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WHO ARE WE?

Salim Habib University (SHU) is a not-for-profit institution of higher learning committed to providing quality university education to the Pakistani youth, no matter what their financial constraints.

Established through a charter granted by the Provincial Assembly, Sindh, in 2015, Salim Habib University is supported by The Salim Habib Education Foundation (TSHEF), a not-for-profit organization that focuses on providing the people of Pakistan with safe and easy access to international-standard educational and healthcare facilities. TSHEF has two large-scale projects in Pakistan: Salim Habib Education Complex, Toba Tek Singh, and Salim Habib University, Karachi.

Salim Habib University, founded by the dynamic Dr. Muhammad Salim Habib (Founder of TSHEF and Life Chairperson, SHU), and the charismatic Dr. Iram Afaq (Chief Executive Officer and Founding Member, TSHEF, Deputy Chairman, Barrett Hodgson Pakistan, and Chancellor, SHU), is located at Korangi Creek, Karachi, and spans over six acres of lush landscaping. It boasts ultra-modern infrastructure featuring a five-story academic block with thirty-three state-of-the-art labs, a uniquely-built four-floor library, and world-class sports facilities.

The University focuses on ensuring that its graduates emerge as well-rounded, competent individuals who harbor the passion to engage in continual learning and have the ability to lead future generations to prosperity.

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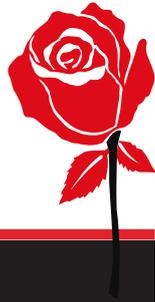


SHU CAREER CONNECT 1.23

SHU Career Connect 1.23, organized by the Career Placement & Industrial Liaison Office at Salim Habib University, was held on Thursday, March 2, 2023. The mega event featured more than 20 top-tier multi-national corporations and local organizations, including Aaj News, British Council, Karachi Marriott Hotel, Lucky Textile Mills Ltd., PharmEvo (Pvt.) Ltd., Hamdard Pakistan, Urban Brands, and Brookes Pharma Pvt. Ltd., among others. Career Connect 1.23 allowed SHU students, as well as students invited from other leading universities, including the University of Karachi, to interact with HR experts and experienced industry professionals, gain tips on how to ace interviews and build catchy resumes, and arm themselves with the networking and communications skills required to establish successful careers and navigate the corporate world smoothly.

SESSION ON STUDYING IN FRANCE: THE PROCESS & OPPORTUNITIES

The Career Placement & Industrial Liaison Office (CP & ILO), in collaboration with the University's Faculty of Information Technology, organized a session on Studying in France: The Process & Opportunities. The session, held on Friday, March 10, 2023, was conducted by Ms. Fabiha Aziz, Head of Campus France Pakistan.



DOCTOR OF PHARMACY STUDENT WINS 3RD POSITION IN VIDEO COMPETITION ON MENTAL HEALTH

Hiba Aamir, a 4th Year Doctor of Pharmacy student at Salim Habib University, placed at 3rd Position in the Fellowship Travel Award Competition in WPA Thematic Congress, Karachi, Pakistan, organized by the Transformation International Society, along with the World Psychiatric Association, on 'Mental Health in the New Era.' She was awarded for her conceptual video on the topic *Say No to Drugs and Yes to Life*, and won a Cash Prize of Rs. 25,000. Mehmam Khan Afridi, BBA student, Faculty of Management Sciences, directed and produced the video. Special mention goes to the Career Placement & Industrial Liaison Office for nominating Hiba for the award.



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 Sohail Rehman, a Doctor of Pharmacy graduate of the Class of 2022, who is now an Executive QA-LC at Getz Pharma ASTOLA Plant.

SHU OPEN HOUSE 2023 & SHINING STARS AWARDS CEREMONY

Salim Habib University's grand Open House 2023 was held on Thursday, February 16, 2023.

The event saw hundreds of aspiring students visiting our campus to experience our world-class facilities and explore the market-competitive programs and dynamic career opportunities we offer, and witnessing the SHU way of life. The Open House included not only campus tours, career counselling sessions and briefings, but also a Project Exhibition, a Panel Discussion featuring our own alumni, fun activities such as lucky draws, karaoke, and games, and lots of food options.

We also held an Awards Ceremony by the name of Shining Stars Awards on the same day, to recognize and award high-achieving college and intermediate level students all over Karachi for academic excellence as well as their extraordinary talents and achievements in extra-curricular activities. Prof. Dr. Saeeduddin, Chairman, Board of Intermediate Education, Karachi, honoured us with his presence as Chief Guest while Mr. Nadeem Ghani, Dean of Nixor College, Karachi, was the Guest of Honour. Both addressed the audience and motivated students with their inspiring words.



ONE-ON-ONE WITH ENTREPRENEURS

One-on-One with Entrepreneurs is a highly interactive Meetup Series that features seasoned professionals with rich experience in entrepreneurship and gives students the opportunity to interact with and learn directly from the experts themselves. This series is organized by the Faculty of Management Sciences at Salim Habib University in collaboration with the University's Center of Learning and Teaching (CLT).

On the panel of speakers for Episode I of

One-on-One with Entrepreneurs, held on Friday, February 24, 2023, were Dr. Farhad Karamally, Founder & CEO, Funverks Global, Ms. Insiya Meherally, Founder & CEO, The Method (Award-Winning Self-Defense Startup), and Ms. Javeria Gohar Owais, Co-Founder, Malhaa Footwear. Episode II of the series, which took place on Monday, March 6, 2023, featured Mr. Salman Parekh, Founder & CEO, Manto. Mr. Ranjeet Kumar, Head of Sales Capability/L&OD, Burque Corporation, moderated both sessions.

GRAD WEEK - FALL 2022

Grad Week was held in the last week of December 2022 to celebrate the Graduating Class of Fall 2022 and to give them some more memories of university life to hold on to and cherish before they officially make the transition from student life to corporate life. The Week started off with an Adventure Day, which the Graduating Class spent at the theme park Adventure Land in Bahria Town, Karachi. Following this, a Movie Night was held, which they enjoyed immensely. Day 3 of Grad Week was Character Day, and saw our students dressing up as their favourite fictional characters, with their innovative costumes adding more colour and life to campus than ever before.

A dholki-themed Desi Day proved to be one of the highlights of the week with the graduating batch dressing up in bright yellows, oranges, and pinks and bringing to university all the elements of a big



fat Pakistani wedding.

The conclusion to Grad Week 2022 was a Farewell Dinner. This event, featuring a buffet dinner on a cruise ship, was memorable and nostalgic both as students turned up in their finest splendor to officially bid goodbye to the beautiful years they have spent at SHU.



CULTIVATING HUMAN CAPITAL

The Salim Habib Center of Learning and Teaching (CLT) aims to foster academic excellence and to equip faculty, students, and staff with the best practices prevalent in national and international academic and professional circles.

For this purpose, the Center regularly organizes guest speaker sessions, seminars and conferences, ranging from departmental assemblies to university-wide events. Various CLT sessions were held in the first few months of 2023, including a session titled *Pill-Sized Robot to Diagnose & Monitor*



Gut Health by Dr. Muhammad Rehan, Assistant Professor, Sir Syed University of Engineering & Technology, a session on the *International Political Economy of Climate Change: Energy & Agriculture* by Dr. Mohid Iftikhar, Director Research, Center for International Strategic Studies, Sindh (CISSS), and hands-on workshops on *Learning Data Analysis with SPSS* by Dr. Usman Warraich, Managing Director & Research Consultant, Khayyam Enterprises, and *Influencer Marketing* by Mr. Ahmed Mamoor Amimi, CEO, Enfluensio Academy, Mr. Mudassir Hussain, Director, Enfluensio Academy.





CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Our Department of Biomedical Engineering, Faculty of Engineering, holds frequent Continuing Professional Development (CPD) sessions. The most recent of these sessions was a seminar on *Outcome-Based Education & Assessment (OBE & A): Point of View of a Designer, Implementer and Program Evaluator*, which was conducted by Dr. Muhammad Faisal Khan, Associate Professor, Department of Electrical Engineering, and Manager Industrial Relations Department, FEST, Hamdard University, Karachi. The session was an enriching experience for all who attended.

PUKAAR VOLUNTEERS PARTICIPATE IN INDUS HOSPITAL & HEALTH NETWORK'S ZAKAAT CAMPAIGN

Dedicated volunteers from Salim Habib University's CSR Society *Pukaar* participated in Indus Yaqeen's largest youth drive, the *Meer-e-Karwan Hum Hain Zakaat Campaign*. They were also invited to the grand Opening Ceremony of the campaign, which was held to give recognition to the efforts of student volunteers, and to encourage them to contribute to Indus Hospital & Health Network (IHNN)'s causes in the future as well and to commit to the upcoming campaign.

ORIENTATION SESSION FOR THE FRESHMEN OF SPRING 2023

The Orientation for the Freshmen of Spring 2023 was held at Salim Habib University on Monday, February 6, 2023.

The highlights of the event included memorable talks given by our Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Shakeel

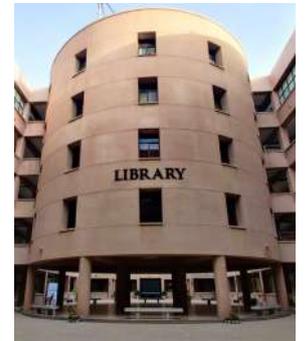
Ahmed Khan, Registrar Prof. Dr. Kaleem Raza Khan, Controller of Examinations Mr. Saleem Khan, Head of Career Placement & Industrial Liaison Office Dr. Shamaila Burney, and Executive Marketing & Student Affairs Sibgha Raza Khan, who addressed our new students of the Class of 2027/28 and took them through the essentials of a successful academic career and student life at SHU.



TARIQ AMIN LIBRARY

Our uniquely designed Tariq Amin Library forms the central knowledge repository at Salim Habib University. Spanning over four floors and housing more than 15,000 physical volumes, the majority of which is curriculum books, 25000 digital volumes, and scores of international journals with notable impact factors, the library is designed to promote research and learning. It is administered by an online system, so students can look up the availability of books and reserve materials without having to physically come to the library. The collections available in the library are as follows:

- Open Access Collection
- Reference Collection
- Special Collection
- General & Recreational Collection
- Archival Collection
- Pharmacy, Life Sciences & Engineering Collection
- Serial Collection
- Multimedia Collection



The Library not only enables the borrowing and lending of books, but also provides reference services and web searching services, and research support. It also has a designated Discussion Area that cultivates creativity and innovation.



DAWN EDUCATION EXPO 2023

Salim Habib University was one of the leading participants in DAWN Education Expo 2023. This edition of the annual exhibition brought together more than a hundred top universities and colleges, both local and international.



BIOSCIENCES FACULTY MEMBERS PRESENT RESEARCH WORK AT THE GLOBAL SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY AND MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE 2023

Prof. Dr. Aqeel Ahmad, Dean, Faculty of Science, and Dr. Affhan Shoab and Dr. Marriam Yamin, Assistant Professors, Department of Biosciences, presented their research work at the Global Science Technology and Management Conference (GSTMC-23).

The conference, held from February 9 to 11, 2023, in Bahawalpur (Cholistan), Pakistan, was jointly organized by Evolution Events (Pakistan) and The Islamia University, Bahawalpur.



INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON SALINE RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

The International Conference on Saline Resource Management in the Context of Global Climate Changes, organized by Dr. Muhammad Ajmal Khan Institute of Sustainable Halophyte Utilization, University of Karachi, in collaboration with Salim Habib University and the Nuclear Institute of

Agriculture, Tandojam, was held from February 23 to 24, 2023, at Awari Towers, Karachi, and Salim Habib University, Karachi. The conference featured multiple speakers of renown from both local and international universities.

SPECIALIZED SESSIONS FOR PHARMACY STUDENTS

The Faculty of Pharmacy at Salim Habib University organized a number of expert sessions for Doctor of Pharmacy students in March 2023, including:

- A seminar on Current Good Manufacturing Practices by Pharmacist Naeem Siraj, Director Operations, Vikor Healthcare and Mr. Hassan Abbas and Mr. Qaseem Hassan, both from Ghulam Muhammad & Sons.
- A lecture on Quality Management by Mr. Anwar Jamal, an expert on quality from Herbion Pakistan (Pvt.) Limited.



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



HIGHLIGHTS JANUARY - MARCH 2023

Formal Dinner for MBA Class

A Formal Dinner was held for Salim Habib University's MBA (Weekend Program) class on Saturday, January 21, 2023. The dinner took place at Chaupal Desi Exotic Buffet, Karachi, and was a memorable event that everyone present enjoyed.

Token of Appreciation presented to Biomedical Engineering Students

A Token of Appreciation was presented to Department of Biomedical Engineering students Adam Rafiq Jeraj, Mudasir Rafiq, and Mahnoor Maqsood, and Biomedical Engineering Faculty Members Engr. Hassan Ali and Engr. Tooba Khan, for winning Second Place at the IEEE Region 10 (Asia-Pacific) Robotics Competition which took place from December 17-18, 2022, at Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand. They won this prestigious award for their project *Hand-e-ssist*, an automated therapeutic arm designed with the aim of helping patients recover from a stroke.

GAMECON 2.0

GAMECON 2.0, the second edition of Salim Habib University's Computer Science Departmental Society CS Cube's beloved e-gaming competition, was held on Thursday, March 9, 2023. The competition gave the opportunity to gaming enthusiasts to showcase their talents and win for what they are best at, and was a fun experience for all who participated.

Women's Day Tea Party

On Women's Day this year, the Career Placement & Industrial Liaison Office at Salim Habib University organized a Tea Party for the University's incredible women. The party was attended by female Faculty members and staff and was greatly enjoyed by all. Dr. Rahela Ikram, Dean, Faculty of Pharmacy, and Dr. Ghazala Ishrat, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Pharmacy, spoke at the event and in their addresses, conveyed how important it is for women to support and empower each other in their journeys.

Iftar at Sindh Governor House

An invitation was extended by Sindh Governor House to Salim Habib University for an Iftar Dinner. The dinner, which took place on the 9th of Ramadan (Friday, March 31, 2023) was attended by Faculty, management, staff, and students from the University, and was enjoyed by all.



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