

THE IMPACT OF WOMEN'S LABOR FORCE PARTICIPATION AND GENDER EQUALITY POLICIES ON ECONOMIC GROWTH: A GENDER ANALYSIS USING SAMPLE DATA FROM PAKISTAN

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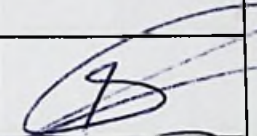
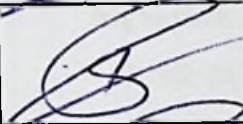
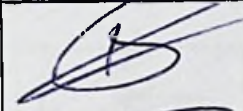
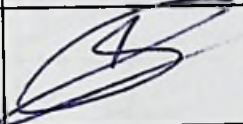
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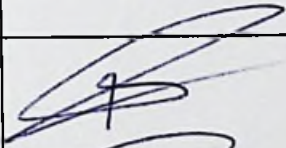
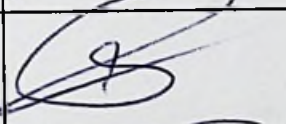
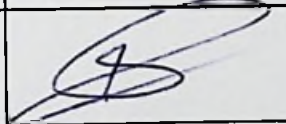
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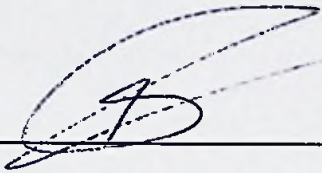
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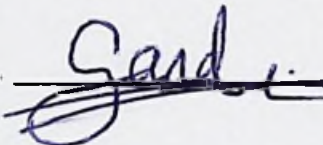
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ABSTRACT

This study examines the relationship between labor force participation, laws supporting women's employment, and economic growth in Pakistan from 1990 to 2019. World Bank Statistics and Regression Analysis (OLS). Gross domestic product (GDP) and inflation measures as control variables. The findings show that across companies, women's labor force participation and laws supporting women have a negative relationship with GDP, but this relationship is not statistically significant. In addition, the significant effect of all independent variables on GDP growth reveals the importance of multivariate analysis in economic development. The study highlights the relationship between gender equality policies and economic development in Pakistan and highlights the need for comprehensive and integrated approaches to develop a sustainable and equitable economy. Findings contribute to the existing literature by providing empirical evidence that can form the basis for decision-making and decision-making processes aimed at promoting equity and economic development in Pakistan.