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Editor's Note

Dear Readers,

Welcome to the new issue of Bugle

Today higher education is considered as the prerequisite for sustainable development of any nation. Therefore Universities are now seen as sources of modern knowledge, innovative thinking and providers of skilled personnel to meet the needs of contemporary world. Bahria University has always endeavored to provide students and researchers a congenial environment for their learning and training to play a productive role for the national development and progress.

Bahria University has taken lead to host first international Conference on 'Conventional & Unconventional Resource Exploration Hydrocarbon Energy Challenges & Solutions'. This conference was the first in Pakistan on this subject. The conference provided researchers from academia and industry with a platform to discuss innovative ideas for the development of petroleum industry. The bugle covers the conference as the main story for this issue.

We are hopeful that you would enjoy reading the whole content of this issue and would appreciate your valued observations for the success of this enterprise.

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1st International Conference

'Conventional & Unconventional Resource Exploration Hydrocarbon Energy Challenges & Solutions'

The main driving force behind any nation's development & progress is the availability of secure, economical & efficient energy resources. Despite of the increasing use of renewable energy in this century, HYDROCARBONS are still and seem to remain predominant energy source in the foreseeable future. Rapidly increasing use and depletion of conventional oil & gas resources led the industry to find the new techniques to improve the exploration & production. At the same time industry is looking for possibilities of exploiting the non-conventional hydrocarbon resources such as Shale Oil & Gas, Tight Gas, Heavy Oil/ Tar Sands, Methane Hydrates, Coalbed Methane (CBM) etc.



Rector BU, CEO PPL and DG BUKC with participants of the Conference CUREHECS 2016

In pursuance to this aim Bahria University Karachi Campus hosted 1st International Conference on 'Conventional & Unconventional Resource Exploration Hydrocarbon Energy Challenges & Solutions' CUREHECS-2016, a two-day conference organized on 21st and 22nd September, 2016. The purpose was to bring together researchers from academia and petroleum industry to exchange their research ideas/work and to discuss the state-of-the-art research in the hydrocarbon exploration. It was the first ever conference in Pakistan on this highly critical issue.

Honorable Mr. Syed Wamiq Bukhari, Managing Director & CEO of Pakistan Petroleum Limited inaugurated the conference. While addressing the conference, he highlighted the importance of oil and gas sector and the challenges that are being faced in this respect. He said that Pakistan is soon going to be the 5th most populous country in the World. It is essential to explore the untapped resources hidden beneath the earth to meet our energy needs for healthy economic growth and development. It is need of this age to explore offshore potential of Pakistan instead of being restricted to onshore only. Improving Law and order situation will surely attract more multinational firms to carry on explorations in Pakistan.

Rector Bahria University, Vice Admiral (R) Tanveer Faiz HI(M) welcomed all the participants in his address. He specifically mentioned that the conference is aimed at providing resolves to the energy sector, as it remains the hallmark of the China-Pakistan Economic Corridor (CPEC) initiative taken by the Government of Pakistan. The energy sector being within the ambit of CPEC is expected to identify ample resources for the ensuring industrial zones along CPEC routes, for economic progress of Pakistan. We can succeed only with continued interest and support from diverse parties including industry and the academia.



Standing in honor of National Anthem of Pakistan

Dr. Mubarik Ali, Head of Department of Earth & Environmental Sciences and PPL chair expressed exhilaration while saying that Bahria University has been successful in gathering the researchers from all relevant fields and providing them a platform to discuss the modern ideas. He also emphasized that Pakistan needs to enhance such innovating platforms for encouraging our researchers and academicians so that they can learn and share their

experiences at large. Further, they can be able to contribute in the growth of our country and broaden research horizons.

Mr. Jam Mehtab Hussain Dahar, Minister of Education graced the occasion as the Chief Guest on proceedings of day two. Mr. Jam Mehtab Hussain Dahar said that Oil and Gas account for more than 40 per cent of the world energy mix. This is because of its unique combination of attributes i.e. sufficiency, accessibility, versatility, ease of transport and, in many areas, low costs. Advances in technology make oil and gas a cleaner, safer and more efficient fuel.

Director General Bahria University Karachi Campus Vice Admiral (Retd) Khawaja Ghazanfar Hussain HI(M), Conference Chair thanked all the participants and sponsors of the conference for their worthy contribution and wished to hold more of such sessions in future to promote research culture for the development and prosperity of Pakistan.

A number of speakers from home and abroad presented their papers at the conference.

Distinguished international keynote speakers were Professor Dr. Bilal-ul-Haq, Mr. Philip Goldstone and Mr. Pablo Saldungaray. The papers were rich in content including different topics of exploring hydrocarbon and energy resources, which is the hallmark of China-Pakistan Economic Corridor. The conference has also provided an opportunity to interact with foreign and local delegates and share their own research experiences in geophysics, geology and environment. The conference was a joint venture between Bahria University and Pakistan Petroleum Limited. This was aimed at providing an opportunity for researchers and practitioners to present their contributions and exchange ideas related to various



Rector BU presenting Souvenir to Sindh Education Minister Jam Mehtab Hussain



Rector BU presenting Souvenir to CEO PPL Syed Wamiq Bukhari

challenges in the domain of conventional and unconventional hydrocarbon resources. A large number of academicians, researcher and students attended.

The Leadership Development Center

The Leadership Development Center (LDC) has been established at Bahria University with the mission of "Transforming Young People and Professionals into Leaders". With this aim it is conducting short courses, training and workshops for professionals, faculty and students to improve the technical, managerial, academic and personal skills in a vast array of disciplines. As part of its

faculty development LDC conducted well participated workshops at all campuses and constituent units of Bahria to enhance the skills and personal development of the faculty. Notably, LDC organized a seven day long intensive program to orient the newly hired faculty in the "Bahria Way" and to train them to improve their teaching and professional capability.

CODE Informatics Guest Lecture & Interviews

CODE conducted a guest speaker session. The session provided the students an opportunity to equip themselves with useful techniques for professional career. Coupled with this Talent Acquisition team of CODE Informatics in collaboration with Career Office, Bahria University conducted an in campus drive. They had an



interactive session with students to ascertain their future objectives and shared some active career opportunities. Students were enlightened with modern skills required for recruitment and needs of professional life. Finally a group of shortlisted students of Bahria University were interviewed by the team.



CODE Informatics team interviewing a candidate

Rozgar Work Orientation

World Vision Pakistan, under its training program "Rozgar:work", conducted an orientation session at Bahria University, Islamabad Campus with around 50 students. Their team provided the students an

opportunity to equip themselves with the right aptitude and attitude for professional career. Guest Speaker guided students about the prerequisites of successful professional life in their near future.



Wi-Tribe Sales School Program

Wi-tribe HR Personnel visited Bahria University Islamabad for awareness on their Sales School Program initiative. Their team presented a knowledgeable presentation on professional skills to educate students for their future

endeavors. The students of Bahria University Islamabad had an interactive discussion with the resource person and explored the contemporary requirements of professional life.



Mobilink Career Counseling Session

Mobilink conducted a Career Counseling session to an audience of around 70 students of Bahria University Islamabad Campus. Guest Speaker Mr. Hassan Raza,

presented his talk and interacted with the students to answer their queries regarding career choices and employers' preferences during recruitment.



Javago Ambassadorship Program

HR Team from Javago Ambassador". A large number of students visited Bahria University Islamabad to conduct interviews for their vacant position "Brand participated in the drive for the purpose.



Career Pakistan – Talk a world Program



Career Pakistan conducted a guest speaker session for students of Bahria University Islamabad Campus. Speaker imparted professional knowledge to the graduating batches and taught the most effective skills for interview and attractive CV. He also guided students about the challenges and opportunities of professional life in their near future.

MOL FEMME Scholarship Orientation

A team from MOL Pakistan conducted an orientation session for their FEMME scholarship which is an initial phase of their hiring opening for fresh graduates (Females only). After application collection through their recruitment process successful candidates will be hired for permanent position. The team from MOL Pakistan discussed the whole process and answered the queries of the graduates to make this competition understandable and meaningful for them. Target audience for the session was graduates of Geology, Geo-physics and Environmental Sciences.



Group Photo of resource person and participants

Career Pakistan -Talk World Program (Phase II)

Career Pakistan in collaboration with Career Office BU organized a guest speaker session. The session was addressed by Mr. Adnan Shahid Chief Commercial Operations PTCL. In the session, he discussed the idea of a Successful Career with the senior semester students of Engineering and Management disciplines. He also helped students to understand the importance of entrepreneurship in today's era.

Seminar for BUIC Students by American Universities

Bahria University and the United States Educational Foundation in Pakistan, arranged an orientation seminar for BUIC Students. The representatives of following American Universities visited Bahria University for the session;

S.No	Name	Region
a.	New York University	New York, New York
b.	University of Colorado, Boulder	Boulder, Colorado
c.	Western Kentucky University	Bowling Green, Kentucky
d.	St. Cloud State University	St. Cloud, Minnesota

During the seminar the students were given firsthand knowledge regarding the application process, scholarship opportunities and admission requirements.

Roundtable Discussion on Cyber Security issues held at Bahria University



Pro Rector chairing the discussion

Bahria University organized a roundtable discussion at Islamabad Campus on Cyber Security issues in order to promote the awareness about Cyber Crimes among the students. The

discussion aimed at increasing the recognition of cyber security issues and helping the users to deal with it.

Honorable Pro Rector Bahria University Rear Admiral (R) Shahid Saeed HI (M) chaired the discussion and was attended by officials from stakeholders including academia, PTA, FIA and other departments under Ministry of Information Technology. Discussion was moderated by Dr. Nadia Khadam Senior Assistant Professor Department of

Law, Bahria University.

Participants highlighted the menace of Cyber Crime and discussed possible security measures to counter it. Officials from Ministry of Information Technology enlightened their role and policies for cyber security. They tried to seek help and cooperation of other organizations to promote security awareness among people and to devise productive mechanism for countering Cyber threats. The discussion concluded with a unanimous emphasis on the formation of cyber security strategy at national level. At the end Mr. Abdur Rauf Khatana, Head of Department of Law Bahria University Islamabad Campus, thanked all the participants for their presence and worthy contributions in discussion.



Participants of the discussion

British Universities at Bahria University Islamabad

Delegation from 18 different UK Universities in collaboration with British Council visited Bahria University Islamabad. The delegation included academicians, researchers, managers, international officers UK Universities including University of Leeds, University of Surrey, Cranfield University, Robert Gordon University, University of Edinburgh, Queen Mary University of London, University of Strathclyde, University of Manchester, University of Dundee, University of Nottingham, University of Warwick, University of York, University of Kent, University of Glasgow, Sheffield Hallam University, University Of Law, Kings College London and Newcastle University.

Pro-Rector of Bahria University, Rear Admiral (R) Shahid Saeed HI (M) welcomed the delegates and said that Bahria University is an institution that is proud of its national and interna-

tional status. The delegates visited campus facilities at BU and appreciated the quality of

infrastructure available to students for curricular and extra-curricular activities. During the visit an interactive counseling session was also organized where students were briefed about UK Education. Pro Rector Bahria University also attended this session and interacted delegates. Pro Rector said that Bahria University is proud of its national and international status which attracted the reputed institutions of the world.



Representative of an American University briefing students

“The Beginning of a Success Story”

UFONE and Bahria University arranged a Guest talk on “The Beginning of a Success Story”. Mr. Muhammad Muhsin Ali from Hafizabad visited Bahria University Islamabad to deliver a motivational and an inspirational speech to the students of BUIC. Muhsin told the students of BUIC he used to work in the Tandoor Shop during the day with his

brother and studied most of the time. His passion for education made him to score 688 marks out of 800 and created a record by achieving the highest grade in BA/BSC examinations of 2012 of Punjab University. He motivated students and said that scarcity of resource and opportunities cannot hinder if you are determined to achieve the best in your life.



Mohsin Ali addressing the students

Guest Talk by Mr. Mark Coddington

Mr. Mark Coddington International Officer, School of Oriental Studies and African Studies (SOAS), University of London gave a guest talk on 14th Oct, 2016 to the students of BUIC on study opportunities in SOAS.



Mr. Mark Coddington addressing the session

Guest Talk by Dr. Graham Jones, Queen Mary University, UK

Dr. Graham Jones, Director International/ Sr. Lecturer Marketing, Queen Mary University London, UK visited Bahria University on 25th Oct, 2016. During his visit he met the senior officials of BU and gave a guest talk to the students of BUIC on 'Integrated Marketing Communication Mix.'



Dr. Graham Jones presenting his talk

Guest Speaker session by Mr. Hartmut Wellerdt

On 27 September, 2016 a Guest speaker session was organized by the International Office, Bahria University at Islamabad campus. The session was addressed by Mr. Hartmut Wellerdt, member of Senior Experten Service (SES) and Faculty Member of University of Bremen, Germany. He delivered his talk on 'Nescafe, a real life example of launching a new product' and 'Comparative International Management.' During the session speaker encouraged the students to share their perspectives as well.

Guest Talk by Dr. Haitham Cruickshank

Dr. Haitham Cruickshank, Senior Academic in the Faculty of Engineering and Physical Science, Surrey University, UK visited Bahria University on 28th Oct, 2016. During his visit he met the senior officials of BU and gave a guest talk to the students of BUIC on the topic "Security and privacy techniques and open issues in the 5G connected IoT devices."

Law Moot Competition

Department of Law BUIC organized a law moot competition for all the law schools of Islamabad and Rawalpindi. Six teams participated from different Law Colleges and Universities participated in the competition. In competition mock law trials were presented by participants to compete with teams, leading to learn the basics of arguing and differentiating legal arguments with emotional pleas. The judges of the competition were renowned



Students arguing during the competition

personalities from Judiciary and academia including



Judges, participants and hosts of the competition

Honourable chairman National Industrial Relation Commission and Ex-Chief Justice Peshawar High Court Mian Shakirullah Jan, Senior advocate of Supreme court Mr. Akhtar Ali Sahab, Dean of law at Hazara University Dr. Suhail Shehzad, Senior advocate Supreme Court Mr. Nasir Majeed, Corporate Lawyer Mr. Haroon Rashid and Associate Professor at International Islamic University, Dr. Mushtaq Ahmed.

LL.M. Program at Islamabad Campus



Justice Chauhan presenting inaugural lecture of LL.M.

Justice Ali Nawaz Chauhan marks the opening of post graduate studies in Law at Bahria University as Department of Law BUIC adds a chapter of LL.M. in its programs. In his speech, Justice Chauhan motivated the students to pursue discipline of law for their higher studies in true spirit and owe their duties towards the society.

Two Days Workshop for Naval Daughters

Department of Professional Psychology (BUIC) organized a Two Days Training Session for daughters of Pakistan Naval Officers to train them to handle different situations and peer pressures associated with their age group. The training was very informative and helped the children to refine their interpersonal skills to deal with different stages of life. Training attendees learned the art of positive thinking, self-understanding, career choice and goal settings for their future endeavors.



Resource person with participants of the workshop

Anti-Littering Drive



Students working during Anti-Littering Drive

Litter pollution is the most visible form of pollution and its presence immediately creates a negative impression about society. Reducing litter and successful litter control is continues effort that involves the entire community. Therefore CSP, Bahria University Islamabad in collaboration with Shifa Foundation arranged an Anti-Littering & Health Awareness Drive for on 25th October, 2016. The purpose of the drive was to create litter awareness and encourage litter reduction and proper disposal of garbage. The students from the Department of Computer Sciences and

Media Studies participated in the activity at trail 5 Margalla Hills. Shifa Foundation arranged healthy entertainment games for students of BUIC such as Tug of War, Pass on and Role Play etc. In the end, everyone pledged to promote Anti- Littering by clean ups, proper garbage dump and owning the society. The intent for this drive was to encourage and enhance the efforts to keep our cities clean and beautiful.

Basic Life Support

In order to manage common emergencies every individual have to have basic knowledge of emergency care and first aid. Therefore adequate education of first aid and basic life support (BLS) should be considered as an essential aspect of the curriculum. Under the ambit of Community Support Program, SSC arranged a Basic Life Support Training for BU students to teach them basic lifesaving skills and first aid.



Briefing on Basic Life Support



Student's hands on BLS techniques

The training was conducted by two doctors from PNS Hafeez Surg. Capt Yasir and Surg. Capt. Nadeem Fazal along with their support staff in the auditorium of BUIC. They gave an informative presentation and showed videos to train students for basic first aid. The presentation was followed by hands on skill practice on mannequins by the students. The training was very informative and it gave the students an opportunity to practice and test the necessary hands-on skills with very helpful instructors. Resource persons responded to questions from the audience and the students expressed their interests to participate

in such initiatives in future.

Orientation of Fall 2016 Students

Bahria University Islamabad conducted an orientation session for new students of Fall 2016. The newly inducted students of all departments were greeted by the honorable Director General in his welcome address. He asserted the fact that although the studies here will be tough, the experience at Bahria University will be a memorable one. Furthermore the session progressed with speeches by Deputy Directors and officers regarding their respective departments. Students were briefed about facilities, Scholarships, exchange programs, culture and rules of conduct at Bahria University.

Club Registrations

It is a custom of BU students to always kick off a fresh semester with something that would keep them engaged throughout the entire semester. One of these customs is the registrations and auditions of the societies headed by the Student Resource Centre. In the month of September all the societies put up their registration desks in the New Campus building, displayed charts inscribed with the names of their societies.

The Literary and Debates Club is a student debating society at the Bahria University Islamabad. The Literary and Debates club like every other club associated with the Student Support Center opened its doors for membership during this fall semester. As per the traditions of the club the registration desk was set outside the NC cafeteria by the existing members on the 29th and 30th of September. The response of students for the club this year was tremendous. At the end of the second day 200 students registered themselves for the club which exceeded our original target of 150. The events that the debaters from the club mostly participate in are parliamentary debates, MUNs, moot courts and declamations.

Bahria University's Music Society provides a platform for all those students who have an

undefined passion for music. Whether they sing or play any instrument, they need encouragement to shine out amongst their fellow students and that is what music society is all about. The existing members of the Music Society put up a registration desk for the new students. It got registered 118 newcomers and after the auditions, more than half of them were selected in different categories i.e; vocals, playing diverse instruments etc.

Media club brings together young journalists, publishers, photographers, amateur directors, entertainers, hosts and almost everyone interested in print and electronic media. Moreover, it also deals with media coverage inside the university, covering events and functions, publishing of magazines, movie shows and other activities related to TV and filming. Registration of session fall 2016 Media club was started on September 19th 2016 and it was open till September 20th 2016. After the registration and interviews media club's total membership reached to 180 members including all the new and senior members.

Disaster Management

In the present scenario, knowledge of disaster management is essential for every individual of our society. To impart knowledge and awareness amongst the students, a seminar on Disaster Management was arranged under the ambit of Community Support Program on October 14', 2016 in the auditorium of BUIC. The guest speaker, Major Safdar Qazilbash, expert in security and disaster management addressed the students and faculty members of all departments. Being a thorough professional, the lecture delivered by him was extremely productive and informative. He

explained the basics that one should know regarding Fire Drills, Earthquakes, Lockdowns and Warden Systems. He proceeded to explain disaster and its types, with focus on two major disasters from each type: Fire and Earthquake. The students were informed about the nature of each of the two, and they were shown informative videos on precautionary steps and safety measures to be taken in case of fire hazards, earthquake and lockdown procedures. The lecture was quite informative and useful for students for being trained in necessary firefighting techniques.

Pink Day



Bahria University Islamabad in collaboration with Pink Ribbon Pakistan has started a two day campaign on October 20 & 21, 2016 to honor the cause of fighting against breast cancer. The campaign aims at increasing awareness of breast cancer. Guest Speaker Dr. Khadeeja gave an informative lecture regarding "Breast

Cancer Awareness". She briefed the attendees about preventive measures, self-examination. She said that the importance of this session that can never be over ruled as this basic awareness can save lives and stop the increasing number of breast cancer patients. Students of Bahria University Islamabad worked as volunteers for SKMH in this cause and they took part in organizing this event actively and very creatively. Most of the students on campus wore pink clothes on the day to show solidarity and put up desks in every building and distributed



Dr. Khadeeja presenting her talk on PINK DAY

brochures, leaflets, pink ribbons for imparting awareness of the day. Furthermore the Sports club of BUIC organized an interdepartmental volleyball tournament for to make the pink day more festive and attract more people to root out the menace of breast cancer from our society.

The Teacher's Day



Cards displayed in honor of Teachers

Students Resource Centre put their minds together to make the day a memorable for the teachers and to thank them for their immense efforts to make students an asset for our nation's future. The day started with students creative ideas for splendid decorations to fill the air with felicity and worth remembering for their teachers. Thoughts were conveyed to the teachers through the videos and notes were placed all over the university awakening the spirit among students regarding the

On 05th prominence of teachers.

October, 2016, BUIC organized a full day celebration for honoring its Faculty Members on "World Teachers Day ". All clubs and societies of

A debate on "Respect for Teachers: Is it a teacher's unquestionable prerogative or does the teacher has to earn reverence of their students?" was held at BUIC. Students came with heated arguments and counter-arguments; that led to healthy discussion amongst students and teachers. The day culminated with the thank you notes to the teachers and this was the juncture when we saw our teachers getting all emotional and grateful at the same time.



Guest Speaker Session on “Supply Chain Management, Entrepreneurial Growth, Operations and Production Management”

On October 06, 2016 a guest Speaker session on “Supply Chain Management, Entrepreneurial Growth, Operations and Production Management” was organized by Ms Sabina Shirazi, at the Department of Management Sciences. Guest speakers for the sessions were Mr. Zubair Khan – Co-Founder & Owner of Khoka Khola, Mr. Ali Qasim – Bahria Alumni and the Business Manager for a service oriented brand “Naseer and Shahab”, Mr. Naseer Afridi – former Bahria alumni. Mr. Nausherwaan Khan- the co-founder of Baramda. Guests delivered their talks on the theme and had interactive discussion with students.

Workshop on “Leadership and Change Management”

A three day Workshop on “Leadership and Change Management” was organized by the CDA Training Academy at Jinnah Convention Centre Islamabad October 25 to 27, 2016. Faculty members and students of Management Sciences Department attended the workshop. The objective of the event was to bring forward the underlying concepts of change management and the role of leaders. The Students learned different exercises of change management, the successful implementation of change initiatives and the role of leaders.

Guest Speaker Session on “Ethical Practices in Business and importance of ethics in success”

A guest Speaker session on Ethical Practices in Business and importance of ethics in success was organized by Ms. Amna Fahim, Senior Lecturer at the Department of Management sciences on 24th October 2016. Syed Moazzam Ali, CEO Winning Solutions addressed the session and discussed the importance and significance of ethics in our daily lives. He also enlightened the role of ethics for running a successful business.

Guest Speaker Session on “Performance Management Models in the Development Sector”

On October 6, 2016 Mr. Kamil Khan, Volunteer Management Consultant at Rutgers Pakistan addressed a guest speaker session on “the Performance Management Models in the Development Sector.” The session focused on human performance improvement models, their conceptualization and implementation in the development sector. The session included a small talk, followed by a simulation and an assessment activity.

International Conference on “Innovation and Sustainability”

Dr. Qazi Subhan, faculty member in the Department of Management Sciences, attended an International Conference on Innovation and Sustainability organized by GLOBELICS, Alborg University, Denmark. The conference was held from 12-14 October, 2016 at Bandung, Indonesia. Dr. Qazi Subhan attended the conference as a presenter as well as chair of one session. The Conference objectives included knowing about the significance of innovation and its application in developing countries. The conference agenda included realizing the shortcomings in our infrastructure and methods to resolve the issues regarding the application of innovative strategies in multiple sectors of the economy.

"Paper Presented in International Conference on Emerging Issues in Management and Economics ICEIME 2016"

Balochistan University of IT, Engineering & Management Sciences Quetta, Baluchistan hosted a two-day National Conference on "Emerging Issues in Management & Economics (ICEIME 2016)" from 26th-27th October 2016. The conference aimed at providing opportunities for presenting latest research ideas, exchanging information, and discussing current issues with the experts. Ms. Sarina Zainab Shirazi, Faculty member at the Department of Management Sciences presented her paper on Education Management. The event also provided an Exposure to other issues and research endeavors being pursued by National & International researchers.

Guest Speaker Session on Information Technology in Business

Mr. Kamran Ahmed Consultant and CEO Oly.com addressed a guest speaker session on Information Technology in Business on 4th October 2016. The purpose of this talk was to enlighten students with role of IT in emerging trends of business. The guest speaker fairly addressed the queries of student and conveyed the procedures for making professional website for business ventures.

Induction of New Faculty

Department of Professional Psychology has inducted Ms. Uzma Q Khan as Senior Lecturer, Ms. Halima Sadia Lecturer and Ms. Shazia Yusuf Lecturer as new faculty members to strengthen it academic program.

Guest Speaker Session on Entrepreneurial Finance

Mr Fahem Ashraf ,CEO Zeus Solar Panels and Avalon Residencia, was invited by Ms. Amina Ihsan, Faculty member of department of Management Sciences on 27th October 2016 to deliver a talk on Entrepreneurial Finances. The speaker discussed the tax and interests rates associated with different business ventures. He explained the concept of small investments for all those who have a business ambition but laves the planning to execute it. Session was interactive enough to explore broader perspective on business ventures and financial management.

ARTICLE in The NEWS

Dr. Nadia Khadam, Senior Assistant Professor, Department of Law wrote an article titled "Seriousness towards cybercrime laws in Pakistan" in The News explaining the situation of cybercrime laws in Pakistan with special reference to struggle towards passage of Prevention of Electronic Crimes Act 2016.

Launch of BS Psychology

Department of Professional Psychology has successfully launched BS Psychology. This program will be aligned with BS Psychology offered by Institute of Professional Psychology at BUKC. It is a four years degree program and the department intends to take students once a year in Semester Fall.



Defense Day 6th September

On September 06, 2016 Defense Day of Pakistan was celebrated at Bahria University Karachi Campus. Director General (KC) Vice Admiral (Retd) Khawaja Ghazanfar Hussain HI (M), all the Directors, HoDs, BUOs, faculty members and large number of students attended the ceremony. President of BUKC Alumni Association, Mr. Khurram Schehzad graced the occasion with his presence. Speakers and audience paid tribute to Shuhda.e.Pakistan and reaffirmed their commitment to serve this beloved motherland. The ceremony was concluded with fatiha for Shuhada and prays for the

prosperity of Pakistan.

Bahria's Got Talent



Theater Play by students

On September 28, 2016 Student Support Centre – Bahria University Karachi Campus organized “Bahria's Got Talent-05”, a platform for students to showcase their talent. The event was graced with the presence of Director General (KC), Director (KC), HoDs and faculty members. A large number of students participated in various categories and the event went houseful.



Student performing at Bahria's Got Talent



Director BUKC with participants of Injaz Pakistan

Injaz Pakistan

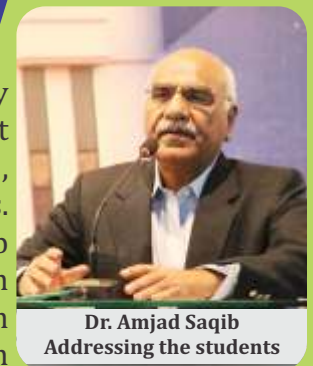
On October 03, 2016 Students of Software Engineering Department, BUKC participated in Community Support Program INJAZ PAKISTAN's National Level Competition and secured first and third position. The winners of the competitions will be representing BUKC and Pakistan in Middle East soon. Many Congratulations to the team.

CSP Orientation Program



MS. Hajra presenting memento to Mrs. Aliya Sarim

Student Support Centre, Bahria University Karachi Campus organized Community Support Program (CSP) Orientation Session on October 5, 2016 for students of undergraduate programs. Ms. Yasmin Abdul Rashid from AKUH, Dr. Amjad Saqib from Akhuwat Foundation, Dr. Shabneez Hussain from Fatmid Foundation and Mrs. Aliya Sarim from Sarim Burney Welfare Trust attended the session as the honorable speakers and briefed students



Dr. Amjad Saqib Addressing the students

about their organizations and opportunities for carrying out Community Support Program.

Blood Donation Drive



**FATIMID
FOUNDATION**

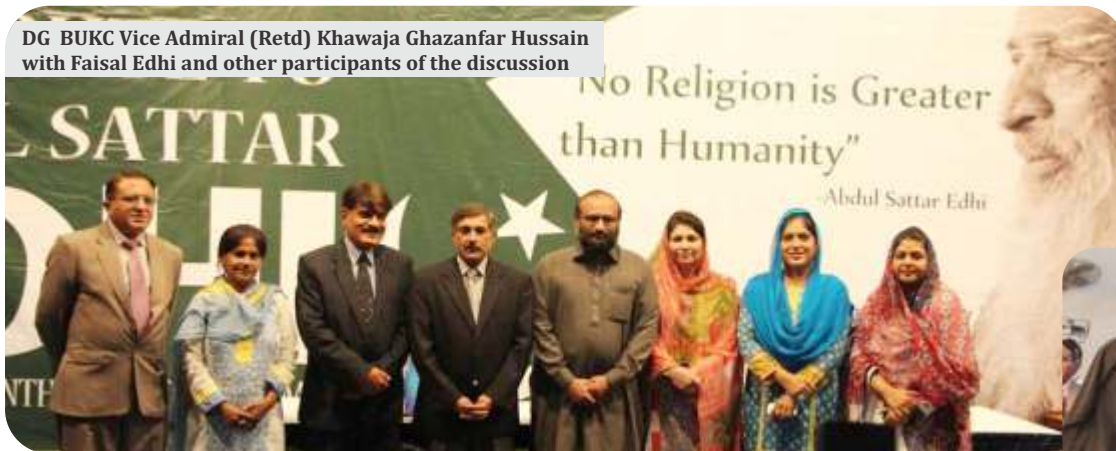
Symbol of Hope

On 19 October, 2016 Community Support Campaign was held by Fatimid Foundation at Bahria University Karachi Campus. The representatives from Fatimid Foundation educated students about blood components and benefits of being blood donor. A blood donation drive was also held where students donated blood for the noble cause.



Tribute to Abdul Sattar Edhi

DG BUKC Vice Admiral (Retd) Khawaja Ghazanfar Hussain with Faisal Edhi and other participants of the discussion



On October 25, 2016 Department of Media Studies, BUKC paid tribute to the humble humanitarian by organizing a panel discussion on "Remembering Abdul Sattar Edhi". Faisal Edhi, son of Abdul Sattar Edhi (Late), Sarim Burney, Mrs. Aliya Burney and Zia Awan graced the event with their presence. Ms. Ayesha, a student of Media Studies Department presented a painting of legendary Abdul Sattar Edhi (Late) to his son Mr. Faisal Edhi. Students presented a theatre performance to highlight the services of Edhi for millions in need.



Guest Lecture on "Digital Transformation Trends Changing the Communication Style"

On 21 October, 2016 Ms. Samina Hashmi from Department of Humanities & Natural Sciences organized a guest speaker session for students of BS Computer Science and BS Information Technology at Al-Beruni Auditorium BUKC. Mr. Mohammad Arif Kaleem Regional Technical Sales Manager IBM, UAE addressed the session on "Digital Transformation Trends Changing the Communication Style".



Mr. Arif Kaleem presenting his talk

CSP Visit to Red Crescent Punjab

On 5 September 2016, students of Bahria University Lahore Campus visited Red Crescent Punjab as part of the CSP initiative. Students were given an introduction of Red Crescent Punjab and its domain of services. Students also received hands on first aid training. Students spent time with Thalassaemia patients and donated blood to help them for facing the sufferings of this disease.



Red Crescent Punjab team with participants of the training

Visit to Special Education and Training Centre



BULC students with children at Special Education and Training Centre

On 8 September 2016, be part of Community Support BULC Community Support Club Programme. Students were very oraganized a visit of Special much pleased to interact with Education and Training Centre children and helped them in Johar Town Lahore. The visit of completing different tasks while this centre was to provide spending time with them. students with an opportunity to

Corporate Advisory Committee Meeting, Department of CS & IT

Department of Computer Science and IT conducted its Corporate Advisory Committee Meeting for Fall-2016 on 08 September 2016. Director Campus Cdre (Retd.) M Amjad SI (M) opened the session and addressed the esteemed guests. CAC Members from academia and corporate sector attended the meeting. Different Agenda points were discussed in CAC session including bridging industry academia



Director BULC with CAC members of CS & IT Department

gap and placement of students. Esteemed Corporate Advisory Committee Members presented their recommendations for strengthening cooperation. Participant praised BULC efforts for conducting such meetings. Mr. Farhan S Sherazi (HOD CS&IT) assured CAC members that his department will continue its program to bridge the gap for the development and prosperity of our country.

Corporate Advisory Committee Meeting, Department of Management Sciences

Department of Management Sciences conducted second Corporate Advisory Committee (CAC) meeting on 08 September 2016. Faculty members of Management Sciences (MS) Department and representatives from corporate sector attended the meeting. Mr. Salman Altaf, PO SRC briefed the house about the progress on decisions and recommendations



CAC meeting at Management Sciences Department

of the first meeting. A number of new agenda points were discussed and deliberated upon by the participants. Dr. Mumtaz Ahmed, Director Punjab Economic Research Institute, appreciated the efforts of CAC to bridge the gap between academia and industry. Dr. Rizwana Bashir, HOD (MS), thanked everyone for sparing time for this meeting.

New Students Orientation at BULC – Fall 2016

An orientation session for new students of Fall 2016 semester was held in multi-purpose hall at Bahria University Lahore Campus on 19 September 2016. The event commenced with the recitation of The Holy Quran. Director Lahore Campus welcomed the new students and apprised them about salient policy aspects for students during course of pursuing studies at Bahria University Lahore Campus. He also talked about different facilities that students can benefit from during their stay at Bahria University Lahore Campus. Later, students were given an on campus tour, so that they could get themselves known to unknown specialities of BULC.



Director BULC addressing the orientation session

Welcome Party Fall 2016



On 29 September 2016, senior students of Bahria University Lahore Campus gave a Welcome Party to the new students enrolled in Fall 2016 semester. The proceeding commenced with recitation followed by that Students paid tribute to Late Abdul Sattar Edhi for his services to humanity. There were different performances prepared by the members of Student Resource Center including a theatrical play and different music performances by students. Director Lahore Campus distributed certificates among the Presidents of Student Resource Center who had successfully completed their respective tenure. The newcomers were very much pleased for warm welcome at BULC and they enjoyed the activities for the party.

IEEE Day - Gaming Competition at BULC

To celebrate IEEE day, IEEE Student Branch BULC organized its 2nd Gaming Competition on 4 October 2016. Competitions were held for three games: FIFA 16, Counter Strike and Need For Speed. Students as well as faculty enthusiastically participated in this event. The event was broadcasted live on Facebook via Facebook Live. Overall, the event was well organized and well managed by the student body and Mr. Taimoor Amer, Senior Lecturer.



Students during Gaming Competition

Corporate Advisory Committee Dinner



CACs' members with Rector Bahria University

A Corporate Advisory Committee (CAC) dinner was held on 17th October 2016 by Bahria University Lahore Campus (BULC) at Dumpukht, Pearl Continental Hotel Lahore. Honourable Rector BU, Vice Admiral (Retd) Tanveer Faiz HI (M) hosted the dinner and was attended by members of CACs of BULC. The objective of this dinner was to provide a platform for the members coming from the relevant industries or business/service organizations for the promotion of University-Industry Linkages in the best mutual interest.

Rector BU's Visit to BULC



Rector BU inaugurating IEEE Department at Lahore Campus and presenting award to Dr. Rizwana Bashir

Honourable Rector BU, Vice Admiral (Retd) Tanveer Faiz HI (M) visited Bahria University Lahore Campus on 18th October 2016. During the visit he inaugurated Institute of Electrical and

Electronic Engineering student branch at BULC. Rector BU visited around the campus and interacted with the faculty members. He shared his vision and gave guidelines on various aspects to improve standard of education and research. Later, in a prize distribution ceremony, Honourable Rector awarded the prize for best faculty researcher to Dr. Rizwana Bashir HOD Management Sciences and distributed certificates of appreciation among the students appeared in Rector's Honour List for last three consecutive semesters.

BULC Bake Sale 2016

Students of Bahria University Lahore Campus organized a Bake Sale 2016 on 28 October 2016. Students set their own food stalls in Multi-purpose Hall where they sold different food items which they had prepared themselves. The event was coordinated by Mr.

Hamza Khan and Ms. Ayesha Manzar of BBA III. HOD Management Sciences, Dr. Rizwana Bashir graced the event as chief guest. Faculty members of BULC visited all the stalls and appreciated the efforts of the students for organizing a successful show.



Students at Bake Sale 2016

Seminar on Critical Thinking

LDC, Bahria University Lahore Campus arranged a guest lecture by Mr. Muddassar Aqil, CEO, FINCA Micro Finance Bank. The session was arranged in collaboration with Career Pak under Talk World Program. Session was highly interactive



Mr. Muddassar Aqil presenting his talk

and BULC students actively participated in it. Guest Speaker emphasized on importance of being a critical thinker and its importance in career. He also appreciated BU's efforts to minimize the gap between industry and academia.

HashTag Radio Pakistan

One of the students of Bahria University Lahore Campus, Muhammad Johar Raza of BSCS-5, has developed a forum with the name "HashTag Radio Pakistan", and launched in the month of October 2016. Objective to develop this forum, with this simple idea, is to bring up different issues for discussion, enlighten and appreciate the positives of our society. HashTag Radio is based on discussion sessions on Friday and Saturday night every week using Facebook live feature. So far he has conducted a number of shows including two shows on community support.



Farewell Ceremony For Outgoing Principal / Dean Brig (Retd) Prof. Dr. Shaheen Moin



DG BUM & DC Presenting Souvenir to outgoing Principal

A farewell ceremony was held at BUM & DC in honor of outgoing Principal/ Dean Brig (Retd) Prof. Dr. Shaheen Moin. Director General BUM & DC Vice Admiral (Retd) Tahseen ullah Khan HI (M) graced the ceremony with his presence. The ceremony was attended by Principal/ Dean Medical Section Prof. Dr Asadullah Khan, commandant PNS SHIFA Surg Cdre Malik Waqar Ahmed Awan TI(M), HODS and faculty members of BUMDC and PNS SHIFA. DG and faculty members eulogized the services of Dr. Shaheen for BUM & DC. At the end of ceremony DG BUM& DC presented a farewell souvenir to outgoing principal.

Appointment of New Dean /Principal (MEDICAL SECTION)

Prof. Dr. Asadullah Khan is appointed as the Dean/ Principal of Medical Section at BUM & DC. He is MBBS from Dow Medical College, MCPS (Surgery), FCPS (Surgery) from CPSP, FCPS (Bangladesh), FRCS (Glasgow). He has 67 publications on his credit in various national and international. He has a vast professional experience of in Surgery and he has served in JPMC, CPSP and PM & DC at different positions. He has served this institution at different administrative and teaching positions since 2010. He has participated in various national and international workshops and seminars.



Dr. Asadullah Khan

Appointment of New Vice Principal (MEDICAL SECTION)



Dr. Ambreen Usmani

Prof Dr Ambreen Usmani has been appointed as the Vice Principal of the Medical Section (BUMDC). She has MBBS, MPhil (Anatomy), MCPS (HPE), PGD (Bioethics), and is Ph.D fellow. She has 28 national and international publications on her credit. She has been associated with BUMDC for last eight years. She is also associated with College of Physicians and Surgeons Pakistan as honorary Program Director MCPS (HPE).

Appointment of New Vice Principal (Dental Section)

Dr Kulsoom Fatima Rizvi has been appointed as Vice Principal Dental Section, BUMDC. She is associated with teaching and research in Dentistry for the past 10 years. She has BSc, BDS, MSc (UK) and DDPH (UK). She is the pioneer faculty member of BUM & DC and head of the Department of Community & Preventive Dentistry. She has 12 national and international publications to her credit coupled with this she has authored a book titled "Oral Cancer Screening." She is Head of Dental Public Health research group and obtained "Best Researcher Award 2015" by ORIC. As Head of Community Support Program she conducts oral health promotion sessions in schools, orphanage, old homes and under privileged areas.



Dr. Kulsoom Fatima Rizvi

Awareness Session On Tobacco Smoking

The Community Support Program team from Dental Section of BUM & DC organized a lecture for students of Coast Guard's Public College. Dr. Kulsoom presented a talk on different modes of tobacco smoking and its adverse effects. Students actively participated by sharing their opinion on the subject and practical tips were discussed for quitting smoking. The lecture was well designed and appreciated by Faculty of Coast Guard's Public School.

Sports Week Prize Distribution Ceremony 2016

Prize distribution ceremony was organized at BUMDC for winners of competitions held during sports week 2016. Director General BUM & DC Vice Admiral (Retd) Tahseen Ullah Khan HI (M) along and Principal/Dean MEDICAL SECTION BRIG (Retd) Prof. Shaheen Moin graced the ceremony with their presence. DG (BUM & DC) awarded trophies and prizes to the winners. At the concluding remarks of ceremony importance of extracurricular activities for grooming of future professionals was highlighted. Dr. Naveed Faraz, Incharge Sports activities at BUMDC, thanked the participants for their participation to make the event a successful show.



DG BUM & DC presenting shield to winner

Inauguration Of Multidisciplinary Research Laboratory



Rector Bahria University inaugurating Research Lab at BUM & DC

The Honorable Rector BU, Vice Admiral (Retd) Tanveer Faiz HI (M) inaugurated the Multi-Disciplinary Research Laboratory (MDRL) at BUM & DC. The event was attended by the Director Health Sciences, Director General BUMDC, Principal BUMDC and all heads Of Departments. The Honorable Rector visited all the units of lab and appreciated the efforts of Dr. Mehreen Lateef for establishment of MDRL at campus.

Workshop On Primary Trauma Care

Department of Surgery BUM & DC arranged a workshop on Primary Trauma Care. The workshop was addressed by Chairman PTC Prof. Dr. Saeed Minhas and objective was to provide basic knowledge and skills necessary to identify and treat those traumatized patients who require rapid assessment, resuscitation and stabilization of their injuries. The focus of workshop was to train future doctors for early recognition and timely intervention in specific life-threatening conditions. It provided a very basic foundation on which doctors and health workers can build the necessary knowledge and skills for trauma management. The workshop was attended by a large number of medical students and faculty members of BUM & DC.



Resource Person briefing students on Trauma Care

Documentary Competition and Guest Lectures



DG BUM & DC, Faculty Members and Participants of the competition



Awards and Certificates distribution Ceremony

On 28th September 2016, the department of Community Dentistry, BUM & DC organized a Documentary Competition for students. Five documentaries on the theme "Perceptions and Attitudes towards Oral Health" were presented by the students of second year BDS. Dr. Shama and Dr. Asher Afaq judged documentaries presented and chose the one on "Impact of gutka on oral health" as the winner while the documentary on "Quackery- blessing or curse?" was selected as runner up. Furthermore guest speakers Prof. Zainab Zadeh (Director International Professional Psychology) and Prof. Ambreen Usmani H.O.D of Anatomy and Director Medical Educations delivered lectures on the topics of "Psychological Dental aid and Hygiene" and "Bioethics in Dentistry" respectively. DG Vice Admiral (R)

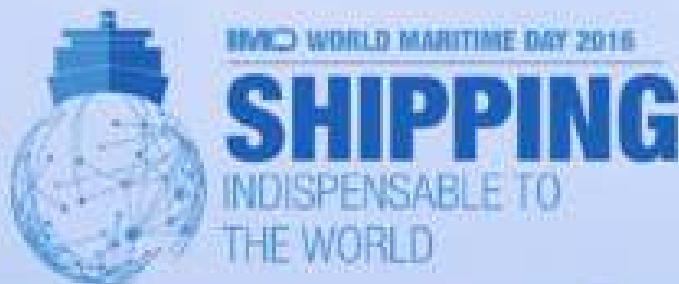
Tehseen Ullah Khan HI(M) and Principal Brig. Retd. Prof. Shaheen Moin gave away certificates and souvenirs to winners and guest speakers. The program concluded with appreciation by DG BUM & DC and a vote of thanks by Dr. Kulsoom Fatima Rizvi.

Guest Lecture on “The China-Pakistan Axis: Asia's New Geopolitics”



Andrew Small Presenting his talk

NCMPR in collaboration with HQ COMPAK organized a guest lecture on “The China-Pakistan Axis: Asia's New Geopolitics”. Mr. Andrew Small Asia Expert at the German Marshall Fund of United States delivered a talk on the theme. The lecture was attended by large number of Naval Officials, faculty members and staff. Pakistan Fleet Vice Admiral Arifullah Hussaini HI (M) greeted the audience through his welcome address. The lecture was followed by a lively discussion and question answer session. At the of the session Vice Admiral (Retd) Asaf Humayun HI(M) presented souvenir to Mr. Small.



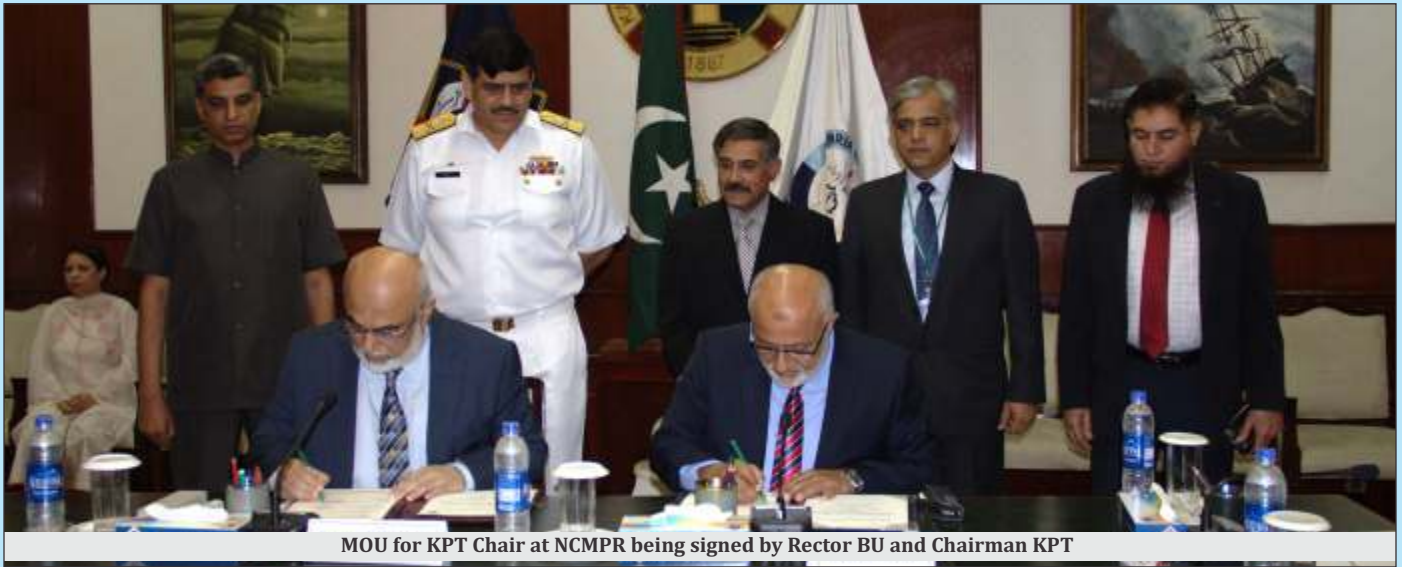
World Maritime Day 2016

National Centre for Maritime Policy Research (NCMPR) Celebrated the World Maritime Day 2016 on September 29, 2016 with the theme “Shipping: Indispensable to the World”. This year's theme was aimed to highlight the importance of shipping and its influence on our daily life. Honorable Chairman Karachi Port Trust Vice Admiral (Retd) Shafqat Javed HI (M) graced the occasion as the Chief Guest. Representatives from Pakistan National Shipping Company and Karachi Shipyard & Engineering Works presented their talk to account prevailing condition of Pakistan's shipping industry and prospects for its role in trading activities. At the end of the proceedings DG NCMPR Vice Admiral (Retd) Khawaja Ghazanfar Hussain HI (M) presented souvenir to the Chief Guest.



DG NCMPR presenting souvenir to the Chief Guest

MOU for KPT Chair at NCMPR, Bahria University



MOU for KPT Chair at NCMPR being signed by Rector BU and Chairman KPT

On 27 October, 2016 Bahria University and Karachi Port Trust signed a Memorandum of Understanding for establishing a KPT chair at National Centre for Maritime Policy Research (NCMPR). Honorable Rector Bahria University Vice Admiral (Retd) Tanveer Faiz HI(M) and Chairman KPT Vice Admiral (Retd) Shafqat Javed HI (M) set their hands on the agreement for formally initiating relationship between NCMPR BU and KPT. Purpose of this chair is to enhance cooperation and interaction to bridge the prevailing gap between academia and the maritime industry of Pakistan. The chair is to train professionals from maritime industry through national/ international workshops and conferences at NCMPR and KPT Staff College.

MOU between NCMPR and FDB



MOU Signing ceremony at NCMPR

National Centre for Maritime Policy Research (NCMPR) and Fisheries Development Board has concluded a memorandum of understanding on 29 September, 2016. This MOU is aimed to increase cooperation, and sharing expertise for the promotion of sustainable aquaculture in Pakistan. MOU would cover objectives listed below;

- Establishment of "Aquatic Diagnostic Lab" at NCMPR
- Disease Diagnosis (Aquatic organism)
- Testing and Consultancy
- Chemical, Microbiological and Biological Analysis (Air, Water, Soil & Aquatic organism)
- Certify seafood as per buyers requirements

Mental Health Camp



Institute of Professional Psychology, Bahria University Karachi Campus participated in the Mental Health Camp organized by Department of Psychiatry Dr. Zaiuddin Hospital and Pakistan Institute of Living and Learning (PILL) on October 14th, 2016. Dr. Nasim Chaudhry, Consultant Psychiatrist, Director, PILL and Dr. Imran B Chaudhry, Chairman, Department of Psychiatry, Dr. Zaiuddin Hospital explained the importance mental health for healthy life. Reasons of neglecting mental health and remedies for patients with mental health problems were thoroughly explored. The camp included different personality assessments like 16 PF, HFD, and medical tests were conducted free of cost. Representatives from different departments attended the camp and actively participated in the activities.



Mental Health Camp at Darul Sukun



Ms. Naima With a Senior Citizen

The Summer Internees at The Institute of Professional Psychology, under the supervision of Ms. Naima Fatima Shariff, organized a mental health camp for the senior citizens at Darul Sukun. The camp made use of Art therapy and positive psychology interventions to help the residents deal with their psychological traumas and motivated them to lead more fulfilling lives. The event was divided into various activities each providing better coping strategies for the residents.



Students of IPP at Darul Sukoon Visit

Dignity in Mental Health and Mental health First Aid for All

On the 14th of October 2016, Miss Zainab Siddiqui and Miss Bushra Tauseef faculty members IPP, attended the proceedings of World Mental Health Day 2016, organized by Dr. AQ Khan Centre, Institute of Behavioral Sciences. The theme of the event was Dignity in Mental Health and Mental health First Aid for All. Dr. Fazeela Mughal, from the Institute of Clinical Psychology was a Guest Speaker at the session and delivered a talk on Causes of Psychological Issues and Its Prevention.

Course on utilizing Expressive Arts and Psychodrama in Psychotherapy

Ms. Naima Fatima Shariff, Lecturer, Institute of Professional Psychology completed an extensive course on Utilizing Expressive Arts and Psychodrama in Psychotherapy in Lahore from Mr. Asim Amjad, founder Art Therapy and Mental Health Association. The course included aspects of utilizing painting, sketching, script writing and performing to help patients in dealing with their psychological problems.

Mental Health First Aid

The Institute of Professional Psychology, Bahria University, Karachi Campus arranged a two day course of Mental Health First Aid. It was conducted on October 4th and 5th 2016 by Dr. Adeel Baig, Psychiatrist and Lead Trainer, Mashal, Aman Foundation. The resource person discussed the barriers to help-seeking and disability of mental illness briefly. The treatment options were briefed by the facilitator that can help the people with mental illness which includes rehabs, support groups, family. A Mental Health First Aid Action Plan was explained and issues like suicide were discussed too. The second day focused on the commonly seen disorders like Depression, Anxiety, Psychosis, Schizophrenia and Drug Abuse. The facilitator showed different videos and discussed different cases.

Prof. Dr. Zainab F. Zadeh appointed as Dean

Prof. Dr. Zainab F. Zadeh has been appointed as Dean Professional Psychology. She has a distinguished professional career in psychology and has held various key positions at Bahria University which has provided her tremendous exposure in counseling, psychotherapy, teaching, management and training. She has been a part of various esteemed organizations providing psychological services to the community. She is determined to make mental health facilities and education accessible to all. We extend our best wishes to her on this achievement.

Guest Speaker Session

Guest speaker session was organized by M.Phil-2 Students on Mind & Metal: A form of sound therapy. The lecture was addressed by Faisal Akram Gill. Mr. Faisal teaches a course on sound and hearing at Ziauddin College of speech, Language and Hearing Sciences.. At present, Faisal Gill is exploring deeper into the field of psychoacoustics, and is interested to determine how sound effects the human psyche and healing process. He is also affiliated with children's academy of performing arts.

Annual Book Fair Organized by Karachi Campus Library

Library-Bahria University Karachi Campus organized 7th Book Fair 2016, dedicated to Mr. Abdul Sattar Edhi. The book fair was inaugurated by honorable Rector BU, Vice Admiral (R) Tanveer Faiz HI (M). Honorable Rector, along with DG (KC), Director and HODs visited the stalls of various booksellers and examined their collection. The 02-day book fair was intended to provide students a large variety of books from different genre.



Rector BU inaugurating Book Fair at BUKC



Rector BU and DG BUKC visiting stalls at Book Fair

Annual Book Fair 2016 at Bahria University

In order to promote the culture of reading and research, Bahria University organized "5th Annual Book Fair" from 18 to 20 October, 2016 at Islamabad campus. Honorable Pro Rector of Bahria University, Rear Admiral (Retd) Shahid Saeed HI (M) inaugurated the event. The event was one of the biggest book fairs ever organized by the university with around 18 renowned book sellers/ vendors and publishers who had setup their stalls. The Book Fair covered a large variety of books including all major disciplines like Social Sciences, Media Studies, Computer Sciences, Management Sciences, Human Resources and Development Studies and received overwhelming response from the faculty, staff and students. All Directors and HODs of Bahria University were also present on the occasion. A large number of students and faculty members also took keen interest in the book fair.



Pro Rector BU inaugurating Book Fair at BUIC

Training on use of Library & Digital Resources

Cornelius Law Library conducted a training session for LL.M. students on e-library usage. Library In-Charge organized awareness session for the student of LLM with HOD Law on 18th October 2016. During this session Law library In-Charge updated the students about the use of various database sources provided by HEC such as Jstor, Taylor & Francis, Emerald and ebrary etc. and other law resources such as Pakistan law site.



Qarz-e-Hasna Scheme, 2016

Qarz-e-Hasna Scheme has been introduced at Bahria University from Fall-2016 with an objective to financially support students belonging to less privileged class of society. Under this scheme the BU will bear the educational expenses of the students on "Need cum Merit" basis in order to enable them to complete their Higher Education. The overall objective to introduce Qarz-e-Hasna at BU is to uplift the socio economic condition of society by supporting deserving students and to inculcate in our youth to pay back the community once they get financially stable.

An eligibility criterion for Qarz-e-Hasna Scheme is as follows:

- Qarz-e-Hasna will be offered to those who secured admission on merit in any academic program at Bahria University (except Medical & Dental) but with financial constraints to carry higher studies.
- For new intake, results of their Matric, FA/FSc and equivalent shall be considered for award of Qarz-e-Hasna.
- Student enrolled in second semester shall be eligible to apply if he/she has a minimum 2.75 GPA/CGPA in the preceding semester. If the student fails to maintain at the required grades/CGPA, awarded Qarz-e-Hasna shall be withheld till the time required results are attained.
- At a time, students can avail only one option either scholarship or fee concession or Qarz-e-Hasna from University or external sources. If a candidate is eligible for more than one financial scheme, then he/she may opt for any one as per his/her own discretion.
- The repayment schedule must be so structured as to allow full loan repayment once the students are graduated and financially stable. The maximum repayment period must not exceed 05 years for UG Program and 03 years for PG Programs after completion of their respective program of study.

Summary for HEC Need Based Scholarship Fall 2016 (Existing Awardees)			
S.No.	Campus	Total No. of Awardee Students	Total Amount (Rs)
1	Islamabad	25	2,083,960
2	Karachi	10	798,993
3	Lahore	7	612,300
GRAND TOTAL		42	3,495,253

Summary for Merit Scholarship Fall 2016 based on Result of Spring 2016			
S.No.	Campus	Total No. of Students awarded Merit Scholarship	Total Amount (Rs)
1	Islamabad	114	3,685,422
2	Karachi	68	2,170,870
3	IPP	13	473,906
4	Lahore	13	433,569
GRAND TOTAL		208	6,763,767

Summary for Financial Assistance Scholarship Fall-2016 Existing			
S.No.	Campus	Total No. of Students	Total Amount (Rs)
1	Islamabad (FAS)	125	2,672,723
2	Karachi (FAS)	110	2,278,424
3	IPP (FAS)	18	378,343
4	Lahore (FAS)	25	633,974
Total	-	278	5,963,464

Summary for Indigent Scholarship Fall 2016- Existing			
S.No.	Campus	Total No. of Students	Total Amount
1	Islamabad (Indigent)	4	97,785
2	Karachi (Indigent)	7	182,769
3	IPP (Indigent)	2	57,602
4	Lahore (Indigent)	1	39,330
Total	-	14	377,486

GRAND TOTAL (FAS + Indigent)		292	6,340,950
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