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Two-Day Agriculture Training Program on Production to Value-Addition

A two-day training program was inaugurated at PMAS-Arid Agriculture University, Rawalpindi regarding the value chain addition of agriculture production, has the main objective to update the participants about modern methods related to agriculture, by adopting they will not able to increase crop production, but also play their full role in the development of the country's economy.

In the ceremony, the president of Zarai Taraqati Bank of Pakistan (ZTBL) Muhammad Shahbaz Jameel was also participated, where the Vice-Chancellor of the University Prof. Dr. Qamar-uz-Zaman along with all deans, directors, faculty members and management staff were also present.

Speaking at the occasion, Muhammad Shahbaz Jameel said that our farmers are not behind from any developed country in term of hard work, but the field in which we are lacking behind is our weak academia-industry linkages. Assuring his full support for academia-industry strong linkages he further said that the universities are important means of imparting modern knowledge and research to the people.

In his address, Vice-Chancellor Prof. Dr. Qamar-uz-Zaman said that banks have a very important role in agricultural value-addition because without their financial support, as it is impossible to get modern agricultural machinery, fertilizers and other agricultural medicines. Being a subsidiary and specialized bank for agriculture

sector compared to other commercial banks, more responsibility lies on ZTBL to play its vital role for bringing innovation and revolution in agriculture sector of the country, he said. While highlighting the strong link between universities, industry and government and the steps taken by PMAS-AAUR for strengthening it, Dr. Qamar said that the purpose of universities is not only to educate students but to make them skilled in their respective fields.

On this occasion, a memorandum of understanding was also signed between PMAS-AAUR and ZTBL to further promote mutual cooperation. At the end of the ceremony he thanked the President of ZTBL for correctly assessing the issue of agriculture sector and inviting its creditors to find a solution.



PMAS-AAUR Organized Policy Dialogue



PMAS-AAUR organized Policy Dialogue on the role of Higher Education Institutions on National Narrative Building of Islamic Republic of Pakistan, here on Tuesday.

The Policy Dialogue was organized by PMAS-AAUR Directorate of Students Affairs in collaboration with Paigham-e-Pakistan Centre for Peace, Reconciliation and Reconstruction Studies, Islamic Research Institute, (IRI) International Islamic University, Islamabad.

PMAS-AAUR Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Qamar-uz-Zaman was the chief

guest while Dr Muhammad Hammad Lakhvi Dean, Faculty of Islamic Studies at University of the Punjab, Dr. Muhammad Rizwan from University of Haripur, Dr. Zia ul Haq Director General IRI, Prof. Dr. Khalid Saifullah Director ORIC and Dr. Ghulam Hussain Babar Director Students Affairs of PMAS-AAUR also addressed on the occasion.

A large number of academicians, intellectuals, faculty members, civil society activists and students participated in the event. Speakers stressed the need to empower the youth for the promotion of peace and tolerance in the society and demanded active

involvement of youth for strengthening national integrity, peace and stability.

They also highlighted the role of higher education Institutions and National Narrative of Pakistan & their role not only in Pakistan development as well as ensuring peace and stability in the society.



Vice Chancellor Inaugurated Laboratory Collection Point

Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Qamar-uz-Zaman inaugurated the collection point of MPL Laboratory at the University Medical Center where the Medical Committee members, staff of the Medical Center and Management of MPL Lab were also present. The Vice Chancellor has taken this initiative to ease the employees who have to go to Labs for Lab tests. This collection point is open from 08:00am–08:00pm from Monday to Saturday. All the blood tests can be collected and reports can also be taken from the collection point.



Vice Chancellor Inaugurated Extension/Energizing of Sub Station alongwith Installation of 11KV Panel as Bulk Supply for Main Campus





Prof. Dr. Fayyaz-ul-Hassan Sahi has assumed the charge of Pro-VC, PMAS-AAUR



PMAS-AAUR Signed MoU with SBMCON Pvt Pakistan



Landscape Design Lab Inaugurated at PMAS-AAUR



PMAS-AAUR Camp to Collect aid for the Flood Affectees

Ph.D Passout

S. No.	Name of Student & Regd. No.	Title	Name of Supervisor
1	Wajihha Seerat (10-arid-1692) Ph.D Botany (17-08-2022)	Isolation and Characterization of Toxigenic and Atoxigenic Strains of <i>Aspergillus flavus</i> in Maize	Prof. Dr. Abida Akram
2	Saba Akbar 15-arid-3711 Ph.D Ph.D Soil Science (23-08-2022)	Palygorskite-Sepiolite Mineral Reserves' Characterization for Aflatoxin Sequestration in Broilers	Prof. Dr. M. Saleem Akhtar

Ph.D Thesis Defence

S. No.	Name of Student & Regd. No.	Title	Name of Supervisor
1	Azka Noureen (14-arid-4885) Ph.D BCH (16-08-2022)	Interaction pattern identification and induction of genetic resistance in Solanum tuberosum against potato virus Y	Dr. Tayyaba Zainab
2	Sadia Aslam (14-arid-4273) Ph.D Education (16-08-2022)	Role of Education in Social and Economic Development in Pakistan	Dr. M. Arshad Dahar
3	Tahira Shahmad (16-arid-5197) Sociology (17-08-2022)	Well-being of People Living with HIV/AIDS in context of Social Support and Coping Strategy	Dr. Mazhar Hussain Bhutta
4	M. Amjad Awan (12-arid-1065) Ph.D Zoology (17-08-2022)	Prediction of fertility in buffalo bulls	Dr. Shamim Akhter
5	Muhammad Younas (17-arid-49) Ph.D Management Sciences (18-08-2022)	Impact of Strategic Talent Management on Employee Retention and Organizational Performance: Moderated by Workplace Safety: A Case of Health Care Sector	Dr. Muhammad Razzaq Athar
6	Jamal-ud-Din (15-arid-2836) Ph.D Zoology (19-08-2022)	Assessment of Fertility Biomarkers in Hepatitis c Male Patients Visiting Hospitals of Rawalpindi and Islamabad	Dr. Shamim Akhter
7	Anisa Mushtaq (16-arid-5806) Ph.D Parasitology (19-08-2022)	Epidemiology and chemotherapeutic control of hard ticks infesting bovine in district Poonch, Azad Jammu and Kashmir	Dr. Murtaz-ul-Hasan
8	Muhammad Hanif (17-arid-48) Ph.D Management Sciences (22-08-2022)	The Role of Diversity in Organizational Performance: Moderated Moderation Model of Diversity Management and Leadership Dimensions	Dr. Muhammad Razzaq Athar
9	Ambreen Jabbar (06-arid-272) Ph.D CS (22-08-2022)	Intelligent multi-frequency through-the-wall human activity recognition system	Dr. Saud Altaf
10	Amna Maqsood (15-arid-3116) Ph.D Environmental Sciences (22-08-2022)	Biological Treatment of Benzophenone Contaminated Waste Water Using Bacterial Cultures	Dr. Shahid Mahmood
11	Hafeez Ullah Rafa (16-arid-2105) Ph.D Soil Science (23-08-2022)	Potential of Gypsum with Zinc Fortified Organic Material for Amelioration and Subsequent Crop Growth in Salt Affected Soil	Dr. Muhammad Akmal
12	Asma Maryam (10-arid-552) Ph.D Education (23-08-2022)	Role of Home and School in the Psychosocial Development and Wellbeing of Learners	Dr. M. Arshad Dahar
13	Majid Ejaz (09-arid-1546) Ph.D Zoology (23-08-2022)	Distribution and diet overlap of sympatric carnivores in Ayubia National Park	Dr. Muhammad Mushtaq
14	Nosheen Akhtar (13-arid-2281) Ph.D Botany (24-08-2022)	Amelioration of Drought Stress by Silicon and Biofertilizer in Wheat	Dr. Nosheen Ilyas
15	Kanwal Ejaz (14-arid-4243) Ph.D Education (24-08-2022)	Effectiveness of collaborative team teaching on adaptive behaviour of learners with and without learning disabilities in inclusive education	Dr. M. Arshad Dahar
16	M. Tauseef Azam (15-arid-3297) Ph.D Food Technology (24-08-2022)	Use of biosorbents for remediation of contaminated drinking water from Rawalpindi and Islamabad	Prof. Dr. Asif Ahmad
17	Muhammad Ishaq (14-arid-5475) Ph.D Soil Science (26-08-2022)	Characterization and use of Biomass Fly Ash as Soil Amendment	Prof. Dr. Khalid Saifullah Khan
18	Maryam Rana (16-arid-300) Ph.D PBG (26-08-2022)	Genetics of Quality Traits of Bread Wheat Landraces in Changing Climate Scenario	Dr. Zahid Akram

Seminars, Organized by DAS

- Title:** Refutations of above and below ground fluxes for below ground fluxes for combating climate change

Presenter: Dr. Noshin Ilyas, Associate Professor, Botany

Date: 18-08-2022

- Title:** Mitigation of Melanogenesis and Escalation in Rejuvenation by Korean Red Ginseng Extract

Presenter: Dr. Evelyn Saba, Assistant Professor, VBS

Date: 25-08-2022

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