

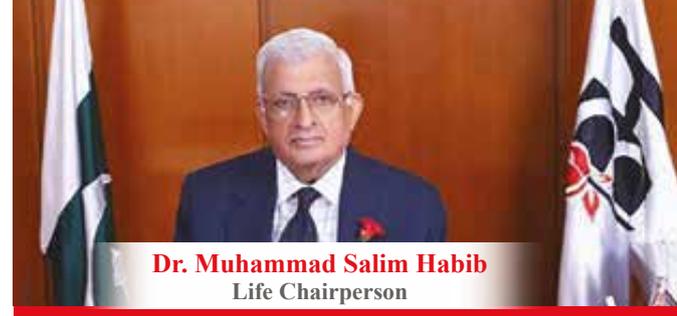
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ABOUT US

The Salim Habib Education Foundation (TSHEF) is one of the largest not-for-profit educational organizations in Pakistan. It aims to educate the youth of the nation with the goal of developing creative thinkers and problem solvers who are an asset to society and a light to illuminate the darkest corners of our country.

TSHEF, founded by Dr. Muhammad Salim Habib (Life Chairperson, Salim Habib University), and Dr. Iram Afaq (Chief Executive Officer and Founding Member, TSHEF, Chief Executive Officer and Deputy Chairman, Barrett Hodgson Pakistan, and Chancellor, Salim Habib University), wishes to provide educational facilities that are at par with those of the most distinguished institutions around the world, so that Pakistanis who wish to go abroad for studies but cannot do so are able to receive international-standard education right here in their home country.



Through the undying determination and sheer willpower of the dynamic team that is Dr. Muhammad Salim Habib and Dr. Iram Afaq, TSHEF has been successfully achieving milestones and has two large-scale educational projects in Pakistan – Salim Habib University in Karachi and the Salim Habib Education Complex in Toba Tek Singh.

Salim Habib University (SHU) is a not-for-profit institution of higher learning which is committed to providing quality university education to the Pakistani youth, no matter what their financial constraints. Located at Korangi Creek, Karachi, the University boasts international-standard infrastructure and offers competitive programs with innovative curricula. SHU ensures that its graduates emerge as well-rounded, competent individuals who harbour the passion to engage in continual learning and have the ability to lead future generations to prosperity.



Prof. Dr. M. Shakeel Ahmed Khan has been a part of academia for over forty years and is an inspiration to hundreds of young scientists, researchers, academicians, and students. He believes that if you are committed to the pursuit of excellence, SHU could be the best place to achieve your higher educational goals.

Prof. Dr. Shakeel Ahmed Khan
Vice Chancellor



Prof. Dr. Kaleem Raza Khan has a rich academic background with decades of experience serving leading universities in executive positions. He heads the Registrar Office, which is the backbone of Salim Habib University, as Registrar.

Prof. Dr. Kaleem Raza Khan
Registrar



Mr. Muhammad Abbas has diversified experience of thirty-five years in a range of sectors and has been associated with TSHEF since 2007. He is a member of the Board of Governors of Salim Habib University and a Director on the Board of Barrett Hodgson Pakistan (BHP).

Muhammad Abbas
Chief Operating Officer, The Salim Habib Education Foundation (TSHEF) & Director Finance, Salim Habib University

Now that you have met the leadership that inspires us to achieve greatness and set our goals and our sights farther than the sky, read on to find out more about everything of weight that happened at Salim Habib University in the last quarter of 2022, and highlights of all that we accomplished.



COMMUNITY CONNECT SUMMIT

Community Connect Summit, a social welfare conference organized by the Salim Habib University CSR Society *Pukaar* was held on Thursday, November 17, 2022.

The conference brought together renowned figures from multiple leading social welfare organizations and corporations, and was attended by representatives from over a hundred non-governmental organizations (NGOs). Keynote addresses were given by Mr. Syed Zafar Abbas Jafri, General Secretary, Jaffriya Disaster Management Cell (JDC Welfare Organization), and Dr. Farhan Essa Abdullah, Chairman, OPEN Karachi, and CEO and MD of Dr. Essa's Laboratory and Diagnostic Center.

The event featured a Panel Discussion on the *Crucial Role of the Development Sector in Pakistan*, the panelists for which were Mr. Faisal Edhi (TI), son of late Mr. Abdul Sattar Edhi and Chairman of Edhi Foundation, Mr. M. Rizwan Jaffar, Founder, Youth Parliament Pakistan, Ms. Sabina Khatri (Sitara-e-Imtiaz Holder), Founder and Chairperson, Kiran Foundation, Mr. Rehan Yaseen, Director, Alamgir Welfare Trust International, Mr. Saleem Ibrahim, Director, Society for International Education (SIE), and Dr. Muhammad Hussain Habib, Director Education & Admissions, Marketing, HR & Administration, Salim Habib University, who represented The Salim Habib Education Foundation (TSHEF).

The panel discussion was moderated by Mr. Kumail Raza, Executive Outreach & PR, Salim Habib University, and Executive Council Member, *Pukaar*.

The conference concluded with a powerful and touching Oath-Taking Ceremony in which *Pukaar* Office-Bearers pledged to dedicate their lives to the service of humanity.

CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

The Department of Biomedical Engineering, Faculty of Engineering, Salim Habib University, has been holding regular Continuing Professional Development (CPD) sessions. These sessions, targeted towards engineers, Computer Science professionals, Management Sciences professionals, Biosciences professionals, and pharmacists, as well as aspiring professionals and students of all of these fields, focus on the enhancement of their competence and ability to apply theoretical knowledge to practical situations and to thus come up with innovative solutions to real-life problems while adhering to professional ethics and acquiring a broader understanding of their obligation to society.

These CPD sessions included a workshop on *Robotics in Healthcare Applications* by Engr. Dr. Munsif Ali Jatoi, Associate Professor, Department of Biomedical Engineering, Salim Habib University, a seminar on *Achieving Course Learning Outcomes* by Prof. Dr. Tariq Rahim Soomro, Acting Rector, Institute of Business Management, Karachi, and a session on *The Paradigm Shift for Knowledge Acquisition from Conventional to Simulation-Based Education*, conducted by Dr. Perwez Hashmi.

CULTIVATING HUMAN CAPITAL

The Salim Habib Centre of Learning and Teaching (CLT) aims to equip faculty, students, and staff with the best practices prevalent in academic and professional circles through regular interaction with prominent members of industry and academia in order to cultivate quality human capital. The Centre is meant to foster academic excellence and develop opportunities through scholarly interaction and the promotion of a culture of collaboration between the University and national as well as international academia. For this purpose, it regularly organizes guest speaker sessions, seminars and conferences, ranging from departmental assemblies to university-wide events.

Multiple CLT sessions were held in the last few months of the year 2022, including a session on *Effective Communication Skills for Success* by Prof. Dr. Kaleem Raza Khan, Registrar, Salim Habib University, a session on *Stock Exchange: Functions Trading & Settlement* by Mr. Shahid Ali Khan, Director, Fortune Securities Ltd, and hands-on training sessions on *RNA Interference* by Dr. Kanwal Abbasi, Senior Scientific Officer, PCSIR, Karachi, *The Basic Concept of Buffers and pH* by Dr. Munawer Rasheed, Associate Professor (TTS), Center of Excellence in Marine Biology (CEMB), University of Karachi, and *Homology Modelling and Drug Designing* by Dr. Syed Muhammad Iqbal Azimuddin.



ACADEMIA-INDUSTRY CONNECT

Our Career Placement and Industrial Liaison Office runs an Academia-Industry Connect program, under which it arranges study tours, industry visits, mentoring sessions, and recruitment drives in order to provide students and graduates with experiential learning and a platform to interact with the corporate sector via industry professionals and renowned trainers for the purpose of professionally grooming them, developing their skillsets, and ultimately enhancing their employability.

In recent months, the Office organized:

- a Study Tour to Feroze 1888 Mills Limited that included a Mentorship Session
- a Recruitment Drive conducted by Curve Digital Solutions

A Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) has been signed between Salim Habib University (SHU) and Pakistan Society for Training and Development (PSTD) to bring about both the professional and academic development of SHU students.



CONNEX - HR CONFERENCE & EXHIBITION

Salim Habib University was a Support Sponsor at CONNEX – an HR Conference & Exhibition organized by the Pakistan Society for Training and Development that was held at Pearl Continental Karachi on November 17, 2022, and was attended by multiple leading corporations and MNCs. The conference was a great platform for Human Resources (HR) experts and enthusiasts to learn about the current issues and latest developments in the HR world.

STUDENT DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (SDP)

Students from Salim Habib University were selected to participate in the Student Development Program (SDP) 2022 held by the Pakistan Society for Training and Development from October to November 2022, and succeeded in securing the highest number of seats in it.

The month-long program, carefully designed for student development with special focus on upscaling soft skills, IT skills and digital skills, with sessions by industry experts and mentors from Tier-1 MNCs and participants from fifteen universities, aimed to develop and groom future leaders.

BACKPACK TO BRIEFCASE: ALUMNI SUCCESS STORY

In this edition of *SHU World's Backpack to Briefcase: Alumni Success Stories*, the Career Placement & Industrial Liaison Office proudly features Areej Jamil, an Accounting & Finance Graduate of the Class of 2022, who is now an Associate Relationship Manager at Faysal Bank.



VISIT TO JAPAN INFORMATION CULTURE CENTER

Students from Salim Habib University visited the Japan Information Culture Center on Wednesday, December 7, 2022, on a trip arranged by the Career Placement &

Industrial Liaison Office SHU, for a screening of the Japanese movie *Mentai Piriri*, on invitation from the Consulate General of Japan in Karachi. They enjoyed the movie greatly, and we thank the Consulate General for this opportunity of immersion into the beautiful Japanese culture.

STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS



Biomedical Engineering students Adam Rafiq Jeraj, Mudasir Rafiq, and Mahnoor Maqsood won Second Place at the IEEE Region 10 (Asia-Pacific) Robotics Competition for their project **Hand-e-ssist**



Computer Science students presented their projects at IEEE Student Conference on Engineering Science and Technology (SCONEST) 2022 held at Sukkur IBA University

Pharmacy and Biomedical Engineering students won funding for their projects at 7th All-Pakistan DUHS-DICE Health Innovation Exhibition held at the DOW University of Health Sciences



Amna Jawed Shaikh, 4th Semester student of Biomedical Engineering, won Best Paper Award and Medal at 1st International Biomedical and Digital Health Conference, NED, for her paper *Optimization of Conductive Ink Materials for Designing Cost-Effective Force Sensitive Resistor (FSR) Sensors for Soft Robotics*





MEET THE EXPERTS

PAKISTAN: AN ASIAN TIGER OR A BANKRUPT STATE

Meet the Experts: A Panel Discussion on *Pakistan – An Asian Tiger or a Bankrupt State*, a grand event that featured prominent figures from the Pakistani political and economic scenario, was organized by Salim Habib University's Department of Business Administration, Faculty of Management Sciences, and held on Thursday, December 15, 2022.

The Panel Discussion highlighted the political and economic issues Pakistan is currently facing, and included animated and intense debates and discussions on how the country can overcome its problems and what hurdles stand in its way.

Commissioner Karachi, Mr. Muhammad Iqbal Memon honoured us by kindly consenting to be the Chief Guest of the event. Engr. Hafiz Naeem Ur Rehman, Politician and President *Jamaat-e-Islami*, Karachi, was the Keynote Speaker. Both gave addresses that enraptured the audience.



The Panel Discussion which formed the backbone of the event was moderated by Mr. Imran Sultan, Senior Anchorperson, AAJ TV, and was brought to life through the expertise of Mr. Muzammil Aslam, Senior Economist & Former Spokesperson of the Finance Minister of the Government of Pakistan, Mr. Sheikh Imtiaz Hussain, Managing Director, Imtiaz Enterprises, Air Marshal Riaz Uddin Shaikh (Rtd), Chairman Human Resource Development & Technical Training, Government of Sindh, and Veteran of the Wars of 1965, 1971 & 1973, who has served PAF for 35 years, Mr. Shabbar Zaidi, Former Senior Partner, A F Ferguson & Co and Former Chairman, Federal Board of Revenue, Mr. Majyd Aziz Balagamwala,

business tycoon and industrialist, President, MHG Group of Companies and President, UN Global Compact Network Pakistan, Mr. Ahmed Chinoy, Board Member, Pakistan Stock Exchange Ltd and Managing Partner, Arch Sons Group of Companies, Prof. Dr. Samina Khalil, Development Economist, Research Professor, and Member, Economic Advisory Council of the Prime Minister of Pakistan, and Ms. Maheen Salman, Vice President, Korangi Association of Trade & Industry (KATI). Mr. Faraz ur Rehman, President KATI, and Founder & Patron-in-Chief, Pakistan Business Group Organization, gave the closing remarks.



INAUGURATION CEREMONY OF IEEE SHU STUDENT BRANCH

The Department of Biomedical Engineering held the Inauguration Ceremony of the IEEE (Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers) Student Branch, Salim Habib University, on Thursday, December 22, 2022. A Ribbon-Cutting Ceremony was held to formally signify the inauguration.



COLLEGE CAREER FAIRS

Salim Habib University regularly visits and participates in educational exhibitions and college and university fairs of renowned schools and colleges in Karachi and outside the city. We were one of the leading universities that participated in The City School's College Fair 2022, EDU-CLAN 2022, an Educational Expo held at the University of Modern Sciences, Indus Medical College, Tando Adam Khan, the Open Day held at Aga Khan Higher Secondary School, Hyderabad, and the Career Symposium organized by Habib Public School, Karachi.



SHUMUN'22

The first-ever edition of Salim Habib University's Model United Nations (SHUMUN'22), a simulation of the actual United Nations, was a three-day conference held from November 25 to 27, 2022.

The conference had participating delegations from multiple leading schools, colleges, and universities in Karachi, and provided these motivated young leaders with an amazing platform to indulge in intellectual discourse, showcase their potential to work towards attaining global peace using their analytical, negotiation, and leadership skills, discuss pressing global issues in a productive manner, and learn the art of diplomacy.



ENTREPRENEURSHIP SHOWCASE 1.0

Entrepreneurship Showcase 1.0, an exhibition of business ideas organized by NexGen LeaderS, the Faculty of Management Sciences Departmental Society at Salim Habib University, was held on Wednesday, December 14, 2022.

The Showcase was a great opportunity for aspiring entrepreneurs to present their ideas to industry professionals with the aim of seeking expert advice from experienced business-owners in order to further polish their business plans on the bases of sustainability, effectiveness, efficiency, market acceptance and consumer needs and wants.

NEW VENTURE CHAMPIONSHIP 2.0

New Venture Championship 2.0, the second edition of a signature Salim Habib University event which provides a platform for entrepreneurship students to pitch their business ideas to a panel of experts, was held by the Department of Business Administration on Tuesday, December 20, 2022.

NAVIGATING YOUR CAREER PATHS 3.0

Navigating Your Career Paths 3.0, the third edition of a series focused on enhancing students' professional skills and providing them with much-needed career counselling, was held at Salim Habib University on Thursday, December 22, 2022, through the collaboration of the Career Placement & Industrial Liaison Office and the Faculty of Management Sciences. The event brought together multiple industry professionals, head hunters, and career counsellors on one platform and enabled students to meet and interact with them in order to get some valuable advice on the various career opportunities available to them and how to use not only their degrees, but also their skills and interests to establish successful careers. Mock interviews and one-on-one counselling sessions were also held.

Participating companies included Hamdard Pakistan, Bahria Foundation, News One, Aaj TV, Bosch Pharmaceuticals Pvt Ltd as well as other leading pharmaceutical companies, Mustaqim Dyeing & Printing Industries (Pvt.) Ltd., Sidra MJ Consultancy, PTCL, HR Dost, iTechnologi Group of Companies, Gerry's Visa, Waterlink Group of Companies, and Sindh Police.

STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS



Student Council

Student Societies:

- Arts and Literature Society
- Outreach & Public Relations Society
- Sports Society
- Public Speaking Society
- Event Society
- Marketing & Media Society
- Character-Building Society
- CSR Society – Pukaar



Departmental Societies:

- Pharmacy – PharmDeeS
- Computer Science – CS Cube
- Biomedical Engineering – We.M.E.
- Biosciences – BioSoc
- Management Sciences – NexGen LeaderS



In the months of November and December, the following events were held at Salim Habib University:

PAYAM-E-IQBAL

Payam-e-Iqbal, a Painting and Calligraphy Competition organized by the Arts & Literature Society in celebration of Iqbal Day, was held on Thursday, November 10, 2022. The competition included an exhibition of the beautiful calligraphy and paintings contestants created and left the audience and judges in awe at the finesse and raw talent with which they transformed poetry into art.

MINDVENGERS - A BATTLE OF LEADERS

NexGen LeaderS, the Departmental Society of the Faculty of Management Sciences, had its launch event, Mindvengers - a Battle of LeaderS, on Thursday, November 10, 2022. This Battle of LeaderS, an inter-departmental competition, was also a battle of wills, a battle of wit, and a battle of power, as students from all the Faculties at Salim Habib University participated with an amazing amount of enthusiasm, and fought to win for their departments.

COCA-COLA ON CAMPUS

Coca-Cola visited Salim Habib University on Thursday, November 17, 2022, and made sure our students had a blast! They had for us a fun musical day planned and encouraged members of the audience to get up and sing, and we're surprised at all the raw talent that emerged. It's safe to say that Coca-Cola ensured that the SHU community tasted real happiness.

BLOOD DONATION DRIVE

Donating blood is one of the noblest of ways to help humanity. A Blood Donation Drive was held at Salim Habib University in association with Indus Hospital Blood Center on Thursday, November 24, 2022. Students and staff both participated heartily, and we laud those who voluntarily gave blood to help save the lives of others.

SHU WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIP

Salim Habib University's Sports Society organized a Women's Championship for the first time ever, and the event was a hit by all means. The Championship, held on Thursday, December 8, 2022, featured cricket, throwball, Tug of War, and a hurdle race, and saw our female students giving their all to win for their teams in the games of their choosing. The energy in the crowd as they cheered for their favourites was a treat to experience!

FOOD GALA

The students of the Faculty of Management Sciences, Salim Habib University, organized a Food Gala on Wednesday, December 14, 2022, as part of a class project. The Gala had food, clothing, and art stalls set up by students themselves, and was a great way for them to get some experiential learning and experience regarding business and entrepreneurship.

OUR PROGRAMS


SCIENCE
BS Biosciences


PHARMACY
Doctor of Pharmacy


ENGINEERING
BE Biomedical Engineering


INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
BS Computer Science


MANAGEMENT SCIENCES
MBA (Weekend), BBA
BS Accounting & Finance

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