campus under the chairmanship of Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad

Kamran. Important administrative, legal and academic matters were discussed and decisions were taken in the meeting. The Vice Chancellor welcomed the newly

arrived members of the Provincial Assembly. The meeting was attended by Member Provincial Assembly and Parliamentary Secretary Board of Revenue Punjab

Mian Muhammad Shoaib Owaisi, Member Provincial Assembly Muhammad Sohail Khan Zahid, Member Provincial Assembly Sadia Mazaffar, Former Vice Chancellor University of Sargodha Professor Dr. Muhammad Akram Chaudhry, Dean Faculty of Engineering and Technology Professor Dr. Muhammad Amjad, Dean Faculty of Veterinary and Animal Sciences Professor Dr. Muhammad Khalid Mansoor, Director Coordination Higher Education Commission Shahzaib Abbasi, Additional Secretary Higher Education Department Zahida Azhar, Deputy Secretary Finance Department Maria Javed, Dr. Alia Nazir, Associate Professor, Qaiser Ijaz Assistant Professor and Muhammad Shaji ur Rehman Registrar and Secretary.

The 90th meeting of the Syndicate of Islamia University of Bahawalpur was held at Abbasia Campus under the chairmanship of Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran. Important administrative, legal and academic matters were discussed and decisions were taken in the meeting. The meeting considered important recommendations including appointments to principal seats in the recently held selection board meeting. The meeting appreciated the services of the Syndicate members Prof. Dr. Muhammad Akram Chaudhry and Dr. Mughees Amin, who completed their term. The meeting was attended by Member Provincial Assembly Mian Muhammad Shoaib Owaisi, Member Provincial Assembly Sadia Muzaffar, Former Vice Chancellor University of Sargodha Professor Dr. Muhammad Akram Chaudhry, Dean Faculty of Engineering and Technology Professor Dr. Muhammad Amjad, Dean Faculty of Veterinary and Animal Sciences Professor Dr. Muhammad Khalid

90th meeting of the Syndicate



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran presiding over the meeting

Mansoor, Director Coordination Higher Education Commission Shahzeb Abbasi, Additional Secretary Higher Education

Department Zahida Azhar, Deputy Secretary Finance Department Maria Javed, Dr. Alia Nazir, Associate Professor, Qaiser Ijaz Assistant

Professor, Muhammad Zaman Ali Lecturer and Muhammad Shajiur Rehman Registrar and Secretary.

88th meeting of Advanced Studies and Research Board



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran presiding over the 88th meeting of Advanced Studies and Research Board

The 88th meeting of the Advanced Studies and Research Board of the Islamia University

of Bahawalpur was held at the Baghdad ul-Jadeed Campus under the chairmanship of Vice Chancellor

Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran. In his address, the vice chancellor said that the high standard of teaching and

research in line with international standards is what actually leads to an increase in the ranking and reputation of the university. Quality education is our motto and no detail will be left unturned in this regard. All the papers should be available on the web portal and it should be ensured that the research topics are in line with the betterment of the society and the development of the country. On this occasion, Director Advanced Studies and Research Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha presented the decisions taken in the previous meeting and the agenda of the current meeting. The meeting approved 313 MPhil and PhD theses, titles, topics and examiners. Deans, professors and heads of teaching departments attended the meeting.

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran meets with Member of the National Assembly Malik Muhammad Iqbal Channar



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran exchanging views with Member of the National Assembly Malik Muhammad Iqbal Channar

≡ Vice Chancellor of The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof.

Dr. Muhammad Kamran, met with Member of the National

Assembly Malik Muhammad Iqbal Channar. During the meeting, Malik

Muhammad Iqbal Channar said that Islamia University of Bahawalpur is a valuable asset for the country and the nation. He appreciated the efforts of Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran for the development and improvement of the university. The Vice Chancellor said that the university is fully focused on improving the quality of education. He added that elected representatives should play their role in resolving the financial difficulties faced by the university. He further said that the university admission campaign is currently underway and fees have been reduced to encourage more young people to seek higher education. Malik Muhammad Iqbal Channar assured that he will raise his voice at every forum for a special financial package for The Islamia University of Bahawalpur.

≡ The Islamia University of Bahawalpur and, Université Sultan Moulay Slimane in Morocco, have agreed to sign a five-year Memorandum of Understanding to

Five-year academic collaboration signed between IUB and Sultan Moulay Slimane University in Morocco



A view of meeting with Moroccan University officials



foster international cooperation in education and research. This was finalised during an online meeting between delegations from both universities. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor, led the Islamia University of Bahawalpur delegation and Université Sultan Moulay Slimane Université Sultan Moulay Slimane by Hafida Hanine, Vice President Université Sultan Moulay Slimane. The meeting was attended by a distinguished delegation from Morocco Université Sultan Moulay Slimane, which

included Prof. Dr. Abderrazak El-Harti Dean of the Poly disciplinary Faculty, Prof. Dr. Mohamed Farissi Vice Dean for Scientific Research and Cooperation, Poly disciplinary Faculty, Prof. Dr. El-Mostafa BACHAOUI, Director, Centre for Continuing Education, Prof. Dr Abderrahmene EL GHMARI, Geomatics, Georesources, and Environment Laboratory, Faculty of Sciences and Technology, M. Nabil BOUKHNEF, Head of the International Cooperation and Partnership Division, Prof. Dr Mustapha ZANZOUN, Faculty of

Islamia University of Bahawalpur delegation comprised senior officials and deans, reflecting the university's commitment to this collaboration Muhammad Shaji-Ur-Rehman, Registrar, Prof. Dr. Ghulam Hasan Abbasi, Director/ Focal Person, Prof. Dr. Abdur Rauf, Dean, Faculty of Chemical & Biological Sciences, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Amjad, Dean, Faculty of Engineering & Technology, Prof. Dr. Dost Muhammad Khan, Dean, Faculty of Computing, Prof. Dr. Jawad Iqbal, Dean, Faculty of Management Sciences, Dr. Abid

Shahzad, Directorate of International Linkages, Faisal Shehzad, Faculty of Computing, Dr. Shahzad Ahmad Khalid, Director Media and Public Relations. The purpose of the MoU will be to develop academic and educational cooperation based on equality and reciprocity. The agreement outlines a framework for collaboration in several key areas, including the Exchange of students, faculty, and research scholars. Joint research activities and publications. Organisation of seminars, symposia, and academic meetings. Sharing of academic materials, research, and educational resources. Collaboration on the development of electronic instruction media. Prof. Dr Ghulam Hasan Abbasi Director Institute of Agro-Industry and Environment, Faculty of Agriculture & Environment, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur has been nominated as the Focal Person to coordinate signing and the implementation of this agreement. This partnership is established for an initial period of five years and is designed to promote sustainable collaboration and mutual understanding between the two institutions.



Group photo of deans, officers, and faculty members along with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran

IUB signs MoU with Qarshi Foundation



Group photo of participants with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran

A Memorandum of Understanding was signed between the Islamia University of Bahawalpur and the Qarshi Foundation. The Memorandum of Understanding was

signed by the Vice Chancellor of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, and Adeel Saeed Mir, Chief Executive Officer of the Qarshi Foundation

Trust. Under the agreement, the Qarshi Foundation will undertake welfare measures for the students and community of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. The Qarshi

Foundation will establish the Qarshi Clinic of Natural Medicine at the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. The Qarshi Foundation will provide qualified and trained staff for this purpose. The Qarshi Foundation will provide natural medicines approved by the Drug Regulatory Authority of Pakistan free of charge. Similarly, the Qarshi Foundation will provide free medical consultation, diagnosis and medicines to the community of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. Prof. Dr. Jawad Iqbal, Dean of the Faculty of Management Science and Commerce, Muhammad Shaji ur Rehman Registrar, Dr. Muhammad Usman Cheema Chief Medical Officer, Dr. Shahzad Ahmed Khalid, Director Public Relations, Dr. Sheikh Safina Siddique, Director Women Healthcare Center and Maternity Home and staff members were present on the occasion.

A Memorandum of Understanding was signed between the Islamia University of Bahawalpur and Nadeem Khan Pathology Laboratory to provide facilities to the university community in medical tests. The signing was made by Vice Chancellor of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and Director Pathology Lab, Nadeem Khan. On this occasion, Dr. Safina Sidiq, Director Women's Healthcare Center and Maternity Home, said that the said lab will provide 50% discount on medical tests to the employees of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. In addition, it will also provide training and internship to the graduates of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. Dr. Samina Ijaz, Dr. Sajjad Hussain, Dr. Shahzad Ahmed Khalid, Director Public Relations were present on the occasion. Later, Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran inaugurated a free medical camp organized by

IUB signs MoU with Nadeem Khan Pathology Laboratory



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and Director Pathology Lab, Nadeem Khan signing MoU Documents

Women's Healthcare Center and Maternity Home. On this occasion, Vice Chancellor Cholistan University of Veterinary and Animal Sciences Bahawalpur Professor Dr. Mazhar

Ayaz, Professor Dr. Rubina Bhatti, Dean Faculty of Social Sciences, former MPA Fouzia Ayub Qureshi, former Syndicate Member Dr. Nazir Azhar and renowned physicians

Dr. Munir Azhar, Professor Dr. Qazi Masroor Ahmed and Professor Dr. Azhar Khan were present.

Fourth National Seerat-un-Nabi (PBUH) Conference



Group photo of participants along with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran

The fourth National Seerat-un-Nabi (PBUH) Conference was organized by the Islamia University of Bahawalpur in collaboration with the Higher Education Commission

of Pakistan, Islamic Ideology Council and Rahmatul-lil-Alameen (PBUH) Authority Pakistan in connection with the Ashra-e-Shan-e-Rahmatul-lil-Alameen

(PBUH) at Ghulam Muhammad Ghotvi Hall, Abbasia Campus. The theme of the conference was "State Responsibilities in the Education and Training of the Beneficial Use

of Social Media, in the Light of Seerat-un-Nabi (PBUH)". The event was presided over by Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. The welcome address was delivered by Professor Dr. Hafiz Shafiq-ur-Rehman, Director, Seerat Chair. While the opening remarks were delivered by Professor Dr. Sheikh Shafiq-ur-Rehman, Dean, Faculty of Islamic and Arabic Studies. The conference was attended by prominent personalities, researchers and scholars of the country, including Advocate Mah Jabeen Khan Abbasi, Member of National Assembly, Professor Dr. Khalil Ahmed Thanvi, Mufti Muhammad Ibrahim, Former Member, Islamic Ideology Council, Sukkur, Professor Dr. Mufti Saeed-ur-Rehman, Institute of Southern Punjab, Multan, Professor Dr. Kalsoom Paracha, and Vice Chancellor. Women's University Multan was

prominent. Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran said in his presidential address that Islamia University Bahawalpur is committed to conveying the message of Seerat-un-Nabi (peace be upon him) to the whole world through academic and research activities and each of us needs to present a practical interpretation of the Seerat. The speakers said in their addresses that social media is the most

powerful weapon of today's era. It is a medium of communication that has the ability to convey a message to the whole world in moments. If it is used for good, goodness and reform, it can become the best means of social education, intellectual awareness, religious consciousness and academic evolution. But if it is used wrongly and negatively, this same power can also lead to social deterioration, sedition and

corruption and moral degradation. He said that in this context, it is the responsibility of the state to formulate such policies and laws for social media that guarantee the protection of social values. It is the duty of educational institutions to guide the new generation in the right direction in the digital world through curriculum and training. Similarly, parents are also required to supervise and Guide them

towards positive and constructive use of social media. The speakers emphasized that if these three levels, the state, educational institutions and the family, fulfill their respective responsibilities in a proper manner, social media can be made the most effective messenger of goodness, peace, tolerance and moderation in the light of the Seerat-un-Nabi (peace be upon him).

Certificate distribution ceremony for participants of the ISPR Summer Internship 2025



Group photo of students completing the ISPR Internship along with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran

A certificate distribution ceremony for students, completing the ISPR Internship in Summer 2025 at Bahawalpur Garrison was

held at Ghulam Muhammad Ghotvi Hall, Abbasia Campus at Islamia University of Bahawalpur. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran Vice Chancellor

praised the ISPR for organising the internship programme for students all over the country and said that the ISPR internship groomed

future leaders of Pakistan by providing university students with practical, hands-on experience in media, communications, and strategic public relations within the context of national security. On this occasion participating student said that the program was aimed to bridge academic learning with real-world application, foster skills in strategic communication, enhance professional development, build confidence, and cultivate a sense of national duty. The Vice Chancellor thanked Bahawalpur Garrison and ISPR for a healthy and productive activity for the university students during the summer holidays. The VC also appreciated participating faculty, students and support staff from the Directorate of Public Relations and the Transport Division. On this occasion, Registrar Muhammad Shaji ur Rahman, Dr. Shahzad Ahmed Khalid, Director Public Relations, Fatima Junaid Dy Registrar and faculty members were also present.

A seminar was held at Ghulam Muhammad Ghotvi Hall, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur in connection with Defence Day. On this occasion, Station Commander Bahawalpur Garrison Brigadier Ghazanfar Iqbal was the chief

Abid, and Muhammad Arif brother of Shaheed Captain Muhammad Asif attended the ceremony as guests of honor. During the ceremony

Seminar on Defence Day

Studies talked on Determined and Confident Pakistani. Akbar Bhatti father of Shaheed Captain Sohail Akbar and Muhammad Arif brother

Bahawalpur Performing Art Society presented national songs. The ceremony was attended by Dean Faculty of Physical and Mathematical



Group photo of participants along with Station Commander Bahawalpur Garrison Brigadier Ghazanfar Iqbal and Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran

guest and Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor, presided over the ceremony. On this occasion, the families of the martyrs, Akbar Bhatti father of Shaheed Captain Sohail Akbar, and Dr. Muhammad Abid father of Shaheed Captain Hassan

Professor Dr. Sheikh Shafiq-ur-Rehman Dean of the Faculty of Arabic and Islamic Studies delivered a special lecture on the topic of Maraka e Haq Bunyan Al-Marsoos and Dr. Rubina Yasmin Chairperson of the Department of Pakistan

of Shaheed Captain Muhammad Asif expressed their views and appreciated the organizing of the defence and martyrs ceremony by the Islamia University of Bahawalpur on the regularly. On this occasion, students of the Islamia University of

Sciences Professor Dr. Ghulam Mustafa, Registrar Muhammad Shaji ur Rahman, Treasurer Tariq Mahmood Sheikh, Director Public Relations Dr. Shahzad Ahmed Khalid, students and employees in large numbers.

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran attends HEC Academic Leadership and Management Program



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran exchanging views during the meeting

≡ Vice Chancellor the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, attended a five-day Academic Leadership and Management Program for Vice Chancellors at the Civil Services Academy Lahore organized by the Pakistan Higher Education Commission. The program aimed to provide education leaders with the latest management and leadership skills to effectively address the challenges facing the higher education sector. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran appreciated the Civil Services Academy, Punjab Higher Education Commission and Uraan Pakistan Program of the Government of Pakistan for organizing this training program in line with sustainable development. He said that this program will prove helpful in promoting excellent educational leadership and management.

≡ Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur inaugurated the Center of Islamic Finance established in collaboration with the Department of Islamic and Conventional Banking, Institute of Business Management and Administrative Sciences, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, and Meezan Bank Limited. Prof. Dr. Jawad Iqbal, Dean Faculty of Management Sciences and Commerce and Director of the Institute of Business Management and Administrative Sciences, attended the ceremony as the Founder and Patron of the Centre of Islamic Finance. His visionary efforts and steadfast patronage were instrumental in setting up this centre at the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. The establishment of this centre underscores the Islamia University of Bahawalpur's commitment to contributing to the growth of Islamic finance, aligning with global trends and local needs. It is expected to serve as a hub for education, research, and industry engagement in Islamic financial disciplines. On this occasion, a Memorandum of Understanding was signed between the Islamia University of Bahawalpur and Meezan Bank Limited. Distinguished guests included Mufti Zubair Ahmed, Member of the Shariah Board of Meezan Bank, who delivered the keynote address, emphasizing the importance of aligning modern banking practices with Shariah

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran inaugurates the Centre of Islamic Finance at IBMAS



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and others inaugurating the Center of Islamic Finance

principles to ensure inclusivity and socio-economic justice. Among other officers of Meezan Bank Abid Hussain Malik Distribution Head, Eijaz Nadeem Regional General Manager, Bahawalpur, Abrar Hussain Area Manager, Bahawalpur, Naveed ul Hassan Regional Operations Manager, Mufti Muhammad Shoaib Shariah Scholar. Representatives of the State Bank of Pakistan graced the event, including Rass Masood Senior Deputy Chief Manager, Nouman Ali Assistant Chief Manager, and Fakhir Faraz Assistant Director, highlighting the regulator's support in fostering innovation and stability in the Islamic financial system.

Speaking on the occasion, Dr. Owais Shafique, In-Charge Department of Islamic and Conventional Banking and Focal Person of Centre of Islamic Finance, emphasized the strategic role of Islamic finance in achieving sustainable economic development. He said that the Centre of Islamic Finance will not only provide academic and professional training but also create pathways for FinTech innovation, Green Finance, and ethical banking practices. This collaboration with Meezan Bank reflects our shared vision to position Bahawalpur and Pakistan as leaders in socially responsible and Shariah-compliant financial solutions. Prof.

Dr. Areeba Khan, Director Financial Assistance, Prof. Dr. Abdul Majid Makki, Chairman, Department of Commerce, Dr. Hassan Mujtaba Nawaz Saleem, Head, Department of Finance, Dr. Javed Iqbal, Chairman, Department of Management and Human Resource Management, Dr. Nazim, Chairman, Department of Supply Chain Management, Umer Farooq, Lecturer and Research Coordinator, Department of Islamic and Conventional Banking, Dr. Muhammad Naeem Shahid, senior faculty from Cholistan University of Veterinary and Animal Sciences Bahawalpur were also present.

Punjab Assembly Speaker nominates Ms. Sadia Muzaffar as IUB Syndicate member

≡ Speaker Punjab Assembly has nominated Sadia Muzaffar, a woman member of the Punjab Assembly from Bahawalpur on a women's seat, as a member of the Syndicate of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. Member of the

Punjab Assembly Sadia Muzaffar will serve as a member of the Syndicate of the historic Jamia Islamia Bahawalpur. The Islamia University of Bahawalpur has also issued a notification in this regard.



MPA Muhammad Sohail Khan Zahid nominated as a member of IUB Syndicate

Speaker Punjab Assembly has nominated Member Punjab Assembly from Bahawalnagar Muhammad Sohail Khan Zahid as a member of the Syndicate of the Islamia

University Bahawalpur. Member Punjab Assembly Muhammad Sohail Khan Zahid will perform his duties as a member of the Syndicate of Jamia Islamia Bahawalpur. The Islamia

University Bahawalpur has also issued a notification in this regard.



In connection with the 100th anniversary celebrations of Islamia University of Bahawalpur, a special seminar was organised by the Seerat Chair to pay tribute to the first Sheikh-ul-Jamia Hazrat Maulana Ghulam Muhammad Ghotvi at Ghulam Muhammad Ghotvi Hall, Abbasia Campus. The seminar, which was organized on the topic of the biography and the religious and academic services of the first Sheikh-ul-Jamia of Jamia Abbasia Bahawalpur, Maulana Ghulam Muhammad Ghotvi, was addressed by Vice Chancellor Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Brigadier (Retd) Abdul Qayyum, Moinuddin Junaid Golrawi, Professor Dr. Ghulam Naseeruddin Shibli, Professor Dr. Salim Tariq Khan, Former Vice Chancellor Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Dean Faculty of Islamic and Arabic Studies Professor Dr. Sheikh Shafiqur-ur-Rehman and Director Seerat Chair Professor Dr. Hafiz Shafiqur-ur-Rehman. In his address on this occasion, Vice Chancellor of Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, described Maulana Ghulam Muhammad Ghotvi, the first Vice Chancellor of Abbasia University, as a great religious scholar, thinker, researcher and teacher of the Indian subcontinent. He said that Maulana Ghulam Muhammad Ghotvi's services in establishing and strengthening the Jamia Abbasia will always be remembered. The participants said that Maulana Ghulam Muhammad Ghotvi was the custodian of the great academic and spiritual tradition of the Bahawalpur region,

which is characterised by piety, sincerity and service to the people. He dedicated his life to promoting the education of the Quran and Sunnah, training students and raising religious awareness. He had an extraordinary passion for the Quran and Sunnah and his life aimed to promote and propagate religion.

is considered one of the leading universities in Pakistan. Islamia University of Bahawalpur is still a symbol of the fusion of religious and contemporary sciences, which is the result of the vision of Maulana Ghotvi. Its intellectual foundation includes commitment to the Quran and Sunnah, passion

Maulana Ghulam Muhammad Ghotvi, Dean of the Faculty of Engineering and Technology Professor Dr. Muhammad Amjad, Member Islamic Ideology Council Malikullah Bakhsh Kaliyar, Abdul Razzaq Shaiq, former President Bahawalpur Press Club Naseer Ahmed Nasir, senior columnist Anwar Grewal, heads of

IUB centenary celebrations: Seminar pays tribute to the first Sheikh-ul-Jamia Hazrat Maulana Ghulam Muhammad Ghotvi



Group photo of participants with VC Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Brigadier (R) Abdul Qayyum, Moinuddin Junaid Golrawi, Prof. Dr. Ghulam Naseeruddin Shibli, Prof. Dr. Salim Tariq Khan, Prof. Dr. Sheikh Shafiqur-ur-Rehman, and Prof. Dr. Hafiz Shafiqur-ur-Rehman

When Jamia Abbasia Bahawalpur was going through its initial period, the institution needed a leadership that had academic insight as well as religious commitment. The remarkable impact of Maulana Ghotvi's services is that today Islamia University of Bahawalpur

for research and moral training, and the intellectual legacy of this great Sheikh-ul-Jamia. Maulana Ghotvi not only did this in a vacuum, but also gave a new dimension to the academic and religious identity of the university. The ceremony was attended by members of the family of

departments, Dr. Abdul Ghaffar, Dr. Ghulam Haider, Dr. Zia-ur-Rehman, Dr. Sajila Kausar, Director Public Relations, Dr. Shahzad Ahmed Khalid, dignitaries, teachers and students in large numbers.

Department of Pakistan Studies the Islamia University of Bahawalpur and Punjab Arts Council organized a seminar on the death anniversary of the Father of the Nation Quaid-e-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah at Abbasia Campus in collaboration. On this occasion, Brigadier Dr. Nadir Suleman delivered a detailed lecture on the heroes of Pakistan, martyrs of Pakistan and civil society members who have done outstanding work in different walks of life and Pakistanis as determined and confident Pakistanis. He shed detailed light on the Pak-India conflicts, especially Operation Banyan-al-Marsoos, and highlighted various aspects of the brilliant success of the Pakistani Armed Forces. Director Bahawalpur Arts Council Atiq Ahmed delivered a lecture on the cultural vision and leadership of Quaid-e-Azam

Seminar on the death anniversary of Quaid-e-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah



Faculty members and officers along with Director Bahawalpur Arts Council, Atiq Ahmed, Brigadier Dr. Nadir Suleman, and Registrar Muhammad Shaji-ur-Rehman

Muhammad Ali Jinnah. Chairperson of the Department of Pakistan Studies Dr. Rubina Yasmin said that the Islamia University of Bahawalpur organizes seminars on various topics for teachers, employees and students from time to time so that the new

generation can become aware of its history, heroes and their sacrifices. She thanked the Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran for organizing and sponsoring the seminar. Registrar Muhammad Shaji ur Rehman, Director Public

Relations Dr. Shahzad Ahmed Khalid, teachers and students of Government Sadiq Egerton College Bahawalpur, teachers of Government Sadiq College Women's University Bahawalpur participated in the seminar. Students and students of

IUB Performing Art Society presented national songs. The seminar was moderated by Agha Sadaf Mehdi, Senior Producer, Campus FM Radio.



Chairperson, Department of Pakistan Studies, Dr. Rubina Yasmin, Director, Bahawalpur Arts Council, Atiq Ahmed, Brigadier Dr. Nadir Suleman, Registrar IUB Muhammad Shaji-ur-Rehman, and Agha Sadaf Mehdi addressing the seminar

Tech Lancer Summit 3.0



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Dean Faculty of Computing, Prof. Dr. Dost Muhammad Khan and others addressing the seminar

The Department of Data Science Faculty of Computing the Islamia University of Bahawalpur successfully organized the Tech lancer Summit 3.0 and Mushaira, a visionary initiative aimed at educating and motivating students towards technology freelancing,

skill development, and sustainable income generation. Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran was the chief guest. Vice Chancellor highlighted the core objective of the event, preparing students for the global freelance market, promoting financial independence,

and contributing to institutional and national economic growth. During the event, Prof. Dr. Dost Muhammad Khan Dean Faculty of Computing, Dr. Muhammad Faheem Mushtaq, Focal Person and Associate Professor, Department of Data Science, Dr. Muhammad Zeeshan Jhandeer,

Head, Department of Data Science, renowned industry experts and tech professionals shared valuable insights on the future of the freelancing market, emphasizing how emerging technologies such as data science, AI, software development, and cyber security can support Pakistan's digital economy, foreign exchange earnings, and youth employment. The event was further honored by the presence of Prof. Dr. Muhammad Amjad Dean Faculty of Engineering and Technology, Prof. Dr. Najia Sehar Chairperson Department of Artificial Intelligence, Prof. Dr. Imran Sarwar Bajwa Chairman Department of Computer Science, Dr. Malik Muhammad Saad Missen Chairman Department of Software Engineering, Dr. Saeed Sheikh Chairman Department of Fiqh and Shariah, along with other respected chairpersons and faculty members, reflecting strong interdepartmental collaboration and institutional support. Through initiatives like Tech lancer, the Department of Data Science reaffirms its commitment to transforming students into skilled freelancers, innovators, and digital ambassadors of Pakistan, ready to earn globally while contributing locally.

Dr. Azhar Hussain represents IUB in prestigious training program in China

Dr. Azhar Hussain, Associate Professor, Department of Soil Science, The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, has been selected for a prestigious 15-day training program in China titled "Future Ready Academic Leadership: Governance

Innovation and AI Integration in Higher Education. This advanced training program was for Senior Academics and Administrators from Pakistan Higher Education Institutions. The training was at Tianjin Foreign Studies University,

China, and Higher Education Association of China. Dr. Azhar Hussain is part of a 25-member delegation representing the Higher Education Commission (HEC) and various universities of Pakistan. Dr. Azhar Hussain successfully

completed the 15-day professional training program under HEC's initiative for senior academics titled "Future Ready Academic Leadership: Governance Innovation and AI Integration in Higher Education." The concluding ceremony was held at the China Association of Higher Education in Beijing. The training was organized by the Higher Education Commission (HEC) of Pakistan, the China Association of Higher

Education, the China-Pakistan Economic Corridor Consortium of Universities (CPEC Consortium of Universities), and hosted by Tianjin Foreign Studies University (TFSU), China. The program comprised academic lecture sessions along with institutional and exposure visits to Peking University, other world-ranked universities, and various higher education institutions across

China. In addition, participants engaged in cultural visits, providing a broader understanding of China's heritage and contemporary society. These activities offered participants practical insights into higher education governance, innovation in academic leadership, and the integration of artificial intelligence in contemporary academic systems. The concluding ceremony was held

at the China Association of Higher Education in Beijing. The ceremony was hosted by Ms. Gao Xiaojie, Deputy Secretary-General, China Association of Higher Education. The ceremony featured addresses by Mr. Zhang Daliang, Vice President, China Association of Higher Education, Ms. Aayesha Ikram, Director General (Global Cooperation), Higher Education Commission of Pakistan,

and Mr. Zhu Pengxiao, Vice President, Tianjin Foreign Studies University. Certificates were awarded by Prof. Dr. Zheng Siming, Vice Dean, Tianjin Foreign Studies University, China. Dr. Azhar Hussain was among the 25 members delegations from various universities of Pakistan selected for this prestigious training program.



Glimpses of Associate Professor Department of Soil Science Dr. Azhar Hussain's visit China

Humanitarian relief and rehabilitation efforts for flood affected communities by The Islamia University of Bahawalpur



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Focal Person of the IUB Flood Relief Cell Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha, and others during press briefing

The Islamia University of Bahawalpur continued its flood relief campaign to support flood-affected families. In this regard, the IUB Flood Relief Cell distributed relief materials in Tehsil Jalalpur Pirwala. A team from the Flood Relief Cell of The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, led by Focal Person Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha, visited Haji Pul, Tehsil Jalalpur Pirwala, where medical and veterinary teams set up camps, and volunteers distributed medicines, dry rations, mosquito nets, clothes, and food. This activity was carried out in collaboration with the university partners, including Pakistan Overseas Forum, Makka Solar Company, Ahsan Trust, and Umeed-e-Sahar Pakistan Volunteer Group. According to the Focal Person, Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha, 65 food packs, including 15-day dry ration bags, 149 cooked food packs, 200 mosquito nets, and women's clothes, were distributed among the flood-affected people. The IUB medical team provided medical treatment and medicines to 400 patients, while the veterinary team treated more than 100 animals. Dr. Shahzad Ahmed Khalid, Director Public Relations, Abdul Basit from the Labour Department, Rana Amir Shahzad from Pelican Development Organization, Ahmed Shahzad, Chairman of Umeed-e-Sahar Pakistan Volunteer Group, Dr. Waheed Abbasi, lady doctors, veterinary doctors from the Faculty of Veterinary and Animal Sciences, and call centre representatives were also present on the occasion. The Islamia University of Bahawalpur continued its comprehensive relief campaign to support flood-affected families. In this regard, IUB alumna and CEO of Pakistan Medicine Pharma Distributor Bahawalpur, Ms. Shazia Afzal, handed over medicines for three medical camps, while the Pakistan Overseas Forum donated

100 mosquito nets for flood victims to Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor, and the IUB Flood Relief Cell. On the occasion, Prof. Dr. Qaiser Jabeen, Dean, Faculty of Pharmacy; Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha, Focal Person, IUB Flood Relief Cell; Prof. Dr. Muhammad Akhtar, Chairman, Department of Human Nutrition &

Development Organization. The delegation reviewed the ongoing house construction project proposed by The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, funded by Pakistan Overseas Forum Mandi Bahauddin, and implemented by Pelican Development Organization. Mr. Shujaat Ali from UN OCHA

Sahar Pakistan distributed essential relief items to the affected families of Baqirpur in the second phase of its project for flood-affected people in collaboration with the IUB Flood Relief Cell. On this occasion, 34 ration bags, four large bags filled with cartons of mineral water, and 75 hygiene kits were distributed. Chairman and Founder of Umeed-e-Sahar Pakistan, Ahmed Shahzad, said that the younger generation has always stood by the people of Pakistan and should always remain at the forefront whenever the nation calls. He also appreciated the dedication and hard work of his team members for this noble cause. Other members included Umar Javed, Abu Bakar Javed, Hassan Anis, Khuzayma Khurram, Fatima Javed, Research Officer Ahmed Imran, Public Relations Officer Haris Shahzad, Media Team Officer Khadija Amin Sheikh, Head of Media, PR & Outreach Hamza Ali Haqi, Finance Secretary Burhan Ali, and Secretary General. Umeed-e-Sahar Pakistan reiterated its commitment to continue supporting flood-affected communities and working for a brighter Pakistan. Vice Chancellor of The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, handed over the keys of five newly constructed houses to flood victims



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran donating to the IUB Flood Relief Fund at the Abbasia Campus Flood Relief Camp

Dietetics; Prof. Dr. Asadullah Madni, Director, Quality Enhancement Cell; Registrar Shaji-ur-Rehman; Dr. Shahzad Ahmed Khalid, Director, Media & Public Relations; Dr. Qamar-ul-Zaman, Faculty Member; Dr. Waheed Abbasi, Medical Officer; and others were present. A joint field visit was conducted to Mauza Marri Qasim Shah, Bahawalpur, by Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha, Focal Person, IUB Flood Relief Cell; Mr. Shujaat Ali, Representative, UN OCHA (South Punjab); Ms. Uzma Ahmad, Director Programs, Pelican Development Organization; and Mr. Rana Amir Shehzad, Representative, Pelican

appreciated the joint efforts of the IUB Flood Relief Cell, Pelican Development Organization, and Pakistan Overseas Forum Mandi Bahauddin in supporting flood-affected families in South Punjab. Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha shared that Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran was personally monitoring the activities of the IUB Flood Relief Cell and had directed that the university's services in flood-affected areas, including rescue, rehabilitation, and reconstruction, should continue until all affected families were fully resettled. Volunteer team Umeed-e-

in Marri Qasim Shah, a suburb of Bahawalpur. The Pakistan Overseas Forum, in collaboration with the IUB Flood Relief Cell and Pelican Development Organization, constructed twenty houses in Tehsil Alipur and five houses in Bahawalpur for flood-affected families. On this occasion, Head of the IUB Flood Relief Cell, Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha; Pakistan Overseas Forum representatives Hassan Mahmood Supra, Mian Waqar Akmal, Muhammad Aftab Gondal, Tsavur Aziz Bhagat; Rana Amir Shahzad from Pelican Development Organization; Dr. Shahzad Ahmed

Khalid, Director, Media and Public Relations; Dr. Muhammad Khalid, Executive Secretary; university employees, volunteers, students, and a large number of flood victims were present. The local community thanked Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and his team for their outstanding rescue, relief, and rehabilitation efforts carried out through the IUB Flood Relief Cell during the floods. The Islamia University of Bahawalpur's Flood Relief Cell delivered relief materials to more than 300 flood-affected families in the villages of Bet Bakhtiari and Rasoolpur in Tehsil Ahmadpur Sharqia. Earlier, Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran dispatched relief materials from Abbasia Campus to the flood-affected areas of Tehsil Ahmadpur Sharqia. The Vice Chancellor stated that the IUB Flood Relief Cell had been working actively under the leadership of Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha. He also shared that the National Disaster Management Authority had appreciated the outstanding performance of the IUB Flood Relief Cell. The University College of Art and Design, The Islamia University of Bahawalpur,



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and Focal Person IUB Flood Relief Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha presenting certificate of recognition to representatives of the Pakistan Overseas Forum

clothes, footwear, medicines, sanitary items, utensils, food items, and cash. Dr. Farhana Altaf Qureshi, Principal, University College of Art and Design, The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, supervised the entire programme, reaffirming the college's commitment to serving the

as a centre of academic excellence and social development. Among the distinguished guests who supported the Charity Programme through their generous donations and inspiring remarks were Prof. Dr. Syed Amir Sohail, Dean, Faculty of Arts and Languages; Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed

covers, and other household essentials, to Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha, Chairman, Department of Social Work, The Islamia University of Bahawalpur. Furthermore, Dr. Farhana Altaf Qureshi briefed Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha on the various fundraising activities, the Faculty Art Exhibition, and the promotion of charitable art practices. She also thanked the administration of DHA Bahawalpur for its generous donation of PKR 50,000 towards the Flood Awareness Campaign organised by the University College of Art and Design. At the closing ceremony of the Flood Awareness Campaign, Dr. Farhana Altaf Qureshi appreciated the dedicated efforts of the students of the University College of Art and Design and highlighted the welfare activities undertaken by The Islamia University of Bahawalpur during the challenging flood situation of 2025. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor of The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, participated in the special Pakistan Television (PTV) Multan programme titled "Flood and Disaster Management." Speaking during the programme, the Vice Chancellor said that an integrated strategy and scientific planning were essential to effectively address natural disasters, particularly floods. He stated that the losses caused by natural disasters could be minimised through modern research, improved infrastructure, and public awareness campaigns. Emphasising the role of the media, he said that it played a vital role in providing timely and accurate information to the public, as well as guidance on safety measures during emergencies. He further stressed that the media and educational institutions should work together to create public awareness so that lives and property could be protected during any emergency. He was accompanied by Dr. Malik Adnan, Chairman, Department of Media and Communication Studies; Dr. Riaz Sindhar, President, ASA IUB; Shafqat



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, Prof. Dr. Rubina Bhatti, Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha, Focal Person, IUB Flood Relief Cell, and others during the dispatch of relief goods for flood-affected families

arranged a charity programme under the theme "Back Home: Journey of Hope and Healing." The objective of the programme was to provide moral and financial support to the flood-affected communities of Pakistan. The programme included a week-long Charitable Faculty Art Exhibition, a flood relief drive, fundraising campaigns, and interactive art activities to collect household essentials and financial contributions for flood-affected people across Pakistan. The faculty members of the University College of Art and Design created artworks that reflected resilience through art. Students of the University College of Art and Design donated essential items, both new and gently used, including blankets, neatly packed

communities of Punjab through art. She also encouraged faculty members to organise the formal Faculty Art Exhibition. The event, "Back Home: Journey of Hope and Healing," was inaugurated by Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor of The Islamia University of Bahawalpur. The Vice Chancellor visited the Charitable Faculty Art Exhibition and interacted with faculty members to discuss flood-related challenges and the role of the artistic community in promoting the spirit of rehabilitation. Dr. Farhana Altaf Qureshi, Principal, University College of Art and Design, expressed her sincere gratitude to Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran for his leadership and vision in establishing The Islamia University of Bahawalpur

Ranjha, Chairman, Department of Social Work; Dr. Sheikh Safeena Siddique, Director, Women Health Centre and Maternity Home and Senior Medical Officer; Muhammad Zahid from the University Printing Press; renowned South Punjab artist Muhammad Ali Afzal Jalwana; Directors and Sub-Directors of the Arts Council Bahawalpur; renowned social activist Amber Tanseer; Dr. Maryam; Dr. Musarrat; and senior faculty members of The Islamia University of Bahawalpur. Dr. Farhana Altaf Qureshi, along with the faculty members of the University College of Art and Design, presented a cheque representing the combined funds raised by the college community, along with a large collection of clothes, blankets, bed



Glimpses of donation drive by IUB for flood hit areas under the supervision of focal person Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha

Malik, General Manager, PTV Multan; water affairs expert and senior political analyst Malik Haider Usman. Umeed-e-Sahar Pakistan Volunteer Group participated in relief activities in the flood-affected area of Haji Pul, Jalalpur Pirwala, in collaboration with the IUB Flood Relief Cell. The team distributed meals among flood victims and provided assistance to affected families with the aim of reducing their immediate suffering and restoring hope. The team

included Ahmed Shahzad, Chairman; Hamza Ali Haqi, Finance Secretary; Muhammad Ahmed Imran, Public Relations Officer; Haris Shahzad, Photographer; Daniyal Rashid, Executive Advisor; Umar; and Abu Bakar Javed. During the visit, the team observed the difficult conditions faced by displaced communities. People were living in tents and temporary shelters with their families after being forced to leave their homes because of rising

floodwaters. It was estimated that hundreds of people had been displaced, and continuous humanitarian assistance was required. Umeed-e-Sahar Pakistan distributed 150 food boxes, ensuring immediate food assistance for families displaced by the floods. This relief activity was carried out by dedicated volunteers under the age of 18. The IUB Flood Relief Cell played a key role in the mission by providing medical assistance, health check-ups, veterinary services, mosquito

nets, and public awareness support. In the second phase of the relief campaign, Umeed-e-Sahar Pakistan announced that it would provide hygiene kits for flood-affected children. At the conclusion of the activity, Umeed-e-Sahar Pakistan Volunteer Group thanked Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha, Focal Person of the IUB Flood Relief Cell, for his continuous support and valuable cooperation throughout the relief mission.



A view of the distribution of ration bags to flood-affected families



Group photo of the Umeed-e-Sahar Pakistan Volunteers team with Chairman Ahmed Shahzad



Group photo of IUB flood relief team with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Focal Person IUB Flood Relief Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha and others



Glimpses of the IUB donation drive for flood-affected communities



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran handing over the key of a newly constructed house to flood-affected family.



Glimpses of donation drive by IUB for the people of flood hit areas

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran visits IBCC Secretariat Islamabad



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran with Dr. Shahzad Ali Gill, Mr. Irfan Ali Ansari, and Dr. Muhammad Khalid Sheikh

The Vice Chancellor of The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, visited the Inter Boards Coordination Commission (IBCC) Secretariat in H-9, Islamabad. He was warmly welcomed by Dr. Shahzad Ali Gill, Director Coordination & Legal Affairs, along with Mr. Irfan Ali Ansari, Director Media & Communications. Dr. Muhammad Khalid Sheikh, Executive Secretary to the Vice Chancellor, also accompanied the delegation. During the visit, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran recorded an insightful podcast at the IBCC Podcast Studio. He highlighted key perspectives on Pakistan's education landscape and elaborated on IUB's diverse academic and research initiatives, robust student support ecosystem, co-curricular and extracurricular development opportunities, and state-of-the-art facilities being offered to students. The podcast reflects IUB's commitment to academic excellence, innovation, and empowering youth through quality education, and also strengthens collaborative ties between IBCC and higher education institutions across Pakistan.

Vice Chancellor the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran visited Radio Pakistan Islamabad. Upon his arrival, he was warmly welcomed by Director General of Radio Pakistan, Muhammad Saeed Sheikh and Station Director Radio Pakistan Islamabad, Imran Javed. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran was given a detailed tour of the Historical Museum of Radio Pakistan. This museum houses artifacts that have become milestones in the broadcasting history of Pakistan. The Vice Chancellor saw old radio stations, recording equipment, machinery used for historical broadcasting, and all the installations that are still preserved in their original condition. The first radio station in the museum from which the Declaration of Independence of Pakistan was broadcast was of special interest to

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran visits Radio Pakistan Islamabad



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran participating in podcast at Radio Pakistan

Dr. Muhammad Kamran. He closely examined the structure, technical aspects, and historical role of this station. This is the same place from where the historic voice of

"This is Radio Pakistan" echoed on August 14, 1947, and this moment formed the foundation of Pakistan's broadcasting history and it is believed that this radio station is the

creation of the hands of Marconi, the inventor of radio. He expressed deep interest in this historical heritage.

National seminar on the Seerat Un Nabi (PBUH) and principles of interfaith dialogue



Participants of the seminar

A one-day national seminar on "Prophetic Principles of Interfaith Dialogue" was organized at The Islamia University of Bahawalpur as part of the celebrations of the 1500th birth anniversary of Prophet Muhammad (PBUH). The seminar, attended by a large number of teachers and students, was held under the patronage of Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and Dean Faculty of Islamic and Arabic Studies Prof. Dr. Sheikh Shafiq-ur-Rehman. It was organized by Dr. Sajila Kausar, Head of the Department of World Religions and Interfaith Harmony, while Dr. Hafiz Muhammad Sajjad Tataralvi,

Head of the Department of Islamic Thought, History and Culture, Allama Iqbal Open University Islamabad, participated as the guest speaker. Speaking on the occasion, Dr. Sajila Kausar said the seminar highlighted the Prophet's (PBUH) principles of dialogue, wisdom, and respect in promoting peaceful coexistence with people of other faiths. Dr. Hafiz Muhammad Sajjad Tataralvi emphasized that the life and teachings of Prophet Muhammad (PBUH) provide timeless guidance for humanity and stressed that his compassionate approach to interfaith dialogue remains a model for fostering peace, harmony, and mutual understanding. The seminar concluded with an interactive question-and-answer session in which students actively participated.

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran visits NUST and meets Rector Dr. Muhammad Zahid Latif

Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran Vice Chancellor the Islamia University Bahawalpur met Rector, Dr. Muhammad Zahid Latif, during

the visit to NUST. The two academic leaders had an in-depth conversation on academic leadership, university governance and the evolving

landscape of higher education in Pakistan. Their discussion centred on strengthening academic quality, promoting research excellence,

enhancing knowledge-based and reflected a shared commitment to meaningful academic dialogue. Rector also presented the Vice Chancellor a copy of his recently launched book, Pakistan's Search for Peace with Afghanistan: Statecraft, Policy, and Strategy.



Rector NUST, Dr. Muhammad Zahid Latif presenting book to Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran exchanging views with Rector NUST Dr. Muhammad Zahid Latif

Deputy Speaker Punjab Assembly Malik Zaheer Iqbal Chander attended the event held at Khawaja Ghulam Farid Campus the Islamia University of Bahawalpur as the chief guest on the occasion of International Day of Persons with Disabilities. Deputy Speaker Punjab Assembly Malik Zaheer Iqbal Chander said that the Punjab government is taking vigorous steps to bring the differently-abled people into the mainstream and make them active citizens of the country. 3% quota is reserved for differently-abled people in all government jobs, which is being strictly implemented. Addressing the ceremony, the Deputy Speaker Punjab Assembly said that the purpose of celebrating the International Day of Persons with Disabilities is not to simply pity special people as they have disabilities and give them rights, but to recognize their abilities on the basis of equality. He said that special children are the most important part of the society and deserve special love and affection, which cannot be ignored under any circumstances. Allah Almighty has endowed them with innumerable qualities. Special children have proven by their performances that they are in no way less than other normal children. He said that special children have overcome their disabilities with their

International Day of Persons with Disabilities



Deputy Speaker, Punjab Assembly, Malik Zaheer Iqbal Channar and Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran addressing the ceremony

hard work and dedication and have shown their mettle in every field of the world. On this occasion, Vice Chancellor the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, said that more than 700 children are studying in the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, whose fees are completely free and they are also being provided with free transport facilities. If more facilities and resources are provided to special children, they can also live their lives like ordinary people. Therefore, the care of special children is essential. And it is the responsibility of all of us to take care of their basic rights. He said that the current

government is taking practical steps to provide them with the best upbringing and provide them with the best education. Chairperson Special Education Professor Dr. Nasreen Akhtar, while addressing the special people participating in the ceremony, said that the special guests of today's ceremony are all of you, especially those special people who have not lost courage despite physical and other disabilities and have not only faced and defeated all the challenges of life but are also taking the lead in helping others. Finally, the Deputy Speaker Punjab Assembly said that such events will continue to be organized in the

future. More than 1000 special people from across the district participated in the ceremony who is leading their lives successfully despite their disabilities. On this occasion, shields were distributed to encourage those who take the best care of these special individuals. On this occasion, the Department of Special Education Dr. Imran Latif, Divisional Education Officer Special Education Muhammad Umar Sharif, Principal Special Education Muhammad Asif Iqbal, Principal Special Education Muhammad Yameen and Principal Muhammad Imran Raheel, along with parents and students from various centers, were present.

Prof. Dr. Muhammad Amjad assumes additional charge as Dean Faculty of Computing & Engineering, University of Layyah

Prof. Dr. Muhammad Amjad Dean Faculty of Engineering and Technology the Islamia University of Bahawalpur has been assigned

additional charge of Dean Faculty of Computing & Engineering, University of Layyah. Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, deans,

faculty members and students have felicitated him on this assignment.



Book launch ceremony of Dr. Farooq Ahmed's Springer Nature book on environment and public health



Dean Faculty of Social Sciences Prof. Dr. Rubina Bhatti, and others presenting book to Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran.

A book launching ceremony was jointly organized by the Departments of Anthropology and Psychology, The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, to mark the publication of the book *Environment and Public Health Insights towards Theory, Evidences and Sustainable Solutions*, authored by Dr. Farooq Ahmed, Chairman, Department of Anthropology, and published by Springer Nature.

The Vice Chancellor, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, graced the occasion as the chief guest and formally inaugurated the book. In his address, he congratulated Dr. Farooq Ahmed on this significant academic achievement and remarked that publication with Springer Nature reflects the scholarly merit of the work and contributes positively to the national and international

academic standing of the university. He emphasized the importance of interdisciplinary scholarship in responding to global challenges. In her inaugural address, Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, Professor Dr. Rubina Bhatti, highlighted the importance of inter-disciplinary work and the role of SDG Collaboration Center in facilitating such work in a manner which adds substantially

to achieving SDGs. She appreciated the very interdisciplinary nature of this book. The event highlighted the growing need for interdisciplinary research to address contemporary challenges related to environment and public health. While addressing the audience, Dr. Farooq Ahmed elaborated on the role of Anthropology in understanding the interconnected relationships between environment, culture, and public health. He shared insights into the development of the book, explaining how it integrates theoretical perspectives, empirical evidence, and sustainable solutions, focusing on complex linkages among environment, public health, and social equity. Professor Dr. Muhammad Saleem Chairman Department of Applied Psychology delivered a talk titled "The Link between Climate Change and Psychology", emphasizing the psychological impact of environmental and climatic changes on individuals and communities. The ceremony was attended by several distinguished faculty members, including Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha Director Advanced Studies and Research Bboard, Prof. Dr. Samar Fahd, Dr. Adnan, Chairman, Department of Media Studies, and Dr. Awais Gillani from the Department of Media Studies. Waseem Siddiqui, Personal Staff Officer to the Vice Chancellor, was also present.

Officers of the 53rd Common Training Program undergoing training at the Civil Services Academy Lahore paid a two-day visit to the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. The delegation was briefed about the administrative, teaching, research and development projects of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. On the first day, the members of the delegation met with Registrar

Delegation of probationary officers from the 53rd Common Training Program, Civil Services Academy Lahore visits IUB

visited the University Medical Center and Transport Division where Chief Medical Officer Dr. Usman Cheema and Principal Transport Officer Sammar Waheed gave a briefing. During the visit to the Faculty of

dialogue organized by the Chairman of the Department of Public Administration, Dr. Shahbaz Ali Khan, where a detailed discussion was held on the civil services structure, responsibilities and services in

Principal of Nursing College, Farhan Mukhtar, informed about the national and international importance of the nursing sector during the visit. The members of the delegation appreciated the



Officers of the 53rd Common Training Programme with Registrar Muhammad Shaji-ur-Rehman, Treasurer Bashir Hussain, and others

Muhammad Shaji ur Rehman, Treasurer Bashir Hussain, Additional Controller of Examinations Rana Muhammad Ashraf and other officers at the Abbasia Campus. On this occasion, Director Public Relations Dr. Shahzad Ahmed Khalid gave a detailed briefing on the history of the university and related matters. The members of the delegation also

Law, Dean Faculty of Law Prof. Dr. Rao Imran Habib informed about the training and practice of law. At the Khawaja Farid Campus, Prof. Dr. Qaiser Jabeen, Dean Faculty of Pharmacy, informed about the professional education related to the departments of Pharmacy and Allied Health Sciences. The delegation attended a public policy

Pakistan. On the second day, the Department of Administrative Sciences, Institute of Business and Administrative Sciences, Dean, Prof. Dr. Jawad Iqbal and Chairman Dr. Shahid Mahmood had a detailed discussion on CSS exams, district administrative affairs and civil services opportunities for various professional groups and youth.

creative talents of the students of the University College of Arts and Design. The head of the delegation, Ms. Pooja thanked the Vice Chancellor, Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran, for the arrangements and briefings for the two-day visit.

Session on skill development through Youth Ambassadors and Youth Entrepreneurial Pitch Competition

number of female students from different faculties, along with their senior female teachers and female Incharge Students Affairs, attended the event. Prof. Dr. Nasreen Akhtar



Group photo of the participants with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and Dean Faculty of Social Sciences Prof. Dr. Rubina Bhatti

➤ The Islamia University of Bahawalpur in collaboration with Women Development Department organized an awareness session on Skill Development through Youth Ambassador and Youth Entrepreneurial Pitch Competition initiatives of the Government of Punjab held at the Jinnah Auditorium Baghdad ul Jadeed Campus, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Pakistan. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran Vice Chancellor presided the session. In his address, the

VC appreciated the initiatives taken by the Women Development Department, Government of the Punjab for capacity building and enhancing the skills in women. He also appreciated the efforts of Prof. Dr. Rubina Bhatti Dean of the Faculty of Social Sciences Chairperson Fatima Jinnah Women Leadership Centre and Dr. Sarfraz Batool Director of the Women Development Centre for conducting a successful awareness session. The session was aimed to inform female faculty and students

about the Skills Development through Youth Ambassador Program and Youth Entrepreneurial Pitch Competition initiatives encouraging female students to apply and participate in these opportunities. Mazhar Hussain Gender Monitoring Specialist Government of Punjab, thoroughly described the details of these initiatives and answered questions from the female students. The seminar was conducted by Aleena Tariq Lecturer Department of English Literature. A large

Dean Faculty of Online and Distance Education Prof. Dr. Areeba Khan Director Financial Assistance Prof. Dr. Samar Fahad Dr. Alia Nazir Dr. Aysha Shoukat, Dr. Farheen Makshoof, Dr. Bushra Sadiq Dr. Shabana Nazar Dr. Maryam Abbas Soharwardi Dr. Noveen Sohail, Fatima Junaid and Dr. Bushra Samreen also present on the occasion.

➤ The soft launching ceremony of the Software Technology Park was held in Bahawalpur, in which the Corps Commander Bahawalpur

IUB delegation participates in Bahawalpur Technology Park soft launch ceremony



Commander Bahawalpur Corps Lt. Gen. Muhammad Aqeel, HI(M), addressing the ceremony while Commander Bahawalpur Corps Lt. Gen. Muhammad Aqeel, HI(M), Additional Secretary South Punjab Fawad Hashim Rabbani, Commissioner Bahawalpur Division Musarrat Jabeen, Vice Chancellor IUB Prof. Dr. M-uhammad Kamran, and Vice Chancellor GSCWU Prof. Dr. Shazia Anjum inaugurating the Bahawalpur Technology Park

specially participated. This project is a historic milestone under the directions and vision of the Prime Minister of Pakistan and the Chief of Army Staff, which aims to provide the youth, students and business community of South Punjab with modern infrastructure, training opportunities and direct

links to the industry. This initiative will not only promote the IT and freelancing sector but will also create vast training and employment opportunities at the local level. Addressing the ceremony, the Corps Commander Bahawalpur said that this project will play a key role in the socio-economic development

of the region. He reiterated the commitment that the Pakistan Army will continue to provide full support in every positive initiative for national development, especially in such projects that will empower the youth and make the country self-sufficient in the field of technology. The people of Bahawalpur highly

appreciated the project, saying that it is a very welcome step towards opening new doors of employment, training and business for the youth. The event was attended by a large number of academicians, students, representatives of government and private institutions, and dignitaries from different walks of life.

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran prioritizes excellence in teaching and learning



Group photo of participants along with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran

Vice Chancellor of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, has said that high-quality teaching and learning is the top priority. For this purpose, teachers should start the new academic session with comprehensive planning. The Vice Chancellor expressed these

views while addressing the heads of teaching departments before the start of the new academic session at the Baghdad ul-Jadeed Campus today. He asked the deans, chairmen, chairpersons, and teachers to use all their energy for regular classes and teaching a world-class curriculum approved by

the Higher Education Commission. High-quality education is actually the reputation and recognition of the institution. Parents, students, and other segments of society rate educational institutions based on educational quality. The Vice Chancellor said that he is fully focused on quality education and

expects the faculty to implement it. A training session on quality education will be organised for teachers of the campus and affiliated colleges in the middle of this month. He himself will participate in this session and deliver lectures. The Board of Studies is the first step towards quality education which should be integrated. The Learning Management System should be updated so that attendance grading and curriculum are as per the prescribed standards. The Vice Chancellor said that all the teaching heads should start the new academic session with a new spirit. He said that an advertisement has been given to improve the quality of visiting faculty and he will sit in the interview panel himself. The Vice Chancellor directed that laboratory work should also be ensured regularly. On this occasion, Director of Academics Prof. Dr. Jawad Iqbal provided information about the ratio of teachers and students in the university and the details of the previous semesters with the help of statistics.

A team of the Punjab Information Technology Board comprising Hina Arshad, Regional Head, Punjab IT Board, Naveed Ali, Manager Partnerships and Collaboration and Yasir of Punjab Information Technology Board met Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor at Vice Chancellor's Secretariat. Zulfikar Saeed, Director IT, Salman Qureshi, Director DoST, Fatimah Muzahir, Deputy Registrar Public Affairs and Waseem Ahmad Siddiqui, Senior Staff Officer were also present. The strategic meeting was convened with primary objective to discuss and formalize a collaborative framework for the Islamia University of Bahawalpur's participation in the provincial government's flagship E-commerce and Makerspace initiatives taken by Chief Minister Punjab. The Punjab Information Technology Board delegation presented a detailed overview of their programs designed to foster a

PITB delegation meets Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran



Representatives of the Punjab Information Technology Board along Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran

culture of innovation and practical product development. Developing and introducing an indigenous, secure digital marketplace to facilitate and encourage domestic digital transactions. Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad

Kamran concluded the meeting by underscoring the transformative potential of the partnership. He emphasized that this coordinated effort between the Islamia University of Bahawalpur and Punjab Information Technology Board will be

instrumental in creating substantial educational and professional opportunities, thereby driving socio-economic development in the South Punjab region.

Dr. Azhar Hussain receives Agricultural Youth Researcher of the Year Award 2025



Prof. Dr. Nazim Hussain, Dean Faculty of Agricultural Sciences and Technology, Bahauddin Zakariya University Multan, presenting award to Dr. Azhar Hussain

Dr. Azhar Hussain, a distinguished Soil and Environmental Microbiologist, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur has been awarded the Agricultural Youth Award Researcher of the Year 2025 by the National Agricultural Youth Commission, Islamabad. The award ceremony was held during the Pakistan Agro Show 2025, at the International Expo Centre. The award was presented by Prof. Dr. Nazim Hussain, Dean, Faculty of Agricultural Sciences and Technology, Bahauddin Zakariya University Multan and Ahmad Raza Khan Kirmani, Founder and Chairman of National Agricultural Youth Commission Pakistan. Dr. Adeem Arshad Awan Head Global Supply Chain Sapphire Group also present. Dr. Azhar Hussain is

currently serving as an Associate Professor in the Department of Soil Science at the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Pakistan. He was recognised for his outstanding contribution in the field of teaching

≡ The fourth season of the Faiz Literary Festival organized by the Islamia University of Bahawalpur at the Ghulam Muhammad Ghotvi Hall of the Abbasia Campus, inaugural session was held in a dignified and academic atmosphere. The session was chaired by Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, while the welcome remarks were presented by Syed Amir Sohail, Dean of the Faculty of Arts and Languages, and the poetry of Faiz Ahmed Faiz was recited in a heartfelt manner by Liaquat Raza Jafri, poet and translator, Multan. The keynote address of the inaugural session was delivered by renowned researcher and Faiz expert Dr. Taqi Abidi (Canada), who meaningfully highlighted the poetry of Faiz Ahmed Faiz in the context of cultural consciousness, political struggle and human freedom. Prominent critic, intellectual and social activist Jami Chandio (Hyderabad, Sindh) raised important points by linking Faiz's

and research in soil science, with a focus on advancing sustainable agricultural practices and soil health management. Speaking on this achievement, Dr. Azhar Hussain expressed gratitude to his institute,

mentors, colleagues, students, and family for their support, and emphasised his commitment to continue contributing toward agricultural development and soil sustainability in Pakistan.

This recognition highlights the vital role of young researchers in addressing the country's agricultural challenges and promoting innovation for food security.

Fourth Faiz Literary Festival



Dean Faculty of Arts and Languages Prof. Dr. Syed Amir Sohail, and others presenting shield to Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran

dialogue and awaken creative consciousness among the young generation. On the concluding day, a session on the topic of Artificial Intelligence and Social Media was chaired by intellectual Jami

Kanbhar, Gul Naw Khiz Akhtar, Dr. Nayar Mustafa and others spoke. A condolence reference was also held in memory of the late broadcaster and educationist Dr. Nasrullah Khan Nasir, in which Dr. Rubina Rafique,

chairmanship of Dr. Rubina Tareen, former Chairperson, Department of Urdu, Bahaudin Zakariya University, Multan. On this occasion, Dr. Taqi Abidi, Jami Chandio, Dr. Asim Saqlain, Rana Mehboob Akhtar, Shaukat Ashfaq spoke. The duties of the director were performed by Dr. Wasif Iqbal. The Dean of the Faculty of Arts, Professor Dr. Syed Amir Sohail said that the fourth Faiz Literary Festival organized by the Department of Urdu and Iqbalayat Studies at the Islamia University of Bahawalpur is part of the 100th anniversary celebrations of the university. He thanked the Vice Chancellor Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran for organizing this festival, the cooperation of the faculty and the university administration, and the participation of delegates from all over Pakistan. A book fair and a cultural event were also held in the fourth Faiz Literary Festival.



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and others addressing the Faiz Adabi Mela

thought and art with the resistance tradition of the subcontinent and the contemporary political situation. In his presidential address, Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran called Urdu poetry, especially Faiz's poetry, essential for achieving contemporary consciousness. In this session, a serious discussion took place on the interrelationship between Faiz studies, contemporary consciousness and contemporary literature, which the participants listened to with deep interest. The program was conducted by Dr. Mazhar Abbas, Department of Urdu and Iqbal Studies, very amiably. At the end of the inaugural session, the Vice Chancellor and the guest speakers described the Faiz Literary Festival as an important effort to promote literature, intellectual

Chandio and Dr. Rubina Shah Jahan, Dean Faculty of Arts, University of Peshawar, Peshawar, in which Khalil

Dr. Maqbool Gilani, Dr. Zawar Shah and others spoke. The concluding session was held under the



Group photo of participants

Renowned journalist Mr. Sohail Warraich visits IUB



Group photo of participants with Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, Prof. Dr. Rubina Bhatti, and renowned journalist, columnist, analyst, and anchor Sohail Warraich

Renowned journalist, columnist, analyst, anchor and intellectual Sohail Warraich visited the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. On this occasion, he attended a special seminar and cultural event and had a special discussion with teachers and students on the role of media,

higher education and universities. In the Vice Chancellor's Office, Dean Faculty of Social Sciences Professor Dr. Rubina Bhatti, Chairman Department of Social Work Professor Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha, Dr. Jam Sajjad Hussain, Associate Professor Media Studies and Focal

Person, and Dr. Shahzad Ahmed Khalid, Director Public Relations met with Sohail Warraich and presented the university shield on behalf of Vice Chancellor Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran. Later, Sohail Warraich delivered a special speech at a seminar held at Ghulam

Muhammad Ghotvi Hall on the topic of the war of narrative and the role of media in shaping public opinion. He said that the progress made at the global level in the present era is due to universities. Islamia University of Bahawalpur is a historical university of the country and has a religious and national identity. He appreciated the leadership of Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran for the development and stability of the university. On this occasion, Prof. Dr. Rubina Bhatti thanked the visiting guest on behalf of the faculty and students and thanked for his visit to the university. Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha presented an overview of the history and different periods of the university. Dr. Jam Sajjad Hussain, in his welcome remarks, appreciated the distinguished guest's prominent role and services in the Pakistani media. On this occasion, Sohail Warraich answered the questions of the students and praised their interest in education as well as national and international affairs.

The Office of Research, Innovation, and Commercialization (ORIC), The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, organized its First Faculty Appreciation Ceremony 2025 to honor the distinguished faculty members who have demonstrated exceptional performance in the domains of Research, Innovation, and Commercialization in line with the Higher Education Commission defined ORIC KPIs for the fiscal year 2024-25. The ceremony was held at The Islamia University of Bahawalpur and was graced by distinguished guests including Prof. Dr. Mazhar Ayaz, Vice Chancellor, Cholistan University of Veterinary and Animal Sciences, Prof. Dr. Shazia Anjum, Vice Chancellor, The Govt. Sadiq College Women University, Bahawalpur; and Engr. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor, The Islamia University of Bahawalpur as the Chief Guests of the event. The Guests of Honor included Dr. Sajjad Sarwar, Pulmonologist, Bahawal Victoria Hospital, Dr. Mohsin Zulfiqar, Co-Chair, ORIC Steering Committee, our proud sponsor Jam Iqbal Haider, CEO, AA Group of Colleges and Health Sciences, Dr. Shafia Arshad, Additional Director ORIC, The Govt. Sadiq College Women University, Dr. Asad Abrar, Director, Drug Testing Laboratory, Bahawalpur, Dr. Taseer Sallahudin, Director ORIC, The Govt. Sadiq College Women University, Dr. Omer Naseer, Director ORIC, Cholistan University of Veterinary and Animal Sciences. In the welcome address by Prof. Dr. Muhammad Atif, Director ORIC, who presented a comprehensive overview of ORIC's initiatives and accomplishments during the fiscal year 2024-25. His presentation highlighted the Islamia University of Bahawalpur's research achievements, KPIs attainment, industry collaborations,

commercialization outcomes, and policy-level contributions. He also expressed sincere gratitude to the respected Vice Chancellor, faculty members, and industry partners for their continued support in strengthening the university's research and innovation ecosystem. Prominent Researcher Awards were presented to 16

collaborations, and community engagement activities during the fiscal year 2024-25. The event also recognized top-performing faculties based on their ORIC performance. Top 5 faculties include Faculty of Veterinary and Animal Sciences, Faculty of Agriculture & Environment, Faculty of Social Sciences, Faculty of Chemical & Biological

chief guests, guests of Honor, and sponsors in acknowledgment of their valuable support and presence at the event. In his closing address, Engr. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor, The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, commended the efforts of the ORIC team and faculty members, emphasizing that the growth of research and innovation

Appreciation ceremony to recognize faculty members efforts in research, innovation, and commercialization



Group photo of faculty members with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran

outstanding faculty members for their remarkable contributions across key performance indicators including patents and copyrights, consultancy contracts, revenue generation, policy advocacy, civic engagement, and completion of research projects funded by Higher Education Commission and Non-Higher Education Commission sources. Appreciation Certificates were awarded to faculty members who made notable contributions toward proposal submissions,

Sciences, Faculty of Pharmacy. In a special segment, Certificates of Appreciation were presented to the dedicated ORIC team members Dr. Muhammad Sajid Manager, Innovation & Commercialization, Hafiz Faizan Ahmad Assistant Manager Research, Dr. Umer Bilal Administrative Officer for their relentless efforts and exceptional contributions in achieving the Higher Education Commission ORIC "X Category" Ranking. Commemorative shields were also presented to the

is pivotal to the university's mission of academic excellence and national development. He appreciated the dedication of all award recipients and reaffirmed the university's commitment to fostering a vibrant culture of research, innovation, and commercialization. The ceremony concluded with a vote of thanks and a group photo session, marking a memorable day of celebration and recognition for The Islamia University of Bahawalpur's thriving research community.

≡ The Department of Information Management, Sir Sadiq Muhammad Khan Library, and Fatima Jinnah Women Leadership Center at The Islamia University of Bahawalpur jointly organized a seminar to celebrate Pakistan's Independence Day and International Youth Day. The event took place at Jinnah Corner, Sir Sadiq Muhammad Khan Library, and was attended by students, faculty members, and university staff. The seminar began with an opening address by the moderator, Naila Shams ul Haq, who welcomed the participants and highlighted the significance of the event. The chief guest of the event, Prof. Rubina Bhatti, Dean of the Faculty of Social Sciences, delivered an inspiring address, reiterating Quaid-e-Azam's message to the youth. She emphasized that young people must take responsibility for the nation's future by upholding integrity, hard work, and patriotism. She emphasized the role of youth in nation-building and the importance of reflecting on Quaid-e-Azam's vision for Pakistan. Prof. Salman Bin Naeem delivered the, focusing

Seminar on Pakistan Independence Day and International Youth Day



Participants of the seminar with Dean Faculty of Social Sciences Prof. Dr. Rubina Bhatti

on the timeless principles of Unity, Faith, and Discipline as laid out by the founder of Pakistan. He urged the youth to embrace these values to contribute meaningfully to the country's progress. Several distinguished speakers shared their insights during the seminar, including Irfan Hussain Tahir Chief Librarian, Hafiz Aamir Rasul Assistant Professor, Department

of Information Management, Dr. Muhammad Younus Associate Professor, Department of Information Management, Dr. Mariam Abbas Sohrwardi Associate Professor, Department of Economics and Dr. Mah-e-Bushra Asghar Associate Professor, Department of Information Management. The panel also featured Muhammad Salim Deputy Librarian, Ali

Zulqarnain Deputy Librarian, who contributed their perspectives on library sciences and educational development. The seminar successfully fostered a sense of patriotism and motivation among attendees, leaving them with a renewed determination to contribute positively to Pakistan's development.

University College of Art and Design celebrates Independence Day



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran awarding certificate to students

≡ Pakistan's 79th Independence Day was celebrated at the University College of Art and Design, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur under the title of Jashn-e-Azadi Marka-e-Haq. Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran was the chief guest on the occasion. Principal Dr. Farhana Altaf Qureshi along with the determined students and faculty members organized art competitions, art exhibitions and captivating performances to instill the spirit of Jashn-e-Azadi. One hundred students from 15 schools of South Punjab participated in the Jashn-e-Azadi Art Competition. Dean Faculty of Arts and Languages Prof. Dr. Syed Aamir Sohail, Dean Faculty of Management Sciences and Commerce Prof. Dr. Jawad Iqbal, Principal Danish School Hasilpur Shaihlal Farhan, Dr. Samar Fahad, Dr. Naveen Javed, Dr. Shahbaz Ali Khan and other faculty members were also present.

Department of Electronic Engineering receives Senate recognition

≡ The Department of Electronic Engineering at The Islamia University of Bahawalpur was honored by the Senate of Pakistan in recognition of its outstanding contributions to promoting research, innovation, and academic excellence among undergraduate students. This prestigious recognition reflects the department's continuous efforts to create a dynamic learning environment where students are encouraged to explore emerging technologies, undertake impactful research projects, and develop innovative engineering solutions

to address real-world challenges. Equipped with experienced faculty members, modern laboratories, and a strong emphasis on practical learning, the department provides students with the technical knowledge and professional skills required to excel in today's rapidly evolving technological landscape. Through active participation in research initiatives, industrial collaborations, and academic conferences, students gain valuable hands-on experience that prepares them for successful careers in engineering and technology.



IUB agricultural experts attend high-level meeting at Agriculture Research and Facilitation Center, Cholistan



Group photo of participants

A high-level meeting was held at the Agriculture Research and Facilitation Center located in Chapo Cholistan Bahawalpur. The Chinese delegation was led by Yuan Jianmin. Director General of Green Pakistan Initiative Major General (R) Shahid

Nazir was also present. On the direction of Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur was represented by a team of experts including Director of National Cotton Breeding Institute Dr. Usman

Aziz, Assistant Professor of Plant Breeding and Genetics Dr. Humayun Raza and Lecturer Dr. Iftikhar. During the meeting, Director General Shahid Nazir highlighted the potential of Chinese technology in solving important problems of Pakistan's

agriculture sector. On behalf of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Dr. Usman Aziz presented the vision and details of cooperation with the research activities of the National Cotton Breeding Institute of Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran. He also outlined possible joint research projects between Pakistan and China to improve the country's cotton industry, which was enthusiastically appreciated by the delegation. At the end of the meeting, the delegation visited the cotton experimental trials at Chapo. Dr. Humayun and Dr. Iftikhar gave a detailed briefing on the performance of varieties developed by the Islamia University of Bahawalpur in the harsh climatic conditions of southern Punjab. The delegation appreciated the work of the National Cotton Breeding Institute in developing good cotton varieties in the region and expressed keen interest in promoting the development of the institution.

In light of the announcement of the federal and provincial governments on the arrival of the blessed month of Rabi-ul-Awwal, preparations have begun at the Islamia University of Bahawalpur to celebrate Ashra Rahmatul-lil-Alameen (SAW). Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran has said that in this holy month, 1500 years will be completed since the birth of the Holy Prophet (PBUH), which is undoubtedly a memorable and blessed hour. In this regard, the Government of Pakistan has decided to celebrate "Ashra Rahmatul-lil-Alameen (SAW)" in a great manner. All praise and gratitude are due to the Almighty God who made the

Holy Prophet (PBUH) an eternal manifestation of His perfect power. Countless blessings and peace be upon this holy being, thanks to whom humanity has been blessed with the paths of true greatness and prosperity. Undoubtedly, the Seerat-e-Tayyaba of the Holy Prophet (PBUH) is a source of light for humanity and a sure means of salvation for the entire world. To benefit from his blessed moments, the Seerat Chair, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Department of Public Relations, is

going to organize a wide series of programs in collaboration with various societies and platforms. Dean Faculty of Islamic and Arabic Studies, Professor Dr. Sheikh Shafiq-ur-Rehman has said that the theme of these programs is "State Responsibilities in the Positive Use of Social Media: In the Light of the Seerat-e-Nabi (PBUH)". In this regard, a National Seerat Conference, Mahafil-e-Hamd-e-Naat, speech and writing competitions, debates, Seerat awareness campaign

and panel discussions are being organised so that teachers, students and the public can get maximum benefit from these academic and spiritual activities. Director Seerat Chair Professor Dr. Hafiz Shafiq-ur-Rehman has said that an important link in this series is the Fourth National Seerat Conference, which will be held on September 1, 2025 at 10 am in the Ghotvi Hall of Abbasia Campus. Scholars from Pakistan, especially Bahawalpur Division, will participate in this conference.

IUB scientists focus on strengthening the agricultural economy under the vision of Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran



Dr. Usman Aziz, Director National Cotton Breeding Institute, inspecting cotton fields

Under the vision of the Vice Chancellor of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Professor Dr.

Muhammad Kamran, the university's agricultural scientists are engaged and focused on strengthening the

country's agricultural economy through positive contributions in agricultural research and

benefiting other institutions and the farming community. In this regard, agricultural experts from the Islamia University of Bahawalpur visited Chapu Research Farm located in the Cholistan desert. In Chapu, the advanced varieties of cotton developed by the Islamia University of Bahawalpur have been grown and are at the forefront in terms of performance and production. The university team included Dr. Usman Aziz, Director National Cotton Breeding Institute, Dr. Humayun Raza, Assistant Professor of Plant Breeding and Genetics, and Masood Ahmed. Research Assistant Hadiqa took the team to the farm and informed them about the exceptional performance of the cotton developed by the IUB. The cotton varieties of Islamia University of Bahawalpur proved to be outstanding and excellent even in the harsh climatic conditions of Cholistan. This success is clear evidence of the university's research superiority in developing better varieties of cotton suitable for South Punjab. This initiative will help the cotton farmers of the region get better yields and pave the way for economic stability.

Two-day training workshop on the outcome-based education framework

A two-day training workshop on outcome-based education framework has begun under the auspices of the Quality Enhancement Cell of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur aiming to bring educational standards to the international level. The objective of this activity is to implement

and apply international quality education in the university. On the first day, Vice Chancellor Professor Dr Muhammad Kamran delivered two lectures and compared the outcome-based educational programs and traditional teaching. He discussed in detail the purposeful teaching methodology according to the

standards of the Higher Education Commission and global trends. In his second lecture, Professor Dr Muhammad Kamran expressed his views on modern trends in teaching and learning, which provide students with clear and result-oriented sustainable education. In the third session, Engineer Dr Shahab Ahmed

Niazi, Chairman of the Department of Electronics Engineering, gave a lecture on Bloom's Taxonomy and outcome-based education. Director Quality Enhancement Cell, Professor Dr Muhammad Asadullah Madani, said that the aim of this activity, organised on the direction of the Vice Chancellor, is to acquaint all deans and heads of teaching departments about modern teaching methods and trends at the beginning of the academic session to ensure quality teaching at the campus.



Group photo of participants along with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran

Islamian Alumni Association will organise a free eye care camp at the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. Vice Chancellor of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran visited Al-Mustafa Trust Eye Hospital at Lahore. On this occasion, the Director of the hospital, Tajamul Latif Gurmani and Alumni Association's Ijaz Ahmad Faqehi said that during the eye camp, teachers, employees and students will be provided with free eye surgery, treatment and examination facilities and glasses will also be provided. Tajamul Latif Gurmani will also launch the International Chapter of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur in the UK. On this occasion, it was also announced to provide two water filtration units for the Islamia University of Bahawalpur.

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran visits Al-Mustafa Trust Eye Hospital, Lahore



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran with Hospital Director Tajamul Latif Gurmani and alumni

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran meets representatives from the public and private sectors



Group photo of representatives from the public and private sectors, officers, and faculty members along with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran

The Vice Chancellor of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, said

that the university is playing its role in the rehabilitation of flood-affected people with the cooperation

of the government and the private sector. This is a huge challenge and the entire nation is united

to face this challenge. The Vice Chancellor expressed these views while meeting representatives of the government and the private sector at his office in Abbasia Campus. These individuals included Syed Tanser ul Hassan Tirmizi, Director FBR, Fatima Bibi, Assistant Director Civil Defense Bahawalpur and DG Khan Region, Syed Zain Ali Kazmi, Former Member Board of Governors Bahawal Jamkhana, Syed Rizwan Ali, Chairman Makka Solar, Naseer Ahmed Nasir, Former President Press Club, Rana Amir Shahzad Pelican Development Organization. Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha, Focal Person IUB Flood Relief Cell, Dr. Shahzad Ahmed Khalid, Director Public Relations, Fatima Junaid, Deputy Registrar Public Affairs and Lecturer College of Art and Design Farjad Faiz were also present.

Inauguration ceremony of the Mian Saadat Ali Nadeem Book Corner



Honorable Justice Ahmad Nadeem Arshad Lahore High Court and Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran inaugurating the Mian Saadat Ali Book Corner

A ceremony was held to inaugurate a special book corner in the library of the Faculty of Law

Islamia University of Bahawalpur at Abbasia Campus. Renowned jurist Mian Saadat Ali Nadeem has donated

700 law books for this book corner and this book corner has been named after him. Honorable Justice Ahmad

Nadeem Arshad Lahore High Court Lahore was the chief guest at the ceremony. Vice Chancellor Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran said on this occasion that steps are being taken to provide quality education and practical training in the Department of Law. Recently, the four-year LLB program has been restored. The faculty building has been expanded with new classrooms and faculty rooms. He thanked Justice Ahmad Nadeem Arshad for his special presence at the ceremony. Dean Faculty of Law Professor Dr. Rao Imran Habib, renowned gynecologist Professor Dr. Sohail Mahmood Chaudhry, Mian Saadat Ali Nadeem Waleed Arshad, Dr. Usman Mahmood, faculty members Mian Arif Saeed, Muhammad Muneeb Raza, Humaira Nawaz, Dr. Hassan Sial, and students of the Law Students Club were present in large numbers.

Welcome ceremony for new students



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and Pro Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Abdul Rauf addressing the ceremony

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran has said that the university is like a home for students and teachers are like parents. The Islamia University of Bahawalpur is a great historical university which is the guardian of wonderful cultural and academic traditions. Newly arrived students should take full advantage of this rare and excellent opportunity of higher education and become a source of pride for themselves and their parents and teachers. Make the name of their family, teachers and the

region bright. The Vice Chancellor expressed these views while addressing the grand orientation ceremony of new students organized by the Directorate of Students Affairs at Khawaja Farid Auditorium in Baghdad ul-Jadeed Campus today. Thousands of students participated in the introductory ceremony in two sessions. The Vice Chancellor said that all attention and resources have been devoted to quality education and educational programs in line with the needs of the modern era at the Islamia University of Bahawalpur.

A schedule of teaching activities is being prepared to ensure timely and regular holding of classes. Similarly, co-curricular activities have also been given a new dimension for the training and character building of students. All educational programs of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur have been linked to artificial intelligence so that our students can confidently enter the domestic and global job market. He said that the new students should take care of discipline, attendance at classes and regularity of laboratory

work. On this occasion, for the first time in the history of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, an oath was taken from the students of academic dedication, loyalty to the educational institution, patriotism, high moral values and discipline. This is the first time that a special oath was taken from the students on the instructions of the Vice Chancellor at the beginning of the academic session at the university. On this occasion, Director Students Affairs and Dean Faculty of Chemical and Biological Sciences Professor Dr. Abdul Rauf gave a detailed lecture to the students regarding the teaching schedule, educational facilities and discipline. The students were also informed about the anti-narcotics and anti-harassment policies of the Higher Education Commission and the relevant offices in the university in this regard. The students were also provided with detailed information about transport, hostels, medical and sports facilities. Similarly, they were also informed about the facilities for special students. He said that the Directorate of Students Affairs organizes the discipline of the students in all campuses as well as their training and provides them with an opportunity to hone their skills through student societies. Deans and senior teachers participated in both the events.

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran visits the NCBI research farm

In the lead-up to World Cotton Day, a high-level delegation from the university visited the National Cotton Breeding Institute research farm to strengthen ties between academic research and sustainable cotton development. The visit highlighted ongoing efforts to boost

the resilience and yield of cotton, one of the world's most important natural fibers. The delegation was led by Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and included Dean Faculty of Agriculture and Environment Prof. Dr. Tanveer Hussain Turabi. They were warmly received by

National Cotton Breeding Institute Director Dr. Usman, who guided the team through the field facilities and shared updates on innovative cotton breeding research focused on climate change adaptation and efficient resource use. "With World Cotton Day approaching, this visit

underscores our commitment to a future where cotton continues to be a lifeline for millions," said Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran. "The research at National Cotton Breeding Institute is part of a global effort toward sustainable textiles and secure livelihoods for farming communities." Prof. Dr. Tanveer Hussain Turabi emphasized the role of science and education in advancing the cotton sector. "The



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran visit at Director National Cotton Breeding Institute

future of cotton lies in innovation. Our collaboration with National Cotton Breeding Institute shows how academic research can generate practical solutions across the entire cotton value chain, from farm to fabric," he said. Faculty members

from the Department of Plant Breeding and Genetics, including Dr. Abdul Rehman Lecturer, Dr. Iftikhar Ali Lecturer, and Dr. Humayun Assistant Professor, joined the visit along with students and NCBI field staff. Their participation reflected

the strong collaborative spirit driving the cotton research initiatives. The visit concluded with a cake-cutting ceremony at the Dean's office, marking the celebration of World Cotton Day and symbolizing a bright and prosperous future for the cotton

industry. The event reaffirmed the university commitment to playing a key role in the global cotton community through research, innovation, and partnerships.

World Pharmacists Day

≡ The World Pharmacists Day ceremony was organized by the Islamia University Pharmacists Association at the Faculty of Pharmacy, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. Vice Chancellor the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran was the chief guest on the occasion. In his address, the Vice Chancellor said that law, health and education have a fundamental role in the development of society. Education and training is the main aspect of teaching. Pharmacists have a key role in the health sector. The Islamia University Bahawalpur has

a department of pharmacy with seasoned teachers, students and alumni having excellent abilities. The Department of Pharmacy is the crown of the Islamia University Bahawalpur all steps will be taken for the development of this department. This year, the theme of World Pharmacists Day is "Think Health, Think Pharmacist." On the occasion, Dean Faculty of Pharmacy and Allied Health Sciences Professor Dr. Qaiser Jabben, Prof. Dr. Asadullah Madani, Director Quality Enhancement Cell and President IU Pharmacists Association and Prof. Dr. Muhammad Atif Director

ORIC and General Secretary IU Pharmacists Association spoke and highlighted the significance of the day. Former Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Naveed Akhtar, former Dean Professor Dr. Rao Saeed Ahmed, Dr. Asad Abrar Director drug testing lab, Chief Pharmacist Dr. Maria, senior faculty members and delegates from pharmaceutical companies, Alumni and students attended. The participants said that this day highlights the importance of pharmacists in a sustainable and vibrant healthcare system. Especially in today's era when all nations are facing health challenges

globally and there is a shortage of manpower in this sector, the role of pharmacists becomes very important. Pharmacists are the backbone of drug safety. The Department of Pharmacy of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur has enjoyed national and international fame for teaching and research in the field of Pharmacy at the Bachelor, MPhil and PhD levels for the past several decades. The presence of a large number of pharmacists and representatives of pharmaceutical companies is a manifestation of the fact that the Islamia University of Bahawalpur plays a key role in the field of Pharmacy across the country.



Participants of the walk along with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and former Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Naveed Akhtar

World Teachers' Day, observed globally on October 5 each year, is a significant occasion dedicated to celebrating and honouring teachers for their unwavering commitment, dedication, and contributions toward shaping the minds and futures of their students. It serves as a reminder of the transformative role that teachers play in developing intellectual abilities, creativity, character, and critical thinking skills, thereby preparing students to become responsible professionals and citizens. In line with this global celebration, the Department of Social Work, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur organised a vibrant and heartwarming event in collaboration with Helping Hand for Relief and Development at Ghulam Muhammad Ghotvi Hall at Abbasia Campus to pay tribute to the University faculty members. The department's students, who took the initiative to express their love and appreciation for their teachers. The event began with an atmosphere filled with gratitude and excitement, as students presented fresh flowers to their teachers as tokens of affection and respect. They also distributed handmade "Happy Teacher's Day" cards, each containing personal messages and notes of appreciation,

Seminar on World Teachers Day



Participants of the seminar along with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran

acknowledging the teachers' hard work, mentorship, and continuous guidance throughout their academic journey. The highlight of the event was the address by Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor of Islamia University of Bahawalpur, who graced the occasion as the chief guest. In his inspiring speech, the Vice Chancellor emphasised the vital role teacher's play in nation-building and the holistic development of students. He remarked that teachers are the true architects of society, and their influence extends far beyond classrooms, shaping

the values, discipline, and outlook of future generations. Dr. Kamran further noted that students are the reflections of their teachers, carrying forward their knowledge, ethics, and vision into the world. He encouraged both teachers and students to continue fostering a culture of respect, learning, and intellectual curiosity. Prof. Dr. Rubina Bhatti Dean Faculty of Social Sciences and Prof Dr Asif Naveed Ranjha Chairman Department of Social Work also spoke on the occasion highlighted significance of the day celebrated globally. They thanked

and expressed gratitude to Vice Chancellor for his special presence in the event and appreciated the students for organising the activity. The celebration concluded with light refreshments and a group photo session, capturing the joyful moments of camaraderie between students and faculty. The event not only strengthened the bond between teachers and students but also served as a beautiful reminder of the noble profession of teaching and its everlasting impact on human development and social progress.

IUB secures world rank 330 in research quality in the Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2026

The Islamia University of Bahawalpur has solidified its position as a leading global academic institution, maintaining its spot in the highly competitive 801-1000 band in the Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2026. This achievement stands out among a significantly larger field of evaluated institutions (2,191 worldwide, up from 2,092 last year). The Islamia University of Bahawalpur secured an impressive National Rank of 10 out of 48 ranked Pakistani universities, demonstrating consistency and leadership in the nation's higher education sector. Notably, the university attained a substantial

increase in its overall performance score, rising from 34.5-38.1 to 35.5-38.9. The most significant highlight of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur performance is its unprecedented success in the Research Quality pillar, the highest-ranked metric for the institution. The Islamia University of Bahawalpur jumped an impressive 112 positions in Research Quality, soaring from a rank of 442 in the 2025 edition to 330 worldwide in 2026. The pillar score surged from 75.7 to 80.3, driven by substantial improvements across all sub-indicators, including Citation Impact (84.1 to 87.3) and Research Excellence (69.8 to 78.0).

This exceptional performance underscores the tangible impact and influence of research originating from IUB on the global academic stage. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor of The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, expressed immense pride in the institution's success. Maintaining our global position while achieving a world-class ranking of 330 in Research Quality is a monumental achievement," he said. "This is a powerful testament to the hard work, dedication, and intellectual rigor of our esteemed researchers, faculty, and academic staff. I applaud every member of the Islamia University

of Bahawalpur community for embracing this culture of excellence and pushing the boundaries of discovery. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Asadullah Madni, Director Quality Enhancement Cell, highlighted the strategic efforts behind the improved metrics. These results validate the focused strategies implemented by the Quality Enhancement Cell in partnership with the university esteemed faculty and dedicated administrative staff," he said. "Moving forward, we are focusing on institutional efficiency, data integrity, and strategic global engagement to ensure The Islamia University of Bahawalpur's trajectory continues upward, particularly by converting our outstanding research quality into enhanced academic reputation.

The Faculty of Veterinary and Animal Sciences, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, celebrated World Egg Day with great enthusiasm through a series of activities including a poster competition, egg-based cooking contest, and an awareness walk highlighting the nutritional value and health benefits of eggs. Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran graced the occasion as chief guest. He appreciated the efforts of students and faculty in raising awareness about the importance of eggs as an affordable and complete source of protein. He emphasized that such initiatives contribute to improving community nutrition and

Celebrations of World Egg Day



Participants of the walk along with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran

strengthening Pakistan's poultry sector. Dean Prof. Dr. Muhammad Khalid Mansoor praised the active participation of students and reiterated the faculty's commitment to promoting practical learning and

public health awareness. Dr. Shakeel Ahmed, Chairman Department of Poultry Production, highlighted the significance of World Egg Day in recognizing the role of the poultry industry in ensuring food security

and economic growth. Students showcased their creativity through educational posters and innovative egg-based dishes under the theme the mighty egg packed with natural nutrition. The event concluded

with an awareness walk and prize distribution ceremony for the winners of various competitions.

Two-day hands-on training on microwave remote sensing



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Dean Faculty of Physical and Mathematical Sciences Prof. Dr. Ghulam Mustafa, and others addressing the ceremony

The Department of Geography and Geoinformatics, The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, organized a Two-day Hands-on Training on Microwave Remote Sensing to build technical capacity in remote sensing data analysis and promote the use of emerging Earth observation

technologies. The two-day training focused on the practical use of microwave satellite data through open-source tools such as SNAP, MATLAB, and Google Earth Engine for object detection, soil moisture analysis, and surface change monitoring, enabling participants to

effectively utilize radar technology for a wide range of applications. The Vice Chancellor, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran inaugurated the event as Chief Guest. In his address, he appreciated the department's efforts to promote applied learning and strengthen

international collaboration, noting that such initiatives enhance research excellence and practical skills among students and professionals. The Dean, Faculty of Physical and Mathematical Science, Prof. Dr. Ghulam Mustafa commended the department's forward-looking approach and its commitment to integrate modern technologies into teaching and research. Prof. Dr. Sher Muhammad Malik, Chairman of the Department, welcomed the participants and highlighted the growing importance of microwave remote sensing in agriculture, disaster management, urban monitoring, and climate research. He also acknowledged the department's ongoing collaboration with the ERATOSTHENES Centre of Excellence, Cyprus, to strengthen expertise in this emerging field. The resource sessions are being conducted by Dr. Muhammad Amjad Iqbal, an international expert focusing on Synthetic Aperture Radar (SAR) data processing and analysis. Participants included PhD. and MPhil scholars, faculty members, and professionals from various departments and organizations such as The Urban Unit, PULSE, and DHA. The ceremony concluded with the Vice Chancellor's words of appreciation for the department's initiative and a commitment to continued support for advanced geospatial research and training.

Vice Chancellor of The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran, said that the teaching system is changing rapidly around the world; therefore, teacher training has become a key need of the time. He said that the university's vision is to provide students with an educational environment that supports both their academic learning and practical life goals.

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran visits District Press Club, Rahim Yar Khan

campuses. Teachers from affiliated colleges will also be included in these training programs to further improve teaching quality. He expressed these views while speaking at the "Meet the Press" program at the District

reduced, resulting in savings of up to Rs. 450 million. He said that student enrollment at the university has increased significantly, which has created a shortage of teaching staff. He added that new recruitment

artificial intelligence, to government stakeholders so they can understand their role in national development. Dr. Kamran said that the university is also performing well in agriculture. He noted that university scientists



Group photo of the IUB delegation with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and President District Press Club, Chaudhry Muhammad Shahbaz while Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, President District Press Club, Chaudhry Muhammad Shahbaz, and Director, Media and Public Relations, Dr. Shahzad Ahmed Khalid on the occasion of the press conference

He added that modern teaching methods are being introduced to students at the university. He further stated that he is personally supervising teacher training programs at the Rahim Yar Khan, Bahawalnagar, and Bahawalpur

Press Club. The Vice Chancellor said that faculty members have been directed to ensure that there is no compromise on the quality of education. He added that after assuming office, unnecessary expenses of the university were

will be carried out soon to meet this need. He also announced that a grand exhibition will be held at The Islamia University of Bahawalpur on October 21. The aim of the exhibition is to showcase the university's research and industrial projects, including

have developed a modern cotton seed with a stronger and taller plant structure, which has been successfully tested in the university's agricultural fields. He further said that steps are being taken to improve transport facilities for students so

they can continue their education without difficulty. Appreciating the role of the District Press Club Rahim Yar Khan, he said that the press club has always supported education and positive journalism. He added that the university will also

take practical steps to support the education of press club members' children. Earlier, President District Press Club Chaudhry Muhammad Shahbaz, former presidents Mian Ehsan-ul-Haq, Qaiser Ghafoor Chaudhry, Rao Noman Aslam, Farooq

Ahmed Sindhu, Rana Imtiaz Ahmed Khan, and others welcomed the Vice Chancellor. On this occasion, Director Campus Rahim Yar Khan Dr. Muhammad Sohail Sharif, Director Quality Dr. Asadullah Madani, and Director Public Relations Dr.

Shahzad Ahmed Khalid were also present. Later, the Vice Chancellor visited the new conference hall of the District Press Club and appreciated its design, calling it a well-developed press club.

Training workshop on the outcome-based education framework



Participants of training workshop along with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Director Rahim Yar Khan campus, Dr. Muhammad Sohail Sharif and Director QEC Prof. Dr. Muhammad Asadullah Madani

In order to bring the educational standards of all campuses of The Islamia University of Bahawalpur to an international level, a training workshop on "Clear Objectives and Result-Oriented Educational Programs(OutcomeBased Education Framework)" was organized under the supervision of Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran. In

this regard, a special session was held at the Rahim Yar Khan campus, where Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran delivered a lecture to the campus teachers, as well as principals and faculty members of affiliated colleges. He discussed and compared outcome-based education systems with traditional teaching methods. He

discussed in detail the purposeful teaching method according to the standards of the Higher Education Commission and global trends. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran expressed his views on the modern trends in teaching and learning, the aim of which is to provide clear and result-oriented long-term education to the students. He said that the quality of

education and teaching in affiliated colleges should also be brought at par with the campus. For the same purpose, teachers of affiliated colleges have also been invited to enhance their capacity and introduce them to modern teaching methods. Director Quality Enhancement Cell Prof. Dr. Muhammad Asadullah Madani said that the aim of this activity, organized on the instructions of the Vice Chancellor, is to inform the heads of teaching departments of all campuses and affiliated colleges about modern teaching methods at the beginning of the academic session so that the teaching system of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur can be formed according to modern trends and students can benefit from high-quality education. On this occasion, President of Private Colleges Association Faisal Nadeem appreciated the increase in teaching standards in affiliated colleges and the start of training programs for teachers. Director Campus Rahim Yar Khan Dr. Sohail Sharif thanked the Vice Chancellor for visiting the campus and providing special training and lectures to the faculty.

Vice Chancellor of The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, said that around the world, students are being provided with sustainable learning outcomes by making teaching methods more effective, simple, and technology-based through innovation. He expressed these views while delivering an extended address at a training workshop organized by the Quality Enhancement Cell for faculty members of Bahawalnagar Campus and teachers of affiliated colleges. He said that outcome-based education, which means effective and systematic teaching, is very important for ensuring quality education. He added that the teaching standards of the campus will be raised to an international level, and teaching and learning in affiliated colleges will also be aligned with the same standard. He further stated that special training workshops have been organized at Bahawalpur and Rahim Yar Khan campuses for this purpose. The Quality Enhancement Cell of the university is working very actively. Director of Quality Enhancement Cell, Professor Dr. Muhammad Asadullah Madani said that by organizing these training workshops, quality standards will be implemented and applied uniformly in the university campuses and affiliated colleges as per the vision of the Vice Chancellor.

Training workshop on the Outcomes-Based Education framework



Participants of training workshop along with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Director IUB Bahawalnagar Campus and Director QEC Prof. Dr. Muhammad Asadullah Madani

the representatives of the Quality Enhancement Cell will train the remaining teachers as trainers and this series will be regularized as per the directions of the Vice Chancellor. Campus Director Prof. Dr. Rafaqat Ali thanked the Vice Chancellor for organizing the Quality Enhancement Cell workshop at Bahawalnagar Campus and for the special address. He also thanked Registrar

Affiliation Committee. Teachers of the affiliated colleges appreciated the organization of workshops to develop teaching skills on modern lines and termed it a key step for improving the quality of education. Member of Provincial Assembly and Member Syndicate Sohail Khan Zahid also met the Vice Chancellor and appreciated the steps taken for the quality of education in the

also inaugurated the laboratory of the Zoology Department on the campus. He visited the classes of Urdu, Botany, Zoology, Computer Science, Physics and Management Sciences and appreciated the dedication and discipline of the students towards their education.

IUB achieves significant success in HEC Pakistan's Annual Quality Assurance Performance Assessment 2023-24

≡ The Islamia University of Bahawalpur excels in the Higher Education Commission Quality Assurance Assessment with a distinguished score of 85.17, demonstrating institutional excellence, academic integrity, and continuous quality enhancement. The Islamia University of Bahawalpur has achieved a distinguished milestone in its pursuit of academic and institutional excellence, securing an impressive score of 85.17 in the Annual Quality Assurance Performance Assessment conducted by the Higher Education Commission of Pakistan. The Quality Enhancement Cell of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur has been rated as meeting adequate parameters satisfactorily, a recognition that reflects the university's strong internal quality assurance mechanisms, commitment to continuous improvement, and adherence to national and international quality benchmarks.

The comprehensive evaluation by the Higher Education Commission assessed the performance of Quality Enhancement Cells across universities for the year 2023-24 against well-defined criteria, including progress on institutional performance evaluation, self-assessment of academic programs, program accreditation compliance, review of graduate programs, and the implementation fidelity of the Higher Education quality assurance policies and standards. The commendable score underscores the Islamia University of Bahawalpur's effective governance, evidence-based decision-making, and sustained commitment to cultivating a culture of quality and accountability in higher education. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor, expressed profound appreciation and pride over this achievement, stating, "This remarkable result reflects our strategic commitment to institutional quality enhancement, academic integrity, and the pursuit

of excellence in teaching, learning, and research. It demonstrates the Islamia University of Bahawalpur's effective implementation of best-quality practices outlined in the Higher Education Commission's PSG 2023 Quality Assurance Framework, emphasizing evidence-based assessment, stakeholder engagement, and continuous academic improvement. This achievement is the collective outcome of our faculty's academic leadership, administrative efficiency, and the shared vision of quality-driven advanced outcome-based education. The Vice Chancellor extended heartfelt congratulations to Prof. Dr. Muhammad Asadullah Madni, Director Quality Enhancement Cell, and his team for their systematic implementation of the PSG-2023 quality practices and their strategic efforts to strengthen the university's internal quality assurance mechanisms. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Asadullah Madani said that in the year 2019-21 it was 70.36 percent,

in the year 2021-22 it was 72.55 percent, and in the year 2022-23 it was 80.84 percent, while in 2023-24 it was 85.17 percent. Crossing the 85% threshold marks a significant achievement. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Asadullah Madni extended sincere gratitude to the university management and all academic and administrative units for their consistent support and cooperation. He reaffirmed the Quality Enhancement Cell's resolve to institutionalize a culture of quality enhancement and advanced outcome-based education and ensure continuous alignment with the Higher Education Commission Quality Assurance Framework and the United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 4 Quality Education. He emphasized that the Quality Enhancement Cell will continue to collaborate across all departments to achieve the Islamia University of Bahawalpur's vision of excellence, sustainability, and global competitiveness in higher education.

≡ The University College of Art and Design the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, in collaboration with the Department of Islamic Learning, organized a Calligraphic Painting Exhibition and Competition titled Loh-e-Qalam to celebrate Jashn-e-Wiladat Shan-e-Rehmat-ul-lil-Alameen under the Ashra Rehmatul-lil-Alameen program. More than ten educational institutions from Bahawalpur city participated in the exhibition, while over 200 The University College of Art and Design students took part in the competition, showcasing their devotion and creativity through calligraphic artworks using various mediums such as inks, oil and acrylic paints, markers, and oblique pens on paper and canvas. Their compositions beautifully depicted sacred Quranic verses through intricate calligraphic expressions. The exhibition was inaugurated by Chief Guest Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. Along with Prof. Dr. Syed Amir Sohail, Dean, Faculty of Arts and Languages, Prof. Dr. Sheikh Shafiq-ur-Rehman, Dean, Faculty of Islamic and Arabic Studies, Prof. Dr. Rubina Bhatti, Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, Prof. Dr. Hafiz Shafiq-ur-Rehman, Director, Seerat Chair, and Dr. Farhana Altaf Qureshi, Principal University College of Art and Design, reviewed and appreciated the creative works of emerging artists. The ceremony was attended by Prof. Asif Khan, Chairperson, Department of English, Dr. Rao Suhail, Dr. Zia

Calligraphy and painting competition in connection with Jashn-e-Wiladat-un-Nabi (PBUH)



Dean Faculty of Social Sciences, Prof. Dr. Rubina Bhatti, and Principal UCAD presenting calligraphy to Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran

Khawaja, Dr. Zershan, Dr. Muhammad Amin, Dr. M. Nadeem, Dr. Ramzan Ashraf, Dr. Ahmad Ali, Dr. Shafqat-ur-Rehman, Dr. Tasawwur Hussain, Dr. Khubaib, and Zahid Suleman, Director, IUB Printing Press and many faculty members from various departments. Prominent city dignitaries including Syed Tanseer-ul-Hassan, Umber Tanseer, Sumaira Saliha, Principal, Government Technical College, Najia Sarwar, and Sobia also graced the event.

Certificates of Appreciation were presented to the top ten University College of Art and Design students for their outstanding calligraphic compositions, along with cash prizes sponsored by Amjad Bukhari. Dr. Farhana Altaf Qureshi, Principal University College of Art and Design, appreciated the efforts of the faculty of University College of Art and Design for organizing a spiritually inspiring and artistically enriching event that highlighted Islamic art

and aesthetics under the Ashra Rehmatul-lil-Alameen celebrations. As a gesture of gratitude, Dr. Farhana Altaf Qureshi, Principal University College of Art and Design, presented calligraphic artworks to all distinguished guests. The attendees praised the students' creativity and commended the University College of Art and Design for organizing such a spiritually inspiring and culturally enriching event under the Ashra Rehmatul-lil-Alameen celebrations.

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran meets with high-level Malaysian delegation



Malaysian delegation with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chairman, National Technology Council, Lt. Gen. (R) Moazzam Ejaz, and Rector, National University of Technology

Vice Chancellor of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur and Vice Chairman of the National Technology Council (NTC), along with Lt. Gen. (R)

University of Technology (NUTECH), held important engagements with a high-level delegation from Malaysia. The delegation comprised Dr.

Hasini, who are serving as NTC's mentors on the Sydney Accord. The distinguished visitors are in Pakistan to evaluate and review the existing

policies, practices, and procedures related to the accreditation of engineering technology programs across the country. The Sydney Accord (SA) is a globally recognized international educational framework operating under the International Engineering Alliance (IEA). It facilitates mutual recognition of engineering technology qualifications and professional competencies among member countries. Through this accord, engineering technology programs accredited in one signatory country are accepted as equivalent by other members, thereby promoting academic mobility, professional recognition, and global collaboration in technological education. The visit marks a significant step toward aligning Pakistan's engineering technology education system with international standards and enhancing the credibility and global acceptance of Pakistani graduates in the field of engineering technology.

The Quality Enhancement Cell, The Islamia University of Bahawalpur convened the Institutional Quality Circle Quarter 1 Meeting for the academic year 2025-26. The meeting was chaired by the Vice Chancellor, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, and attended by Deans, the Registrar, Treasurer, Controller of

Institutional Quality Circle (IQC) Quarter 1 Meeting

Sajid representative from ORIC briefed that steps are being taken for promotion of Research culture at IUB. The Registrar, Muhammad Shaji ur Rehman, presented key points on the hiring policy for the

and Enhancement (PREE), Self-Assessment Reports (SARs) for on-campus and affiliated colleges, Preparation of documentation for the Review of Institutional Performance Evaluation (RIPE). The

implementation of reforms and quality initiatives led by the Vice Chancellor. Furthermore, it was decided that the Yearly Performance Report (YPR) of IUB, comprising key elements of RIPE standards, will



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran presiding over the meeting

Examinations, and representatives from various academic and administrative departments. Prof. Dr. Asadullah Madni, Director QEC, presented the Action Taken Report on the decisions made in the previous IQC meeting. The draft IUB Quality Policy the first-ever quality policy developed for the university was presented by Prof. Dr. Irshad Hussain, Dean, Faculty of Education. The IUB Strategic Plan was presented by Prof. Dr. Rubina Bhatti, Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, while a detailed follow-up on IQA and EQA activities was shared by Prof. Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha, Dr Muhammad

appointment of Adjunct Faculty, aimed at attracting international faculty and strengthening global academic engagement. This initiative aligns with IUB's vision of fostering internationalization and promoting global partnerships. The meeting also reviewed IUB's performance in international and national rankings, followed by strategic deliberations to enhance the university's visibility, academic excellence, and institutional reputation. The Director QEC outlined a forward-looking plan for Internal Quality Assurance, focusing on Program Review for Effectiveness

Vice Chancellor emphasized the importance of adopting the Outcome-Based Education framework and directed all departments to ensure readiness for its implementation from the upcoming semester. This transition represents a major step toward a student-centered and outcome-focused learning environment, ensuring measurable learning outcomes and continuous improvement in academic quality. The valuable suggestions of the honorable Deans were duly considered on various university initiatives. They also expressed full confidence and trust in the

be prepared under the guidance and supervision of all Deans, ensuring collective ownership and institutional alignment. To further enhance academic planning and stakeholder engagement, the Departmental Activity Calendar will be implemented across teaching departments. This initiative assigns defined performance targets, enabling systematic planning, effective monitoring, and timely execution of academic and quality activities ultimately leading to improved institutional performance, student satisfaction, and sustainable growth at IUB.

South Punjab Youth Summit 2025



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and others addressing the summit

The Department of Quranic Studies, Faculty of Islamic and

Arabic Studies, Islamia University of Bahawalpur organized the

South Punjab Youth Summit. More than 1000 students participated

in the South Punjab Youth Summit. Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, in his address to the students, appreciated the organization of the South Punjab Youth Summit. Raja Zia-ul-Haq, Tuaha Ibn Jalil and Muhammad Wajihuddin spoke on the occasion. Director Students Affairs Prof. Dr. Abdul Rauf, Additional Director Students Affairs Dr. Adnan Bukhari, Chairman Department Prof. Dr. Zia-ur-Rehman also spoke. Dignitaries from Bahawalpur city Mian Shahid Iqbal and Syed Umar Farooq were also present on the occasion.

IUB observes Kashmir Black Day

Vice Chancellor of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, in a special message on the occasion of Black Day, said that October 27, 1947, has become a black day in history when Indian troops landed in Kashmir

and the freedom struggle began from that day and till today the fourth generation of Kashmiris is fighting for their freedom. The Indian government abolished the special status of occupied Kashmir and destroyed the special identity

of Kashmiris and made a sinister attempt to end the freedom movement by dividing the region into different parts. Quaid-e-Azam had said that Kashmir is the Aorta of Pakistan. Prime Minister of Pakistan Muhammad Shahbaz Sharif

presented Kashmir in a shocking manner as a global issue in the United Nations General Assembly, as a result of which the Indian government became panic-stricken and increased oppression and violence against Kashmiris. The day is not far when Kashmiris will breathe in the atmosphere of freedom.



Participants of the solidarity walk with Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran

The Department of Special Education organized seminar in observance of White Cane Safety Day, aimed at promoting awareness, inclusion, and empowerment of visually impaired (VI) persons. The event was graced by the presence of distinguished guests including Mr. Omer Sharif (DEO Special Education), Mr. M. Yameen, Mr. Asad Ashfaq, Mr. Shehzad Ahmad, and Mr. Zain Khan. The seminar featured insightful discussions on the inclusion of visually impaired individuals in mainstream education and society, and the importance of vocational skills training to enhance their independence and quality of life. Lastly, Prof. Dr. Nasreen Akhtar, Chairperson of the Department of Special Education, extended her sincere gratitude to the the Worthy Vice Chancellor, esteemed

IUB observes White Cane Safety Day



A view seminar

guests, faculty, and students for their participation and valuable contributions. The event was organized by Ms. Aks E Noor, with

the dedicated support of Ms. Faiza Ramzan, Dr. Imran Latif Saifi, and Mr. M. Awais Shehzad. The Department of Special Education reaffirms its

commitment to fostering inclusion, accessibility, and empowerment for persons with different abilities and will continue to work for it.

Seminar on significance of iron for crops and human health



Dr. Azhar Hussain and Dr. Hafiz Tanvir Ahmad addressing the seminar

Seminar on the importance of iron for crops and human health was organized by the Department of Soil Sciences, Faculty of Agriculture and Environment, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, in Mouza Bhiyani, Union Council Sheikhwahan, Tehsil Khairpur

Tamiwali, and District Bahawalpur. More than 200 farmers actively participated in the national level event and engaged in discussions on the importance of iron in crop production and human nutrition. Dr. Azhar Hussain, Associate Professor, Department of Soil Science, Faculty

of Agriculture and Environment, The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, briefed the participants about the importance of iron for crops and human health. He discussed its role in improving crop yield and quality and emphasized its significance for maintaining good human health.

Dr. Hafiz Tanvir Ahmad discussed the methods of iron application, deficiency symptoms in crops, and management practices to improve soil fertility and crop performance. The event was also attended by Dr. Abubakar Dar and Dr. Zafar Iqbal, who shared their valuable insights and appreciated the research team's efforts to promote soil fertility and human health through efficient iron management in agriculture. The formulated product "Bio-Activated Iron Enriched Compost" was also distributed among farmers during the event to promote the adoption of innovative and sustainable nutrient management practices. The Farmers Day Seminar was organized under NRPU-HEC Project No. 20-15551 by Dr. Azhar Hussain, Principal Investigator of the project and Associate Professor at The Islamia University of Bahawalpur.

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran attends special event at National Skills University Islamabad

The ceremony was graced by the presence of the Vice Chancellor, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Islamia University of Bahawalpur, who also serves as the Vice Chairman of NTC. He was accompanied by Dr.

Muhammad Khalid Sheikh, Executive Secretary to the Vice Chancellor. They were warmly welcomed by Prof. Dr Muhammad Mukhtar Vice Chancellor, National Skills University Islamabad along with Qaiser

Nazeem Controller of Examinations. Muhammad Ali Qader Treasurer, Mahmoodul Hassan Director Estate Care and Hafiz Muhammad Ghazi Additional Registrar.



Prof. Dr. Muhammad Mukhtar, VC National Skills University Islamabad, presenting a book to VC Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran

A special ceremony was held at the Islamia University of Bahawalpur on the occasion of the National Day of the brotherly Islamic country of Türkiye. On the instructions of the Higher Education Commission of Pakistan, the Turkish National Day Week was celebrated in universities on the occasion of the National Day of the Republic of Turkey. Professor Dr. Irshad Hussain, Dean of the Faculty of Education, presided over the ceremony. On this occasion, the national anthems of Türkiye and Pakistan were presented. Onur Koksall, Professor, Department of Education, Selcuk University, Türkiye, gave a detailed lecture on the history, culture, art and literature of the Republic of Türkiye. He said that Turkey was declared a republic in 1923 and Pak-Turkish friendship is a rich reflection of Islamic brotherhood. He expressed special gratitude to Vice Chancellor

IUB celebrates Turkish National Day to strengthen Pak-Türkiye friendship



Participants of the ceremony along with Dean, Faculty of Education, Prof. Dr. Irshad Hussain

Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran for organizing the ceremony on the National Day of Türkiye. Dr. Mussrat Wajid, Department of Persian, Dr. Abid Hussain Shahzad, Director of International Linkages, and

Dr. Shahbaz Ali Khan, Chairman, Department of Public Administration also spoke on the occasion. The students present at the ceremony appreciated the everlasting friendship between the two

countries, especially Türkiye's full support and assistance to Pakistan in Operation Banyan al-Marsoos, and said that this evergreen relationship has withstood every test.

IUB promotes pet health through free rabies vaccination camp

Department of Clinical Medicine and Surgery, Faculty of Veterinary and Animal Sciences, IUB in collaboration with Prix Pharmaceutica organized a Free Rabies Vaccination Camp for Pet Animals at Veterinary Clinic. The Camp was started with a seminar delivered by Dr. Sadaqat Ali, Assistant Professor

and Dr. Sakhi Lal Haider, Area Sales Manager, Prix Pharmaceutica to the DVM Students. Dr. Amir Iftikhar, Assistant Professor coordinated the event. Pet owners from the vicinity of the university visited the Veterinary Clinic to have their animals vaccinated against rabies using Belrab, a reliable vaccine from

Belvitunipharm. Veterinary students from the faculty gained valuable practical experience by conducting a vaccination camp under the supervision of experienced faculty members of the CMS department. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Khalid Mansoor, Dean, FV&AS, commended the Department outstanding efforts

under the leadership of Prof. Dr. Abdul Qayyum. He expressed his appreciation for the collective efforts of the faculty members, para-veterinary staff, supporting staff, and veterinary students in organizing the successful vaccination camp. Prof. Dr. Abdul Qayyum, Chairman of CMS department, thanked Prix Pharmaceutica and the organizers for their collaboration in hosting this valuable event.

A plantation drive was organized at the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Bahawalnagar Campus led by Dr. Imran Monus, Horticulture Officer. The Director Campus Dr. Rafaqat Ali and faculty members from different departments joined the plantation drive, promoting environmental awareness and sustainability. Director campus appreciated the efforts of the whole team of horticulture domain. The event was sponsored by the Department of Economics and English Literature, showcasing interdisciplinary support for eco-friendly initiatives. The plantation drive aimed to enhance the campus's green cover, promote environmental consciousness, and foster a sense of community among participants.

Plantation drive at Bahawalnagar Campus



Director Bahawalnagar Campus Dr. Rafaqat Ali planting a tree

Awareness seminar on breast cancer



Group photo of participants with Principal UCAD, Dr. Farhana Altaf Qureshi

An awareness seminar on breast cancer was organized by the University College of Art and Design, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. The students expressed their creativity through creative assignments with a pink theme. The students organized interactive booths and stalls to initiate an insightful discussion on the dangerous spread of breast cancer in Pakistan. Dr. Farhana Altaf Qureshi, Principal, University College of Art and Design, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur welcomed all the guests. On this occasion, Dr. Sheikh Safina Siddique, Director, Women Healthcare Center and Maternity Home and Senior Medical Officer, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, delivered a detailed lecture on breast cancer. Dr. Safina Siddique provided guidance on the preventive measures, symptoms, and treatment of breast cancer. Faculty members and students participated in large numbers.

In the context of the centenary celebrations, the Directorate of Students Affairs of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, IUB Qiraat and Naat Society, organized a competition for the best recitation and best Naat of the Holy Prophet (PBUH) at the Prime Minister Youth Development Center, Baghdad ul-Jadeed Campus. Dr. Adnan Bukhari, Additional Director Students Affairs and Judges, Professor Dr. Rozina Anjum, Former Chairperson of the Department of Persian, Dr. Asif Nadeem, Advisor Performing Art Society, Dr. Sajila Kausar, Chairperson Department of World Religion and Interfaith Harmony, Dr. Hafiz Muhammad Siddique, Dr. Muhammad Shakir Hussain, Department of Islamic Studies, Dr. Hafiz Zeeshan Ahmed Arefin and Dr. Hafiz Zeeshan Rashid, Department of Electrical Engineering. Dr. Shabana Nazar, Advisor IUB Qiraat and Naat Society, thanked the teachers

IUB celebrates centenary with Qiraat and Naat competition



Participants of the Naat Competitions

for their special participation | and appreciated the enthusiastic participation of the students.

Dr. Aziz Ur Rehman visits the Chinese Academy of Sciences



Dr. Aziz ur Rehman along with Chinese dignitaries

Dr. Aziz ur Rehman, Associate Professo, Institute of Chemistry, Islamia University of Bahawalpur, visited the Chinese Academy of Sciences. A joint research team from Islamia University of Bahawalpur

and Bahauddin Zakariya University, Multan, is working at the National Center for Nanoscience and Technology under the supervision of renowned Chinese scientist Prof. Dr. Taohui. The aim of this project

is to prepare the next generation to deal with current challenges related to energy and the environment. It also focuses on developing a framework for sustainable energy and environmental protection, as

well as creating basic methods for designing high-performance materials and devices. This Pakistan China collaboration provides a platform for modern scientific innovation that will benefit both countries and the wider international community. Vice Chancellor the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, appreciated the cooperation and strong commitment of the research teams from both countries, stating that it will help create a cleaner and more sustainable future. Dean Faculty of Chemical and Biological Sciences, Prof. Dr. Abdul Rauf, also praised the efforts of Dr. Aziz ur Rehman and his team, calling them productive and successful.

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran inaugurates STEM laboratory at University Model School



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and Pro Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Abdul Rauf inaugurating the STEM Laboratory

Islamia University of Bahawalpur has been ranked 434th in the QS World University Rankings Asia 2026. Islamia University of Bahawalpur has strengthened its position among the leading educational institutions in the Asian continent and has been ranked 111th in South Asia. The university performance confirms that its high research, quality teaching and global recognition have improved. In the International Research Network, Islamia University of Bahawalpur has achieved a prominent position at 144th position in Asia with an exceptional score of 92.8. The university maintained a strong impact in research impact with a strong score of 72.9 in citations per paper. It achieved a prominent score of 14.6 in papers per faculty, demonstrating high and

increasing faculty productivity. The university global position continues to grow with a strong score of 26.5 in academic reputation. Reflecting the quality of its graduates and their acceptance in the job market, Jamia achieved a score of 26.2. The Vice Chancellor of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, appreciated the collective commitment of the institution in this improved performance. Prof. Dr. Kamran said that our continued presence in the QS Asia Rankings, especially in the core research indicators, reflects the remarkable improvement in faculty development and infrastructure. In an environment where hundreds of new institutions

Vice Chancellor Islamia University of Bahawalpur Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran inaugurated the latest STEM laboratory at the University Model School Islamia University Schools Systems. Located in Baghdad ul Jadeed Campus, this laboratory has been established in collaboration with Bahawalpur Institute of Medical Sciences and Cotton Quality Private Limited and other organizations. The Vice Chancellor said that great attention is being paid to STEM education for the education of students of the school in accordance with the global trend in subjects like Science and Technology Engineering and Mathematics. With the establishment of this lab, our students will be able to benefit from

the innovation of STEM education. Director Islamia University Schools Systems Prof. Dr. Muhammad Rafay informed about the ongoing curricular and co-curricular activities of the institution. He said that along with teaching the students a modern curriculum, full attention is also being paid to co-curricular activities. On this occasion, the Vice Chancellor also visited the exhibition of scientific models made by the students and appreciated the dedication and interest of the students in science, information technology. Deans Professor Dr. Rubina Bhatti, Professor Dr. Khalid Mansoor, Professor Dr. Irshad Hussain, Registrar Muhammad Shajiur Rehman, Treasurer Bashir Hussain, Director PR Dr. Shahzad Ahmed Khalid Principal Shazia Alvi Tariq Imran Cheema, Assistant Director Islamia University School System and other faculty members were present at the ceremony.

IUB ranks 434th in QS World University Rankings Asia 2026

are entering the index, maintaining our position near the top 400+ is a significant achievement that demonstrates the quality and resilience of our educational programs. This achievement is a direct result of the concerted efforts of our academicians, researchers, administration and support staff. Prof. Dr. Asadullah Madani, Director Quality Enhancement Cell, highlighted the data-driven approach that the Islamia University of Bahawalpur is adopting to ensure its future heights. The QS Ranking Fact File confirms that our research path is strong and effective. This data clearly identifies key areas for strategic improvement



QEC organizes training on Self-Assessment Report development under PREE standards

In line with the visionary leadership of Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor of The Islamia University of Bahawalpur,

Program Review for Effectiveness & Enhancement standards. This pivotal activity follows the approval of the university Internal Quality

selected programs, equipping them for this vital task. Mr. Muhammad Shaji ur Rehman, Registrar IUB, graced the session as the Chief



Participants of the training workshop with Registrar Muhammad Shaji ur Rehman and Director QEC, Prof. Dr. Asad Ullah Madni

the Quality Enhancement Cell organized a comprehensive training session on Self-Assessment Report development. The training was meticulously aligned with the

Circle, which has selected 15 distinct academic programs for the self-assessment process. The training was attended by the designated Program Team Members from these

Guest. In his keynote address, Prof. Dr. Asadullah Madni, Director QEC, highlighted the critical significance of quality assurance in Higher Education Institutions (HEIs). He

underscored the pivotal role of the PREE framework in enhancing program effectiveness and shared valuable insights on the Pakistan Precepts, Standards & Guidelines (PSG-2023), and SAR development, emphasizing the university's deep-rooted commitment to quality enhancement across all academic programs. Rao Mazhar Hussain, Additional Director QEC provided an in-depth explanation of the specific criteria and standards of PREE. In his address, the Registrar, Mr. Shaji ur Rehman, appreciated the dedicated efforts of the QEC team. He stressed the importance of good governance and robust internal quality assurance mechanisms, which are fundamental to the university's progress. The training aimed to equip PT members with the necessary skills and knowledge for effective SAR development as per PREE standards, ultimately contributing to the university continuous quality enhancement initiatives.

Punjab government establishes three daycare centres at IUB



Treasurer IUB Bashir Hussain presenting document to establish daycare centers to Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran

three daycare centres at the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. In this regard, Prof. Dr Rubina Bhatti, Dean Faculty of Social Sciences and Focal Person for Daycare Centres, along with Prof. Dr Asif Naveed Ranjha, Chairman Department of Social Work and Dr Tahira Shamim, presented cheques amounting to over four million rupees received from the Women Development Department to Prof. Dr Muhammad Kamran Vice Chancellor at Abbasia Campus. Vice Chancellor appreciated the dedicated efforts of Prof. Dr Rubina Bhatti and Prof. Dr Asif Naveed Ranjha for coordination with the Women Development Department Punjab to set up daycare centres facilitating the university's faculty and staff. On this occasion Vice Chancellor handed over the cheques to Treasurer Bashir Hussain for further financial processing to expedite the establishment process of the daycare centres.

In a significant development, the Women Development Department Government of Punjab is establishing

Vice Chancellor of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran, said that the Environment Protection Authority is working on scientific grounds for monitoring environmental pollution and a clean environment in the Punjab province. The Punjab government has installed two modern monitoring stations for measuring the air quality index at Abbasia Campus and Baghdad-ul-Jadeed Campus of Islamia University of Bahawalpur. With the installation of these devices, real data on air pollution is available in Bahawalpur. The Vice Chancellor expressed these views while talking to the media during a visit to the Air Quality Index Monitoring Station installed at the Institute of Agro Industry, Faculty of Agriculture and Environment. On this occasion, Director Prof. Dr. Ghulam Hassan Abbasi gave a

Punjab government installs two modern air quality monitoring stations at IUB



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran visits the air quality monitoring stations

briefing on the advanced system for measuring environmental pollution. The Vice Chancellor directed that the scientists of the university should use environmental

information for research activities and play an effective role for a better environment. Director Public Relations, Dr. Shahzad Ahmed Khalid, Dr Muhammad

Ali and representatives of the Environment Protection Authority were also present on the occasion.

Seminar with renowned artist Uzma Gilani titled "A Blend of Voice and Heritage"

The Department of Media and Communication Studies, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, organized seminar titled Art: A Blend of Voice and Heritage with Uzma Gilani. The chief guest of the event was Pakistan's legendary artist and pride of performance Uzma Gilani, whose illustrious career in

television, theater and social work has inspired generations. On this occasion, Prof. Dr. Rubina Bhatti, Dean Faculty of Social Sciences and Dr. Adnan Malik, Chairman Department of Media Studies, Dr. Nayyar Mustafa, Additional Commissioner Bahawalpur and renowned jurist Amir Ajam Malik

discussed the evolution of Pakistani media, the role of women in the creative arts and the legendary work of Uzma Gilani. In her address, Uzma Gilani reminisced about her long and memorable journey in Pakistan's drama industry. She highlighted the service television once had to society. She said that true success

lies not in fame but in the hearts you touch. Prof. Dr. Rubina Bhatti, Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences, appreciated the unparalleled contributions of Uzma Gilani to the art and culture of Pakistan. She said that Uzma Gilani's powerful performance not only entertained the audience and viewers but also guided the society. The session was hosted by Agha Sadaf Mehdi, Senior Producer, Campus Radio FM 92.6, while Dr. Abida Noreen, Associate Professor, served as the focal person of the event. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Saleem, Chairman, Department of Applied Psychology, Dr. Qaiser Ijaz, Department of Computer Sciences, Deputy Registrar Fatima Muzahir, and faculty members of the Department of Media and Communication Studies, Shafaq Manzoor, Afifa Paracha, Dr. Qamar Zaman, Miss Maham, Dr. Hanan Khan Tareen, Zain Zameer, Miss Bushra, and Ghulam Murtaza Bhatti were present.



Seminar participants with Dean Faculty of Social Sciences Prof. Dr. Rubina Bhatti, and artist Uzma Gillani

IUB observes World Antimicrobial Resistance Awareness Week



Participants of the walk with Dean, Faculty of Veterinary and Animal Sciences, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Khalid Mansoor

≡ The Faculty of Veterinary and Animal Sciences the Islamia University of Bahawalpur successfully organized a series of activities in connection with world antimicrobial resistance awareness week 2025. The events were held

under the theme act now protect our present, secure our future and aimed to enhance understanding of Antimicrobial Resistance and promote responsible antimicrobial use among students and faculty. The day began with an Awareness Walk

along the road in front of the Faculty of Veterinary and Animal Sciences Main Building, where participants highlighted the growing global threat of Antimicrobial Resistance and emphasized the importance of rational antibiotic use. This was

followed by the Student Poster and Infographic Competition in the faculty corridor, where students presented creative and informative visuals on antimicrobial resistance, one health, and antimicrobial stewardship. Later, an engaging Antimicrobial Resistance quiz competition was held in the Faculty of Veterinary and Animal Sciences Auditorium, with students enthusiastically showcasing their knowledge on Antimicrobial Resistance, resistance mechanisms, and global response frameworks. These activities reflected the faculty's strong commitment to raising awareness, promoting scientific learning, and contributing to the global effort to combat antimicrobial resistance.

RYP Campus observes International Day of Persons with Disabilities



Deputy Commissioner Rahim Yar Khan, Zaheer Anwar Jappa, Director, IUB Rahim Yar Khan Campus, Dr. Sohail Sharif, and others on the occasion of the ceremony

≡ A special event was organized in Rahim Yar Khan on the occasion of the International Day of Persons with Disabilities 2025. The program was jointly arranged by the Social Welfare Department Rahim Yar Khan and the Accessibility Centre, The Islamia University of Bahawalpur. The event also featured a special recorded message from the Vice Chancellor, Prof. Dr.

Muhammad Kamran, highlighting the university's commitment to inclusion and accessibility. Among the distinguished guests of honor were Zaheer Anwar Jappa, Deputy Commissioner Rahim Yar Khan, Dr. Sohail Sharif, Campus Director, Zain Khan, Incharge Accessibility Centre, Salman Bukhari, Director Marketing Pakistan Blind Cricket Council and Zobia Mudassir, Deputy Director Social Welfare Department Rahim Yar Khan.

≡ Prof. Dr. Muhammad Arshad from Institute of Chemistry Islamia University of Bahawalpur participated in the 7th International Conference on Recent Trends in Chemistry held at the Allama Iqbal Open University Islamabad. As an invited speaker he delivered a Keynote lecture in the first plenary session and presented his research work on the Application of Sulfur-Ylide Epoxidation Methodology for the Asymmetric Synthesis of Quinine (Anti-Malarial Drug) and Bedaquiline (Anti-TB Drug). He also chaired a technical session during this two days international conference. He has interacted with various national speakers from different universities across Pakistan including.

Prof. Dr. Muhammad Arshad participates in the International Conference on Chemistry



Prof. Dr. Muhammad Arshad receiving a shield from the dignitaries

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran distributes prizes among competition winners at Poultry Science Department



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran awarding certificate to a student.

≡ A prize distribution ceremony was held to distribute prizes among the successful participants of various competitions organized by the Department of Poultry Science, Faculty of Veterinary and Animal Sciences, Islamia University of Bahawalpur. The ceremony was presided over by Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor, Islamia University of Bahawalpur and prizes were distributed among the students who performed outstandingly in various competitions. Dr. Shakeel Ahmed, Chairman, Department of Poultry Science, thanked Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and Dean, Faculty of Veterinary and Animal Sciences Prof. Dr. Khalid Mansoor for their patronage and encouragement.

Celebrations of World Soil Day

The Department of Soil Science, Institute of Soil and Water Resources, Faculty of Agriculture and Environment, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, organized World Soil Day ceremony. Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran was the chief guest on the occasion. A seminar, awareness walk and cake cutting ceremony were also held on

the theme of World Soil Day, Healthy Soil for Healthy Cities. Dean Faculty of Agriculture and Environment Prof. Dr. Tanveer Hussain Turabi and Chairman Department of Soil Science Prof. Dr. Maqshoof Ahmed said that teachers, scientists, researchers and students of the department are organizing various activities in line with this global importance so

that the importance of this sector can be highlighted in terms of global environmental changes, agricultural development and soil fertility. In the seminar, Prof. Dr. Shengsen Wang from Yangzhou University, China, spoke on soil management strategies for urban sustainability. Prof. Dr. Rattan Lal, Ohio State University, USA, highlighted soil's

role in carbon storage, water regulation, and biodiversity. Dr. Hafiz Tanvir Ahmad, Department of Soil Science presented on soil health indicators and their importance for climate-resilient cities. Professor Dr. Muhammad Nafees, Chairman, Department of Horticulture thanked all the guests and appreciated the contribution of the speakers, faculty and students.



A student briefing Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran on his project



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran and Dean Faculty of Agriculture and Environment, Prof. Dr. Tanveer Hussain Turabi cutting the cake

Dr. Ramzan Tahir from The Islamia University of Bahawalpur attended the three-day International Allama Iqbal Conference held in Quetta as a special guest. The conference, titled "The Demise of a Believer is not Due to Poverty," was organized in collaboration with the National Heritage and Culture Division of the Government of Pakistan, Iqbal Academy Pakistan, the Government of Balochistan, Rahmat-ul-Aalameen and Khatam-un-Nabiyyin Club, and the Reconstruction Trust Balochistan. Scholars, researchers, and academics from sixteen countries participated in the event. Dr. Muhammad Ramzan Tahir from the Department of Urdu and Iqbal Studies, The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, attended the conference on special invitation. He presented his research paper and delivered insightful and thought-provoking lectures on the ideas of Allama Iqbal in different sessions.

Dr. Ramzan Tahir attends three-day International Allama Iqbal Conference at Quetta

His work was highly appreciated by the participants. On this occasion, he also participated in a special session titled "Conversation with the Writers of Balochistan," organized by the Pakistan Academy of Letters, Quetta. The session included the Director General of Pakistan Academy of Letters, Dr. Najiba Arif, and Director General of Idara-e-Farogh-e-Urdu, Dr. Saleem Mazhar. A large number of writers, poets, and young literary figures from Balochistan took part in discussions on regional languages, literary traditions, and the role of youth in promoting literature. The conference discussions highlighted Allama Iqbal's concepts of selfhood, action, intellectual revival of the Muslim world, and the relevance of his ideas in the modern era.



Dr. Ramzan Tahir receiving a shield

International delegates emphasized that Iqbal's poetry continues to serve as a strong source of intellectual guidance and cultural awareness for the Muslim world. The three-day international conference was

considered a successful academic event, promoting intellectual exchange, academic harmony, and renewed understanding of Iqbal's thought in the contemporary context.

IUB ranks 345th in UI Green Metric World University Rankings 2025

The Islamia University of Bahawalpur Cements Its Global Standing as a Sustainable Leader, Securing 345th Place in UI Green Metric World University Rankings 2025. The Islamia University of Bahawalpur has once again demonstrated its global leadership in environmental stewardship, securing the 345th position in the esteemed UI Green Metric World University Rankings 2025. In the 15th edition of this prestigious ranking, which assessed the sustainability performance of 1,745 institutions across 105 countries, IUB has maintained a robust standing. Ranking 345th out of 1,547 qualified

universities in the world and ranked 194 in Asia, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur continues to uphold its reputation as a "Green University" amidst intensifying global competition. Nationally, the Islamia University of Bahawalpur stands tall among 107 Pakistani universities and has secured 11th position in Pakistan and 3rd position in South Punjab, reaffirming its role as a regional hub for sustainable development and eco-friendly innovation. Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran hailed the achievement as a reflection of the university's strategic direction. He said that this recognition is

a validation of our commitment to integrating sustainability into the very fabric of our institutional identity. At the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, we view environmental responsibility as a core component of modern education. We are dedicated to expanding these eco-friendly initiatives, ensuring that we leave a resilient and sustainable legacy for future generations. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Asadullah Madni, Director of the Quality Enhancement Cell said that this milestone was achieved through the synergistic efforts of the university administrative and academic leadership. He

extended sincere appreciation to the Deans, Chairpersons, and Principal Officers for their contributions. He commended the core team driving these initiatives, especially Prof. Dr. Robina Bhatti, Patron, SDGs Collaboration Centre, Dr. Abid Rasheed Gill, Director, Green Campus Project, Prof. Dr. Salman Bin Naeem, Director SDGs, Dr. Mariam Abbas Soharwardi, Additional Director SDGs, Prof. Dr. Wajid Naseem Jatoti, Director, Consortium on Climate Change, Sustainability & Conservation, Dr. Muhammad Abdullah, Director, Cholistan Institute of Development Studies & IUB Biodiversity Park, Dr. Adnan Rehmani, Deputy Director, Space Management, Engr. Asif Shahzad, Director Engineering,

and Malik Amir Manzoor, Principal Officer Estate Care. By consistently ranking among the world's elite green

universities, The Islamia University of Bahawalpur is inspiring a new generation of leaders to embrace

the philosophy of "Going Green." The university remains committed to the United Nations Sustainable

Development Goals (SDGs), paving the way for a cleaner, greener future.

Seminar on International Human Rights Day



Prof. Dr. Muhammad Asif Naveed Ranjha and others addressing the seminar

A seminar was held on the occasion of International Human Rights Day at Department of Social Work Islamia University of Bahawalpur. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Asif Naveed Ranjha, Chairman, Department of Social Work, said that every year Human Rights Day is celebrated at the United Nations forum and the importance of fundamental rights for the humanity is highlighted. The aim of today's seminar is to reconnect people with human rights so that they can think about the rights of daily life. This year's theme of human rights is human rights are essential for our daily lives. Dr. Muhammad Jafar, Associate Professor, Dr. Zohaib, Department of Sociology also addressed the seminar. Teachers and students participated in large numbers.

Directorate of Alumni Affairs organized an Alumni Meet and Fair in collaboration with IUB Alumni Association in connection with the 100th anniversary celebrations of Islamia University of Bahawalpur. This mega event was presided over by Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran. Earlier, in the special Alumni Fair, former Governor Punjab Muhammad Baligh-ur-Rehman, Deputy Speaker Punjab Assembly Malik Zaheer Iqbal Chanter, Vice Chancellor Islamia University of Bahawalpur Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor Khawaja Farid University of Engineering and Technology Rahim Yar Khan Prof. Dr. Aamir Azam, Vice Chancellor Thal University Bhakkar Prof. Dr. Saeed Ahmed Buzdar visited the stalls and met the alumni. The participants congratulated Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran for providing a platform for

IUB celebrates centenary with first-ever Alumni Meet and Fair

the alumni of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur for the first time and organizing the first mega event. Director Alumni Affairs Dr. Shahid Mahmood delivered the welcome address and thanked the alumni of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur present in Pakistan and around the world. President of the Alumni Association Ijaz Faqi paid tribute to Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran for organizing the first grand alumni event in the history of the university, especially for starting the International Alumni Chapter. On this occasion, a special alumni award was presented in recognition of the great national religious education and charitable services of the Governor of Bahawalpur, Nawab Sir Sadiq Muhammad Khan Abbasi V, which was received by Sahibzada

Umar Dawood Abbasi. The second award was given in recognition of the services of the former Prime Minister of Bahawalpur, Makhdoomzada Syed Hassan Mahmood, which was received by Makhdoom Syed Ali Mahmood, son of former Governor Punjab Makhdoom Syed Ahmed Mahmood. On this occasion, the Vice Chancellor of the Press Club of Bahawalpur, Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran, was presented with a shield of lifetime membership. The ceremony was attended by political and social leader Saad Masood, former Federal Secretary Hussain Ahmed Madani, former Public Relations Officer of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Sahibzada Rahim Yar Abbasi, Dean and Director of Students Affairs Professor Dr. Abdul Rauf, Dean of the Faculty of

Physical and Mathematical Sciences Professor Dr. Ghulam Mustafa, Dean of the Faculty of Veterinary and Animal Sciences Professor Dr. Khalid Mansoor, Director of Advanced Studies Professor Dr. Asif Naveed Ranjha, Director PR Dr. Shahzad Ahmad Khalid, Additional Director of Students Affairs Dr. Adnan Bukhari, President of the Press Club of Bahawalpur Chaudhry Muhammad Saleem, Secretary General of the Press Club Baqaul-Mohsin, government officers, industrialists, traders, alumni members, teachers and students. The ceremony was hosted by Athar Mahmood Lashari, Lecturer of the Department of Seraiki, and Warda Najeeb Jamal, Assistant Professor.



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, President Alumni Association Ijaz Faqi, Director Alumni Affairs Dr. Shahid Mahmood, and others addressing the ceremony

Dr. Farhana Altaf receives Quaid-e-Azam Gold Medal from Istehkam-e-Pakistan Foundation

Principal University College of Art and Design the Islamia University of Bahawalpur Dr. Farhana Altaf Qureshi was awarded the Quaid-e-Azam Gold Medal by the Istehkam e Pakistan Foundation in recognition

of her outstanding services in the field of education. The ceremony was attended by esteemed personalities from educational, social and welfare circles. Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Dean Faculty

of Arts and Languages Prof. Dr. Syed Aamir Sohail, faculty members have congratulated Dr. Farhana Altaf Qureshi on this achievement.



The Department of Pakistan Studies, in collaboration with the Department of Law and the IUB Kashmir and Nazaria-e-Pakistan Society, organized a grand event to celebrate the birth anniversary of Quaid-e-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah, the founder of Pakistan, at The Islamia University of Bahawalpur. The Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, in his message, expressed his pride in commemorating the Quaid's birth anniversary and emphasized the importance of instilling his values in the younger generation. He stated, "Quaid-e-Azam's vision and principles continue to guide us as we strive to make Pakistan a beacon of progress and harmony." The event, held in honor of Quaid-e-Azam's vision, leadership, and contributions to the creation of Pakistan, featured distinguished keynote speakers, Dr. Rubina Yasmeen and Dr. Ramzan Tahir, who shed light on the life, values,

Celebration of birth anniversary of Quaid-e-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah



Participants of the event with Chairperson, Department of Pakistan Studies, Prof. Dr. Rubina Yasmeen

Yasmeen, a prominent scholar, emphasized the Quaid's unwavering commitment to democracy, equality, and justice, urging students to follow his principles to build a prosperous and united Pakistan. Dr. Ramzan Tahir, a renowned academic,

the Pakistan Movement and his vision for a peaceful, progressive, and inclusive nation. The event also included speeches by faculty members, students, and members of the Nazaria-e-Pakistan Society, who paid tribute to the Quaid's

on Jinnah's life and his struggle for independence was screened, inspiring the audience to reflect on his ideals. The event concluded with a resolution to uphold Jinnah's vision for Pakistan and to work collectively for the nation's progress and unity.

Christmas ceremony for Christian employees of IUB



Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Father Michael Shakil, Coordinator Assistant Parish Priest, and Father Younis Shahzad, St. Dominican Church Bahawalpur, cutting the cake

The Pink Ribbon Youth Awareness Seminar 2025, organized by the Women Health Care Center and Maternity Home at the Islamia University of Bahawalpur highlighted the critical importance of breast cancer awareness among young people. The Director, Consultant Gynecologist at women health Dr. Safeena Sidiq welcomed all the dignitaries and thanked the teams

of organizing committees including Directorate of Student affairs and stressed upon the self-breast examination methods for early detection and availability of master trainers and ultrasound machine at women health care center. The seminar was graced by Prof. Dr.

Rubina Bhatti, Dean of the Faculty of Social Sciences as the Chief Guest. Prof. Dr. Rubina Bhatti emphasized the alarming rise of breast cancer in Pakistan and the need for awareness. She further appreciated the efforts of the Women Health care team for their contributions

in health promotions by educating the youth, giving different in-house consultations Gynecological, ultrasound, general and pediatric. Keynote speaker Dr. Farhat-UI-Ain Tayyaba, a general and breast reconstructive surgeon from Quaid Azam Medical College, discussed

Pink Ribbon Youth Awareness Seminar

early detection techniques, while Dr. Samina Ejaz, Additional Director of Women Health, highlighted the role of research in early detection. Dr. Zarmina Irum and Dr. Sheema, participated in the discussion

on breast cancer awareness and prevention. Prof. Dr. Nasreen Dean faculty of Special education, Dr. Samar Fahad, Dr. Noveen Javed, Dr. Ambreen, Dr. Amber, Dr. Misbah Nosheen were also present. The

event aimed to educate youth about breast cancer risks, symptoms, and the importance of self-examination and regular check-ups. By promoting awareness and early detection, the seminar sought to empower

young people to take proactive steps in protecting their health and supporting those affected by breast cancer morally and financially.



Participants of the seminar

Prof. Dr. Samar Fahd delivers awareness session at Army Public School Bahawalpur



Prof. Dr. Samar Fahd receiving her certificate

Prof. Dr. Samar Fahd, Department of Applied Psychology, The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, conducted an awareness session on Healthy Parenting and Psychological and Mental Health Issues among Parents and Adolescents at Army Public School, Bahawalpur. Prof. Dr. Samar Fahd also highlighted the initiatives taken by vice chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran to promote mental health at higher education level. The Principal, faculty members, and administrative staff actively participated in the session, reflecting the institution's commitment to promoting mental health awareness and holistic development of students.

The Abbasia National Moot Court Competition was organized by the IUB Law Moot Society, Department of Law, Islamia University of Bahawalpur. This mega event was organized under the vision of Professor Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Vice Chancellor, under the guidance

Abbasia National Moot Court Competition

of Professor Dr. Rao Imran Habib, Dean Faculty of Law, under the supervision of Muhammad Muneeb Raza and Mian Arif Saeed. The three-day national event provided

a platform for students to practice advocacy, legal research and courtroom skills. The final round was decided by a panel that included Professor Dr. Rao Imran Habib,

Mian Saadat Ali Nadeem, Nadeem Khakwani, Dr. Sheikh Muhammad Adnan and Malik Aleem Babar.



A view of National Moot Court Competition

≡ The essay competition on Seerat-un-Nabi ﷺ 1447 AH/2025 was organized by the Ministry of Religious Affairs, Government of Pakistan. The topic of the essay was "State Responsibilities in the Education and Training for the Proper Use of Social Media in the Light of Seerat-un-Nabi ﷺ." Hafiza Naila Zulfiqar, a talented M.Phil scholar from the Department of Arabic, achieved second position in the provincial category (Punjab Women) in this competition. Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran, Dean Faculty of Islamic and Arabic Studies Prof. Dr. Sheikh Shafiq-ur-Rehman, and faculty members congratulated her on this outstanding achievement.

MPhil scholar Hafiza Naila Zulfiqar secures second position in Punjab Women category of Seerat-un-Nabi essay competition



Hafiza Naila Zulfiqar receiving her award

HEC All Pakistan Intervarsity Men's Fencing Championship



Director Sports Amjad Farooq Warraich and Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran along with the winning team University of Central Punjab, Lahore

≡ Directorate of Sports the Islamia University of Bahawalpur organized the HEC All Pakistan Intervarsity Fencing (Men) Championship 2025-26 in collaboration with Higher

Education Commission Islamabad. The closing ceremony was held at Sports Complex Baghdad ul-Jadeed Campus. Vice Chancellor the Islamia University of Bahawalpur,

Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran was the chief guest of the ceremony. A total of eleven universities from all over Pakistan participated in this event. The Vice Chancellor

congratulated the champion team and congratulated Director Sports Amjad Farooq Warraich, Assistant Directors Qazi Irfan Khalil, Naveed Ashraf, Faisal Ikram and the entire team of the Directorate of Sports for organizing the successful event. University of Central Punjab Lahore won the tournament while University of Lahore was the runner-up and University of Management and Technology Lahore and University of Swabi jointly secured the third position. On this occasion, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran gave away trophies to the winning and runner-up teams and distributed appreciation shields among the participating players in recognition of their excellent performance and dedication.

IUB judo team wins gold medals at All Pakistan Intervarsity Judo Championship

≡ IUB Judo team players Salman Khan and Muhammad Gulfam secured Gold medals in All Pakistan Intervarsity Judo Championship 2025. Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr.

Muhammad Kamran Special Congrats to both Medalists players, Director sports Amjad Farooq Waraich and incharge Judo Team Mehbob Alam.



IUB Judo team players Salman Khan and Muhammad Gulfam secured Gold medals in All Pakistan Intervarsity Judo Championship

IUB women's squash team secures third position in All Pakistan Intervarsity Squash Championship 2025-26

≡ The women's squash team of the Islamia University of Bahawalpur participated in the All Pakistan Intervarsity Squash Women's Championship 2025-26 held at Bahauddin Zakariya University, Multan. 15 teams from all over Pakistan participated in this

championship. IUB Squash Women's Team secured third position in the said event. Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Muhammad Kamran congratulated Director Sports Women Dr. Ambreen Maqsood, IUB Women's Squash Team and officials.



IUB Women's Squash Team receiving their trophy from Dr. Zubair Iqbal, Vice Chancellor, Bahauddin Zakariya University, Multan