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## VISION / MISSION STATEMENT

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### **Vision**

The Institute of Business Management aims to be one of the leading institutes nationally and internationally for imparting knowledge, skills, confidence, and values to its students, thereby, enabling them to become successful professionals globally.

### **Mission**

The mission of the Institute of Business Management is to foster a learning environment where students are motivated to make learning an on-going life-long process. We see ourselves as a multi-dimensional educational institution. Our aim is to:

- Use the best teaching and training methodologies
- Prepare students to excel academically as well as in management skills to function ethically and take effective rational decisions in all endeavors of life
- Pursue leading-edge research
- Engage in the development of innovative ideas and analytical, interpersonal and leadership skills
- Allow freedom of thought and expression
- Encourage both faculty and students to be independent and creative thinkers
- Commit to our students and other stakeholders to create responsible future global leaders

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# AN INTRODUCTION TO THE INSTITUTE OF BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

This catalog will provide you with valuable, up-to-date information about the programs of study and courses offered by the Institute, as well as information about the fee structure, facilities and student services available to students.

The catalog gives an introduction to life at IoBM as well as detailed information on all undergraduate and graduate level programs along with core courses, electives and specialized courses. Every effort is made to update information on courses in the catalog. However, changes in curricula may be necessary as part of a process of continuous improvement and the need to keep each program fully aligned with academic and professional developments. For this reason, the Institute reserves the right to make necessary alterations in courses and/ or course structures, after clearing them with the concerned Boards of Studies. Teaching methodology, academic and research programs, assessment procedures and course descriptions also form part of the catalog.

The catalog also lists the facilities at computer labs, library resources, student support services besides providing information relating to and course registration procedures. Information regarding opportunities for financial assistance and stipends for students is also included. The latter part of the catalog contains brief profiles of academic and administrative personnel.

## **IoBM: 1994 - 2023**

The Foundation for Higher Education was established as a non-profit institution in 1994 by a group of dedicated citizens of Karachi, and was registered under the Societies Registration Act of 1860. The Foundation promotes the dissemination of quality education. Its first project was the setting up of a management university designed to serve trade, industry and commerce by producing highly competent and talented business executives. Teaching began at the College of Business Management (CBM), IoBM's first constituent college, in September, 1995.

In January 1998, a bill was unanimously approved by the Sindh Provincial Assembly for establishing a university known as the Institute of Business Management in the private sector. At present, the Institute has four constituent colleges, the College of Business Management (CBM), the College of Computer Science & Information Systems (CCSIS), the College of Economics & Social Development (CESD) and the College of Engineering and Sciences (CES). Since 2006, the Institute has been ranked as one of the top universities in the private sector, both by the Higher Education Commission of the Federal Government and the Sindh Provincial Government. From 2010 to 2015, we have been honored with prestigious awards of EDUNIVERSAL Palms given for meritorious evaluation and certification of educational institutions around the world. The Institute is a member of the International Association of Universities (IAU), Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) and other international and national organizations.



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The Governor of Sindh is an ex-officio Patron and the Chancellor, Mr. M. Bashir Janmohammad is also the Chairman of the Board of Governors and Chancellor of the Institute. The other members of the Board are:

- Mr. Talib Syed Karim, President
- Chairman Higher Education Commission
- Secretary Universities & Boards Department, Government of Sindh
- Mr. Jahangir Siddiqui
- President, Pakistan Stock Exchange
- President, Federation of Pakistan Chambers of Commerce & Industry
- President, Karachi Chambers of Commerce & Industry
- Mr. Justice <sup>®</sup> Shahid Anwar Bajwa
- Mr. Muhammad Ali Tabba
- Mr. Muhammad Sharif
- Dr. Zafar Saied Saiffee
- Mr. Masood Hashmi
- Mr. Sikandar Sultan
- Ms. Aameena Saiyid
- Dr. Waqar Masood Khan
- Prof. Dr. Noshad A. Shaikh
- Prof. Dr. Tariq Rahim Soomro
- Mr. M. W. Jahangir, Secretary to the Board

The Institute offers, through its College of Business Management (CBM), a four year BBA (Honors) and a two year MBA degree program with specialization in Marketing, Finance, Human Resource Management and Management Information Systems, Health & Hospital Management, Pharmaceutical Administration, Media Management, Industrial Management and Telecommunication Management. BS (Honors) Economic & Finance, Accounting & Finance and BS Social Entrepreneurship and Social Leadership are also offered. A research degree, an MPhil leading to PhD, is offered in Finance, Human Resource Management, Marketing, Education, Psychology and Management Information Systems. A four year Bachelor of Computer Science (Honors), followed by a two years Master of Computer Science and MBA in Finance & Risk Management, BS in Mathematics & Economics and BS Data Science are offered through the College of Computer Science & Information Systems (CCSIS). The College also offers programs in Industrial Engineering & Management, Actuarial Science & Risk Management, Telecommunication Engineering & Management and Financial Mathematics & Statistics. The College of Economics and Social Development (CESD) offers a BS program in Commerce, Media Studies, B.Ed, MBA in Educational Management and MSc leading to MPhil in Economics. College of Engineering and Sciences (CES) offers a program in Electrical Engineering.



The emphasis of IoBM is on research. It publishes the country's first business policy and research journal, Pakistan Business Review, which is recognized by the HEC as well as internationally recognized as Pakistan's first business policy and research journal, Pakistan Business Review. Pakistan's Journal of Engineering Technology and Science is accordingly brought out by the CCSIS whereas the CESD is responsible for yet another publication: the Journal of Education and Educational Development. Students and faculty contribute regularly to its pages. A research seminar is organized on a weekly basis. IoBM is the first business school where foreign language courses, Arabic, French, Spanish, Italian or Chinese were made compulsory in the BBA and BCS programs. The Institute has competent and dedicated faculty with the majority holding foreign degrees. An international seminar funded by the HEC is organized on an annual basis. IoBM Academic programs are up to date and comprehensive in concept and structure, resembling honors programs offered in the UK and graduate programs of US Universities. IoBM has extensive links with a number of global universities. Professors from these universities have served as Chief Academic Officers of IoBM.

Since 1998, more than 9,000 students have graduated from IoBM. Most of them occupy key positions in leading national and multinational firms including Habib Bank, Faysal Bank, Standard Chartered, PIA, Engro, Berger Paints, Geo TV, National Bank of Pakistan, Unilever, IBM, ICI, SmithKline & Beecham, Aga Khan University Hospital, Karachi Stock Exchange and different provincial and federal government departments. Many graduates have proceeded for their post-graduate program to reputable universities in the UK and USA. More than 400 students go for compulsory internships every year to national and multinational organizations.

Office of Research Innovation & Commercialization - Entrepreneurship & Management Excellence Center (ORIC) / (EMEC) and Centre of Information Technology (CIT) of the Institute organizes professional education, training and research programs with a view to serving the corporate sector to enhance both its profitability and contribution to society. Support is provided in the areas of banking and finance, marketing, human resource development and information systems management.

The Institute has come a long way since its inception. There are over 5500 students on our campus which is large, purpose-built and located at Korangi Creek on an 11 acre site and comprises the Business College building, the Administration and Entrepreneurship & Management Excellence Center building, CCSIS building, a Convocation Center, the Student Activity Center, a five-storeyed library building, Industrial Engineering and Management building, a mosque and CESD building. Another nine acre site has been acquired at a distance of 1 km from the present campus. Shahjehan S. Karim Center of Excellence, a basement, ground plus five storeyed building was completed in June 2017.

At the Institute's fourth convocation in December, 2001, an honorary degree of Doctorate of Philosophy was conferred upon Dr. Nafees Sadik, former Executive Director, United Nations Population Program. At the fifth convocation held in December, 2002, an honorary degree was conferred on our keynote speaker, Mr. Babar Ali, Pro-Chancellor, Lahore University of Management Sciences (LUMS), and at the ninth convocation an honorary degree was conferred on Dr. Goolam Mohamedbhai, President, International Association of Universities (IAU). The sixth convocation was held in December 20, 2003 with Dr. Atta-ur-Rahman, Chairman, Higher Education Commission and Minister for Science & Technology as the Chief Guest and MS Musharaf Hai, Chairperson, Unilever Pakistan Limited as the keynote speaker. The seventh convocation was held on December 18, 2004 with the Governor of Sindh as the Chief Guest and Mr. Hameed Haroon, Chief Executive Dawn Group of Newspapers as the keynote speaker. Over 300 students were awarded BBA (Hons), BCS (Hons), BS (Accounts), MBA and MCS degrees at this convocation.



The eighth convocation was held on December 17, 2005 with the Minister for Education, Sindh, as the chief guest and Syed Ali Raza, President, National Bank of Pakistan, as the keynote speaker. Over 400 students were awarded degrees on the occasion. The ninth convocation of the Institute was held on December 16, 2006 with the Education Minister as the Chief guest and Dr. Goolam Mohamedbhai President, IAU, as the keynote speaker. Over 450 students were awarded degrees. The tenth convocation was held on December 8, 2007, where Mr. Jose Manuel Salazar-Xirinachs, Executive Director of the International Labour Organization, Geneva was the keynote speaker and over 500 students were awarded degrees.

The eleventh convocation was held on December 6, 2008 where the Governor, State Bank of Pakistan was the keynote speaker and Governor Sindh, Dr. Ishrat ul Ebad was the Chief guest. Over 700 degrees were awarded on the occasion. Syed Qaim Ali Shah, Chief Minister of Sindh and Mr. Nisar Ahmed Khuhro, Speaker Sindh Assembly attended the twelfth convocation of the Institute, held on December 05, 2009. The keynote speaker was Mr. Shaharyar Muhammad Khan, former Foreign Secretary and former Chairman of the Pakistan Cricket Board. As many as 927 graduates were awarded degrees. The thirteenth convocation was held on December 4, 2010. The chief guest on the occasion was Dr. Abdul Hafeez Shaikh, Minister for Finance, Revenue, Economic Affairs & Statistics and the keynote speaker was Dr. Javaid R. Laghari, Federal Minister / Chairperson of the Higher Education Commission of Pakistan.

The fourteenth convocation was held on December 10, 2011. Over 983 degrees were awarded to students. The chief guest on the occasion was Dr. Shamsh Kassim-Lakha, Founding President and Trustee of AKU and the keynote speaker was Mr. Javed Jabbar, Chairman and Chief Executive, JJ Media (Pvt.) Ltd. The fifteenth convocation was held on December 08, 2012. Over 825 degrees were awarded to students. The keynote speaker was Mr. Shahid Aziz Siddiqui, Chairman and CEO, State Life Insurance Corporation of Pakistan. The sixteenth convocation was held on December 07, 2013. Over 850 degrees were awarded to students on the occasion. The Chief guest was Mr. Nisar Ahmed Khuhro, Senior Minister for Education, Govt. of Sindh, the keynote speaker was Dr. Kakha Shengelia, President, Caucasus University Republic of Georgia and Mr. Munir Kamal, Chairman National Bank of Pakistan was the guest of honor.

The seventeenth convocation was held on December 07, 2014. Over 850 degrees were awarded to students on the occasion. The chief guest was Mr. Nisar Ahmed Khuhro, Senior Minister for Education, Govt. of Sindh, the keynote speaker was Mr. Muhammad Aliuddin Ansari, President & Chief Executive Officer of Engro Corporation. The eighteenth convocation was held on December 12, 2015. Over 900 degrees were awarded to students. The chief guest was Mr. Muhammad Mian Soomro, Former President of Pakistan and the keynote speaker was Mr. Kamal A. Chinoy, Chief Executive of Pakistan Cables Limited at the event. The nineteenth convocation was held on December 10, 2016. Over 950 degrees were awarded to students. The guest of honor was Mr. Jam Mehtab Hussain Dahar, Minister for Education & Literacy, Government of Sindh, and the keynote speaker was Mr. Sirajuddin Aziz, President Habib Metropolitan Bank Ltd. Dr. Mukhtar Ahmed, Chairman Higher Education Commission (HEC) also attended the convocation. The twentieth convocation was held on December 09, 2017. Over 1000 degrees were awarded to students. The chief guest was Mr. Muhammad Zubair, Governor of Sindh and keynote speaker was Mr. Khalid Nawaz Awan, Chairman of TCS at this Convocation.

The twenty-first Convocation was held on December 08, 2018. Over 1000 degrees were awarded to students. The keynote speaker was Mr. Kimihide Ando, Senior Vice President and CEO, Mitsubishi Corporation. The twenty-second Convocation was held on December 07, 2019. Over 1000 degrees were awarded to students. The keynote speaker was Mr. Shazad Dada, CEO/Executive Director, Standard Chartered Bank, Pakistan. The twenty-third convocation was held on January 30, 2021. This Convocation was hybrid where only PhD, MS/MPhil Graduates and Gold Medalists were invited, over 1450 degrees were awarded to students. Mr. Imran Ismail, Governor Sindh, delivered his recorded speech. The Keynote Speaker was Mr. Muhammad Ali Tabba, CEO, Lucky Cement. The twenty-fourth convocation was held on December 11, 2021. Over 1250 degrees were awarded to students on the occasion. The chief guest was Mr. Imran Ismail, Governor of Sindh, the Guest of Honour was Mr. Muhammad Azfar Ahsan, Minister of State and Chairman of Board of Investment and the Keynote Speaker was Mr. Amir Paracha, Chairman, Unilever Pakistan Limited at this Convocation.

## **Shahjehan S. Karim Center of Excellence**

A six storeyed (basement, ground plus five floors) centrally air-conditioned building with a covered area of 152,000 sq.ft and an open area of 15,000 sq.ft. houses 22 classrooms, 68 faculty offices, examination department with two examination halls of 11000 sq.ft, laboratories, media studio of 2,576 sq.ft, seminar rooms, training halls, gymnasium, 8 (food) kiosks with 180 seating capacity and 22 hostel rooms for students and faculty.

## WHY CHOOSE IOBM?

IoBM is one of the premier universities of the country. Not only does it offer academic excellence but its peaceful location - part city, part countryside - is ideal for reflection as well as camaraderie. The lay-out of the campus, where the buildings are connected by a leafy and partially winding driveway, has a charm of its own. The buildings themselves, a rich terracotta pink, are spacious and attractively designed. The breezy interior of the CBM building, with its twists and turns and its 'all-hands-on-deck' sense, is especially appealing. Tastefully landscaped with the help of nature - and sculpture - the IoBM campus is both homely and gracious. To the many students who form part of its fraternity, it is a home away from home.

The academic laurels IoBM has won are equally impressive. IoBM was rated one of the country's top universities by the Higher Education Commission of the Federal Government as well as the Government of Sindh. IoBM has also been the proud recipient of two Eduniversal Palms, awarded to it at the international convention of Deans of Business Colleges in recognition of its being one of the two best Business Schools since 2010.

In addition, IoBM is an active member of the International Association of Universities (IAU), the International Association of University Presidents (IAUP), the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB), the Association of Commonwealth Universities (ACU), besides being associated with other international academic organizations. IoBM has also established links and made a name for itself among reputed foreign business schools in relation to the sharing and contributing of ideas on and insights into business education and research.

The programs we offer include MBA and MBA (Evening) programs in diverse fields. These are held at weekends and lay a special emphasis on the requirements of busy executives and those who, having come to the end of one career, wish to move to a new one. IoBM also offers programs in Health and Hospital Management, Finance and Risk Management, Industrial Management, Telecommunication Management, Environment and Energy Management, Organizational Psychology, Economics and many other disciplines. IoBM faculty excel in their different fields. They transmit their expertise in scholarship and research to students, providing them with a developed understanding of their respective disciplines.

Students have access to excellent facilities and learning resources as IoBM continually invests in its library, gym, sports facilities, computer equipment, Wi-Fi facility, video conferencing, state-of-the-art campus buildings and subsidized transport facilities.

IoBM has earned its reputation through an excellent internship and graduate employment record. Rigorous degree courses enable graduates to acquire depth in their chosen subjects and open up wide career choices. A large number of IoBM graduates join top business schools in Europe, USA and Canada.

Research is a core competence at IoBM and is carried out in diverse fields. IoBM publishes the research quarterly, Pakistan Business Review (PBR) which is recognized by the Higher Education Commission (HEC) as category 'X' and ECONLIT, the Journal of Economic Literature, USA.

Annually held, HEC- financed international conferences provide a platform for the presentation of research undertaken at IoBM. The Pakistan Journal of Engineering Technology & Science and the Journal of Education & Educational Development recognized by HEC as Category 'X' are also brought out by IoBM. IoBM is connected with PERN2, a high -speed dedicated National Research & Education Network (NREN) for universities and other academic institutions of Pakistan.

**"The essence of IoBM's academic programs pertains to career focused education towards Individual fulfillment, professional excellence, institutional credibility, family welfare and social responsibility. The net result is reflected in the net product. IoBM's credibility speaks for itself."**

**Shahjehan S. Karim**  
Founder President  
Institute of Business Management



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## IoBM's Academic Strategies

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21st century has seen explosion of knowledge and has forced integration of disparate fields: Social interactions connect with digital networks; philosophy connects with computer science, psychology with clicks and likes, education with virtualization, robotics with medicine, banking with mobile companies, and so on. Environmental future is now linked with social sustainability, which in turn is linked with economic and financial sustainability. These linkages have been created with the exponential growth of IT and communication technologies, that have stimulated multi-dimensional interactions among businesses, industry, social-life and governance. To study these interactions, IoBM as a multi-dimensional educational institution offers cross-disciplinary programs and specializations. These include Business Psychology, Education Management, Finance and Economics, Islamic Finance and Banking, Engineering Management, Accounting and Law, Health and Hospital Management, Environment and Energy Management, Economics and International Relations etc. These and other discipline-based programs in business, computer science, engineering, economics, education and media are offered by the four colleges or faculties of IoBM.

Convergence of previously separate fields is also causing massive disruption and displacement of jobs accompanied by obsolescence of skills and knowledge requirements. Disruption of 20th century life-long career jobs in brick and mortar companies are also creating massive entrepreneurial opportunities for innovative business ventures, social enterprises and rethinking and reorganization of government, industry and society. This is reflected in IoBM's strategic focus on creativity and innovation through business entrepreneurship, social entrepreneurship and leadership, technology entrepreneurship and entrepreneurial engineering through EMEC.

Knowledge is doubling every 12 months and soon would be doubling every 12 hours. Hence, regurgitation of the knowledge obtained from a traditional classroom lecture is fast becoming obsolete before it is absorbed. Hence, IoBM's mission focuses on the development of graduates who are life-long self learners, who can quickly learn new knowledge and customize it to meet the fast changing requirements of their careers. Hence, IoBM has a strategic focus on blended, experiential, project based, and case based and other learning technologies.

IoBM's vision is to be among the leading educational institution locally and internationally. To achieve this vision, IoBM strives to contribute to the development of economy and society through innovative research, faculty development, and impactful engagement with industry and society; nationally and globally. Hence, it is actively pursuing international accreditations such as AACSB and QS Ranking, and its programs are accredited by national accreditation councils such as PEC, NBEAC, NCEAC, NACTE and regulatory bodies such as HEC and CIEC. Its ORIC and incubation centre are duly recognized by HEC.

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## RESOURCES AND FACILITIES

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The Institute of Business Management has a purpose-built twenty acre campus, located in the serene and secure surroundings of Korangi Creek, Karachi. The College of Business Management building, covering an area of 85,000 sq. ft., is equipped with state-of-the-art teaching equipment to enable the Institute to keep pace with the dynamics of the global market. All classrooms are equipped with internet and intranet facilities. IoBM is a Wi-Fi campus. The campus buildings are centrally air-conditioned and have all been self-financed with no outside assistance or donation. A separate centrally air-conditioned modern Administration and Entrepreneurship & Management Excellence Center building, with a covered area of 26,900 sq.ft., was completed in 2001. Another centrally air-conditioned building with a covered area of 31,655 sq.ft., houses the College of Computer Science and Information Systems and has been operational since 2002. The Convocation Center was completed in November, 2002, and the Students Activity Center building in September, 2003 which has a second floor housing 10 faculty residential suites for visiting scholars and was completed in January, 2006. The library building has been operational since January, 2005. A separate building houses the department of Industrial Engineering & Management. A new 150, 000 sq. ft. SSK Center of Excellence has recently been added to the existing buildings on campus. The Institute provides students with subsidized transportation to and from the campus through conveniently located pick and drop points all over Karachi. Girls are provided this facility to and from their homes. The campus also has ample car parking facilities.

### Computing Facilities

One of the strengths of the IoBM program is the incorporation of information technology as a key component of the curriculum. The academic programs offered by the Institute require students to obtain hands on experience in computers and develop a high level of expertise in this field. The Information Systems Department (ISD) of the College of Computer Science and Information Systems provides administrative, networking and technical support to faculty and students. The College of Computer Science and Information Systems building includes a number of computer laboratories with around four hundred & twenty workstations. It is fully equipped with satellite/ radio-linked e-mail, Wi-Fi facilities and internet facilities for all students, faculty and staff.

### Library

The IoBM library, an ideal setting for learning and research, serves as a repository for a rich array of both traditional and electronic information services. A distinctive strength is its rich spectrum of resources, including a large number of books, journals, periodicals, reference material, audio-visual material, government documents and reports catering to the scholarly needs of students, faculty and researchers. Its pleasant and conducive-to-learning environment accommodates 350 students and 48,851 books. All library books are searchable using OPAC (Online Public Access Catalog) and the newly developed software Library Information and Management System (LIMS), available at the front desk. Students are provided with internet workstations and rooms for group study. Of the many recent initiatives by IoBM are its access to a large number of e-resources through the HEC Digital library and online journals through JSTOR e-database. The library also provides access to print and online journals through subscription to a number of business, marketing, management and HRM journals. In addition to the main library, the Learning Resource Center in the Academic block caters to the scholarly requirements of M Phil and PhD programs. The library is engaged in numerous projects to expand access to its physical and digital collections. Skill development sessions are conducted for students and faculty from time to time. The library projects in the pipeline include development of a portal of web links, just a click away, on the desktops of faculty and students.



## CONVOCATION

In December 2022, IoBM held its twenty-fifth Silver Jubilee Convocation. The Chief Guest was Mr. Kamran Tessori, Governor of Sindh, the Guest of Honour was Mr. Muhammad Aurangzeb, President and CEO, Habib Bank Limited and the Keynote Speaker was Mr. Abid Vazir, Director and COO, Cherat Packaging Limited at this Convocation.

IoBM conferred 1383 Degrees, 18 gold medals and 38 merit certificates as per the following:

Program	Total Graduates	Program	Total Graduates
BBA (Honors)	343	MBA (Evening)	149
B.E Electrical (Electronics)	12	MBA (Educational Management)	6
BS (Actuarial Science and Risk Management)	9	MBA (Environment and Energy Management)	6
BS (Computer Science)	36	MBA (Finance and Risk Management)	33
BS (Data Science)	1	MBA (Health and Hospital Management)	27
BS (Economics, Law and International Relations)	6	MBA (Industrial Management)	25
BS (Economics, Media and International Relations)	2	MBA (Logistics and Supply Chain Management)	82
BS (Entrepreneurship)	7	MBA (Media Management and Marketing)	16
BS (Honors) Accountancy, Management and Law	67	MSC (Organizational Psychology and HRM)	21
BS (Honors) Accounting and Finance	107	MS (Business Management)	1
BS (Honors) Economics and Finance	5	MS (Computer Science)	2
BS (Honors) Media Studies	15	MS (Economics)	6
BS (Social Entrepreneurship and Leadership)	13	MS (Engineering Management)	4
BS (Industrial Management)	2	MS (Mathematics and Scientific Computing)	3
BS (Honors) Business and Psychology	16	MS (Statistics and Scientific Computing)	3
BS (Logistics and Supply Chain Management)	10	MPhil (Business Management)	7
BS (Mathematics and Economics)	1	MPhil (Education)	3
MBA (Regular)	228	MPhil (Organizational Psychology)	8
MBA (Weekend)	98	PhD (Business Management)	3

## Gold Medalists



Shahjehan Syed Karim  
Gold Medal

**Syed Osama Ali Shah**  
BBA (Honors)



S. H. Hashmi Memorial  
Gold Medal

**Maryam Farooq**  
BBA (Honors)



Ghulam Faruque  
Gold Medal

**Neusha F. Mondegarian**  
BBA (Honors)



Janmohammad Dawood  
Gold Medal

**Maria Badar**  
BS (Honors) Accountancy, Mgmt. & Law



Meezan Bank  
Gold Medal

**Bushra d/o Muhammad Nasir Admani**  
BS (Honors) Accounting & Finance



Orient McCann  
Gold Medal

**Aiesha Anees**  
BS (Honors) Media Studies



Afeef Packages  
Gold Medal

**Ruqaiya Asif**  
BS (Entrepreneurship)



Bank Islami Pakistan Limited  
Gold Medal

**Qasim Ali**  
MBA (Weekend)



Future Agritech  
Gold Medal

**Yusra Rahat**  
MBA (Evening)

Tabba Foundation  
Gold Medal

**Syeda Rahela Qadri**  
BBA (Honors)



Shan Foods  
Gold Medal

**Syed Areeb Abbas**  
BBA (Honors)



Faizan Steel  
Gold Medal

**Ali Gohar**  
BE Electrical (Electronics)



1Link (Private) Ltd.  
Gold Medal

**Maheen Hanif**  
BS (Computer Science)



EFU Life Assurance  
Gold Medal

**Ateeb Hasan**  
BS (Honors) Accounting & Finance



Imam Ali Kazi Memorial  
Gold Medal

**Saman Zulfiqar**  
BS (Social Entrep. & Leadership)



Dr. Essa's Laboratory  
Gold Medal

**Sana Saleem**  
BS (Honors) Business & Psychology



Management Association of Pakistan  
Gold Medal

**Faiza d/o Saleem**  
MBA (Evening)



Westbury Group of Companies  
Gold Medal

**Sana Imran**  
MBA (Logistics & Supply Chain Mgmt.)



## GLOBAL LINKAGES

### International Office

The Institute of Business Management (IoBM) has an International Office that works under the supervision of the President of IoBM. The Department is successfully managing the execution of international relations on bilateral and multilateral terms with many universities in Europe, Asia USA and Australia.

### Eduniversal Ranking

Eduniversal, based in Paris, France, is a worldwide academic institution ranking organization which ranks the 4,000 best academic institutions from around the world. The expertise of IoBM is distinguished in the 2021 Eduniversal Best Masters' Ranking in the context of following programs:

#### Top 200 Best Master's Programs:

- MBA full time - Ranked 18<sup>th</sup> in Central Asia
- MBA Human Resource Management - Ranked 8<sup>th</sup> in Central Asia
- MBA Advertising and Media Management – Ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> in Corporate Communication in Central Asia
- MBA Executive – Ranked 9<sup>th</sup> in Executive MBA in Central Asia
- MS Economics – Ranked 5<sup>th</sup> in Economics in Central Asia
- MBA Finance – Ranked 7<sup>th</sup> in Corporate Finance in Central Asia
- MBA Environment and Energy Management – Ranked 1<sup>st</sup> in Energy and Natural Resources in Central Asia
- MBA Industrial Management – Ranked 4<sup>th</sup> in Industrial and Operations Management in Central Asia
- MPhil in Business Management – Ranked 6<sup>th</sup> in General Management in Central Asia
- MS Computer Science – Ranked 17<sup>th</sup> in Information Systems Management in Central Asia
- MS Mathematics & Scientific Computing – Ranked 3<sup>rd</sup> in Data analytics in Central Asia

#### Top 100 Best Master's Programs:

- MBA Supply Chain Management – Ranked 88 in the world
- MBA Health and Hospital Management – Ranked 66 in the world
- MBA Finance and Risk Management – Ranked 100 in the world
- MSc in Business Management – Ranked 37 in the world
- MBA Weekend – Ranked 58 in the world

### Bilateral Agreements

IoBM has bilateral agreements under a formally signed Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the following universities which provide exchange of students, faculty and staff and promote joint research and consultancy.



Country	Partner University
1. Albania	Eqrem Cabej University
2. Bangladesh	American International University
3. Bangladesh	University of Chittagong
4. Belarus	School of Business of Belarusian State University
5. Bhutan	Gedu College of Business Studies
6. Bosnia	International Burch University
7. China	Biejing Jiatong University
8. China	Guangxi University of Finance and Economics
9. China	Guangxi University of Technology (GXUT)
10. China	Guilin University of Technology
11. China	Hebei International Studies University (HISU)
12. China	Sias International University
13. China	University of Electronic Science & Technology of China (UESTC)
14. China	Zhejiang University
15. China	Zhengzhou Xinlian University
16. China	Sanya University
17. Combodia	IICUniversity of Technology
18. France	Financia Business School
19. Georgia	Caucasus University
20. Germany	Erfurt University of Applied Sciences
21. Germany	Eurasia Institute for International Education (EIIE)
22. Ghana	University of Development Studies
23. Indonesia	IPMI International Business School
24. Indonesia	University of Muhammadiyah Semarang
25. Italy	University of Florence
26. Lithuania	Vytautas Magnus University
27. Malaysia	Multimedia University
28. Malaysia	Universiti Malaysia Sarawak (UNIMAS)
29. Malaysia	University of Kuala Lumpur
30. Malaysia	Universiti of Malaysia Pahang
31. Mexico	Universidad Autonoma de Guadalajara
32. Morocco	Groupe ISCAE
33. Nepal	Kathmandu University School of Management (KUSOM)
34. Nepal	Pokhara University
35. North Cyprus	Girne American University
36. Poland	Powiślńska Szkoła Wyższa
37. Portugal	Instituto Politécnico de Castelo Branco
38. Romania	Petre Andrei University of Iasi
39. Russia	Emas Eurasian Management & Administration School
40. Russia	Institute of Business Studies RANEP
41. Russia	Russian State University for the Humanities
42. South Korea	Dongseo University
43. South Korea	Hanyang University
44. Spain	University of Malaga
45. Srilanka	University of Kelaniya
46. Srilanka	University of Peradeniya
47. Switzerland	International University in Geneva (IUG)
48. Taiwan	I-SHOU University
49. Tajikistan	Tajik Technical University
50. Thailand	Naresuan University
51. Thailand	Siam University
52. Turkey	Abdullah Gul University (AGU)
53. Turkey	Altınbaş University
54. Turkey	Bilkent University
55. Turkey	TED University
56. Turkey	Piri Reis University
57. Turkey	Cyprus Science University
58. Turkey	Yeditepe University
59. Turkey	Yasar University
60. Ukraine	International Institute of Business IIB
61. United Arab Emirates	Al Dar University College
62. USA	Michigan Technological University
63. Uzbekistan	Tashkent State Transport University
64. Vietnam	Institute of Policy & Management IPAM (University of Social Sciences and Humanities - Hanoi)
65. Vietnam	VNU University of Science



## Student and Faculty Exchange Program

IoBM students regularly go to the following universities on student exchange programs:

- Yasar University, Turkey
- Girne American University, North Cyprus
- Dongseo University, South Korea
- Istanbul Aydin University, Turkey
- Beijing Jiaotong University, China
- Guilin University of Technology, China
- University of Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
- Sanya University, China
- University of Florence, Italy
- Izmir University of Economics, Turkey
- Groupe ISCEA, Morocco
- Bilkent University, Turkey
- Hanyang University, South Korea
- Abdullah Gul University, Turkey
- Universiti Putra, Malaysia
- Beijing Jiaotong University, China

IoBM has entered into an understanding with these universities for exchange of students on the basis of a waiver of university tuition fees and in some cases, provision of free hostel facilities.. IoBM also welcomes students from partner universities to spend a semester at IoBM. More students are expected from different universities in the upcoming semesters through the student exchange program. Experts visit IoBM for a semester from Spain, Germany, China and Nigeria. Exchange of students, faculty members as well as joint research projects are a continuous process involving universities all over the world.

## Senior Expert Services

A German NGO, Senior Expert Services (SES) has been sending technical experts and faculty to IoBM to give training and assistance in various programs in Health Management, Marketing, Media Management, Industrial Engineering, Corporate Social Responsibility, IT, Human Resource, Supply Chain, Telecommunication, Education, Economics, development of Academics and Vocational Training. SES is also assisting IoBM in setting up a full-fledged academic program in Environment and Energy Management.

## Memberships of Professional Bodies

IoBM is an active member of the following international and national professional bodies:

1. International Association of Universities (IAU), UNESCO, France
2. International Association of University Presidents (IAUP)
3. The Association of Commonwealth Universities (ACU), UK
4. Association of Universities of Asia and the Pacific (AUAP), Thailand
5. AACSB International -The Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business, USA
6. Asian Media Information and Communication Centre (AMIC), Singapore
7. Management Association of Pakistan (MAP), (Honorary Treasurer)
8. Marketing Association of Pakistan (President)
9. Employers Federation of Pakistan
10. Institute of Corporate Governance
11. International Finance Corporation (IFC), USA
12. Association of University Programs in Health Administration
13. Association of Management Development Institutions in South Asia (AMDISA)
14. OPEN, Karachi (Vice Chairman)
15. Association of Management Development Institutions in Pakistan (AMDIP), (Chairman, Karachi)



# COLLEGE OF BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

**CBM Vision:** To be among the leading business school, recognized for producing ethical, transformational and change leaders and managers, nationally and internationally

**CBM Mission:** To provide transformative and change leadership and management for the development of economy and society through excellence in character, professionalism, education and research

**Motivation for CBM Mission:** Most of the SMEs and large enterprises are family owned enterprises which constitute over 80% of businesses in Pakistan (and have “seth” family culture). Hence, CBM focuses on developing graduates who are street smart and go-getters who can take on the challenge to create startups and move, change and transform a startup into a small enterprise, a small enterprise to medium enterprise and a medium enterprise to large enterprise. We strive to provide “leadership” skills to affect the “change and transformation” of current culture of existing organizations to a professional growth-oriented organizational culture.

**Strategic focus of CBM** includes major accreditations such as AACSB, making entrepreneurship as major career choice of our graduates, adoption of experiential and blended learning, mentoring by well reputed industry executives, impactful intellectual contributions and industry and societal engagements as determinants of faculty qualifications, and development of critical skills and innovation through specially designed courses and a lively and thriving culture of student activities.

## BBA (HONORS)

The Bachelor of Business Administration (Honors) is a professional and comprehensive management degree program that provides conceptual knowledge and in-depth exposure to functional areas in business management including accounting, marketing, finance, human resource management, supply chain management, Islamic banking and finance, entrepreneurship and data analytics along with special emphasis on leadership, social awareness, creativity and innovation. The program employs the latest approaches in experiential learning to develop skills for interpersonal communication, team work, foreign languages and managing diversity. Students learn to think critically and to apply conceptual knowledge to real-world challenges and design solutions. Graduates of the BBA program distinguish themselves with their personal and professional excellence as managers and entrepreneurs in their areas of specialization. They are well-rounded professionals known as “doers” and “go-getters” and are in great demand in the industry. BBA is a four-year program that requires completion of 144 credit hours of course work and an internship of at least nine weeks in a firm approved by the Institute. A student must complete 48 courses of 3 credit hours each to meet the degree requirements. Students must maintain a CGPA of 2.5 for the conferment of the degree. Graduates from this program are usually recruited from reputable companies of the country in various fields.

Students must complete 13 general education in first four semesters otherwise the student will not be allowed to proceed to the fifth semester. Students also need to do four hours of lab session every week for four semesters in order to complete the requirement to graduate. By the end of the second year student need to decide their major and minor discipline. Students are required to take 11 major elective courses as well as two minor elective courses apart from core courses. Our BBA program offer majors ad minors in the following disciplines:

- Accounting\*
- Data Sciences
- Finance and Banking
- Human Resource Management
- Islamic Banking and Finance
- Logistics and Supply Chain Management
- Marketing
- Organizational Entrepreneurship

Students need to take two compulsory electives from 11 major elective courses. One compulsory elective course is a capstone project of the discipline, which the student has taken a major.

Courses are divided into general education, business core, distribution courses and electives courses.

### General Education Courses

SSC101 Introduction to Psychology  
SSC301 History of Ideas  
ECO101 Principles of Micro Economics  
ECO102 Principles of Macro Economics  
MTH102 Business Mathematics  
STA104 Quantitative Techniques in Business  
COM107 Academic English  
COM205 Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication  
COM202 Business & Professional Speech  
REL101 Islamic Studies  
PSC301 Pakistan Studies

*\*BBA program is recognized by ACCA which offers up to 5-course exemptions (F1 - F5) to BBA students of IoBM.*



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MTH100 Basic Mathematics \*\*\*

COM100 Foundation English\*\*\*

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Students must take a minimum load of twelve credit hours (four courses) or a maximum load of eighteen credit hours (six courses) in a semester. To obtain the BBA (Honors) degree in four years, they need to complete twelve courses in a year. A full load of six courses can be taken each in Fall and Spring semesters with an option for fewer courses in the latter and making up for the shortfall in the summer session.

### **Business Core Courses**

ACC101 Introduction to Financial Accounting

ACC201 Intermediate Financial Accounting

FIN201 Introduction to Business Finance

FIN202 Financial Management

MAN302 Organizational Behavior

HRM301 Human Resource Management

MIS402 Computer Concepts and Applications

BDS101 Introduction to Data Sciences

SCM501 Supply Chain Management

SCM400 Introduction to ERP

ISF101 Introduction to Islamic Banking & Finance

ISF201 Islamic Financial Accounting

MKT201 Marketing Management (Level 1)

MKT404 Methods in Business Research

ENT201 Entrepreneurial Society & Social Impact

ENT202 Entrepreneurial Business Operations

### **Distribution Courses**

MAN101 Principles of Management

MAN309 Leadership Journey

ECO402 Pakistan Economic Policy

MAN405 Strategic Management

SSC401 Business Ethics

LAW409 Corporate & Business Law

**Major – 11 courses**

**Minor – 2 courses**



## Elective Courses

### Accounting

ACC302	Accounting and Financial Information Systems
ACC350	Cost & Mgmt. Accounting (Compulsory elective)
ACC405	Internal Audit & EDP Accounting
ACC501	Advanced Financial Accounting
ACC503	Taxation (Compulsory Elective)
ACC505	Auditing
ACC520	Managerial Analysis & Decision Making
ACC521	International Financial Reporting Standards
ACC524	Corporate Governance & Reporting
ACC533	Accounting for Specialized Businesses
ACC534	International Financial Reporting Standards II
ACC535	Sustainable Accounting Practices
ACC546	Budgeting & Performance Reporting
ACC591	Capstone Project
LAW202	Banking Laws in Pakistan
LAW203	Insurance Laws in Pakistan

### Data Sciences

BDS150	Programming Fundamentals (Compulsory elective)
CSC217	Introduction to Database (Compulsory elective)
BDS301	Data Mining
BDS401	Data Visualization
BDS403	Big Data and Analytics
BDS404	Machine Learning
BDS411	Time Series Analysis & Forecasting
BDS412	Business Analytics
BDS414	Game Theory
BDS416	Introduction to Data Warehousing
BDS417	Artificial Intelligence
MIS591	Capstone Project

### Finance & Banking

FIN301	Financial Institutions (Compulsory elective)
FIN503	Corporate Finance (Compulsory elective)
FIN504	International Finance
FIN505	Treasury & Fund Management
FIN507	Portfolio Management
FIN509	Financial Derivatives
FIN511	Analysis of Financial Statements
FIN513	Project Appraisal
FIN520	Financial Risk Management
FIN530	Commercial & Corporate Banking
FIN534	Retail & Consumer Banking
FIN541	Technical Analysis
FIN542	Financial Forecasting & Planning
FIN544	FINTECH & Digital Finance
FIN546	Budgeting & Performance Reporting
FIN591	Capstone Project

### Human Resource Management

HRM501	Recruitment & Selection (Compulsory elective)
HRM503	Employee Training & Development
HRM504	Negotiation Skills
HRM505	Organization Change & Development
HRM508	Salary & Compensation
HRM511	Performance Appraisal & Management
HRM513	HR Automation (Compulsory elective)
HRM514	Occupational Health & Safety
HRM515	Employee Engagement & Wellbeing
HRM516	Career Planning & Management
HRM517	Digital Recruitment & Gamification
HRM518	HR for Startups & SMEs
HRM519	E Learning Instructional Design
HRM521	Workforce Planning & Analytics
HRM522	Employment & Industrial Law
HRM523	Internal Communication & Employer Branding
HRM591	Capstone Project

### Islamic Banking and Finance

ISF501	Economics for Islamic Finance
ISF502	Shariah Foundations of Business and Finance (Compulsory elective)
ISF503	Islamic Banking Deposit Products & Treasury Op.
ISF504	Islamic Banking Financing Products
ISF505	Islamic Business Ethics
ISF506	Shariah Standards
ISF507	Pool Management in Islamic Banking (Compulsory elective)
ISF508	Islamic Financial Institutions & Markets
ISF509	Islamic Law of Sales & Contract
ISF510	Takaful Practices in Islamic Finance
ISF511	Islamic Wealth Planning & Management
ISF591	Capstone Project

### Logistics and Supply Chain Management

SCM505	Storage and Warehouse Techniques (Compulsory)
SCM506	Transportation Techniques and Management
SCM523	Import Export Management
SCM536	Supply Chain Design
SCM537	Supply Chain Analytics
SCM538	Supply Chain Finance and Costing
SCM539	Supply Chain I4.0 & Data Sciences
SCM540	Supply Chain Technology, Systems and Innovation
SCM541	Operational Research and Simulation
SCM542	Procurement Management
SCM551	Quantitative Methods in Production and Logistics
SCM553	Packaging Design and Environmental Aspects
SCM591	Capstone Project
INM203	Introduction to Production Management (Compulsory)
INM304	Introduction to Project Management



## Marketing

MKT403	Sales Management (compulsory elective)
MKT506	International Marketing
MKT507	Services Marketing
MKT508	Personal Selling
MKT509	Consumer Behavior
MKT510	Direct and Digital Marketing
MKT511	Brand Management (compulsory elective)
MKT513	Media Planning
MKT520	Merchandising and Sales Promotion
MKT521	Distribution and Channel Management
MKT526	Public Relations and Event Management
MKT530	New Product Management
MKT531	Retail Management
MKT532	Principles of Advertising
MKT533	Marketing Strategies for Bottom of Pyramid
MKT537	Customer Relationship Management
MKT539	Entrepreneurial Marketing
MKT540	Artificial Intelligence in Marketing Facing Functions
MKT541	Marketing for Hospitality and Tourism

## Organizational Entrepreneurship

ENT401	Seminar in Org. Entrepreneurship (Compulsory)
ENT402	Intro. to Design Thinking Methodology (Compulsory)
ENT501	Cost Effective Design and Innovation
ENT502	Green Entrepreneurship
ENT503	Competitive Strategies for Startups
ENT504	Scalability & Sustainability in Startups
ENT505	Establishing Startup Ecosystem
ENT506	Innovative Internet Based Business Models
ENT507	Stakeholder Analysis
ENT591	Capstone Project

## Course Structure

<b>Semester One</b> Introduction to Psychology Principles of Micro Economics Business Mathematics Islamic Studies Academic English Principles of Management	<b>Semester Two</b> History of Ideas Principles of Macro Economics Quantitative Techniques in Business Foreign Language I Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication Introduction to Financial Accounting
<b>Semester Three</b> Entrepreneurial Society & Social Impact Marketing Management (Level 1) Foreign Language II Pakistan Studies Business & Professional Speech Intermediate Financial Accounting	<b>Semester Four</b> Organizational Behavior Entrepreneurial Business Operations Supply Chain Management Computer Concepts & Applications Introduction to Islamic Banking & Finance Introduction to Business Finance
<b>Semester Five</b> Human Resource Management Methods in Business Research Introduction to ERP Introduction to Data Sciences Islamic Financial Accounting Financial Management	<b>Semester Six</b> Leadership Journey Major 1 (compulsory elective) Major II (compulsory elective) Major III Major IV Major V
<b>Semester Seven</b> Pakistan Economic Policy Major VI Major VII Minor I (compulsory elective) Minor II (compulsory elective) Business Ethics	<b>Semester Eight</b> Major VIII Major IX Major X Major XI (Capstone) Strategic Management Corporate & Business Law



## BS (JOINT) HONORS IN ECONOMICS & FINANCE

BS (Joint) Honors in Economics and Finance is a joint program of CBM and CESD, prepares graduates for professional careers in economics and finance in the corporate sector, financial sector and public sector regulatory and planning organizations. It requires the completion of 144 credit hours of course work and relevant internship of at least nine weeks in an approved firm. The program offers 66 credit hours of business and social sciences courses with an intensive coverage of 78 credit hours of Economics and Finance related courses designed to develop well-rounded professionals regarded as “go-getters” in industry. Graduates of this program are usually recruited as Economists and Financial Analysts in reputable financial institutions across the country.

Students are required to complete 13 general education courses in the first four semesters otherwise student will not be allowed to proceed to the fifth semester. Four hours of lab session are required every week for four semesters to complete the requirement to graduate. BS (Eco and Fin) is a double major program in which students are required to take 6 major elective courses of Economics and 6 major elective courses of Finance.

### General Education Courses

SSC101 Introduction to Psychology  
SSC301 History of Ideas  
SSC401 Business Ethics  
LAW409 Corporate & Business Law  
MTH102 Business Mathematics  
STA203 Probability Theory & Statistics  
COM107 Academic English  
COM205 Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication  
COM202 Business & Professional Speech  
REL101 Islamic Studies  
PSC301 Pakistan Studies

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MTH100 Basic Mathematics \*\*\*

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## Core Courses

### Economics

- ECO101 Principles of Micro Economics
- ECO102 Principles of Macro Economics
- ECO301 Managerial Economics
- ECO303 Financial Economics
- ECO316 Macroeconomic Analysis
- ECO304 Introduction to Econometrics
- ECO506 Business Research Project

### Finance

- FIN201 Introduction to Business Finance
- FIN202 Financial Management
- FIN301 Financial Institution
- FIN503 Corporate Finance
- FIN613 Financial Modeling for Decision Making
- ISF101 Introduction to Islamic Banking & Finance
- FIN537 Business Research Project

### Distribution Courses

- MAN306 Introduction to Management & Organizational Behavior
- MAN309 Leadership Journey
- ECO402 Pakistan Economic Policy
- MAN405 Strategic Management
- MIS402 Computer Concepts and Application
- MKT201 Marketing Management (Level 1)
- ACC101 Introduction to Financial Accounting
- ACC201 Intermediate Financial Accounting
- STA301 Model and Inferences

## Major Elective Courses

### Economics Major Electives 6

- ECO206 Mathematical Economics
- ECO207 Game Theory
- ECO208 Development Economics
- ECO302 International Trade & Globalization
- ECO307 Monetary Theory & Policy
- ECO311 General Welfare & Equilibrium
- ECO322 Applied Econometrics
- ECO407 Analysis of Pakistani Industries
- ECO411 Islamic Economics
- ECO412 Public Finance

### Finance Major Electives 6

- FIN504 International Finance
- FIN505 Treasury & Fund Management
- FIN507 Portfolio Management
- FIN509 Financial Derivatives
- FIN511 Analysis of Financial Statements
- FIN513 Project Appraisal
- FIN520 Financial Risk Management
- FIN530 Commercial & Corporate Banking
- FIN534 Retail & Consumer Banking
- FIN541 Technical Analysis
- FIN542 Financial Forecasting & Planning
- FIN544 FINTEH & Digital Finance
- FIN546 Budgeting & Performance Reporting



## Course Structure

<p><b>Semester One</b>            Introduction to Psychology            Islamic Studies            Business Mathematics            Business Ethics            Academic English            Principles of Micro Economics</p>	<p><b>Semester Two</b>            Principles of Macro Economics            Foreign Language I            Probability Theory &amp; Statistics            Corporate &amp; Business Law            Persuasive &amp; Analytical Writing for Business Communication            Introduction to Financial Accounting</p>
<p><b>Semester Three</b>            History of Ideas            Model &amp; Inferences            Foreign Language II            Pakistan Studies            Business &amp; Professional Speech            Intermediate Financial Accounting</p>	<p><b>Semester Four</b>            Computer Concepts and Application            Macroeconomic Analysis            Introduction to Management &amp; Organizational Behavior            Managerial Economics            Introduction to Econometrics            Introduction to Business Finance</p>
<p><b>Semester Five</b>            Financial Economics            Financial Institutions            Economics Elective I            Economics Elective II            Marketing Management (Level 1)            Financial Management</p>	<p><b>Semester Six</b>            Leadership Journey            Economics Elective III            Economics Elective IV            Economics Elective V            Introduction to Islamic Banking and Finance            Corporate Finance</p>
<p><b>Semester Seven</b>            Pakistan Economic Policy            Financial Modeling for Decision Making            Finance Elective I            Economics Elective VI            Business Research Project (Economics)            Finance Elective II</p>	<p><b>Semester Eight</b>            Finance Elective III            Finance Elective IV            Finance Elective V            Finance Elective VI            Strategic Management            Business Research Project (Finance)</p>

## BS (JOINT) HONORS IN ACCOUNTING & FINANCE

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Students are required to complete 13 general education courses in first four semesters otherwise the student will not be allowed to proceed to the fifth semester. Four hours of lab session are required every week for four semesters in order to complete the requirement to graduate. BS (ACF) is a double major program in which students are required to take six major elective courses of Accounting and 6 major elective courses of Finance.

Students of this program can avail up to eight module exemption in ACCA from ACCA Accelerated Program with IoBM. The curriculum is also mapped with CFA Institute USA. Students can avail CFA scholarship given under the University Affiliation Program of CFA Institute. Furthermore, ICAP recognizes IoBM as Relevant Degree Awarding Institute (RDA) enabling students to get exemption from all four papers of Assessment of Fundamental Competencies (AFC) and the first four papers of Certificate in Accounting and Finance (CAF).

### General Education Courses

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SSC301 History of Ideas  
SSC401 Business Ethics  
LAW409 Corporate & Business Law  
MTH102 Business Mathematics  
STA203 Probability Theory & Statistics  
COM107 Academic English  
COM205 Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication  
COM202 Business & Professional Speech  
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## Core Courses

### Accounting

ACC101	Introduction to Financial Accounting
ACC201	Intermediate Financial Accounting
ACC350	Cost & Management Accounting
ACC503	Taxation
ACC530	Financial Regulation & Reporting
ISF201	Islamic Financial Accounting
ACC531	Business Research Project

### Finance

FIN201	Introduction to Business Finance
FIN202	Financial Management
FIN301	Financial Institution
FIN503	Corporate Finance
FIN613	Financial Modeling for Decision Making
ISF101	Introduction to Islamic Banking & Finance
FIN537	Business Research Project

### Distribution Courses

MAN306	Introduction to Management & Organizational Behavior
MAN309	Leadership Journey
ECO402	Pakistan Economic Policy
MAN405	Strategic Management
MIS402	Computer Concepts and Application
MKT201	Marketing Management (Level 1)
ECO101	Principles of Micro Economics
ECO102	Principles of Macro Economics
STA301	Model and Inferences

## Major Elective Courses

### Accounting Major Electives 6

ACC302	Accounting and Financial Information Systems
ACC405	Internal Audit and EDP Accounting
ACC501	Advanced Financial Accounting
ACC505	Auditing
ACC520	Managerial Analysis and Decision Making
ACC521	International Financial Reporting Standards
ACC524	Corporate Governance and Reporting
ACC533	Accounting for Specialized Businesses
ACC534	International Financial Reporting Standards II
ACC535	Sustainable Accounting Practices
LAW202	Banking Laws in Pakistan
LAW203	Insurance Laws in Pakistan

### Finance Major Electives 6

FIN504	International Finance
FIN505	Treasury & Fund Management
FIN507	Portfolio Management
FIN509	Financial Derivatives
FIN511	Analysis of Financial Statements
FIN513	Project Appraisal
FIN520	Financial Risk Management
FIN530	Commercial & Corporate Banking
FIN534	Retail & Consumer Banking
FIN541	Technical Analysis
FIN542	Financial Forecasting & Planning
FIN544	FINTECH & Digital Finance
FIN546	Budgeting & Performance Reporting

## Course Structure

<p><b>Semester One</b>            Introduction to Psychology            Islamic Studies            Business Mathematics            Business Ethics            Academic English            Principles of Micro Economics</p>	<p><b>Semester Two</b>            History of Ideas            Foreign Language I            Probability Theory &amp; Statistics            Corporate &amp; Business Law            Persuasive &amp; Analytical Writing for Business Communication            Introduction to Financial Accounting</p>
<p><b>Semester Three</b>            Principles of Macro Economics            Computer Concepts and Application            Foreign Language II            Pakistan Studies            Business &amp; Professional Speech            Intermediate Financial Accounting</p>	<p><b>Semester Four</b>            Introduction to Management &amp; Organizational Behavior            Cost and Management Accounting            Taxation            Financial Regulation and Reporting            Model &amp; Inferences            Introduction to Business Finance</p>
<p><b>Semester Five</b>            Marketing Management (Level 1)            Financial Institutions            Accounting Elective I            Accounting Elective II            Accounting Elective III            Financial Management</p>	<p><b>Semester Six</b>            Leadership Journey            Accounting Elective IV            Accounting Elective V            Accounting Elective VI            Introduction to Islamic Banking and Finance            Corporate Finance</p>
<p><b>Semester Seven</b>            Pakistan Economic Policy            Financial Modeling for Decision Making            Finance Elective I            Islamic Financial Accounting            Business Research Project (Accounting)            Finance Elective II</p>	<p><b>Semester Eight</b>            Finance Elective III            Finance Elective IV            Finance Elective V            Finance Elective VI            Strategic Management            Business Research Project (Finance)</p>

## BS ENTREPRENEURSHIP

The BS Entrepreneurship program is designed to take the students through various stages of the entrepreneurial and intrapreneurial process, the end-product of which would be a functioning enterprise. The program is designed to develop thought leaders with entrepreneurial spirit that can lead to the creation of new ventures within and outside existing enterprises. After completing the program, students would have designed, launched and managed their entrepreneurial ventures through the stages of ideation, networking, experimentation, execution, breakeven, growth, and investment. Students explore each of these stages through multiple courses using the project-based learning approach. Graduates of this program will be expected to become job creators, and would have to practice creativity, innovation and design with real projects, entrepreneurial ventures, and in real-life environments.

It requires completion of 144 credit hours of course work in a total of eight semesters or four years and relevant internship of at least nine weeks in an approved firm. The program offers 66 credit hours of business and social sciences courses with intensive coverage of 78 credit hours of Entrepreneurship and Social Entrepreneurship. Students are required to complete 13 general education courses in first four semesters otherwise the student will not be allowed to proceed to the fifth semester. Four hours of lab session are required every week for four semesters in order to complete the requirement to graduate. The program is based on a stage-wise transition of thematic semesters containing courses and projects that facilitate the entire entrepreneurial process. Each semester represents a stepping-stone, having embedded with courses from various business domains that revolve around an underlying business project.

### General Education Courses

SSC101 Introduction to Psychology  
SSC301 History of Ideas  
ECO101 Principles of Microeconomics  
ECO102 Principles of Macroeconomics  
MTH102 Business Mathematics  
STA104 Quantitative Techniques in Business  
COM107 Academic English  
COM202 Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication  
COM205 Business & Professional Speech  
REL101 Islamic Studies  
PSC301 Pakistan Studies

LAN 10\* Foreign Language I

LAN 20\*\* Foreign Language II

\*1 = Introduction to Arabic      \*2 = Introduction to French

\*4 = Introduction to German      \*6 = Introduction to Italian

\*8 = Introduction to Chinese

\*\*1 = Intermediate Arabic      \*\*2 = Intermediate French

\*\*4 = Intermediate German      \*\*6 = Intermediate Italian

\*\*8 = Intermediate Chinese

Students must take a minimum load of twelve credit hours (four courses) or a maximum load of eighteen credit hours (six courses) in a semester. To obtain the BS (Entrepreneurship) degree in four years, they need to complete twelve courses in a year. A full load of six courses can be taken each in Fall and Spring semesters with an option for fewer courses in the latter and making up for the shortfall in the summer session.

## Entrepreneurship Core Courses

ENP113	Effectuation Methods and Attributes Analysis
ENP114	Startup Garage I: Business Model Generation
ENP112	Startup Garage II: Affordable Startup Design
ENP103	System, Disruptive and Exponential Thinking
ENP206	Startup Garage III: Business Idea Prototyping
SEL415	Social Advocacy and Change
ENP305	Process Optimization
ENP212	Lean Launchpad I: Startup Launch
SCM501	Supply Chain Management
ENP306	Lean Launch Pad II: Startup Risk Mitigation
ENP414	Capstone I: Startup Acceleration & Co-creation
SEL413	Visual Storytelling
MKT404	Methods in Business Research
ENP116	Introduction to Entrepreneurship
ENP308	Legal Business Structures for Startups

## Distribution Courses

MAN101	Principles of Management
MKT201	Marketing Management (Level 1)
HRM301	Human Resource Management
MAN405	Strategic Management
SSC401	Business Ethics
SSC104	Principles of Sociology

## Entrepreneurship Major Electives

ENP207	Lean Marketing for Startups
ENP211	Digital Development for Startups
ENP301	Customer Acquisition for Startups
ENP210	Gig Economy and Strategy
ENP307	Growth Hacking Strategies for startups
ENP407	Advanced Entrepreneurial Strategy
SEL213	Philosophy of Development
SEL313	Social Transformation
SEL314	Creativity & Aesthetics
SEL414	Human Centricism, Environmental & Surrounding Concerns
ENP304	Sustainable Family Business
ENP404	Modes of Exchange

## Course Structure

<b>Semester One</b> Academic English Business Mathematics Islamic Studies Principles of Microeconomics History of Ideas Introduction to Entrepreneurship	<b>Semester Two</b> Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication Quantitative Techniques in Business Principles of Management Pakistan Studies Principles of Macroeconomics Effectuation Methods and Attributes Analysis
<b>Semester Three</b> Business and Professional Speech Human Resource Management Introduction to Psychology Foreign Language I Fundamentals of Accounting Startup Garage I: Business Model Generation	<b>Semester Four</b> Foreign Language II Fundamentals of Finance Marketing Management (Level 1) System, Disruptive and Exponential Thinking Introduction to Sociology Startup Garage II: Affordable Startup Design
<b>Semester Five</b> Social Advocacy and Change Process Optimization Strategic Management Elective I Elective II Startup Garage III: Business Idea Prototyping	<b>Semester Six</b> Business Ethics Supply Chain Management Elective III Elective IV Elective V Lean Launchpad I: Startup Launch
<b>Semester Seven</b> Elective VI Elective VII Elective VIII Legal Structures of Startups Business Research Methods Lean Launch Pad II: Startup Risk Mitigation	<b>Semester Eight</b> Elective IX Elective X Elective XI Elective XII Visual Storytelling Capstone: Startup Acceleration & Co-creation



## BS INDUSTRIAL MANAGEMENT

The BS Industrial Management degree program is a professional management degree program that prepares graduates to work in the manufacturing and process industries, contributing to the efficiency and streamlining of industrial processes. They study MRP, supply chain management, project management, industrial health, inventory management, quality, safety, and environmental issues. Our graduates will contribute to the growth of industry through various skills such as management, computer applications, supply chain management, project management, industrial health and safety, and so on after completing this program. In addition, students' entrepreneurial skills are given special attention. Another noteworthy aspect of this program is the continuous provision of hands-on training facilities in industrial units, which blends theory with practical experience.

The BS industrial management program requires 144 credit hours of course work and a minimum of nine weeks of internship in a reputable industrial organization. To fulfill the degree requirements, students must complete 48 courses worth 3 credit hours each. To graduate, students must maintain a CGPA of 2.5.

Students are required to complete 13 general education courses in first four semesters otherwise the student will not be allowed to proceed to the fifth semester. Four hours of lab session are required every week for four semesters in order to complete the requirement to graduate. Apart from core courses, students are required to take six major elective courses and two projects.

### General Education Courses

SSC101 Introduction to Psychology  
SSC301 History of Ideas  
INM306 Social and Ethical Aspects in Industrialization  
INM103 Industrial Economics  
MTH103 Calculus for Business Decisions  
STA204 Industrial Applications of Statistics  
COM107 Academic English  
COM202 Business Speech  
COM205 Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Comm.  
PSC301 Pakistan Studies  
(Pre req: COM107)  
REL101 Islamic Studies

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MTH100 Basic Mathematics \*\*\*  
COM100 Foundation English\*\*\*

(\*\*\* Remedial non-credit course to be taken by those students who have not been able to reach the desired level of competence in the admission test.)

Students must take a minimum load of twelve credit hours (four courses) or a maximum load of eighteen credit hours (six courses) in a semester. To obtain the B.S Industrial Management degree in four years, they need to complete twelve courses in a year. A full load of six courses can be taken each in Fall and Spring semesters with an option for fewer courses in the latter and making up for the shortfall in the summer session.





## Subject Foundation Core courses

- INM101 Production Process (Pre req NA)
- INM102 Industrial Safety & Health (Pre req INM 101)
- INM104 Fundamentals of quality (Pre req NA)
- INM105 Introduction to Industrial management (Pre req NA)
- INM106 Foundation of Industrial Design and thinking (Pre req INM 101)
- INM201 Methods Analysis and Time Study (Pre req: INM101 & INM 105)
- INM202 Energy Management (Pre req NA)
- INM203 Introduction to Production & Operation Management (Pre req: INM105)
- INM204 Ergonomics (Pre req: INM201)

## Distribution Courses

- ACC101 Fundamentals of Accounting
- MIS104 Computer Programming & Graphics
- FIN201 Fundamentals of Finance
- SSC202 Environmental studies
- MAN306 Introduction to Management & Organizational Behavior
- MAN309 Leadership journey
- MKT201 Marketing management (Level 1)
- MAN405 Strategic management
- SSC401 Business Ethics

## Subject Major Core Courses

- INM 301 Introduction to Facility Planning & Layout (Pre req: INM203)
- INM 303 Introduction to Planning and Scheduling (Pre req: INM203)
- INM 304 Introduction to Project Management (Pre req: INM203)
- INM 305 Inventory Management and Lean Six Sigma (Pre req: INM203)
- INM 307 Business Forecasting & Risk Analysis (Pre req: INM303)
- INM 308 Industrial Transformation and Technical Changes (Pre req: INM203)
- INM 401 Industrial supply chain management
- INM 402 Industrial Quality practices and management (Pre req: INM104)
- INM 404 Managing Research and Innovation (Pre req NA)

## Industrial Management Electives- (6 Courses)

- INM404 Introduction to Enterprise Life Cycle Mgmt.
- INM405 Technology Management
- INM406 Operation Research
- INM407 Enterprise Risk Management
- INM408 Procurement Management
- INM409 Production Planning & Control
- INM412 Integrated Manufacturing Systems
- INM413 Manufacturing Processes
- INM414 E-Commerce for Manufacturing Industries

## Project: 2

- INM501 Project I
- INM502 Project II



## Course Structure

<b>Semester One</b> Academic English Introduction to Psychology Islamic Studies Production Processes Introduction to Industrial Management Fundamentals of Quality	<b>Semester Two</b> History of Ideas Calculus for Business Decisions Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication Foreign Language I Foundations of Industrial Design Thinking Social and Ethical Aspects in Industrialization
<b>Semester Three</b> Pakistan Studies Industrial Applications of Statistics Foreign Language II Business & Professional Speech Methods Analysis and Time Study Industrial Economics	<b>Semester Four</b> Principles of Management and OB Environmental Studies Business Ethics Introduction to Production & Operation Management Ergonomics Industrial Safety & Health
<b>Semester Five</b> Marketing Management (Level 1) Fundamentals of Finance Computer Programming & Graphics Leadership Journey Energy Management Introduction to Facility Planning and Layout	<b>Semester Six</b> Strategic Management Industrial Transformation and Technical Changes Inventory Management and Lean Six Sigma Fundamentals of accounting Introduction to Project Management Introduction to Planning and Scheduling
<b>Semester Seven</b> Business Forecasting & Risk Analysis Industrial Supply Chain Management Project I Elective I Elective II Elective III	<b>Semester Eight</b> Industrial Quality Practices and Management Managing Research and Innovation Project II Elective IV Elective V Elective VI

## BS (JOINT) HONORS LOGISTICS AND SUPPLY CHAIN

BS (Joint) Honors in Logistics and Supply Chain prepares graduates for professional careers in Logistics and Supply Chain in the corporate sectors. It requires the completion of 144 credit hours of course work and relevant internship of at least nine weeks in an approved firm. The program offers 66 credit hours of business and social sciences courses with intensive coverage of 78 credit hours of Logistics and Supply Chain related courses designed to develop well-rounded professionals who are regarded as go-getters in the industry. Graduates of this program are usually recruited in the fields of supply chain design, supply chain management, supply chain analysis, warehousing, distribution management, data analytics, Logistics management, ERP systems designs, ERP implementation and operations, production and operations, as well as other fields related to Logistics and Supply Chain offered by corporate institutions.

Students are required to complete 13 general education courses in first four semesters otherwise the student will not be allowed to proceed to the fifth semester. Four hours of lab session are required every week for four semesters in order to complete the requirement to graduate. BS (LSCM) is a double major program in which students are required to take six major elective courses of logistics and 6 major elective courses of supply chain.

In a BS (Joint) Honors – Logistics and Supply Chain, students explore multiple aspects of Logistics and Supply Chain activities of various corporations. This program employs the latest approaches in experiential learning to develop skills for interpersonal communication, team work, foreign languages and managing diversity.

### General Education Courses

SSC101 Introduction to Psychology  
SSC301 History of Ideas  
SSC401 Business Ethics  
LAW409 Corporate & Business Law  
MTH102 Business Mathematics  
STA203 Probability Theory & Statistics  
COM107 Academic English  
COM205 Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication  
COM202 Business & Professional Speech  
REL101 Islamic Studies  
PSC301 Pakistan Studies  
LAN 10\* Foreign Language I  
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\*1 = Introduction to Arabic      \*2 = Introduction to French

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MTH100 Basic Mathematics \*\*\*

COM100 Foundation English\*\*\*

*(\*\*\* Remedial non-credit course to be taken by those students who have not been able to reach the desired level of competence in the admission test.)*

Students must take a minimum load of twelve credit hours (four courses) or a maximum load of eighteen credit hours (six courses) in a semester. To obtain the BBA (Honors) degree in four years, they need to complete twelve courses in a year. A full load of six courses can be taken each in Fall and Spring semesters with an option for fewer courses in the latter and making up for the shortfall in the summer session.



## Supply Chain Core Courses

SCM101 Essentials of Supply Chain Management  
 SCM250 Introduction to ERP Systems  
 SCM251 Supply Chain Design  
 SCM312 Supply Chain Analytics  
 SCM351 Procurement Management  
 SCM355 Supply Chain Project Management  
 SCM411 Business Research Project (Supply Chain)

## Logistics Core Courses

LOG201 Logistics and Operations Management  
 LOG250 Transportation Techniques and Management  
 LOG255 Fundamentals in Logistics Research  
 LOG300 Storage and Warehouse Techniques  
 LOG400 Import Export Management  
 LOG410 Distribution Management in Logistics and Supply Chain  
 LOG450 Business Research Project (Logistics)

## Distribution Courses

MAN306 Principles of Management and Organizational Behavior  
 MAN309 Leadership Journey  
 ECO402 Pakistan Economic Policy  
 MAN405 Strategic Management  
 MIS402 Computer Concepts and Application  
 MKT302 Marketing Management  
 ECO409 Business Economics  
 ACC206 Fundamentals of Accounting  
 FIN310 Fundamentals of Finance

## Supply Chain Major Electives – 6

SCM509 Supply Chain Finance and Costing  
 SCM525 Supply Chain Technology, Systems and Innovation  
 SCM533 Globalization and Outsourcing Strategies  
 SCM518 Packaging Design and Environmental Aspects  
 SCM560 E-business Strategies in SCM  
 SCM561 Operational Research and Simulation  
 SCM562 Managing Sustainable Supply Chain  
 SCM563 Supply Chain i4.0 & Data Sciences

## Logistics Major Electives – 6

LOG501 Risk Management in Distribution Networks  
 LOG502 Lean Six Sigma and Lean Manufacturing  
 LOG503 Shipping, Ocean Freights, and Port Operations  
 LOG504 Humanitarian Logistics Supply Chain Management  
 LOG505 Reverse Logistics and Supply Chain Sustainability  
 LOG506 Retail Management  
 LOG507 Dock Mgmt. Systems & IT Applications in Logistics  
 LOG508 Inventory Management

## Course Structure

<b>Semester One</b> Introduction to Psychology Islamic Studies Business Mathematics Business Ethics Academic English Business Economics	<b>Semester Two</b> History of Ideas Foreign Language I Probability Theory & Statistics Corporate & Business Law Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication Essentials of Supply Chain Management	<b>Semester Three</b> Fundamentals of Accounting Computer Concepts and Application Foreign Language II Pakistan Studies Business & Professional Speech Logistics and Operations Management
<b>Semester Four</b> Principles of Mgmt. & Org. Behavior Introduction to ERP Systems Supply Chain Design Transportation Techniques and Mgmt. Fundamentals of Finance Fundamentals in Logistics Research	<b>Semester Five</b> Marketing Management (Level 1) Storage and Warehouse Techniques Supply Chain Analytics Supply Chain Elective I Supply Chain Elective II Supply Chain Elective III	<b>Semester Six</b> Leadership Journey Procurement Management Supply Chain Project Management Supply Chain Elective IV Supply Chain Elective V Supply Chain Elective VI
<b>Semester Seven</b> Pakistan Economic Policy Import Export Management Distribution Management in Logistics & Supply Chain Logistics Elective I Business Research Project (Supply Chain) Logistics Elective II	<b>Semester Eight</b> Logistics Elective III Logistics Elective IV Logistics Elective V Logistics Elective VI Strategic Management Business Research Project (Logistics)	

## BS (HONORS) ACCOUNTANCY, MANAGEMENT AND LAW

The BS (Hons) Accountancy, Management, and Law program is an innovative and dynamic qualification that incorporates the disciplines of Accounting, Finance, Business Management, and Law, strengthening the potential and setting up for success in the corporate world. The program designs to provide young graduates with opportunities to acquire academic degrees and professional certification from Accountancy bodies with international and national charters. Two world-renowned accountancy bodies accredited the program: The Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan (ICAP) and the Association of Chartered Certified Accountants (ACCA), United Kingdom.

AML is getting 9 exemptions out of 13 from ACCA with an exceptional condition to attempt the remaining four papers in their last year of the degree program. The Institute of chartered accountants of Pakistan gives exemptions in 5 papers of Pre-Requisite Competencies (PRC) and four papers of Certificate in Accounting & Finance (CAF). The students can pursue Chartered Accountancy alongside their degree program and register in articles.

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|------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1. Business and Technology (BT)    | 2. Financial Accounting (FA) | 3. Management Accounting (MA) |
| 4. Corporate and Business Law (LW) | 5. Taxation (TX)             | 6. Financial Reporting (FR)   |
| 7. Performance Management (PM)     | 8. Financial Management (FM) | 9. Audit and Assurance (AA)   |

It requires completion of 144 credit hours of course work and internship of at least six weeks in a firm approved by the College. Students may take a maximum of six courses in Fall/Spring semester. This program will lead to an MBA or a professional accountancy qualification.

### Career Options

- Auditors/Accountant      - Tax Consultants      - Compliance Managers      - Financial Analysts      - Banking/Treasury

### Required Courses

#### Accounting

- ACC104 Accounting Principles (ICAP-CAF-1, ACCA-F3)
- ACC205 Intermediary Accounting (ICAP-CAF-5, ACCA-F3)
- ACC207 Principles of Taxation (ICAP – CAF-6, ACCA-F6)
- ACC208 Cost Accounting (ICAP – CAF-8, ACCA-F2)
- ACC309 Auditing 1: Conceptual Foundations of Auditing (ICAP – CAF-9, ACCA-F8)
- ACC310 Management Accounting & Decision Making (ICAP – CAF-8, ACCA-F5)
- ACC311 Financial Reporting (ICAP – CAF-5 & CAF-7, ACCA-F3)
- ACC313 Intermediary Financial Reporting (ICAP – CAF-7, ACCA-F7)
- ACC314 Advance Taxation (ICAP – CAF-6, ACCA-F6)
- ACC315 Auditing-II: The Practice of Auditing (ICAP – CAF-9, ACCA-F8)
- ACC403 Strategic Performance Measurement & Evaluation (ACCA-F5)
- ACC404 Islamic Accounting and Reporting
- ACC406 Internal Audit, Control, and governance (ICAP – CAF-9, ACCA-F8)
- ACC408 Advanced Audit and Assurance (ICAP – CAF-9, ACCA-F8)
- ACC409 Strategic financial reporting (ICAP – CAF-7, ACCA-F7)

#### Expository Writing/Communication

- COM107 Academic English
- COM205 Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication
- COM202 Business & Professional Speech

#### Civilized Studies

- REL101 Islamic Studies
- PSC301 Pakistan Studies

#### Finance

- FIN203 Principles to Business Finance (ACCA-F9)
- FIN204 Theory of Business Finance (ACCA-F9)
- FIN312 Islamic Finance: Principles and Practice
- FIN405 Applied Business Finance (ACCA-F9)

#### Management

- MAN306 Intro. to Mgmt. & Org. Behavior (ACCA-BT)
- MAN309 Leadership Journey (ACCA-BT)
- HRM301 Human Resource Management
- MAN405 Strategic Management

#### Marketing

- MKT201 Marketing Management (Level-1)



## Economics

ECO107 Fundamentals of Microeconomics (ICAP-CAF-2, ACCA-F1)  
ECO201 Fundamentals of Macroeconomics (ICAP-CAF-2, ACCA-F1)

## LAW

LAW105 Mercantile Law (ICAP-CAF-3, ACCA-F4)  
LAW106 Company Law & Secretarial Practices (ICAP-CAF-3, ACCA-F4)  
LAW202 Banking Laws in Pakistan  
LAW302 Intellectual Property laws  
LAW407 Statutory Compliance  
LAW408 Consumer Protection Act & Electronic Crimes Law

## Languages

LAN 10\* Foreign Language I

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\*8 = Introduction to Chinese

## Management Information Systems

MIS402 Computer concepts and application (ICAP-AFC-4)  
MIS404 Introduction to ERP systems

## Reasoning

MTH102 Business Mathematics  
STA104 Quantitative Techniques in Business

## Social Sciences

SSC103 Behavioral Studies (ICAP -CAF-4, ACCA-F1)  
SSC401 Business Ethics (ICAP -AFC-2, ACCA-F1)

## Project

ACC407 Final Year Project

## Research

RES401 Research Methodology

## Course Structure

<b>Semester One</b> Academic English Business Mathematics Islamic Studies Fundamentals of Microeconomics Accounting Principles Mercantile Law	<b>Semester Two</b> Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication Quantitative Techniques in Business Pakistan Studies Fundamentals of Macroeconomics Intermediary Accounting Introduction to Management & Organization Behavior
<b>Semester Three</b> Environmental Studies Introduction to Management & Organizational Behavior Principles of Business Finance Behavioral Studies Company Law and Secretarial Practices Business & Professional Speech	<b>Semester Four</b> Cost Accounting Principle of Marketing Theory of Business Finance Computer Concepts and Application Principle of Taxation Business Ethics
<b>Semester Five</b> Auditing 1: Conceptual Foundations of Auditing Banking Laws in Pakistan Management Accounting for Decision making Human Resource Management Financial Reporting Introduction to a Foreign Language	<b>Semester Six</b> Auditing-II: The Practice of Auditing Statutory Compliance Intellectual Property Laws Intermediary Financial Reporting Islamic Finance: Principles and Practice Advance Taxation
<b>Semester Seven</b> Strategic Performance Measurement and evaluation Leadership Journey Islamic Accounting and Reporting Internal Audit, Control, and governance Consumer Protection Act & Electronic Crimes Law Research Methodology	<b>Semester Eight</b> Advance Audit and Assurance Strategic Financial Reporting Strategic Management Applied Business Finance Final Year Project Introduction to ERP Systems

## MBA PROGRAM

MBA program is designed to produce transformational, ethical and change leadership for businesses and industry through an integrated curriculum and experiential learning and prepares graduates for business challenges emerging from globalization, connectivity and technology driven innovations. The program is designed to produce a skilled pool of business leaders possessing multidisciplinary expertise.

A distinguishing feature of the program is the academic ecosystem of experiential learning which immerses the student in a cycle of “learning by doing” through reflection. Case studies and project work are among the pedagogies used for delivery of the curriculum content. A significant value adding feature is the 6 credit hours of a Graduate Capstone Project divided into two 3 credit hour components. Students undertake, individually or in small groups, a real life project with a company that addresses a real life issue which, through the application of multidisciplinary knowledge and skills acquired during MBA studies, helps in more profitable and competitive decision making and implementation in the organization. This project is jointly supervised and evaluated by a faculty member with aligned skills and interest and an industry mentor and is evaluated in an open exhibition by executives and faculty. A Capstone Project report has to be converted into a publishable case study as a part of the degree requirement.

### Structure of MBA program

CBM’s MBA program is a 72 credit-hour program that most students can complete in two years. It is designed for students with a minimum of 16 years of education with degrees in a wide range of disciplines such as business, commerce, engineering, law, science, medicine, the arts and pharmacy. CBM MBA programs share a unified structure consisting of a foundation stage followed by the specialization stage. The foundation stage of the MBA program fulfills the minimum eligibility requirements of HEC to switch from a non-business major at the bachelor stage to a master level program in business as per PQF, Pakistan Qualification Framework. It consists of 30 credit hours.

The foundation stage consists of 30 credit hours of coursework from areas such as Communication, Economics, Quantitative Analysis, Behavior/ Psychology, Accounting, Finance, Law/Ethics, Management, HRM, Entrepreneurship, Marketing, and Research.

The specialization stage consists of 36 - 42 credit hours of coursework covering strategic and operational areas of functional and domain-based specializations. The courses are in areas related to Marketing Strategy, Strategic Finance, Strategic Management, Leadership, Technology/Operations, Entrepreneurship, Organizational Processes, Analytics for Decision Making, etc. Students select two real life Capstone Projects in their area of specialization during their final year. MBA students must select, at the time of admission, from one of the following shifts for their entire program; morning week-days, evening week-days and week-ends. Functional area specializations are available in all three shifts. Domain based specializations are only available during weekends.

- MBA students, who have completed their business relevant bachelor program from IoBM, are exempted from the 30 credit hours of the Foundation Stage of the standardized 72 credit hours MBA Program.
- Applicants with 4 year bachelor degree from IoBM in a non-business discipline can claim up to 6 course exemption from the foundation stage for the equivalent courses completed in the bachelor program.

### Foundation Stage

The foundation stage covers areas such as accounting, finance, marketing, economics and management in addition to other preparatory course work necessary for applicants coming from background unrelated to business studies. The foundation stage prepares the students for the higher level MBA courses. The program is divided into a foundation stage of 30 credit hours followed by the 36-42 credit hours of rigorous MBA level courses and the capstone project dealing with strategy and business transformation.

**Students joining CBM for the first time are expected to have qualified the MBA Boot Camp (Details on Page No. 46).**



## Foundation Courses

### Accounting

ACC419 Financial Accounting

### Economics

ECO409 Business Economics<sup>2</sup>

### Statistics

STA411 Quantitative Analysis for Decision Making<sup>3</sup>

### Law

LAW409 Corporate and Business Law<sup>4</sup>

### Marketing

MKT402 Marketing Management

MKT404 Methods in Business Research<sup>5</sup>

### Communication

COM402 Business Communication<sup>1</sup>

### Finance

FIN408 Theory and Practice of Financial Management

### Human Resource Management

HRM410 Managing Human Capital

### Management

MAN418 Management and Organizational Dynamics

1. Digital Business Communication (MMM) / Academic Writing, Seminar Skills (EdM)
2. Economics of Energy and Environment (EEM) / Business and Health Economics (MHM) / Micro and Macroeconomics / (FRM)
3. Statistics and Mathematics (EdM) / Model and Inferences, (FRM)
4. Health Ethic, Law and Jurisprudence (MHM) / Environmental Rules, Laws and Regulations (EEM) / Business Law (IM) / Educational Philosophy and Ethics (EdM) / Business and Insurance Law / (FRM)
5. Research and Survey Methodology (EEM) / (MHM), Research Methods I & II (EdM)

## MBA Structure (72 Credit Hours)

<b>Semester One</b> Financial Accounting (ACC419) Business Communication (COM402) Business Economics (ECO409) Marketing Management (MKT402) Managing Human Capital (HRM410) Management and Organizational Dynamics (MAN418)	<b>Semester Two</b> Quantitative Analysis for Decision Making* (STA411) Consumer Behavior <sup>1</sup> (MKT509) Methods in Business Research <sup>2</sup> (MKT404) Entrepreneurial and Small Business Management <sup>3</sup> (ENT403) Theory and Practice of Financial Management (FIN408) Corporate and Business Law <sup>4</sup> (LAW409)
<b>Semester Three</b> Business Analytics for Decision Making <sup>5</sup> (MAN606) Strategic Financial Analysis and Design <sup>6</sup> (FIN601) Marketing Strategies and Value Innovation <sup>15</sup> (MKT610) Elective 1** Elective 2 <sup>7</sup> Capstone I <sup>8</sup>	<b>Semester Four</b> Strategic Management <sup>9</sup> (MAN612) Technology Operations and Innovation <sup>10</sup> (MAN608) Leadership, Ethics and Change <sup>11</sup> (HRM606) Elective 3 <sup>12</sup> Elective 4 <sup>13</sup> Capstone II <sup>14</sup>

**Please refer to the list of courses and select courses according to your specialization area.**

\*Quantitative Methods for Logistics and SCM (MBA Logistics and Supply chain Management), Quantitative Research and Statistical Analysis (MBA Educational Management), Quantitative Analysis (Bio-Stats) MHM-530

\*\*Environmental Impact Assessment and Management (MBA Industrial Management), Industrial & Municipal Waste Management (MBA Environment and Energy Management)

<sup>1</sup>Health Psychology (MBA MHM), Educational Philosophy and Ethics (MBA Educational Management), Supply chain management (MBA Logistics and Supply chain Management), Media and Social Change (MBA Media Management and Marketing), Supply Chain management (MBA Industrial Management), Environmental Issues and Management (MBA Environment and Energy Management), Analysis of Finance Statement (MBA Finance & Risk Management).

<sup>2</sup>Research and Survey Methodology (MBA MHM), Research and Survey Methodology (MBA Environment and Energy Management), Qualitative Methods in Research (MBA Educational Management), Applied Financial Economics (MBA Finance & Risk Management).



<sup>3</sup>Finance for Entrepreneurial Ventures (MBA MHM), Entrepreneurship and Ecommerce (MBA Media Management and Marketing), Energy source and management (MBA Environment and Energy Management), Edupreneurship in the Changing World (MBA Educational Management), Principles of Risk Management (MBA Finance & Risk Management).

<sup>4</sup>Health Ethics, Law and Jurisprudence (MBA MHM), Environmental Rules, Laws and Regulations (MBA Environment and Energy Management)

<sup>5</sup>Health Policy and Analytics for Decision Making (MBA MHM), Business Process re-engineering (MBA Industrial Management), Computational Methods in Risk (MBA Finance & Risk Management).

<sup>6</sup>Health Elective 1 (Health Management Information Systems MHM-531), Evaluation and Assessment in Education (MBA Educational Management), Design of Business Processes- workflow management, Digital Marketing (MBA Media Management and Marketing), Introduction to Managerial and Cost accounting (MBA Industrial Management), Renewable Energy and Energy Conservation (MBA Environment and Energy Management)

<sup>7</sup>Innovation Management in Supply Chain (MBA Logistics and Supply chain Management), Seminar in Media Marketing (MBA Media Management and Marketing), Environmental Impact Assessment and Management (MBA Environment and Energy Management)

<sup>8</sup>Thesis Writing-Capstone Project I\* (Research Methods) (MBA Educational Management), Logistical Projects in ERP Case study development (MBA Logistics and Supply chain Management), Introduction to Managerial & Cost Accounting (MBA Finance & Risk Management).

<sup>9</sup>Strategic Management of Health Services (MBA MHM), Strategic Supply Chain Management (MBA Logistics and Supply chain Management)

<sup>10</sup>Health Service Delivery and Operation Management (MBA MHM), Introduction to ERP (MBA Logistics and Supply chain Management), Media and Public Opinion (MBA Media Management and Marketing), Production and Operations Management (MBA Industrial Management), Innovations and Technology in Education (MBA Educational Management), Advanced Financial Risk Management (MBA Finance & Risk Management).

<sup>11</sup>Healthcare Leadership (MBA MHM), Project Management (MBA Industrial Management)

<sup>12</sup>Production and Operations Management (MBA Logistics and Supply chain Management), Role of Media in World Affairs (MBA Media Management and Marketing), Enterprise Asset Management and Financial Analysis (MBA Industrial Management), Safety Health & Environmental management (MBA Environment and Energy Management)

<sup>13</sup>Curriculum Management and Planned Change (MBA Educational Management), Risk Management in Supply Networks (MBA Logistics and Supply chain Management), Integrated Marketing Communication (MBA Media Management and Marketing)

<sup>14</sup>Thesis Writing-Capstone Project II\* (MBA Educational Management), Corporate Consultancy Project in Logistics (MBA Logistics and Supply Chain Management), Introduction to Financial Risk Management (MBA Finance & Risk Management).

<sup>15</sup>Risk Financing Techniques (MBA Finance & Risk Management).

### **MBA after Bachelors in Business Discipline (36 Credit Hours)**

<b>Semester One</b> Emerging Organizational Models for Dynamic Change Marketing Strategies and Value Innovation Elective I Elective II	<b>Semester Two</b> Technology, Operations and Innovation Strategic Financial Analysis and Design Elective III Elective IV
<b>Semester Three</b> Business Analytics for Decision Making Leadership, Ethics and Change Capstone Project I	<b>Semester Four</b> Capstone Project II



## Elective Courses

### Majors

#### Majors in Accounting

- ACC602 Advanced Managerial Accounting
- ACC605 Financial Legal Framework
- ACC607 Introduction to Forensic Accounting
- ACC608 Audit, Taxation and Accounting Policy
- ACC609 Cases in Corporate Reporting

#### Majors in Marketing

- MKT501 Strategic Marketing and Planning
- MKT602 Marketing Analytics
- MKT605 Pricing Models and Strategies
- MKT611 Integrated Marketing Communications
- MKT613 Marketing of Financial Services
- MKT615 Brand Management
- MKT618 Advertising Management and Strategy
- MKT621 Marketing Strategies for Emerging Economies
- MKT622 Marketing Strategies for Bottom of the Pyramid (BOP)
- MKT623 Pharmaceutical Marketing & Quality Assurance
- MKT625 Business to Business Marketing
- MKT626 Marketing for Social Impact
- MKT627 Future Marketing Technologies
- MKT628 Competitive Strategies
- MKT629 B2B Sales by Simulation/Gamification
- MKT630 Growth Marketing

#### Majors in Finance and Banking

- FIN506\* Investment Banking and Security Analysis
- FIN514\* Asset and Liability Management
- FIN612\* SME and Micro-Financing
- FIN633\* Mergers, Acquisitions and Restructuring
- FIN634\* Enterprise Risk Management

- FIN602\*\* Behavioral Finance
- FIN603\*\* Entrepreneurial Finance
- FIN610\*\* Debt and Equity Markets
- FIN613\*\* Financial Modeling for Investment Decisions

\*Choose two courses

\*\* Choose two courses

#### Majors in Human Resource Management

- HRM612 Strategic Human Resource Management
- HRM617 HR Analytics
- HRM618 Managing Diversity & Inclusion in Organization
- HRM619 Talent Acquisition
- HRM620 Labour Studies and Employee Relations
- HRM621 Learning and Organizational Development
- HRM622 Negotiations and Conflict Resolution Skills
- HRM623 Managing Organizational Change
- HRM624 Talent Management and Performance Development
- HRM625 Total Rewards Management

#### Majors in Management

- MAN501 Total Quality Management
- MAN502 Business Process Re-engineering
- MAN611 Project Management
- MAN613 Corporate Governance
- MAN619 Emerging Organizational Models for Dynamic Change

#### Majors in Logistics and Supply Chain Management

- SCM600 Introduction to ERP Systems
- SCM601 Quantitative Methods in Production and Logistics
- SCM602 Business Process Mgmt. in Supply Chain & Logistics
- SCM603 IT Applications in Logistics
- SCM604 Packaging Design and Environmental Aspects
- SCM605 Supply Chain Management
- SCM606 ERP Systems Design and Implementation
- SCM607 Strategic Supply Chain Management
- SCM608 Procurement and Inventory Management
- SCM609 Storage and Warehouse Techniques
- SCM610 Transportation Techniques and Management
- SCM611 Sustainability & Env. Aspects in Managing Supply Chains
- SCM612 Risk Management in Supply Networks
- SCM613 Innovation Management in Supply Chain and Logistics
- SCM614 Corporate Consultancy Project in Logistics
- SCM615 Contract Management for Supply Chain & Negotiations
- SCM616 Life Cycle Enterprise Asset Management
- SCM617 Mobile Commerce and Mobile Logistics
- SCM618 Aviation Logistics Supply Chain Management
- SCM619 Humanitarian Logistics Supply Chain Management
- SCM620 Supply Chain Project Management
- SCM621 Lean Construction Supply Chain Management
- SCM625 Import Export Management
- SCM508 Design of Business Process - Workflow Management

#### Majors in Islamic Banking and Finance

- ISF601 Economics for Islamic Finance
- ISF602 Islamic Banking Practices
- ISF603 Accounting for Islamic Finance
- ISF604 Islamic Financial Services Marketing
- ISF605 Islamic Capital Markets
- ISF606 International Islamic Finance Standards
- FRM514 Takaful and Risk Management in Islamic Products

#### Majors in Entrepreneurship

- ENT503 Competitive Strategies for Startup
- ENT504 Technology Support for Small Business
- ENT505 Innovative Internet Based Business Models
- ENT506 Guerrilla Strategies in Business
- ENT507 Affordable Design and Frugal Innovation
- ENT508 Commercializing and Monetizing Ideas
- ENT509 Building and Managing Start-Up Teams
- ENT510 New Venture Finance
- ENT511 Managing Family Business
- ENT512 Growth Hacking Strategies
- ENT513 Design Thinking and Strategy

### **Elective Courses for MBA Health and Hospital Mgmt.**

MHM605 Financial Management of Health Services  
MHM606 Concepts of Primary Healthcare  
MHM607 Introduction to Epidemiology  
MHM608 Pharmaceutical Marketing and Quality Assurance  
MHM609 Marketing of Health Services  
MHM610 Population and Health  
MHM611 Environmental Health Assessment & Management  
MHM612 Hospital Administration  
MHM613 Regulatory Affairs at Healthcare Industries  
MHM614 Product Management  
MHM615 Pharmaceutical Sales Management  
MHM616 Project Management of Health Services  
MHM617 Seminar in Health Policy Management  
MHM618 Health Communications  
MHM619 Healthcare Human Resource Management  
MHM621 Supply Chain & Prod. Mgmt. in Pharma. Inds.  
MHM622 Quality Management in Healthcare  
MHM623 Pharmaceutical Branding  
MHM624 Occupational Health and Safety  
MHM625 Knowledge Management for Health Managers  
MHM626 Workplace Well-being for Healthcare Managers  
MHM627 Global and local Public Health Challenges and Practices  
MHM628 Pharmacovigilance

### **Elective Courses for MBA Finance and Risk Mgmt.**

#### **Finance and Banking**

FIN403 Islamic Banking and Finance

#### **Finance and Risk Management**

FRM503 Corporate Risk Management  
FRM504 Theory of Risk and Insurance  
FRM505 Corporate Treasury and Risk Management  
FRM506 Financial Regulation for Risk Management  
FRM508 Financial Market Issues and Crisis  
FRM510 Energy Risk Management  
FRM512 International Risk and Financial Reporting  
FRM513 Project Risk Management  
FRM514 Takaful and Risk Management in Islamic Products  
FRM516 International Financial Reporting and Standards  
FRM517 Property Risk Management  
FRM518 Management of Insurance Institutions

### **Elective Courses for MBA Educational Management**

EDM624 Innovations and Technology in Education  
EDM621 Edupreneurship in the Changing World  
EDM654 Lifelong Learning in Changing Contexts  
EDM656 Teacher Education  
EDM625 Distance Learning in the 21st Century  
EDM606 Global Trends in Education

### **Elective Courses for Environmental & Energy Mgmt.**

EEM603 Air and Noise Pollution Management  
EEM604 Coastal Environment and Management  
EEM605 Climatic Changes and its Impact  
EEM606 Natural Resources Management  
EEM607 Hospital Waste Management  
EEM608 Solid and Hazardous Waste Management  
EEM609 Energy Audit  
EEM610 Energy Conservation  
EEM611 Energy Planning  
EEM612 Environmental Ethics  
EEM613 Public Awareness for Environment and Energy Sector  
EEM615 Risk and Disaster Management

### **Elective Courses for MBA Industrial Management**

INM601 Facilities Planning  
INM602 Maintenance Management  
INM603 Industrial Safety, Health, and environment  
INM604 Enterprise Life Cycle Management  
INM605 Industrial Technology Management  
INM606 Operation Research  
INM607 Enterprise Risk Management  
INM608 Logistic and Inventory control  
INM609 Advance Production Planning & Control  
INM610 Integrated Manufacturing Systems  
INM611 Advance Manufacturing Processes  
INM612 Industrial Supply Chain Management  
INM613 Total Quality Management  
INM614 Project Management  
INM615 Operation Management

### **Elective Courses for MBA Media Mgmt. & Marketing**

MKT620 Digital Marketing  
MAN616 Entrepreneurship and Ecommerce  
MMM401 Media & Social Change  
MMM603 Seminar in Strategic Media Marketing  
MMM604 Screenwriting for TV & Cinema  
MMM605 Advanced Documentary Filmmaking  
MMM606 Media Psychology  
MMM607 Media and Public Opinion



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## FUNCTIONAL AREA SPECIALIZATIONS

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Students selecting a functional area specialization major given below are expected to have completed the 30 credit hours of foundation stage (Page No. 39) of the MBA program. The specialization stage consists of 42 credit hours of course work covering strategic and operational areas. They specialize in one of the following functional areas to complete their degree requirements:

- **Marketing:** Aims to empower students to use critical thinking, experiential and active learning to become leaders in a challenging and demanding environment
- **Management:** Aims to instill in each student a desire to learn, accept challenges, and develop an enquiring mind essential for making a difference in the dynamic global business scenario; in fact in all facets of their lives and communities they become part of
- **Finance:** Offers courses in finance, incorporating the latest concepts and theories in the related fields and their practical applications to the business world. The program aims to develop fully equipped professionals to face challenges of the industry. Students may also elect courses from Islamic Banking and Finance major.
- **Accounting:** Specialization in accounting will expand the breadth of your understanding of accounting concepts and prepare you for application of modern accounting practices opening new job avenues.
- **Human Resource Management:** The Human Resource Management concentration will provide you with a comprehensive overview of the strategic HR management techniques that will help you take on senior management responsibility in the field. The program covers the whole spectrum of HR-related issues, from workforce leadership and performance evaluation to organizational behavior and change management.
- **Logistics and Supply Chain Management:** The program aims to develop supply chain professionals and innovative leaders with research capabilities & entrepreneurial skills who can improve the world and advance management practices.

During the specialization stage, students take 12 credit hours of strategy courses, 9 credit hours of operational level courses, and 12 credit hours of elective courses. In addition, students select two real life Capstone Projects (6 credit hours) in their area of specialization during their final year.

The functional area specialization track is available in three mutually exclusive shifts: weekends, weekday mornings, or weekday evenings. The candidate must select a shift at the time of filing the application. Students are expected to complete all the courses of their program in their designated shift.

## DOMAIN BASED SPECIALIZATIONS

MBA's domain specialization is designed for building careers in specific field such as Health & Hospital Management, Media Management & Marketing, Environment & Energy Management, Logistics & Supply Chain Management etc.

Students selecting the domain based specialization are expected to have completed the 30 credit hours of foundation stage (page No. 39) of the MBA program. Specialization stage consists of 42 credit hours of course work covering strategic and operational areas. These include courses in the area of Marketing Strategy, Strategic Finance, Strategic Management, Leadership, Technology/Operations, Entrepreneurship, Organizational Processes, Analytics of Decision Making, etc. During the specialization stage, students take 12 credit hours of strategy courses, 9 credit hours of operational level courses, and 12 credit hours of elective courses.

- **Health & Hospital Management:** is designed for building careers as healthcare leaders, managers and decision makers in hospitals, pharmaceutical industry, NGOs, and other allied healthcare institutions. The specialization of Health and Hospital Management provides an environment of continual learning for its faculty and students, and focusses on development of the leadership skills like creative and critical thinking, decision making, team building and entrepreneurial expertise among the students so that they can generate market driven results. It continuously refines and caters to the needs, demands and expectations of the healthcare industry. The department uses state of the art teaching methodologies for capacity-building of the future healthcare leaders who are trained to be sensitive to the needs of society, and to promote ethical practices in the healthcare businesses with the objectives of serving the community and the nation.
- **Media Management & Marketing:** program seeks to develop quality human resource, capable of playing strategic leadership roles across a variety of mainstream traditional and new media organizations, as well as top-level consumer marketing companies.
- **Environment & Energy Management:** aims to prepare future decision-makers in companies, government and non-governmental organizations for analyzing and acting in an environmentally proactive and energy efficient way when making decisions about policy, production and resource utilization in energy generation, transmission and load management.
- **Logistics & Supply Chain Management:** specialization addresses strategic economic and process-oriented technical problems in logistics, supply chain management across industries and across countries. It covers complexities of moving goods across regions with diverse compliance requirements.
- **Industrial Management:** focuses on real life problems relating to industrial processes and discrete manufacturing. It focuses on project management, quality management, manufacturing effectiveness, logistics, warehousing and supply chain management.
- **Finance and Risk Management:** is designed to cover financial decision making with special emphasis on Risk Management including recent development in Corporate Risk Management, Sustainable Risk Management and Risk Financing techniques.
- **Educational Management:** provides knowledge, skills and tools required for 21st century leadership and management for educational institutions in the fast-changing economy. Students selecting the domain-based specialization in MBA Educational Management program are expected to have completed 30 credit hours of foundation stage of the MBA program.



## MBA BOOT CAMP: ORIENTATION PROGRAM FOR NEW MBA STUDENTS

CBM challenges its incoming MBA students by offering a rigorous boot camp of orientation courses which fulfill the pre-requisite requirement to undertake first year foundation stage courses of the MBA program. Students with a four-year bachelor in commerce or business management are exempted from attending the camp. The exemption includes students with 2 years of B.Com plus 2 years of M.Com. The camp helps students from disparate backgrounds to bond quickly and prepare them for the intellectual challenge that they are going to encounter in the MBA program. They get a head-start with pre-requisite knowledge which acclimatizes them with the rigor and culture of CBM. This is an intensive 126-hour program which is spread over five weeks and conducted during evenings and weekends. Its objectives are:

1. To develop technical skills in statistical and IT tools
2. To develop a shared knowledge base in core areas of business
3. To bring their communication and presentation skills to the desired level
4. To provide orientation for personal organization and effectiveness
5. To familiarize them with pedagogies of case study, and experiential learning

	<b>Modules</b>	<b>Number of Hours</b>
1	Business English	12 hrs
2	Economics	12 hrs
3	Personal Effective and Leadership	12 hrs
4	Introduction to Management and Case Method	12 hrs
5	Introduction to Marketing and Case method	12 hrs
6	Business Finance	12 hrs
7	Business Accounting	12 hrs
8	Excel for Business Decision Making	18 hrs
9	Research Tools and Techniques	12 hrs
10	Business Mathematics and Statistics	12 hrs



## MS IN BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

The MS in Business Management program has been designed considering the needs of the corporate sector as well as academia. This program offers a blend of relevant industry- related skills and equips the students with up-to-date research knowledge. MS program in Business Management is a research route for a PhD in Business Management. The career path for the MS in Business Management graduates is faculty, independent researcher, research associate, and management consultant.

### Learning Outcomes

- Demonstrate an effective blend of theory and practice
- Evaluate the functional aspects of business management
- Apply concepts to solve business problems
- Ability to undertake research projects as an independent researcher
- Exhibit multidisciplinary focus of management through scholarly insights towards business and social issues.

### Program Structure

MS in Business Management is a 30-credit-hour program with 08 courses and one thesis of 06 credit hours. Each of the eight courses is of 03 credit hours. After successful completion of course work, students are required to carry out a research study for the thesis under the guidance of a research supervisor assigned by the college.

### Eligibility

- A minimum CGPA of 2.5 on a scale of 4.00 (or overall 60% marks) or equivalent
- A minimum of 16 years of schooling in a relevant field from HEC recognized university/institution.
- GAT general test conducted by the NTS is required with a minimum of 50% marks.
- An interview conducted by the Institute
- Any other HEC stipulated requirement

### Course Structure

MPM605 Survey of Current Research Literature in Management

MPM607 Corporate Governance and Strategy

MPM609 Seminar in Human Resource Management

MPM611 Advanced Corporate Finance

MPM614 Advanced Marketing Strategy

MPM616 Econometrics

MPM626 Qualitative Research

MPM625 Quantitative Research

Thesis (06 Credit hours)

Duration: Minimum 2 years, Maximum 4 years

*It is mandatory for research students of MS and Ph.D. programs to attend the Multi-Disciplinary Research Seminar Series (MRSS) sessions on Saturdays (12:00 to 2:00 PM) each semester. At least 60% attendance is required.*



# PHD IN BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

The mission of the PhD program in Business Management is to develop scholars with the ability to create and impart knowledge through rigorous research, be independent thinkers, contribute to industry and society while adhering towards ethical and sustainable practices.

## Eligibility

**MS/MPhil. or equivalent graduates from HEC-recognized institutes meeting the following criteria:**

- A minimum CGPA of 3.00 on a scale of 4.00 or equivalent.
- A minimum of 18\* years of schooling that corresponds to MS/MPhil or Equivalent degree from HEC recognized institutions in a relevant discipline.
- GAT subject test conducted by the NTS with a minimum of 60% marks or a Minimum of 70% marks in the IoBM test.
- An interview conducted by the Institute.
- Any other HEC stipulated requirements.

*\*HEC equivalency is required. The candidate may have to undergo additional deficiency courses wherever required.*

## Program Requirements:

### A. Course Structure

#### **Pre-requisites:**

MPM612 Advanced Research Methodology.  
MPM616 Econometrics

MPM625 Quantitative Research  
MPM626 Qualitative Research

*Note: Pre-requisites may be assigned according to the level of previous work and academic credentials.*

### **Courses of PhD Business Management (18-Credit Hours)**

1. PBM711 Advanced Qualitative Research & Philosophy
2. PBM712 Advanced Quantitative Research
3. PBM713 Research Writing & Techniques
4. PBM714 Independent Research Study
5. PBM715 Theories in Business Management
6. Elective(s)

### **Electives in the area of specialization**

1. Advanced Topics in Finance
2. Corporate Governance and Strategy
3. Advanced Topics in Management and HRM
4. Organizational Behavior and Strategy
5. Marketing Theories
6. Strategic Marketing Decisions
7. Seminar in Supply Chain and Logistics Management





## **B. Comprehensive Exam**

After Completion of the course work, a PhD student has to pass a written comprehensive exam, and viva-voce in front of a doctoral committee.

## **C. Dissertation (30-credit Hours)**

After completing the courses and successfully passing the comprehensive exam, a student has to register for research thesis and complete the following requirements:

- Proposal Development
- Proposal Defense (Within first 03 semesters OR on or before completion of 15 Credit hours of dissertation)
- Continuous enrollment in supervised research is necessary during the thesis stage
- Semester-wise progress review is necessary for continuous enrollment during thesis stage\*\*
- Completion of Ph.D. Dissertation/Thesis
- Publication or official acceptance of at least one paper in an HEC recognized (Impact Factor) journal
- Open defense of Ph.D. dissertation
- Final Dissertation/Thesis submission to BASR
- Any other HEC requirement

*\*\*students may register in PBM921 Research Thesis (3 Units), PBM922 Research Thesis (6 Units), PBM923 Research Thesis (9 Units) based on the satisfactory semester-wise progress review. Further, the registration in the subsequent semester would be subject to the satisfactory comments of semester progress review committee.*

## **D. Duration**

- Minimum 3 Years, Maximum 8 Years

*It is mandatory for research students of MS and PhD programs to attend research proposal/ thesis defense and multi-disciplinary research seminar sessions in each semester on Saturdays (12:00 to 2:00 PM). At least 60% attendance is required.*



## PHD IN ENVIRONMENT AND ENERGY MANAGEMENT

CBM's PhD program in Environment and Energy Management is a rigorous, interdisciplinary research program focusing on building theoretical models in the area of energy and/or environment. The research develops models relating to areas such as energy supply, sufficiency, and security for meeting future energy requirements. The models may also focus on environmental sustainability, impact models and trends relating to water supply, air quality, waste, etc.

### Eligibility

**MS or equivalent graduates from HEC recognized institutions meeting the following criteria:**

- A minimum CGPA of 3.00 on a scale of 4.00 (or overall 60% marks) or equivalent
- A minimum of 18 years of schooling that corresponds to MS / MPhil or equivalent degree from HEC recognized institutions in a relevant discipline
- GRE subject specific or GAT subject test conducted by the NTS, HAT subject test of HEC or equivalent in the relevant discipline. A minimum of 60% (percentage) marks are required or a minimum of 70% marks in IoBM test
- An interview conducted by the Institute
- All other HEC stipulated requirements
- Complete deficiency courses

### Program Requirements

**PhD requires completion of course work and dissertation/thesis. Minimum duration is 3 years and maximum is 5 years:**

- PhD course work requirements consist of six graduate level courses (18 credit hours)
- Student are awarded 30 credits on completion of dissertation/thesis

**A PhD student must additionally complete the following requirements:**

- Comprehensive Exam
- PhD proposal/synopsis development
- PhD proposal/synopsis defense
- BASR approval of PhD proposal/synopsis
- Continuous enrollment in supervised research courses is necessary during the research thesis stage
- Completion of PhD dissertation/thesis
- Selection of external evaluators by BASR
- Publication of at least one paper in an ISI indexed or an HEC recognized journal or an official acceptance of the paper
- Evaluation of PhD Dissertation by two foreign faculty members from developed countries as per HEC criteria
- Dissertation/thesis finalization
- Open defense of PhD dissertation
- Any other HEC requirement
- Final dissertation/thesis submission to BASR

**Research Publication requirement for intake from Fall-2021:** Each PhD scholar shall be required to publish at least one research paper based on dissertation as a first author along with his/her supervisor/co-supervisor in Clarivate Analytics Impact Factor Journal listed in Journal Citation Reports (Web of Science Group).

### Pre-Requisite Courses

The interview committee may prescribe certain pre-requisite courses.



## Course Structure

### Semester One

- EEM701 Methods and Issues in Advanced Qualitative Research
- EEM702 Methods and Issues in Advanced Quantitative Research

### Semester Two

- EEM703 Current Advancement and Trends in Environment and Energy Management
- EEM704 Independent Study in Environment and Renewable Energy Management

### Semester Three

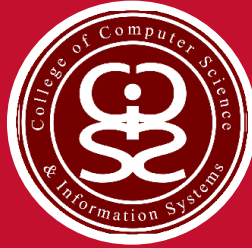
- Elective Courses (any two)
- EEM801 Advanced Environment Toxicology & Epidemiology
- EEM802 Advanced Pollution Control Technologies and Mitigation Options
- EEM803 Advances in Green Technology Mechanism
- EEM804 Disaster Risk Management and Mitigation Strategies
- EEM805 Trade and Environment
- EEM806 Sustainability and Conservation of Major Ecosystems

### Semester Four to Nine

- EEM921 Research thesis
- EEM922 Research thesis
- EEM923 Research thesis

*It is mandatory for research students of MPhil and PhD programs to attend research proposal / thesis defense / multi-disciplinary research seminars in each semester. Students must dedicate Saturdays (12:00 to 2:00 PM) for this attendance.*





# COLLEGE OF COMPUTER SCIENCE AND INFORMATION SYSTEMS

## **Vision Statement**

The College of Computer Science and Information System (CCSIS) is committed to emerge as one of the leading college, nationally and internationally, in computing and analytics by focusing on learning, research, technological innovation and enhancing value to society.

## **Mission Statement**

The mission of Computer Science and Information System (CCSIS) is to empower learners and aspirants with technological and analytical tools & techniques following the local and global teaching paradigms so that they could explore new spectrums within a competitive world of technology by innovating in research activities, which will enable their personal, professional, social and intellectual capabilities for economic wellbeing.

## BS COMPUTER SCIENCE (BS CS)

The graduates of this program would have the confidence and skills to design ICT solutions and become technology entrepreneurs. The graduates may also join careers as software engineers and may move on to become analysts, designers, and architects in software houses or be freelance solution providers. They may also go into management careers that require strong analytical skills.

The program emphasizes the need for overall development including exposure to an integrated series of courses in technology, methodology, social sciences, liberal arts, and management. Project-based software development along with research assignments are also emphasized. These courses seek to impart a broad and deep knowledge of the theory, design, and application of digital computers and information processing techniques. The curriculum has been designed to prepare students to serve the productive needs of Pakistan's software industry. It requires completion of 138 credit hours of coursework. Students are required to take 44 courses (including Final Year Project and relevant labs) & internship, approved by the Institute, in order to complete their degree requirements. Students must maintain a CGPA of 2.5 for the conferment of the degree.

Students from pre-medical background are required to additionally complete the following two mathematics courses:

MTH011 Basic College Mathematics

MTH012 Intermediate College Mathematics

**Eligibility Criteria:** The eligibility criteria for admission into BS Computer Science is given on Page No. 156.

### BS Computer Science students learn:

- To apply knowledge gained during the program effectively and efficiently in the software industry
- To contribute, manage, and lead, computer science and software development teams
- To actively pursue lifelong learning and innovation skills
- To equip themselves with latest software tools and techniques
- To groom so as to occupy senior technical and managerial positions
- To successfully bring innovation in IT technology as a whole

### Learning Outcomes for BS Computer Science Students include:

1. Successfully bring innovation in IT technology
2. To analyze, identify computing requirements appropriate to solution
3. Appreciate the challenges of IT industry with global changes
4. An ability to apply knowledge of computing and mathematics in IT
5. To design, implement, and evaluate a computer-based system

### Career Path:

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|--|-------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1. Software Engineer                             | 2. Web/Software Developer     | 3. Computer Scientist            |
| 4. Computer Programmer                           | 5. Network Security Expert    | 6. Database Administrator        |
| 7. Computer Systems Analyst                      | 8. Computer Network Architect | 9. Information Security Analyst. |
| 10. Computer and Information Research Scientists |                               |                                  |

### Prospective Employers:

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|----------------------------|--|--------------------------------|
| 1. Cyber Internet Services | 2. Internet Service Providers            | 3. Real Estate Sector          |
| 4. Banking Sectors         | 5. Hospital Sector                       | 6. Industrial Sector           |
| 7. Software Houses         | 8. Communication & Transportation Sector | 9. Government & Private Sector |



## BS Computer Science: Course Distribution

Area	Credit Hours	Courses
Computing Core [CC]	51	14
Domain Core [DC]	18	6
Domain Elective [DE]	21	7
Mathematics & Supporting Courses [MSC]	12	4
Elective Supporting Courses [ESC]	3	1
General Education Requirements [GER]	33	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>44</b>

## Program Structure (Semester Wise)

### Semester I

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
CSC111	Intro to Info. & Comm. Technology [GER]	2+0	-
CSC111	Intro to Info. & Comm. Technology Lab	0+1	-
CSC113	Programming Fundamentals [CC]	3+0	-
CSC113	Programming Fundamentals Lab	0+1	-
COM107	Academic English [GER]	3+0	-
PHY111	Applied Physics [GER]	2+0	-
PHY111	Applied Physics Lab	0+1	-
MTH107	Calculus and Analytical Geometry [GER]	3+0	-
	<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>16 (13+3)</b>	

### Semester II

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
CSC213	Object Oriented Programming [CC]	3+0	CSC113
CSC213	Object Oriented Programming Lab	0+1	CSC113
COM205	Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication [MSC]	3+0	COM107
CSC231	Discrete Structure [GER]	3+0	-
CSC115	Digital Logic and Design [CC]	3+0	PHY111
CSC115	Digital Logic and Design Lab	0+1	PHY111
MTH224	Multivariable Calculus [MSC]	3+0	MTH107
	<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>17 (15+2)</b>	



### Semester III

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
CSC215	Data Structures and Algorithms [CC]	3+0	CSC213
CSC215	Data Structures and Algorithms Lab	0+1	
COM202	Business and Professional Speech [GER]	3+0	COM107
CSC211	Comp. Organization & Assembly Lang. [CC]	3+0	-
CSC211	Comp. Organization & Assembly Lang. Lab	0+1	
MTH204	Linear Algebra [MSC]	3+0	MTH107
REL101	Islamic Studies [GER]	3+0	-
<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>17 (15+2)</b>	

### Semester IV

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
CSC217	Introduction to Database Systems [CC]	3+0	CSC215
CSC217	Introduction to Database Systems Lab	0+1	
CSC317	Introduction to Software Engineering [CC]	3+0	-
STA203	Probability Theory and Statistics [MSC]	3+0	-
CSC313	Operating Systems [CC]	3+0	CSC215
CSC313	Operating Systems Lab	0+1	
CSC315	Design & Analysis of Algorithms [CC]	3+0	CSC215
<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>17 (15+2)</b>	

### Semester V

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
CSC347	Advance Database Management Systems [DC]	2+0	CSC217
CSC347	Advance Database Management Systems Lab	0+1	
CSC319	Computer Networks [CC]	3+0	-
CSC319	Computer Networks Lab	0+1	
MAN306	Introduction to Management & Organizational Behavior [GER]	2+0	-
CSC219	Professional Practices [GER]	2+0	-
CSC311	Theory of Automata & Formal Lang. [DC]	3+0	CSC231
CSC413	Artificial Intelligence [CC]	3+0	STA203
CSC413	Artificial Intelligence Lab	0+1	
<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>18 (15+3)</b>	



### Semester VI

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
CSCxxx	CS Elective 1 [DE]	3*	-
CSCxxx	CS Elective 2 [DE]	3*	-
CSC378	HCI and Computer Graphics [DC]	2+0	-
CSC378	HCI and Computer Graphics Lab	0+1	-
CSC411	Compiler Constructions [DC]	3+0	CSC311
CSC379	Computer Architecture [DC]	3+0	CSC211
CSC379	Computer Architecture Lab		
CSC380	Entrepreneurship [GER]	2+0	-
	<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>17 (15+2*)</b>	

### Semester VII

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
CSCxxx	CS Elective 3 [DE]	3*	-
CSCxxx	CS Elective 4 [DE]	3*	-
MKT201	Marketing Management [ESC]	3+0	-
LAN10*	Foreign Language-I [GER]	3+0	-
CSC418	Parallel and Distributed Computing [DC]	3+0	CSC313
CSC491	Final Year Project I [CC]	0+3	CSC317
	<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>18 (15+3*)</b>	

### Semester VIII

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
CSCxxx	CS Elective 5 [DE]	3*	-
CSCxxx	CS Elective 6 new [DE]	3*	-
CSCxxx	CS Elective 7 new [DE]	3*	-
CSC419	Information Security [CC]	3+0	-
PSC301	Pakistan Studies [GER]	3+0	
CSC492	Final Year Project II [CC]	0+3	CSC491
	<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>18 (15+3*)</b>	

**Total 138 Credit Hours**

*\*Lab depends on selection of elective courses by students*



## Domain Elective

Course	Stream
BDS404 Machine Learning	Artificial Intelligence
BDS421 Deep Learning	Artificial Intelligence
CSC420 Reinforcement Learning	Artificial Intelligence
CSC469 Computer Vision	Artificial Intelligence
CSC487 Neural Network	Artificial Intelligence
CSC488 Fuzzy Logic	Artificial Intelligence
SEC473 Natural Language Processing	Artificial Intelligence
CSC373 Web Engineering	Software Engineering
CSC374 Mobile Application Development	Software Engineering
CSC473 Enterprise Systems	Software Engineering
CSC476 E-Commerce	Software Engineering
CSC481 Software Quality Assurance	Software Engineering
CSC489 Software Project Management	Software Engineering
SEC475 DevOps	Software Engineering
CSC477 IT Infrastructure	Network and Security
CSC468 Internet of Things	Network and Security
CSC483 Information Security Audit	Network and Security
CSC484 Network Security	Network and Security
CSC485 Cyber Security	Network and Security
CSC486 Wireless Network	Network and Security
SEC481 Cloud Computing	Network and Security
BDS102 Introduction to Data Science	Data Science
BDS301 Data Mining	Data Science
BDS420 Information Retrieval	Data Science
BDS429 Topics in Data Science	Data Science
BDS481 Social Network Analysis	Data Science
CSC474 Data Warehousing	Data Science
CSC475 Big Data Analytics	Data Science

## BS ACTUARIAL SCIENCE AND RISK MANAGEMENT

BS in the Actuarial Science and Risk Management equips graduates with mathematical and statistical skills and expertise of tools that help in assessing risk in insurance, finance and other relevant industries and professions.

A BS in the Actuarial Science and Risk Management program is intended to provide students with the tools of risk analysis, transfer and financing that are critical to the operation of private and public institutions, and to prepare them for careers in risk management and insurance. As a risk management major, a student will gain a broad business background with an emphasis on accounting, finance and law, as well as a thorough knowledge of all types of insurance. BS in Actuarial Science and Risk Management is a four-year degree program. It requires completion of 144 credit hours of course work and 2 credit hours of internship of at least six weeks in an organization approved by the Institute. Students graduating with a CGPA of 2.5 on the scale of 4 are eligible to apply for MBA program offered by the Institute.

### Required Courses

#### Accounting

ACC101 Introduction to Financial Accounting

#### Communication

COM107 Academic English

COM205 Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Bus. Com.

#### Economics

ECO101 Principles of Microeconomics

ECO102 Principles of Macroeconomics

ECO304 Introduction to Econometrics

#### Finance and Risk Management

FRM201 Principles of Risk Management

FRM202 Life and Other Contingencies

FRM204 Enterprise Risk Management

FRM206 Institutional Investments

FRM302 Computational Methods in Risk

FRM304 Risk Financing Techniques

FRM310 Project

#### Management

MAN101 Principles of Management

#### Marketing

MKT301 Principles of Marketing

MKT404 Methods in Business Research

#### Actuarial Science

ARM201 Introduction to Actuarial Science

ARM501 Stochastic Process/Modeling

ARM601 Models of Financial Economics-I

ARM602 Models of Financial Economics - II

#### Finance

FIN201 Introduction to Business Finance

FIN406 Financial Econometrics

FIN503 Corporate Finance

FIN507 Portfolio Management

FIN509 Financial Derivatives

#### Language

LAN 10\* Foreign Language I

\*1 = Introduction to Arabic

\*2 = Introduction to French

\*4 = Introduction to German

\*6 = Introduction to Italian

\*8 = Introduction to Chinese

#### LAW

LAW401 Business Law

## Mathematics

MTH104 Calculus I  
MTH105 Calculus II  
MTH204 Linear Algebra  
MTH209 Financial Mathematics I  
MTH210 Financial Mathematics II  
MTH211 Actuarial Mathematics  
MTH405 Numerical Analysis

## Statistics

STA203 Probability Theory and Statistics  
STA210 Sampling Theory  
STA302 Methods of Data Analysis  
STA305 Applied Regression Analysis  
STA309 Loss Models I

## Political Sciences

PSC301 Pakistan Studies

## Religious Studies

REL101 Islamic Studies

## Elective Courses

### Finance and Risk Management

FRM503 Corporate Risk Management  
FRM505 Corporate Treasury and Risk Management  
FRM508 Financial Market Issues and Crisis  
FRM512 International Risk and Financial Reporting  
FRM514 Takaful and Risk Management in Islamic Products  
FRM517 Property Risk Management

FRM504 Theory of Risk and Insurance  
FRM506 Financial Regulation for Risk Management  
FRM510 Energy Risk Management  
FRM513 Project Risk Management  
FRM516 International Financial Reporting and Standards  
FRM518 Management of Insurance Institutions

### Computer Sciences

CSC103 Structured Programming Language

## Course Structure

<b>Semester One</b> Academic English (3+0) [Pre req NA] Principles of Microeconomics Probability Theory and Statistics Calculus I Islamic Studies Introduction to Actuarial Science	<b>Semester Two</b> Introduction to Financial Accounting Probability Theory and Statistics II Calculus II Principles of Macroeconomics Financial Mathematics I Foreign Language I	<b>Semester Three</b> Principles of Marketing Linear Algebra Model and Inferences Introduction to Business Finance Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Bus. Com. (3+0) [Pre Req. COM107] Financial Mathematics II
<b>Semester Four</b> Numerical Computing Business Law Introduction to Econometrics Principles of Management Pakistan Studies Method of Data Analysis	<b>Semester Five</b> Financial Derivatives Actuarial Mathematics Principles of Risk Management Stochastic Processes Financial Econometrics Corporate Finance	<b>Semester Six</b> Portfolio Management Life and Other Contingencies Enterprise Risk Management Sampling Theory Models in Financial Economics I Methods in Business Research
<b>Semester Seven</b> Institutional Investments Models in Financial Economics II Applied Regression Analysis Computational Methods in Risk Mgmt. Loss Models I Elective I	<b>Semester Eight</b> Decision Theory Loss Models II Risk Financing Techniques Time Series Analysis & Forecasting Project Elective II	



## BS MATHEMATICS AND ECONOMICS

BS (Mathematics & Economics) is an interdisciplinary undergraduate joint program of CCSIS and CESD, for students with robust mathematical skills and a keen interest in economics. This program is a perfect blend of pure and applied mathematics which does not only ensure a solid quantitative foundation for both disciplines but also provides phenomenal coverage of Statistics, Actuarial Sciences, and Finance.

Graduates with this degree are increasingly valued by employers because of their critical reasoning and sound knowledge as much of the economic theory is currently presented in terms of mathematical models. This opens more career options than the ones traditionally available to either mathematics or economics majors. This degree is also a paragon for those who aim for Master's/Doctoral degree in Economics, Finance, Mathematics, Statistics, Actuarial Sciences or other related fields.

The BS (Mathematics & Economics) is a four-year program. Applicants who have successfully completed H.Sc with minimum 50% marks in Pre-Engineering or in General Group (with Mathematics) or A-Levels with a maximum 2 'C's in three principal subjects (with Mathematics) are eligible to apply for admission. The graduation requirement is the completion of 138 credit hours of course work and 6 credit hours of a project approved by the college. Students must take a minimum load of 12 credit hours (four courses) or a maximum load of 18 credit hours (six courses) in a semester. In order to obtain a BS degree in four years, a student is required to cover twelve courses in a year. Full load of six courses can be taken each in the Fall and Spring semesters with an option of four courses in the latter and making up the shortfall in the summer session. Students must maintain a CGPA of 2.5 for the conferment of the degree.

### BS Mathematics and Economics students learn to:

- Develop mathematical thinking, evolving from a computational / procedural understanding of mathematics to a broad understanding that involves logical reasoning, generalization, inference and formal proof.
- Explore the fundamental aspects of economics, formulation and use of quantitative models arising in social science, business and other contexts.
- Acquire an understanding of basic pure mathematics, and of the role of logical argument in mathematics.
- Use basic econometric methods to quantify uncertainty with confidence intervals; use regression to infer causal relationships; and use regressions for prediction.

### Learning Outcomes for BS Mathematics & Economics Students include:

1. An ability to communicate effectively with the educational and business community and with society at large about mathematical and economical principles, concepts, and solution to problems with precision and adherence in written, oral and graphical form about concrete questions and to prepare well-organized written arguments that clearly state assumptions/hypotheses supported by evidence.
2. An ability to optimally apply economic analysis to everyday economic problems in the real world. This shall allow them to understand current events and evaluate potential policy proposals. Moreover, an appreciation shall be developed to evaluate the role played by assumptions in situations that reach various conclusions to a specific economic or policy problem.
3. Be equipped with skills to apply optimization models to consumer, producer, and market theories and to use game theory to analyze the strategic behavior of individuals and firms
4. Be equipped with the investigative skills necessary for conducting original economic research and participating effectively in project teams

### Eligibility Criteria

The BS (Mathematics & Economics) is a four-year program. Applicants who have successfully completed H.Sc with minimum 50% marks in Pre-Engineering or in General Group (with Mathematics) or A-Levels with a maximum 2 'C's in three principal subjects (with Mathematics) are eligible to apply for admission.

## Required Courses

### Communication (3 courses, 9 credit hours)

COM107 Academic English  
COM202 Business and Professional Speech  
COM205 Persuasive. & Analytical Writing for Business Comm.

### Economics

ECO101 Principles of Microeconomics  
ECO102 Principles of Macroeconomics  
ECO301 Managerial Economics  
ECO302 International Trade  
ECO303 Financial Economics  
ECO304 Econometrics I  
ECO307 Monetary theory and Policy  
ECO316 Macroeconomics Analysis  
ECO323 Development Economics  
ECO402 Pakistan Economic Policy  
ECO412 Econometrics II  
ECOXXX Elective I  
ECOXXX Elective II

### Language (1 course, 3 credit hours)

LAN 10\* Foreign Language I

\*1 = Introduction to Arabic      \*2 = Introduction to French  
\*4 = Introduction to German      \*6 = Introduction to Italian  
\*8 = Introduction to Chinese

### Political Sciences (1 course, 3 credit hours)

PSC301 Pakistan Studies

### Social Sciences (1 course, 3 credit hours)

SSC301 History of Ideas

### Mathematics (15 courses, 45 credit hours)

MTH104 Calculus I  
MTH105 Calculus II  
MTH203 Introduction to Formal Mathematics  
MTH204 Linear Algebra  
MTH224 Multivariable Calculus  
MTH303 Real Analysis I  
MTH304 Real Analysis II  
MTH344 Ordinary Differential Equations  
MTH346 Partial Differential Equations  
MTH350 Topics in Mathematical Economics  
MTH403 Numerical Analysis  
MTH427 Topology  
MTH401 Complex Analysis  
MTH433 Optimization Techniques  
MTHXXX Elective I  
MTHXXX Elective II

### Programming (3 courses, 12 credit hours)

CSC113 Programming Fundamentals  
CSC213 Object Oriented Programming  
CSC215 Data Structure and Algorithms

### Religious Studies (1 course, 3 credit hours)

REL101 Islamic Studies

### Statistics (4 courses, 12 credit hours)

STA203 Probability Theory and Statistics  
STA301 Model and Inference  
STA302 Methods of Data Analysis  
STA303 Time Series Analysis

### Natural Science Courses (2 courses, 6 credit hours)

PHY111 Applied Physics  
SSC202 Environmental Studies

## Elective Courses

### Mathematics

MTH406 Finite Element Analysis  
MTH411 Modelling and Simulation  
MTH421 Abstract Algebra  
MTH430 Operational Research  
MTH437 Functional Analysis  
MTH439 Introduction to Dynamical Systems  
MTH451 Number Theory  
MTH456 Statistical Machine Learning  
MTH457 Deep Learning  
MTH214 Game Theory

### Economics

ECO314 Contemporary Issues in Macroeconomics  
ECO411 Islamic Economics  
ECO416 Growth Theories  
ECO418 Resource & Environmental Economics  
ECO526 Energy Economics  
ECO442 Public Finance  
ECO444 Economics of Logistics  
ECO415 WTO, Disputes and Settlements  
ECO419 Agriculture and Food Security  
ECO407 Analysis of Pakistani Industries  
ECO321 General Equilibrium and Welfare Economics  
ECO310 History of Economic Thoughts  
ECO528 Economics and Social Equilibrium



**Natural Science Courses Pool (Courses 03, Credit Hours 06)**

NSC301 Everyday Science  
 PHY111 Applied Physics  
 NSC302 Environmental studies

**General Education (Courses 04, Credit Hours 06)**

SSCXXX Introduction to Philosophy  
 SSCXXX Video Production (ELE625 / ECE626 Image and Video Processing)  
 SSCXXX Teaching of Mathematics  
 SSC310 History of Economic Thought

**Course Structure**

<b>Semester One (19 Credit Hours)</b> Islamic studies (3+0) [Pre req NA] Academic English (3+0) [Pre req NA] Applied Physics (3+0) [Pre req NA] Principles of Microeconomics (3+0) [Pre req NA] Calculus I (3+0) [Pre req NA] Programming Fundamentals (3+1)[Pre req NA]	<b>Semester Two (19 Credit Hours)</b> Persuasive. & Analytical Writing for Business Communication (3+0) [COM107] Foreign Language I (3+0) [Pre req NA] Probability theory & Statistics (3+0) [Pre req MTH104] Principles of Macroeconomics (3+0) [Pre req NA] Calculus II (3+0) [Pre req MTH104] Object Oriented Programming (3+1) [Pre req CSS113]
<b>Semester Three (19 Credit Hours)</b> Managerial Economics (3+0) [Pre req ECO101, ECO102] Multivariable Calculus (3+0) [Pre req MTH105] Model and inference (3+0) [Pre req STA203] Introduction to Formal Mathematics (3+0) [Pre req NA] Business and Professional Speech (3+0) [Pre req COM202] Data Structure and Algorithms (3+1) [Pre Req CSC213]	<b>Semester Four (18 Credit Hours)</b> Macroeconomics Analysis (3+0) [Pre req ECO102] Real Analysis I (3+0) [Pre req MTH203] Methods of Data Analysis (3+0) [Prereq STA301] Linear Algebra (3+0) ([Pre req NA] Pakistan Studies (3+0) [Pre req NA] Topics in Mathematical Economics (3+0) [Prereq MTH104, ECO 101]
<b>Semester Five (18 Credit Hours)</b> Development Economics (3+0) [Pre req ECO103 & ECO316] International Trade (3+0) [Pre req ECO103 & ECO316] Real Analysis II (3+0) [Pre req MTH301] Environmental Studies (3+0) [Pre req NA] Ordinary Differential Equations (3+0) [Pre req MTH224] History of Ideas (3+0) [Pre req NA]	<b>Semester Six (18 Credit Hours)</b> Numerical Analysis (3+0) [Pre req MTH105, MTH204 & MTH344] Complex Analysis (3+0) [Pre req MTH303 & MTH304] Econometrics I (3+0) [Pre req STA301] Financial Economics (3+0) [Pre req ECO102] Partial Differential Equations (3+0) [Pre req MTH 344] Monetary theory & Policy (3+0) [Pre req ECO316]
<b>Semester Seven (18 Credit Hours)</b> Econometrics II (3+0) [Pre req ECO304] Topology (3+0) Optimization Techniques (3+0) Economics Elective I (3+0) Mathematics Elective I (3+0) Final Year Project I (0+3)	<b>Semester Eight (15 Credit Hours)</b> Pakistan Economic Policy Time Series Analysis (3+0) [Pre req STA302] Economics Elective II (3+0) Mathematics Elective II (3+0) Final Year Project II (0+3)

## BS DATA SCIENCE

BS (Data Science) focuses on statistical analysis and theoretical computer science to develop solutions that employ robust mathematical models. These models help AI (Artificial Intelligence) and other predictive tools for data mining and reaching closer to the solution.

This program has a dual emphasis on the basic principles of statistics and computer science, with foundational training in statistical and mathematical aspects of data analysis. This program is, additionally, based on broad computer science principles, including algorithms, data structures, data management, and machine learning. The program is suitable for students interested either in a career in industry or more specialized graduate study. This program will prepare students for a career in data analysis, combining foundational statistical concepts with computational principles from computer science. A major component of this degree is the final year two-semester project that teaches students how to apply Data Science principles for solving large-scale, real-world data analysis problems. BS (Data Science) is a four-year degree program. It requires completion of 138 credit hours of coursework and compulsory internship of at least six weeks at an organization approved by the Institute.

Students from pre-medical background are required to additionally complete the following two mathematics courses:

MTH011 Basic College Mathematics

MTH012 Intermediate College Mathematics

**Eligibility Criteria:** The eligibility criteria for admission into BS Data Science is given on Page No. 156.

### Data Science students learn to:

- Define information needs of individuals and organizations;
- Select and transform data to increase usefulness for solving particular problems;
- Analyze and synthesize unstructured data to create actionable information;
- Create information visualizations for data exploration and presentation;
- Manage very large volume data sources from acquisition through disposal;
- Secure and preserve data in ways consistent with legal and organizational considerations.

### Learning Outcomes for Data Science students include:

1. Knowledge of how to apply analytic techniques and algorithms (including statistical and data mining approaches) to large data sets to extract meaningful insights.
2. Acquisition of hands-on experience with relevant software tools, languages, data models, and environments for data processing and data visualization.
3. Ability to communicate results of analysis effectively (visually and verbally) to a broad audience.

### Career Path

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|-------------------|--|
| 1. Data Architect | 2. Infrastructure Architect              |
| 3. Data Scientist | 4. Data Analyst                          |
| 5. Data Engineer  | 6. Machine Learning Engineer & Architect |

### Prospective Firms/Companies

- |  |                                |
|--|--------------------------------|
| 1. Real Estate Industry                    | 2. Hospital Industry           |
| 3. Social Media Data Analytics Firms       | 4. Food and Supply Industry    |
| 5. Banking Sector                          | 6. Airline Industry            |
| 7. Communication & Transportation Industry | 8. Government & Private Sector |
| 9. Insurance Industry                      |                                |



## BS Data Science: Course Distribution

Area	Credit Hours	Courses
Computing Core [CC]	51	14
Domain Core [DC]	18	6
Domain Elective [DE]	21	7
Mathematics & Supporting Courses [MSC]	12	4
Elective Supporting Courses [ESC]	3	1
General Education Requirements [GER]	33	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>44</b>

## Program Structure (Semester Wise)

### Semester I

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
CSC111	Introduction to Information & Comm. Technology [GER]	2+0	-
CSC111	Introduction to Information & Comm. Technology Lab	0+1	
CSC113	Programming Fundamentals [CC]	3+0	-
CSC113	Programming Fundamentals Lab	0+1	
COM107	Academic English [GER]	3+0	-
PHY111	Applied Physics [GER]	2+0	-
PHY111	Applied Physics Lab	0+1	
MTH107	Calculus and Analytical Geometry [GER]	3+0	-
<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>16 (13+3)</b>	

### Semester II

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
CSC213	Object Oriented Programming [CC]	3+0	CSC113
CSC213	Object Oriented Programming Lab	0+1	
COM205	Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication [MSC]	3+0	COM107
CSC231	Discrete Structure [GER]	3+0	-
CSC115	Digital Logic and Design [CC]	3+0	PHY111
CSC115	Digital Logic and Design Lab	0+1	
MTH224	Multivariable Calculus [MSC]	3+0	MTH107
<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>17 (15+2)</b>	



### Semester III

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
CSC215 CSC215	Data Structures and Algorithms [CC] Data Structures and Algorithms Lab	3+0 0+1	CSC213
COM202	Business and Professional Speech [GER]	3+0	COM107
CSC211 CSC211	Comp. Organization & Assembly Lang. [CC] Comp. Organization & Assembly Lang. Lab	3+0 0+1	-
MTH204	Linear Algebra [MSC]	3+0	MTH107
REL101	Islamic Studies [GER]	3+0	-
<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>17 (15+2)</b>	

### Semester IV

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
CSC217 CSC217	Introduction to Database Systems [CC] Introduction to Database Systems Lab	3+0 0+1	CSC215
BDS102 BDS102	Introduction to Data Science [DC] Introduction to Data Science Lab	2+0 0+1	-
STA203	Probability Theory and Statistics [MSC]	3+0	-
CSC313 CSC313	Operating Systems [CC] Operating Systems Lab	3+0 0+1	CSC215
CSC315	Design & Analysis of Algorithms [CC]	3+0	CSC215
<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>17 (14+3)</b>	

### Semester V

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
BDS350 BDS350	Advanced Statistics [DC] Advanced Statistics Lab	2+0 0+1	STA203
CSC319 CSC319	Computer Networks [CC] Computer Networks Lab	3+0 0+1	-
MAN306	Introduction to Management & Organizational Behavior [GER]	2+0	-
CSC219	Professional Practices [GER]	2+0	-
BDS301 BDS301	Data Mining [DC] Data Mining Lab	3+0	-
CSC413 CSC413	Artificial Intelligence [CC] Artificial Intelligence Lab	3+0 0+1	STA203
<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>18 (14+4)</b>	



### Semester VI

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
BDSxxx	DS Elective 1 [DE]	3+0	-
CSCxxx	DS Elective 2 [DE]	3+0	-
CSC317	Introduction to Software Engineering [CC]	3+0	-
BDS401	Data Visualization [DC]	2+0	-
BDS401	Data Visualization Lab	0+1	-
BDS351	Data Warehouse and Business Intelligence [DC]	2+0	-
BDS351	Data Warehouse and Business Intelligence Lab	0+1	-
CSC380	Entrepreneurship [GER]	2+0	-
<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>17 (15+2*)</b>	

### Semester VII

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
BDSxxx	DS Elective 3 [DE]	3+0	-
BDSxxx	DS Elective 4 [DE]	3+0	-
MKT201	Marketing Management [ESC]	3+0	-
LAN10*	Foreign Language-I [GER]	3+0	-
CSC418	Parallel and Distributed Computing [DC]	3+0	CSC313
CSC491	Final Year Project I [CC]	0+3	CSC317
<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>18 (15+3*)</b>	

### Semester VIII

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
BDSxxx	DS Elective 5 [DE]	3+0	-
BDSxxx	DS Elective 6 new [DE]	3+0	-
BDSxxx	DS Elective 7 new [DE]	3*	-
CSC419	Information Security [CC]	3+0	-
PSC301	Pakistan Studies [GER]	3+0	
CSC492	Final Year Project II [CC]	0+3	CSC491
<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>18 (15+3*)</b>	

**Total 138 Credit Hours**

\*Lab depends on selection of elective courses by students

### Domain Elective

BDS201 Business Process Analysis	BDS481 Social Network Analysis
BDS404 Machine Learning	BDS482 Information Extraction
BDS417 Artificial Neural Networks	CSC311 Theory of Automata & Formal Lang.
BDS420 Information Retrieval	CSC347 Adv. Database Management Systems
BDS422 Platform & Architecture for Data Science	CSC378 HCI & Computer Graphics
BDS424 Speech Processing	CSC473 Big Data Analytics
BDS425 Text Mining	SEC473 Natural Language Processing
BDS429 Topics in Data Science	SEC481 Cloud Computing

## BS MATHEMATICS AND COMPUTATIONAL FINANCE

The BS in Mathematics and Computational Finance is an applied Mathematics program with a well-developed application in Finance structured for the students who might be interested in Mathematics and desire for a career in Business. BS Mathematics and Computational Finance program offers a comprehensive variety of modules across mathematics, statistics, finance, and programming. The program will empower the student to cultivate expertise in creative problem-solving and logical reasoning, to analyze market forces, minimize risk and maximize profitability, which are in great demand in a wide range of career sectors.

BS in Mathematics and Computational Finance will be a 4-year degree program with two semesters in each year. It will require the completion of 138 credit hours of course work, 6 credit hours of the project approved by the college and compulsory computational finance internship of at least 6 weeks in an approved firm. Students must take a minimum load of 12 credit hours (four courses) or a maximum load of 18 credit hours (six courses) in a semester. In order to obtain a BS degree in four years, a student is required to cover twelve courses in a year. Full load of six courses can be taken each in the Fall and Spring semesters with an option of four courses in the latter and making up the shortfall in the summer session. Students must maintain a CGPA of 2.5 for the conferment of the degree.

### BS Mathematics and Computational Finance students learn to:

- Learn the computational and modelling techniques used to price tradable assets such as bonds, securities, loans, energy and associated derivatives.
- Learn to generate, model, value, hedge and trade ingenious financial products.
- Acquire an analytical and strategic judgement for controlling the risk connected with complex financial transactions.
- Be equipped with the engineering-driven approaches widely used to construct and deploy the financial transactions and processes that, in their context, function as the international financial system and capital markets.
- Be provided with the educational background to pursue increasingly responsible management roles in industry.
- Be prepared to enter leadership positions in the financial industry and government where they will use their quantitative skills and creativity to provide innovative solutions and develop new or improved products and services.

### Learning Outcomes for Business Analytics Students include:

1. Ability to apply knowledge of mathematics and mathematical methods to the pricing and hedging of financial derivative securities.
2. An ability to use empirical evidence to assess the validity of mathematical and financial argument. This shall involve the use of financial data and mathematical methodology, ability to interpret results and conduct appropriate mathematical analysis.
3. Ability to work effectively, both independently and as part of an interdisciplinary group.
4. A recognition of the need for and an ability to engage in lifelong learning.

### Eligibility Criteria

The BS (Mathematics and Computational Finance) is a four-year program. Applicants who have successfully completed HSc with minimum 50% marks in Pre-Engineering or in General Group (with Mathematics) or A-Levels with a maximum 2 'C's in three principal subjects (with Mathematics) are eligible to apply for admission.

### Required Courses

#### Communication

COM107 Academic English (3+0)  
COM202 Business and Professional Speech (3+0)  
COM205 Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Comm.

#### Economics

ECO101 Principles of Microeconomics (3+0)  
ECO102 Principles of Macroeconomics (3+0)



## Finance

- FIN201 Introduction to Business Finance (3+0)
- FIN202 Financial Management (3+0)
- FIN503 Corporate Finance (3+0)
- FIN509 Financial Derivatives (3+0)
- FIN613 Financial Modeling (3+0)
- FIN\*\*\* FinTech (3+0)
- FIN\*\*\* Finance Elective I (3+0)
- FIN\*\*\* Finance Elective II (3+0)

## Language

- LAN10\* Foreign Language I

\*1 = Introduction to Arabic      \*2 = Introduction to French  
\*4 = Introduction to German      \*6 = Introduction to Italian  
\*8 = Introduction to Chinese

## Religious Studies

- REL101 Islamic Studies

## Political Sciences

- PSC301 Pakistan Studies

## Statistics

- STA203 Probability Theory and Statistics (3+0)
- STA207 Qualitative Data Analysis (3+0)
- STA301 Model and Inference (3+0)
- STA304 Quantitative Data Analysis (1+2)
- STA306 Applied Econometrics (2+1)

## Social Sciences

- SSC301 History of Ideas

## Internship

Internship related to Financial Mathematics

## Elective Courses

### Mathematics

- MTH430 Operations Research (3+0)
- MTH439 Introduction to Dynamical Systems
- MTH437 Functional Analysis
- MTH406 Finite Element Methods
- MTH456 Statistical Machine Learning
- MTH457 Deep Learning
- MTH440 Advanced Methods for Data Analysis
- MTH452 Convex and Non-Linear Analysis
- MTH451 Number Theory

## Mathematics

- MTH102 Calculus I (3+0) MTH106 Calculus II (3+0)
- MTH204 Linear Algebra (3+0)
- MTH224 Multivariable Calculus (3+0)
- MTH203 Introduction to Formal Mathematics (3+0)
- MTH303 Real Analysis I (3+0)
- MTH304 Real Analysis II (3+0)
- MTH309 Stochastic Processes (3+0)
- MTH344 Differential Equations (3+0)
- MTH346 Partial Differential Equations (3+0)
- MTH403 Numerical Analysis (3+0)
- MTH310 Discrete Time Finance (3+0)
- MTH410 Continuous Time Finance (3+0)
- MTH\*\*\* Mathematics Elective I (3+0)
- MTH\*\*\* Mathematics Elective II (3+0)

## Finance and Risk Management

- FRM201 Principles of Risk Management (3+0)
- FRM401 Advance Financial Risk Management (3+0)

## Programming

- CSC113 Programming Fundamentals
- CSC213 Object Oriented Programming
- CSC215 Data Structure and Algorithms

## Natural Science

- PHY111 Applied Physics
- SSC202 Environmental Studies

## Project

- Computational Finance Project I (0+3)
- Computational Finance Project II (0+3)

## Finance

- FIN403 Islamic Banking and Finance
- FIN506 Investment Banking and Security Analysis
- FIN507 Portfolio Management
- FIN511 Analysis of Financial Statement
- FIN512 Money and Capital Market
- FIN515 Foreign Trade and Banking

## Course Structure

<p><b>Semester One (19 Credit Hours)</b>            Islamic studies (3+0) [Pre req NA]            Academic English (3+0) [Pre req NA]            Principles of Microeconomics (3+0) [Pre req NA]            Calculus I (3+0) [Pre req NA]            Applied Physics (3+0) [Pre req NA]            Programming Fundamentals (3+1) [Pre req NA]</p>	<p><b>Semester Two (19 Credit Hours)</b>            Probability Theory and Statistics (3+0) [Pre req MTH102]            Persuasive &amp; Analytical Writing for Business Communication (3+0) [Pre req COM107]            Principles of Macroeconomics (3+0) [Pre req NA]            Calculus II (3+0) [Pre req MTH102]            Environmental Studies (3+0) [Pre req NA]            Object Oriented Programming (3+1) [Pre req CSS113]</p>
<p><b>Semester Three (19 Credit Hours)</b>            Introduction to Business Finance (3+0) [Pre req ACC201]            Introduction to Formal Mathematics (3+0) [Pre req NA]            Model and Inference (3+0) [Pre req STA203] Multivariable Calculus (3+0) [Pre req MTH106]            Business and Professional Speech (3+0) [Pre req COM107]            Data Structure and Algorithms (3+1) [Pre Req CSC213]</p>	<p><b>Semester Four (18 Credit Hours)</b>            Financial Management (3+0) [Pre req MCF201]            Real Analysis I (3+0) [Pre req MTH203]            Qualitative Data Analysis (3+0) [Pre req STA301]            Linear Algebra (3+0) [Pre req NA]            Foreign Language I (3+0) [Pre req NA]            Pakistan Studies (3+0) [Pre req NA]</p>
<p><b>Semester Five (18 Credit Hours)</b>            Principal of Risk Management (3+0)            Real Analysis II (3+0) [Pre req MTH301]            Quantitative Data Analysis (1+2) [Pre req STA301]            Applied Econometrics (2+1) [Pre req STA301]            Introduction to Differential Equations (3+0) [Pre req MTH224]            Financial Modeling (3+0) [Pre req MCF202]</p>	<p><b>Semester Six (18 Credit Hours)</b>            Numerical Analysis (3+0) [Pre req MTH105, MTH204 &amp; MTH344]            Probability and Measure Theory (3+0) [Pre req MTH304]            Stochastic Process (3+0) [Pre req 304]            Corporate Finance (3+0) [Pre req MCF202]            Financial Derivatives (3+0) [Pre req MCF202]            History of Ideas (3+0) [Pre req NA]</p>
<p><b>Semester Seven (18 Credit Hours)</b>            Advance Financial Risk Management (3+0) [Pre req FRM201]            Discrete Time Finance (3+0) [Pre req STA309]            Finance Elective I (3+0) Mathematics Elective I (3+0)            Partial Differential Equations (3+0) [Pre req MTH344]            Computational Finance Project I (0+3)</p>	<p><b>Semester Eight (15 Credit Hours)</b>            Fintech (3+0) [Pre req MCF201 &amp; MCF202]            Continuous Time Finance (3+0) [Pre req MTH310]            Finance Elective II (3+0)            Mathematics Elective II (3+0)            Computational Finance Project II (0+3)</p>

## BS SOFTWARE ENGINEERING (BS SE)

This program is devised to gear students in acquiring skills to undertake the issues of designing and developing reliable software with a clear understanding of problem-solving techniques, software quality, software testing, and management practices.

The graduates of this program would have the confidence and skills to become technology entrepreneurs. They may also join careers as software engineers and may move on to become analysts, designers, and architects in software houses or freelance solution providers. The program is designed to satisfy general requirements and meets the criteria adopted by the Higher Education Commission (HEC) of Pakistan. The aim is to prepare students to serve the productive needs of Pakistan's software industry. It requires completion of 138 credit hours of coursework. Students are required to take 44 courses (including Final Year Project and relevant labs) & internship, approved by the institute, in order to complete their degree requirements. Students must maintain a CGPA of 2.5 for the conferment of the degree.

Students from pre-medical background are required to additionally complete the following two mathematics courses:

MTH011 Basic College Mathematics

MTH012 Intermediate College Mathematics

**Eligibility Criteria:** The eligibility criteria for admission into BS Software Engineering is given on Page No. 156.

### BS Software Engineering students learn:

- To enable the graduates to apply knowledge gained during the program effectively and efficiently in software industry
- To contribute, manage and lead, computer science and software development teams
- To actively pursue lifelong learning and innovation skills
- To equip graduates with latest software tools and techniques
- To groom graduates to occupy senior technical and managerial positions
- To successfully bring innovation in IT technology as a whole

### Learning Outcomes for BS Software Engineering Students include:

1. Equip themselves with latest software tools
2. Successfully bring innovation in Information technology
3. An ability to function effectively on teams to accomplish a common goal
4. An understanding of professional, legal, security and social issues of it
5. An ability to communicate effectively with a range of audiences
6. An ability to develop software systems of varying complexity
7. Will develop logical thinking process

### Career Path:

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|------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 1. Web Developer       | 2. Software Engineer / Developer | 3. System Analyst            |
| 4. Front End Developer | 5. Software Project Manager      | 6. Software-Trainee Engineer |
| 7. SQL Developer       | 8. Software QA Engineer          | 9. Data Engineer             |
| 10. Technical Writer   |                                  |                              |

### Prospective Employers:

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|----------------------------|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. Cyber Internet Services | 2. Internet Service Providers | 3. Banking Sector              |
| 4. Real Estate Industry    | 5. Hospital Industry          | 6. Software Houses             |
| 7. Communication Industry  | 8. Transportation Sector      | 9. Government & Private Sector |

## BS Software Engineering: Course Distribution

Area	Credit Hours	Courses
Computing Core [CC]	51	14
Domain Core [DC]	18	6
Domain Elective [DE]	21	7
Mathematics & Supporting Courses [MSC]	12	4
Elective Supporting Courses [ESC]	3	1
General Education Requirements [GER]	33	12
<b>Total</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>44</b>

### Program Structure (Semester Wise)

#### Semester I

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
CSC111	Introduction to Information & Comm. Technology [GER]	2+0	-
CSC111	Introduction to Information & Comm. Technology Lab	0+1	-
CSC113	Programming Fundamentals [CC]	3+0	-
CSC113	Programming Fundamentals Lab	0+1	-
COM107	Academic English [GER]	3+0	-
PHY111	Applied Physics [GER]	2+0	-
PHY111	Applied Physics Lab	0+1	-
MTH107	Calculus and Analytical Geometry [GER]	3+0	-
	<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>16 (13+3)</b>	

#### Semester II

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
CSC213	Object Oriented Programming [CC]	3+0	CSC113
CSC213	Object Oriented Programming Lab	0+1	CSC113
COM205	Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication [MSC]	3+0	COM107
CSC231	Discrete Structure [GER]	3+0	-
CSC115	Digital Logic and Design [CC]	3+0	PHY111
CSC115	Digital Logic and Design Lab	0+1	PHY111
MTH224	Multivariable Calculus [MSC]	3+0	MTH107
	<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>17 (15+2)</b>	

#### Semester III

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
CSC215	Data Structures and Algorithms [CC]	3+0	CSC213
CSC215	Data Structures and Algorithms Lab	0+1	CSC213
COM202	Business and Professional Speech [GER]	3+0	COM107
CSC211	Comp. Organization & Assembly Lang. [CC]	3+0	-
CSC211	Comp. Organization & Assembly Lang. Lab	0+1	-
MTH204	Linear Algebra [MSC]	3+0	MTH107
REL101	Islamic Studies [GER]	3+0	-
	<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>17 (15+2)</b>	



#### Semester IV

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
CSC217	Introduction to Database Systems [CC]	3+0	CSC215
CSC217	Introduction to Database Systems Lab	0+1	
CSC317	Introduction to Software Engineering [CC]	3+0	-
STA203	Probability Theory and Statistics [MSC]	3+0	-
CSC313	Operating Systems [CC]	3+0	CSC215
CSC313	Operating Systems Lab	0+1	
CSC315	Design & Analysis of Algorithms [CC]	3+0	CSC215
<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>17 (15+2)</b>	

#### Semester V

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
SCE311	Software Construction and Development [DC]	2+0	STA203
SCE311	Software Construction and Development Lab	0+1	
CSC319	Computer Networks [CC]	3+0	-
CSC319	Computer Networks Lab	0+1	
MAN306	Introduction to Management & Organizational Behavior [GER]	2+0	-
CSC219	Professional Practices [GER]	2+0	-
SEC211	Software Design & Architecture [DC]	3+0	CSC231
CSC413	Artificial Intelligence [CC]	3+0	STA203
CSC413	Artificial Intelligence Lab	0+1	
<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>18 (15+3)</b>	

#### Semester VI

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
SECxxx	SE Elective 1 [DE]	3*	-
SECxxx	SE Elective 2 [DE]	3*	-
SEC321	Software Quality Engineering [DC]	2+0	-
SEC321	Software Quality Engineering Lab	0+1	
SEC111	Software Requirement Engineering [DC]	2+0	-
SEC111	Software Requirement Engineering Lab	0+1	
MKT201	Marketing Management [ESC]	3+0	-
CSC380	Entrepreneurship [GER]	2+0	-
<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>		<b>17 (15+2*)</b>	



### Semester VII

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
SECxxx	SE Elective 3 [DE]	3*	-
SECxxx	SE Elective 4 [DE]	3*	-
CSC418	Parallel and Distributed Computing [DC]	3+0	CSC313
LAN10*	Foreign Language-I [GER]	3+0	-
SEC323	Software Project Management [DC]	2+0	-
SEC323	Software Project Management Lab	0+1	-
CSC491	Final Year Project I [CC]	0+3	CSC317
	<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>18 (15+3*)</b>	

### Semester VIII

Course Code	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-requisite
SECxxx	SE Elective 5 [DE]	3*	-
SEC xxx	SE Elective 6 new [DE]	3*	-
SEC xxx	SE Elective 7 new [DE]	3*	-
CSC419	Information Security [CC]	3+0	-
PSC301	Pakistan Studies [GER]	3+0	
CSC492	Final Year Project II [CC]	0+3	CSC491
	<b>Semester Total Credit Hours</b>	<b>18 (15+3*)</b>	

**Total 138 Credit Hours**

*\*Lab depends on selection of elective courses by students*

### Domain Elective

BDS102 Intro. To Data Science	SEC472 Semantic Web
CSC311 Theory of Automata & Formal Languages	SEC473 Natural Language Processing
CSC347 Advanced Database Management	SEC474 Real-Time Systems
CSC373 Web Engineering	SEC481 Cloud Computing
CSC378 HCI & Computer Graphics	SEC482 Big Data Analytics
CSC379 Computer Architecture	SEC483 Multimedia Communication
CSC473 Enterprise Systems	SEC488 Software Verification and Validation
SEC462 Visual Programming	SEC489 Object Oriented Analysis & Design
SEC463 E-Commerce	SEC491 Management Information Systems
SEC464 Systems Programming	SEC493 Information Systems Audit
SEC465 Game Application Development	SEC494 Global Software Development
SEC466 Mobile Application Development	SEC499 Topics in Software Engineering
SEC471 Agent Based Software Engineering	

## BS STATISTICS & BUSINESS ANALYTICS

BS (Statistics and Business Analytics) is designed to give you substantial hands-on digital skills, teaching you statistical theory and data analysis techniques with the perspective of business analytics. You will learn how to use these skills to solve business problems, applying them to specific areas in marketing, finance, and economics. In addition, you will learn international and sustainable business management from both theoretical and experiential viewpoints. The latest developments in Business Analytics' technology are playing a crucial role in automating the analysis process. It is also enabling both data analysis experts and business users to interpret data more easily and quickly. Business analytics are key differentiators, which provide a competitive edge to companies across industries.

BS (Statistics and Business Analytics) is a four-year degree program. It requires completion of 141 credit hours of course work, 6 credit hours of the project approved by the college and compulsory internship of at least six weeks in an organization approved by the Institute. A major component of this degree is the final year two-semester project that teaches students how to apply statistical and computational principles to solve large-scale, real-world data analysis problems.

### Statistics and Business Analytics students learn to:

- Apply knowledge of Computing, Mathematics, and Statistics and integrate it with the business that is appropriate for the program.
- Get a thorough understanding of tools and methods and enhance their ability to do in-depth research.
- Analyze the data pertinent to business problems to explore solutions.
- Acquire the knowledge and skills to get a greater insight regarding the day-to-day challenges that businesses face.
- Use knowledge of data analytics to apply in the important branches of business management such as Marketing, Human Resource Management, Finance and Risk Management, Supply Chain Management.
- Change the world for the better – in areas like healthcare, transportation, and education, etc.

### Learning Outcomes for Statistics and Business Analytics Students include:

1. Design, implement and evaluate a computer-based system, process, component or program to meet desired needs.
2. Communicate effectively with different audiences.
3. Improve business-related decision-making skills by exploring and mining data from various aspects.

### Career Path

1. Marketing Analyst
2. Financial Analyst
3. CRM Analyst
4. Supply Chain Analyst
5. Funds and Security Analyst
6. Research Scientist

### Prospective Firms/Companies

1. Banking Sector
2. Real Estate Sector
3. Business Industry
4. Communication Industry
5. Transportation & Supply Chain Sector
6. Government and Private Sector

### Eligibility Criteria

The BS (Statistics and Business Analytics) is a four-year program. Applicants who have successfully completed H.Sc with minimum 50% marks in Science Group (Pre-Engineering) or in General Group (with Mathematics/Statistics/Computer Science) or A-Levels with a maximum 2 'Cs in three principal subjects (with Mathematics/Statistics/Computer Science) are eligible to apply for admission.

## Required Courses

### Accounting

ACC101 Introduction to Financial Accounting  
ACC201 Intermediate Financial Accounting

### Finance

FIN201 Introduction to Business Finance  
FIN202 Financial Management

### Management

MAN101 Principles of Management  
MAN302 Organizational Behavior  
MAN303 Production and Operations Management

### Communication

COM107 Academic English  
COM202 Business and Professional Speech  
COM205 Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Bus. Communication

### Marketing

MKT301 Principles of Marketing  
MKT302 Marketing Management  
MKT404 Methods in Business Research

### Political Sciences

PSC301 Pakistan Studies

### Social Sciences

SSC301 History of Ideas

### Language

LAN 10\* Foreign Language I

\*1 = Introduction to Arabic      \*2 = Introduction to French  
\*4 = Introduction to German      \*6 = Introduction to Italian  
\*8 = Introduction to Chinese

## Elective Courses

### Statistics

STA315 Design of Experiment II  
STA316 Operations Research I  
STA317 Operations Research II  
STA309 Loss Models I  
STA310 Loss Models II  
STA319 Statistical Quality Control  
FRM201 Principles of Risk Management

### Elective (Business Analytics)

MKT602 Marketing Analytics  
HRM513 HR Automation  
FINXXX Financial Analytics

### Economics

ECOXXX Introduction Micro and Macroeconomics  
ECO103 Intermediate Micro and Macroeconomics  
ECO304 Introduction to Econometrics  
ECO402 Pakistan Economic Policy

### Management Information Systems

MIS401 Computer Applications

### Human Resource Management

HRM301 Human Resource Management

### Religious Studies

REL101 Islamic Studies

### Mathematics

MTH100 Mathematics for Business MTH104 Calculus I  
MTH105 Calculus II  
MTH204 Linear Algebra  
MTH403 Numerical Analysis

### Statistics

STA203 Probability Theory and Statistics I  
STA205 Probability Theory and Statistics II  
STA210 Sampling Theory  
STA301 Model and Inferences  
STA302 Methods of Data Analysis  
STA305 Applied Regression Analysis  
STA307 Decision Theory  
STA311 Design of Experiment I  
STA313 Applied Multivariate Analysis  
STA303 Time Series Analysis and Forecasting

### Natural Science

PHY111 Applied Physics  
SSC202 Environmental studies

### Final Year Project

STA491 Final Year Project I  
STA492 Final Year Project II



## Course Structure

<p><b>Semester One (18 Credit Hours)</b>            Islamic Studies (3+0) [Pre Req. NA]            Mathematics for Business (3+0) [Pre Req. NA]            Principles of Management (3+0) [Pre Req. NA]            Introduction to Micro and Macroeconomics (3+0) [Pre Req. ECO102]            Probability Theory and Statistics I (3+0) [Pre Req. NA]            Academic English (3+0) [Pre Req. NA]</p>	<p><b>Semester (18 Credit Hours)</b>            Persuasive and Analytical Writing for Bus. Comm. (3+0) [Pre Req. COM107]            Pakistan Studies (3+0) [Pre Req. NA] Calculus I (3+0) [Pre Req. NA]            Probability Theory and Statistics II (3+0) [Pre Req. STA203]            Principles of Marketing (3+0)[Pre Req. NA]            Foreign Language I [Pre Req. NA]</p>
<p><b>Semester Three (18 Credit Hours)</b>            Computer Applications (2+1) [Pre Req. NA]            Intermediate Micro and Macroeconomics (3+0) [Pre Req. ECOXXX]            Calculus II (3+0) [Pre Req. MTH104]            Introduction to Financial Accounting (3+0) [Pre Req. NA]            Model and Inferences (3+0) [Pre Req. STA205]            Business and Professional Speech (3+0) [Pre Req. COM107]</p>	<p><b>Semester Four (18 Credit Hours)</b>            Linear Algebra (3+0) [Pre Req. NA]            Organizational Behavior (3+0) [Pre Req. MAN101]            Intermediate Financial Accounting (3+0) [Pre Req. ACC101]            Marketing Management (3+0) [Pre Req. MKT301]            Methods of Data Analysis (2+1) [Pre Req. STA301]            Applied Physics (3+0) [Pre Req. NA]</p>
<p><b>Semester Five (18 Credit Hours)</b>            Human Resource Management (3+0) [Pre Req. MAN302]            Introduction to Econometrics (2+1) [Pre Req. ECO102]            Introduction to Business Finance (3+0) [Pre Req. NA]            Methods in Business Research (3+0) [Pre Req. MKT302]            Applied Regression Analysis (2+1) [Pre Req. STA302]            Environmental studies (3+0) [Pre Req. NA]</p>	<p><b>Semester Six (18 Credit Hours)</b>            Financial Management (3+0) [Pre Req. FIN201]            Sampling Theory (2+1) [Pre Req. STA302]            Numerical Analysis (3+0)[Pre Req. MTH204]            Elective I (STATISTICS) (3+0) [Pre Req. NA]            Pakistan Economic Policy (3+0) [Pre Req. ECO103]            History of Ideas</p>
<p><b>Semester Seven (18 Credit Hours)</b>            Decision Theory (3+0) [Pre Req. STA301]            Design of Experiment I (2+1) [Pre Req. STA305]            Production and Operations Management (3+0) [Pre Req. NA]            Elective I (BUSINESS ANALYTICS) (3+0) [Pre Req. NA]            Elective II (STATISTICS) (3+0) [Pre Req. NA]            Final Year Project I (0+3) [Pre Req. MKT404, STA305]</p>	<p><b>Semester Eight (15 Credit Hours)</b>            Applied Multivariate Analysis (2+1)            Time Series Analysis and Forecasting (2+1) [Pre Req. STA305]            Elective III (STATISTICS) (3+0) [Pre Req. NA]            Elective II (BUSINESS ANALYTICS) (3+0) [Pre Req. NA]            Final Year Project II (0+3) [Pre Req. STA491]</p>

## MS COMPUTER SCIENCE

The Master of Science program in Computer Science provides intensive preparation in the concepts and techniques related to the design, programming, and application of computing systems. The program requires students to take a broad spectrum of courses and simultaneously allows for emphasis on the desired areas of specialization. The program is based on HEC guidelines. The program comprises two years of study over at least four semesters. It requires the completion of 33 credit hours of course work. Students are required to complete 9 courses and a thesis of an equivalent of 6 credit hours equivalent of two courses to fulfill degree requirements. Students must maintain a CGPA of 3.0 for the conferment of the degree.

### MS Computer Science students learn to:

- To impart a breadth of knowledge in core areas of Computer Science which include theoretical foundations and fundamentals of systems
- Instill opportunities for a research-oriented program, in preparation for the PhD program in computer science
- Link theory with practice and demonstrate analytical and proper decision-making abilities while developing computer systems or solutions
- Use their knowledge and critical independent thinking skills while working independently and/or in team environments

### Learning Outcomes for MS Computer Science students include:

1. Acquisition of hands-on experience with relevant software tools, languages, data models, and environments for data processing.
2. Ability to communicate results of analysis effectively (visually and verbally) to a broad audience in the fields of biology, environment, finance and risk management, data science, business management, and other disciplines
3. An ability to analyze a problem, and identify and define the computing requirements appropriate to its solution
4. An ability to design, implement and evaluate a computer-based system, process, component, or program to meet desired needs
5. Be well-prepared for research and development in Computer Science in industry or academia
6. Deal with the challenges of the IT industry with global changes
7. Develop logical thinking process

### Career Path:

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|--------------------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. Application Analyst         | 2. Applications Developer | 3. Data Analyst             |
| 4. UX Designer                 | 5. IT Consultant          | 6. Cybersecurity Consultant |
| 7. Information Systems Manager | 8. Multimedia Programmer  | 9. Systems Analyst          |
| 10. Games Developer            |                           |                             |

### Prospective Employers:

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|--|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. Cyber Internet Services               | 2. Internet Service Providers | 3. Banking Sectors        |
| 4. Industrial Sectors                    | 5. Software Houses            | 6. Real Estate Sector     |
| 7. Communication & Transportation Sector | 8. Colleges & Universities    | 9. Govt. & Private Sector |

### Eligibility

BS(CS) / MCS / BE in Computer Engineering candidates are required to fulfill the requirement as proposed by the Department Board of Studies. Minimum CGPA of 2.5 (on a scale of 4.0). MS (Computer Science) program consists of two groups of courses, core and elective. The following core courses are recommended to be completed before entering the MS (CS) program.

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|---------------------------|---|
| 1. Analysis of Algorithms | 2. Assembly Lang. / Computer Architecture |
| 3. Computer Networks      | 4. Computer Programming                   |
| 5. Data Structures        | 6. Database Systems                       |
| 7. Operating Systems      | 8. Software Engineering                   |
| 9. Theory of Automata     |   |



A student selected for admission having a deficiency in the above-stated courses may be required to study a maximum of FOUR courses, which must be passed in the first two semesters. A student cannot register in MS courses unless all specified deficiency courses have been passed.

## Program Requirements

MS requires completion of course work and dissertation/thesis. The minimum duration is two years and the maximum is four years:

- MS course work requirements consist of nine graduate-level courses (27 credit hours)
- On completion of the dissertation/thesis, the student is awarded 6 credits

An MS student must additionally complete the following requirements:

- MS proposal/synopsis development
- MS proposal/synopsis defense
- BASR approval of MS proposal/synopsis
- Continuous enrollment in supervised research courses for meeting the full-time residency requirements
- Completion of MS dissertation/thesis
- Selection of external evaluators by BASR
- Evaluation of MS dissertation by two external faculty members as per HEC criteria
- Dissertation/thesis finalization
- Open defense of MS dissertation
- Acceptance Letter of Reserch Paper (as a first author) from MS Dissertation/Thesis in (HJRS/WoS/Scopus Indexed Journal/Conference)
- Any other HEC requirement
- Final dissertation/thesis submission to BASR

## Core Courses

CSC540 Research Methodology  
 CSC543 Advanced Computer Architecture  
 CSC548 Advanced Analysis of Algorithm  
 CSC547 Advanced Operating Systems  
 CSC549 Theory of Programming Languages  
 CSC591 MS Thesis-I  
 CSC592 MS Thesis-II

## Elective Courses

CSC561 Advanced Software Engineering	CSC562 Object-Oriented Software Engineering
CSC563 Software Quality Assurance	CSC564 Software Requirement Engineering
CSC565 Software Testing Strategies	CSC571 Advanced Database Management Systems
CSC572 Data Warehousing	CSC573 Data Mining
CSC574 Distributed Systems	CSC575 Parallel and Distributed Algorithms
CSC578 Communication and Information Policy	CSC581 Neural Networks
CSC582 Pattern Recognition	CSC583 Fuzzy Systems
CSC584 Artificial Intelligence	CSC585 Machine Learning
CSC586 Deep Learning	

## Course Structure

<b>Semester One</b> Research Methodology (3+0) Advanced Computer Architecture (3+0) Advanced Analysis of Algorithm (3+0)	<b>Semester Two</b> Advanced Operating Systems (3+0) Theory of Programming Languages (3+0) Elective I (3+0)
<b>Semester Three</b> Elective II (3+0) Elective III (3+0) MS Thesis-I (0+3)	<b>Semester Four</b> Elective IV (3+0) MS Thesis-II (0+3)



## MS MATHEMATICS AND SCIENTIFIC COMPUTING

The MS program in Mathematics & Scientific Computing develops rigorous foundational mathematical tools that help in careers as researchers and solution providers.

The MS program in Mathematics & Scientific Computing prepares students for careers in research, applications, and teaching. Students choose courses from two areas of concentration for their course work: Mathematics and Computations. Students are required to qualify successfully for nine courses (5 compulsory and 4 electives) each of 3 credit hours' duration. On successful completion of MS, course work students will be allowed to work on a 6 credit hour thesis on a subject of their interest depending on the availability of the faculty. The program comprises two years of study over at least four semesters. It requires completion of 33 credit hours of course work. Students must maintain a CGPA of 3.0 for the conferment of the degree.

### MS Mathematics & Scientific Computing students learn to:

- Develop a thorough understanding of mathematical methods before going to apply analytical skills to solve real-life problems
- Apply rigorous mathematical and computational skills used to handle problems to get meaningful results
- Establish and understand a connection between the techniques of mathematical analysis and scientific computing and their link with the real-life problems

### Learning Outcomes for MS Mathematics & Scientific Computing students include:

1. Use knowledge to apply mathematical and scientific computing techniques and algorithms to real-life problems to extract meaningful insights
2. Acquisition of hands-on experience with relevant software tools, languages, data models, and environments for data processing
3. Ability to communicate results of analysis effectively (visually and verbally) to a broad audience in the fields of biology, environment, finance and risk management, data science, business management, and other disciplines

### Eligibility

16 Years of education in Computer Science, Engineering, Mathematics, Statistics or any other relevant field. Minimum CGPA of 2.5 (on a scale of 4.0)

### Program Requirements

MS requires completion of course work and dissertation/thesis. Minimum duration is two years and the maximum is four years:

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- Dissertation/thesis finalization
- Open defense of MS dissertation
- Any other HEC requirement
- Final dissertation/thesis submission to BASR



## Required Courses

### Compulsory Courses (15 credit hours)

- MTS609 Research Methodology
- MTS616 Advanced Real Analysis
- MTS617 Advanced Numerical Analysis
- MTS618 Statistical Modeling and Computing
- MTS638 Advanced Topics in Algebra

## Elective Courses

### Mathematics Concentration\* (6 credit hours)

- MTS612 Numerical Methods for ODEs and PDEs
- MTS615 Dynamical System
- MTS634 Advanced Numerical Linear Algebra
- MTS644 Computational Fluid Dynamics
- MTS646 Financial Mathematics
- MTS654 Advance Functional Analysis
- MTS663 Numerical Computing and Optimization
- MTS664 Special Topics in Mathematics

*\* or any other elective subjects approved in BoS and published in previous Catalogues.*

### Computer Concentration\* (6 credit hours)

- MTS622 Fundamental of Algorithms
- MTS635 Information Retrieval and Data Mining
- MTS655 Special Topics in Computing
- MTS656 Advance design analysis and Algorithm
- MTS657 Machine Learning

*\*or any other elective subjects approved in BoS and published in previous Catalogues.*

## Thesis

- MTS691 Thesis I
- MTS692 Thesis II

## Course Structure

<b>Semester One (9 credit hours)</b> Research Methodology Advanced Numerical Analysis Advanced Real Analysis	<b>Semester Two (9 credit hours)</b> Statistical Modeling & Computing Advanced Topics in Algebra Mathematics Concentration I
<b>Semester Three (9 credit hours)</b> Mathematics Concentration II Computation Concentration I Thesis I	<b>Semester Four (6 credit hours)</b> Computation Concentration II Thesis II



## MS STATISTICS & SCIENTIFIC COMPUTING

The MS program in Statistics & Scientific Computing develops rigorous foundational mathematical and statistical tools that help in careers as researchers, and solution providers. It prepares students for careers in research, applications, and teaching. Students choose courses from two areas of concentration for their course work: Statistics and Computations. Students are required to qualify successfully for nine courses (five compulsory and four electives) each of 3 credit hours duration. On successful completion of MS course work students will be allowed to work on a 6 credit hour thesis on a subject of their interest depending on the availability of the faculty. The program comprises two years of study over at least four semesters. It requires completion of 33 credit hours (27 credit hours of course work and 06 credit hours of the dissertation/thesis). Students must maintain a CGPA of 3.0 for the conferment of the degree.

### MS Statistics & Scientific Computing students learn to:

- Develop a thorough understanding of statistical methodology before going to apply statistical skills to solve real-life problems
- Apply rigorous statistical techniques used to handle data to get meaningful results
- Select and transform data to increase usefulness for solving particular problems
- Create information visualizations for data exploration and presentation
- Establish and understand a connection between the techniques of data analysis and scientific computing and their link with the real-life data

### Learning Outcomes for Data Science students include:

1. Knowledge of how to apply statistical and scientific computing techniques and algorithms to real-life data sets to extract meaningful insights.
2. Acquisition of hands-on experience with relevant software tools, languages, data models, and environments for data processing.
3. Ability to communicate results of analysis effectively (visually and verbally) to a broad audience in the fields of biology, environment, finance and risk management, data science, business management, and other disciplines.

### Eligibility

16 Years of education in Computer Science, Engineering, Mathematics, Statistics or any other relevant field. Minimum CGPA of 2.5 (on a scale of 4.0).

### Program Requirements

MS requires completion of course work and dissertation/thesis. Minimum duration is two years and the maximum is 4 years:

- MS course work requirements consist of nine graduate-level courses (27 credit hours)
- On completion of the dissertation/thesis, the student is awarded 6 credits

### A MS student must additionally complete the following requirements:

- MS proposal/synopsis development
- MS proposal/synopsis defense
- BASR approval of MS proposal/synopsis
- Continuous enrollment in supervised research courses for meeting the full-time residency requirements
- Completion of MS dissertation/thesis
- Selection of external evaluators by BASR
- Evaluation of MS dissertation by two external faculty members as per HEC criteria
- Dissertation/thesis finalization
- Open defense of MS dissertation
- Any other HEC requirement
- Final dissertation/thesis submission to BASR



## Required Courses

### Compulsory Courses (15 credit hours)

- MSS609 Research Methodology
- MSS611 Advanced Statistical Inference
- MSS614 Mathematical Statistics
- MSS617 Advanced Numerical Computing
- MSS618 Statistical Modeling & Computing

### Elective Courses

#### Statistics Concentration (6 credit hours)

- MSS647 Advanced Design of Experiments
- MSS648 Time Series Analysis
- MSS649 Stochastic Processes
- MSS650 Applied Regression Models
- MSS651 Theory & Practice of Forecasting
- MSS652 Statistical Quality Control
- MSSXXX Survey Sampling

#### Computer Concentration (6 credit hours)

- MSS622 Fundamental of Algorithms
- MSS635 Information Retrieval & Data Mining
- MSS645 Decision Theory
- MSS657 Machine Learning
- MSS658 Pattern Recognition
- MSS661 Simulation & Modeling
- MSS663 Artificial Intelligence

#### Thesis

- MSS691 Thesis I
- MSS692 Thesis II

## Course Structure

<b>Semester One</b> Research Methodology Mathematical Statistics Advanced Numerical Computing	<b>Semester Two</b> Statistical Modeling & Computing Advanced Statistical Inference Statistics Concentration I
<b>Semester Three</b> Statistics Concentration II Computation Concentration I Thesis I	<b>Semester Four</b> Computation Concentration II Thesis II



## PHD (COMPUTER SCIENCE) PHD (STATISTICS & SCIENTIFIC COMPUTING)

PhD programs will connect knowledge of three disciplines mathematics, statistics and computer science to policy-relevant decision-making in business and government. The program aims to train researchers to contribute to theory, develop inventive and useful models and methods, and conduct applied scientific investigations. Although individual researchers will vary in their emphases, the field includes all these aspects. This program emphasizes rigorous course work and high-quality research that should be published in international conferences and HEC recognized journals. Course and research work are designed as per HEC criteria.

### Learning Outcomes:

1. In-depth understanding of academic theory and the preparation of high-quality research
2. Lead and manage research projects
3. Support and participate in academic, government, and industrial projects
4. Apply theories and models to solve real problems

### Career Path:

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|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1. IT Consultant                | 2. Data Scientists             |
| 3. Cyber-security Consultant    | 4. Information Systems Manager |
| 5. Machine Learning Expert      | 6. Technical Writer            |
| 7. Data Modeler                 | 8. Security Architect          |
| 9. Software Development Manager | 10. Educationist               |

### Prospective Employers:

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|----------------------------|--|
| 1. Cyber Internet Services | 2. Internet Service Providers            |
| 3. Real Estate Sector      | 4. Banking Sectors                       |
| 5. Hospital Sector         | 6. Communication & Transportation Sector |
| 7. Colleges & Universities | 8. Government & Private Sector           |

### Eligibility

BS/ BBA/ BE / MS /ME/ MPhil or equivalent degree from HEC recognized institutions meeting the following criteria:

- A minimum CGPA of 3.00 on a scale of 4.00 in Bachelors (16 years)
- A minimum CGPA of 3.00 on a scale of 4.00 (or overall 60% marks) or equivalent in Masters (18 years)
- An interview conducted by the Institute
- Any other requirements as communicated by the HEC from time to time.

### Program Requirements

PhD requires completion of course work and dissertation/thesis. In addition, each PhD scholar shall be required to publish at least one research paper based on dissertation as a first author along with his/her supervisor/co-supervisor in Clarivate Analytics Impact Factor Journal listed in Journal Citation Reports (Web of Science Group). Minimum duration is three years and the maximum is seven/ten years:

- 1) Masters (18 years) in CS/ SE/ IT or relevant field  
18 Credit Hours of PhD Courses plus 30 Credit Hours of PhD Thesis
- 2) Masters (18 years) with irrelevant field  
Maximum 12 Credit Hours of deficiency courses (from MS CS program approved by Doctoral Committee) plus 18 Credit Hours of PhD Courses plus 30 credit hours of PhD Thesis
- 3) Bachelors (16 years) in CS/ SE/ IT or relevant field  
30/33 credit hours of courses of MS Program (instead of thesis two Independent Studies of 3 credit hours each) plus 18 Credit hours of PhD courses plus 30 credit hours of PhD thesis
- 4) Bachelors (16 years) with irrelevant field  
Maximum 12 credit hours of deficiency courses (from BS CS program approved by Doctoral Committee) plus 30/33 Credit Hours of courses of MS Program (instead of thesis two Independent Studies of 3 credit hours each) plus 18 credit hours of PhD Courses plus 30 credit hours of PhD Thesis



### A PhD student must additionally complete the following requirements:

- Comprehensive exam
- PhD proposal/synopsis development
- PhD proposal/synopsis defense
- BASR approval of PhD proposal/synopsis
- Continuous enrollment in supervised research courses for meeting the full-time residency requirements
- Completion of PhD dissertation/thesis
- Selection of external evaluators by BASR
- Publication or an official acceptance of at least one paper in an ISI impact factor journal as a first author
- Evaluation of PhD dissertation by two foreign faculty members from developed countries as per HEC criteria
- Dissertation/thesis finalization
- Open defense of PhD dissertation
- Any other HEC requirement
- Final dissertation/thesis submission to BASR

### Course Structure

Select Six courses

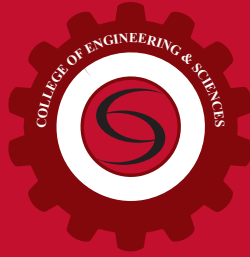
#### PhD (Computer Science)

- PCS701 Big Data Analytics and Knowledge Discovery
- PCS703 Natural Language Processing Information Retrieval
- PCS705 Advance Theory of Computation
- PCS707 Advances in Machine Learning
- PCS709 Computational Intelligence
- PCS711 Heuristic Search Theory & Methods
- PCS713 Advanced Neural Network
- PCS715 Intelligent Web Technologies
- PCS717 Parallel and Distributed Systems
- PCS719 Formal Research Methods
- PCS723 Computer Vision and Robotics
- PCS725 Temporal and Spatial Database Management System
- PCS731 Advanced Digital Signal Processing
- PCS733 Advanced Decision Support System
- PCS739 Advances in Simulation and Modeling
- PCS743 Fuzzy Topologies with Human Centric Computing
- PCS745 Advanced Algorithm Analysis
- PCS749 Seminar on Logic and Scientific Computing
- PCS751 Seminar on Emerging Computing Technologies
- PCS753 Advances in Artificial Intelligence
- PCS755 Advances in Deep Learning
- PCS921 Research Thesis (3 Units)
- PCS922 Research Thesis (6 Units)
- PCS923 Research Thesis (9 Units)

#### PhD (Statistics & Scientific Computing)

- PST701 Advanced Statistical Computing and Graphics
- PST703 Regression Modeling and Computing
- PST705 Advanced Mathematical Statistics
- PST707 Advanced Bayesian Inference and Stochastic Modeling
- PST713 Nonlinear and Integer Programming
- PST715 Advanced Design and Analysis of Experiments
- PST717 Advances in Time Series Analysis
- PST719 Advances in Bioinformatics & Biostatistics
- PST721 Statistical Quality Control
- PST723 Stochastic Modeling in Finance
- PST725 Special topics in Statistics
- PST850 Research Thesis (30 Credit Hours)





# COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING AND SCIENCES

*“Entrepreneurial Engineering with Excellence”*

College of Engineering and Sciences (CES) was established to realize IoBM’s mission of creating an impact as a multidimensional institution of higher learning. The college strives to develop entrepreneurial engineers who have the technical skills and confidence to create new engineering technologies and design innovative engineering products and processes.

## BS TECHNOLOGY MANAGEMENT

BS in Technology Management is inspired to combine the advancements in technology with a hands-on management approach to solve the problems of 21st Century.

The focus of this program is to produce graduates that can ensure sustainable digital future. The key for which is automation and digital transformation. This program aims to produce graduates that can identify, plan, and execute the conversation of an existing organization. Students, by the end of the program, will be able to enter an Industry 4.0 enabled company and optimize the process and streamline the workflow and to improve efficiency productivity.

1. Apply knowledge of strategy, marketing, digital technology, and big data analysis to complex Industry 4.0 based problems / situations / scenarios including 3D printer, AI, Block chain and Cyber Physical Systems
2. Develop expertise in mapping processes of an industry and strategize the conversion to digital platform
3. Identify operations that can be automated to reduce resources (time, raw material, people etc.)

### Career Prospects:

1. Technology Managers
2. System Analysts
3. Management Analyst
4. Management Consultants
5. Computer Network Architect
6. Engineering Managers

### Main Features:

- a. Name of the proposed Program: Bachelor of Science in Technology Management
- b. Total Credit Hours for completion of the program: 144
- c. Program duration: eight semester/ four years
- d. Proposed initial date for implementation of the program: Spring 2022

### Eligibility:

Applicants who have successfully completed HSC with minimum 50% marks in pre-engineering, pre-medical or in General Group (with Mathematics/ Statistics/ Computer Science) or A-Levels with a maximum of 2-Cs in three principal subjects are eligible to apply for admission.

### Degree Requirements:

Minimum duration:	4 years	Number of semesters:	8
Number of weeks per semester:	16-18	Total number of credit hours:	144
Number of credit hours per semester:	17-19	Technology courses:	41 %
Non Tech & Management courses:	59 %	Laboratory work:	03 hrs.
Total number of courses:	46 Courses + 9 weeks Internship		
Total credit hours:	144		

## Required Courses

### Core Courses

BTM101 Introduction to Computing	BTM102 Basic Electrical Circuits
BTM103 Information and Communications Technology	CME104 Computer Programming & Problem Solving
ELE201 Digital Logic Design	EPE201 CAD/CAM
BTM202 Operating Systems	CME203 Data Structure & Algorithms
TCE205 Signals and Systems	CME205 Microprocessor & Microcontroller Systems
BTM301 Data Communication & Networks	ELE419 Linear Control System
BTM304 Sensors and Transducers	IDE401 Principles of Applied Mechatronics
BTM401 Big Data and Cloud Computing	BTM402 Emerging Trends in Connected Systems
BTM403 Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning	BTM404 Cyber physical Systems
MTH216 Complex Variable and Transforms	



## Management

MAN101 Principles of Management  
ACC101 Introduction to Financial Accounting  
HRM301 Human Resource Management  
BTM302 Technology Management  
IDE400 Introduction to Enterprise Resource Planning  
FIN202 Digital Financial Management  
BTM305 Total Quality Management  
ENT403 Small Business & Entrepreneurship

## Natural Sciences

GSC103 Applied Physics  
BTM201 Renewable Energy

## Expository Writing

COM117 Functional English  
COM119 Communication Skills  
COM 208 Technical Report Writing

## Elective Courses

### Digital Technology Transformation (3+0)

IDE404 Design Thinking  
IDE409 Philosophy of Technology  
IDE405 Business and Technology Strategy  
CME415 Management Information System  
CME416 IoT System Development  
CME417 UI/UX Design Development  
CME418 IoT Business Case  
BTM405 Nano Technology Fundamentals  
ELE432 Introduction to Internet of Things  
EPE432 Wireless Power Transmission  
BTM406 Wireless Sensor Networks  
BTM407 Information Theory and Coding

### E-Business (3+0)

BTM410 Auditing & Taxation  
BTM411 Industrial Relations  
BTM412 Business Transformation  
BTM413 Digital Business Law  
BTM414 Supply Chain Fundamentals & Inventory Mgmt.  
IDE406 Production Planning & Control  
IDE407 Software Project Management  
IDE408 Professional Practices  
ELE435 Technology and Society

## Arts and Humanities

LAN 10\* Foreign Language I  
LAN 20\*\* Foreign Language II  
\*1 = Introduction to Arabic \*2 = Introduction to French  
\*4 = Introduction to German \*6 = Introduction to Italian  
\*8 = Introduction to Chinese  
\*\*1 = Intermediate Arabic \*\*2 = Intermediate French  
\*\*4 = Intermediate German \*\*6 = Intermediate Italian  
\*\*8 = Intermediate Chinese

## Social Sciences

ENG203 Engineering Economics  
BTM303 Organizational Behavior

## Quantitative Reasoning

MTH107 Calculus & Analytical Geometry  
MTH204 Linear Algebra

## Civilized Courses

REL101 Islamic Studies  
PSC301 Pakistan Studies

### Emerging Trends in Technology (3+1)

BTM415 Real time Embedded System  
BTM416 Opto Electronics  
BTM417 Smart Grid Technology  
BTM418 Digital Image Processing  
BTM419 Industrial Electronics  
BTM420 Robotics Design Lab (modular)  
BTM421 Underwater Internet of Things  
BTM422 VLSI Basics  
BTM423 Optical Fiber Communication  
BTM424 Digital Communication Systems  
BTM425 Network Communication Protocols  
BTM426 Power Electronics  
BTM427 Internet of Robotic Things (IoRT)



## Course Structure

<p><b>Semester One</b>            Functional English (3+0)            Applied Physics (3+1)            Islamic Studies (3+0)            Introduction to Computing (2+1)            Calculus &amp; Analytical Geometry (3+0)            Computer Aided Engineering Design (0+1)</p>	<p><b>Semester Two</b>            Basic Electrical Circuits (2+1)            Principles of Management (3+0)            Linear Algebra (3+0)            Communication Skills (3+0)            Pakistan Studies (3+0)            Information &amp; Communications Technology (2+1)</p>
<p><b>Semester Three</b>            Computer Programming &amp; Problem Solving (2+1)            Digital Logic Design (3+1)            Complex Variables &amp; Transforms (3+0)            Foreign Language I (3+0)            Renewable Energy (3+0)            Operating Systems (2+1)</p>	<p><b>Semester Four</b>            Data Structure &amp; Algorithms (3+1)            Signals and Systems (3+1)            Foreign Language II (3+0)            Microprocessor &amp; Microcontroller Systems (3+1)            Technical Report Writing (3+0)</p>
<p><b>Semester Five</b>            Introduction to Financial Accounting (3+0) Data Communication &amp; Networks (2+1)            Human Resource Management (3+0)            Engineering Economics (3+0)            Linear Control System (3+1)            Technology Management (2+0)</p>	<p><b>Semester Six</b>            Organizational Behavior (3+0)            Introduction to Enterprise Resource Planning (3+0)            Sensors and Instrumentation (2+1)            Digital Financial Management (3+0)            Total Quality Management (3+0)            Elective I (2+1)</p>
<p><b>Semester Seven</b>            Elective II (2+1)            Elective III (3+0)            Principles of Applied Mechatronics (2+1)            Big Data and Cloud Computing (2+1)            Small Business &amp; Entrepreneurship (3+0)            Final Year Project I (0+3)</p>	<p><b>Semester Eight</b>            Emerging Trends in Connected Systems (3+1) Artificial Intelligence &amp; Machine Learning (3+1)            Final Year Project II (0+3)            Cyber Physical Systems (3+1)            Elective IV (3+0)</p>



## MS ENGINEERING MANAGEMENT

The MS in Engineering Management degree bridges the gap between engineering potential and its gainful exploitation for business and economic advantage by focusing on efficiency, productivity and effectiveness.

The need for engineering management is felt at all managerial levels, particularly in the professional management work environment. Also, management is applicable to every aspect of an organization's functions and at all levels of top management, middle and lower management. Basic and specialized knowledge in the field of engineering management is a crucial need for every engineer and a profitable business.

Engineering management entails planning, organizing, allocating resources, and directing and controlling activities that have a technological component. The course has been designed by engineers and business experts with experience at the International level, keeping in view the requirements of the country.

This is a weekend program with a minimum load of 6 credit hours (2 courses) and a maximum of 9 credit hours (three courses) in each of the three sessions (Fall, Spring and Summer).

### Program Objectives

- To exemplify excellence in engineering management through in depth knowledge and skills in the field of engineering management and applied sciences
- To engage in continuous professional development and exhibit quest for lifelong learning
- To demonstrate professional integrity and commitment to social and ethical responsibilities required of them as leaders and entrepreneurs.

### Course Contents

Duration:	Minimum 02 - Maximum 04 years
Total credit hours:	30
- Teaching:	24
- Thesis:	6

A minimum of eight courses (500 Level) of 3 credit hours each with individual research project / thesis of 6 credit hours in a relevant area shall be required for the completion of the MS degree in the discipline of Engineering Management.

### Entry Test Policy

The admission for MS Program would be based on the following:

#### Eligibility for entrance to MS-Engineering Management Program:

It is based on the following:

- Sixteen years of education in any engineering discipline with minimum 55% marks in overall academic career in annual system and CGPA 2.5 in a semester system or equivalent from HEC recognized Institutes/Universities having PEC registration status.



**In addition:**

- All admissions to MS are subject to Higher Education Commission (HEC) based testing services such as National Testing Services (NTS) or Education Testing Council (ETC), etc.

**Course Structure**

MEM501 Project Management (3+0)  
MEM502 Designs, Patents, Contract and Legal Engineering (3+0)  
MEM504 Research Methodology (3+0)  
MEM514 Technology Management (3+0)  
MEM516 Marketing Management (3+0)

<b>Elective Stream I</b>	<b>Elective Stream II</b>
MEM505 Applied Engineering Analysis (3+0) MEM506 Production System Design and Analysis (3+0) MEM507 Operations Analysis & Resource Allocation (3+0) MEM508 Operation Management (3+0) MEM509 Simulation Modeling (3+0) MEM510 Production Planning and Control (3+0) MEM511 Advanced Practices in Engineering Management (3+0) MEM512 Environmental and Safety Management (3+0) MEM513 Industrial Costing Management (3+0) MEM515 Lean Six Sigma & Lean Manufacturing (3+0) MEM516 Marketing Management (3+0)	MEM604 Financial and Managerial Accounting (3+0) MEM605 Operation Management and Supply Chain (3+0) MEM606 Organization and Strategic Management (3+0) MEM517 Global Business Strategy (3+0) MEM518 Leadership, Innovation & Entrepreneurship (3+0) MEM519 Financial Statement Analysis (3+0) MEM520 Engineering Economics (3+0) MEM521 Problem Solving & Decision Making (3+0) MEM523 Supply Chain Management (3+0) MEM524 Management of Organizations (3+0) MEM525 Advanced Topics in Project Management (3+0)

Thesis (06 Credit hours)

<b>Semester One</b> Project Management (3+0) Research Methodology (3+0) Marketing Management (3+0)	<b>Semester Two</b> Design, Patents, Contract and Legal Engineering (3+0) Technology Management (3+0) Elective I (3+0)
<b>Semester Three</b> Elective II (3+0) Elective III (3+0) Thesis Proposal (0+3)	<b>Semester Four</b> Final Thesis (0+3)

**Note:**

It is mandatory for research students of MS and Ph.D. programs to attend the Multi-Disciplinary Research Seminar Series (MRSS) sessions on Saturdays (12:00 to 2:00 PM) each semester.



## MS IN IOT SYSTEMS MANAGEMENT

The Institute of Business Management's Masters of IoT Systems Management (ISM) is a multidisciplinary degree that bridges academic disciplines of IoT, Systems Engineering and Management to facilitate degree completion. This degree offers students the opportunity to select two focus areas of study (a primary related to IoT Systems and a secondary related to its Management). Each student will be assigned an advisor in the college that fields their primary focus area. This degree is also designed for non-traditional students, returning students, students who arrive at IoBM with 16 years of teaching. Intake is from Engineering, Medical, Computing and other relevant disciplines.

### Scope of Program

In Pakistan, shift is focused towards rapid growth of data networks, as well as towards electronically facilitated services particularly in the public sector. IoT System Managers design develop test and supervise deployment of electrical systems and electric devices. They are expected to work on the design of sub-micron Digital and Analogue Integrated Circuits, Digital Signal Processors, Control System Design and Testing services. The Master of Science (MS) program in IoT Systems Management is designed to prepare students for technically demanding careers in industry as well as for research career in IoT and related fields. More specifically:

- It requires students to build depth in an IoT Systems Management specialization, selected from areas such as signal processing and communication, systems and control, electromagnetics and photonics, and material circuits and devices.
- It affords students the opportunity to flexibly choose graduate electives to explore technical or professional interests within engineering.

This requires an ability to apply reasoning informed by contextual knowledge to assess societal, health, safety, legal and cultural issues and the consequent responsibilities relevant to professional engineering practice and solution to IoT Systems Management problems. These are:

- i. an ability to understand the impact of professional solutions in societal and environmental contexts and demonstrate knowledge of and need for sustainable development;
- ii. commitment to professional ethics and responsibilities and norms of engineering practice;
- iii. an ability to work effectively, as an individual or in a team, in multifaceted and /or multidisciplinary settings;
- iv. an ability to communicate effectively, orally as well as in writing, with the engineering community and with society at large, such as being able to comprehend and write effective reports and design documentation, make effective presentations, and give and receive clear instructions;
- v. an ability to demonstrate management skills and apply engineering principles to one's own work, as a member and/or leader in a team, to manage projects in a multidisciplinary environment;
- vi. an ability to recognize importance of, and pursue lifelong learning in the broader context of innovation and technological developments;
- vii. knowledge of contemporary issues.

With the challenges faced on a global level (Sustainability, health, environmental protection) there is a new need for companies and organizations to integrate technical and business skills to solve these difficult problems.



## Program Objectives

The program objectives are to provide expertise in the areas of hardware-software in wireless communications and IoT end terminals including the following:

1. Apply knowledge of strategy, marketing, digital technology, and big data analytics to complex Industry 4.0 & beyond challenges, including 3D Printing, Artificial Intelligence (AI), Machine Learning (ML), Blockchain and Cybersecurity.
2. Develop expertise in mapping processes of industry and strategizing the conversion to a digital platform.
3. Identify operations that can be automated to maximize efficiency and optimize resources (people, process, technology) using IoT-based infrastructure.

In general following are the prime objectives of MS program:

- (i) To understand the operating principles of IOT Systems Management.
- (ii) To meet all HEC requirements for the MS program including thesis proposal and implementation.
- (iii) Solve real world research problems related to IoT Systems Management according to the international standards.
- (iv) To simulate, design, analyze and implement IoT Systems Management research projects.
- (v) To communicate effectively in a team and with stake holders.
- (vi) To work independently and conduct lifelong learning and adapt readily to changing situations and manage to demonstrate consistent professional ethics with high integrity.
- (vii) To adapt the research ethics and methodologies to carry out high quality research work.

## Entry Test Policy

Engineering/Computing Graduates holding BS / 16 years of education in Engineering/Computing subjects from HEC recognized institutions with minimum 50% marks in overall academic career or equivalent:

- Meet all HEC stipulated requirements including:
- Sixteen years of education in any discipline with minimum 55% marks in overall academic career in annual system and CGPA 2.5 in a semester system or equivalent from HEC recognized Institutes/Universities.
- All admissions to MS are subject to Higher Education Commission (HEC) based testing services such as National Testing Services (NTS) or Education Testing Council (ETC), etc.

In addition, for Non-Computing and Non-Engineering background, following four project-based courses are mandatory (as deficiency courses)

- i. Fundamentals of Programming
- ii. Data Structures and Algorithm
- iii. Microprocessor & Microcontroller Fundamentals
- iv. Computer Networks

## Courses:

### Compulsory Courses (3 Credit Hours)

S. No.	Course ID	Course Name	Credit Hours
1	IOT501	Research Methodology	3+0

**Domain Core Courses (12 Credit Hours)**

S. No.	Course ID	Course Name	Credit Hours
1	IOT511	IoT Systems Architecture & Design	3+0
2	IOT513	IoT Network Management	3+0
3	IOT515	Sensors, Actuators and Instrumentation for Automation2 (ADAPTED)	3+0
4	IOT517	Management of Disruptive Technologies	3+0

**Domain Electives Courses (12 Credit Hours)**

S. No.	Course ID	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-Requisites
1	IOT561	Artificial Intelligence	3+0	
2	IOT562	System Fault Management	3+0	
3	IOT563	System Financial Management	3+0	
4	IOT564	IoT Analytics and Data Visualization with Cloud Services	3+0	
5	IOT565	Cyber Security for IoT Systems2	3+0	
6	IOT566	Industrial Control and Programming	3+0	
7	IOT567	Industrial Maintenance and Safety for IoT Systems	3+0	
8	IOT568	Management of Cyber-Physical Systems	3+0	
9	IOT661	System Configuration Management	3+0	IOT515
10	IOT662	Programmable Logic Embedded System Design4	3+0	IOT515
11	IOT663	System Performance Management	3+0	IOT513
12	IOT664	Constraints Aware Computing1 (adapted)	3+0	IOT511
13	IOT665	High Speed Digital Design4	3+0	IOT511
14	IOT667	Developing Industrial Internet of Things3	3+0	IOT517
15	IOT668	Mobile Application Development for IoT4	3+0	IOT517
16	IOT669	Digital Supply Chain Management	3+0	IOT517
17	IOT671	Human Computer Interaction for IoT	3+0	IOT561
18	IOT672	IoT Applied Machine Learning1	3+0	IOT561
19	IOT681	Sensor Big Data Analytics1	3+0	IOT661

**Project-Based Thesis (6 Credit Hours)**

S. No.	Course ID	Course Name	Credit Hours	Pre-Requisites
1	IOT691	Project-Based Thesis - I	0+3	IOT501
2	IOT692	Project-Based Thesis - II	0+3	IOT691



## Course Structure

<b>Semester One</b> Research Methodology (3+0) IoT Systems Architecture & Design (3+0) Sensors, Actuators and Instrumentation for Automation (3+0)	<b>Semester Two</b> IoT Network Management (3+0) Elective-I Management of Disruptive Technologies (3+0)
<b>Semester Three</b> Elective-II Elective-III Project Based Thesis 1 (0+3)	<b>Semester Four</b> Elective-IV Project Based Thesis 2 (0+3)

## Program Summary

Duration	2 years
Total Credit hours	33 cr.
Course work	27 cr.
Thesis	6 cr.

### Notes:

*It is mandatory for research students of MS and PhD programs to attend the Multi-Disciplinary Research Seminar Series (MRSS) sessions on Saturdays (12:00 to 2:00 PM) each semester.*



# COLLEGE OF ECONOMICS AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT

The College of Economics and Social Development (CESD) is a social science and liberal arts college with graduate and undergraduate programs in areas such as economics, psychology, education, media, law and international relations. Mission of the College is to contribute to the social and economic development by focusing on creative, professional and research-based interventions.

## BS (HONORS) MEDIA STUDIES

BS (Honors) Media Studies is a hands-on multidisciplinary program, designed to provide students with a strong grounding in, and a broad academic base for, pursuing a professional career - institutional or entrepreneurial - in the wider field of media and film arts. Although the program has been progressively strengthened since its inception in Fall-2010, by refining the curriculum and pedagogy backed by investments in infrastructure upgrades, major curricular changes incorporated over the last couple of years, now allow students to delve deeper into the realm of new media and arts, and acquire the skillsets necessary for success in the emerging world of media and visual communication.

Students have the option to major in either one of two streams i.e. Journalism and Filmmaking offered in the program. However, they share common foundation courses in the first four semesters, before branching out towards their chosen major to concentrate on their mandatory core courses and electives. A total of 144 credit hours of coursework needs to be undertaken for completing the degree requirement under both majors, along with a compulsory 6-week internship to be completed after the sixth semester.

The program owes its success to the support it has received over the years from media experts, practitioners, and specialists from the field of journalism and filmmaking who still contribute toward the department's work, as well as from media organizations, digital marketing agencies, and production studios among others.

### Foundation Courses

#### Communication

COM107 Academic English

#### Islamic Studies

REL101 Islamic Studies

#### Language

LAN112 Urdu I

LAN113 Urdu II

#### Law

LAW405 Media Law & Business Ethics

#### Pakistan Studies

PSC301 Pakistan Studies

#### Social Sciences

MMM398 Social Sciences for Media

### Core Course (All Students)

MMM344 Screenplay I

MMM354 Intro to Sound Design

MMM360 Introduction to Photography

MMM362 History of Filmmaking

MMM363 Intro to Design Tools

MMM374 Introduction to Journalism

MMM376 Intro to Performing Arts

MMM383 Introduction to Video Production

MMM394 Introduction to Creative Arts

MMM395 Media History

MMM396 Concept Art

MMM405 Cinematography

MMM406 Public Relations & Corporate Communication

### Core Courses (Production Major)

MMM342 Filmmaking – The Art & Craft: Thesis I (6C)

MMM345 Screenplay II

MMM351 Production Management

MMM366 Filmmaking – The Art & Craft: Thesis II (6C)

MMM369 Production Design

MMM373 Content Creation

MMM375 Advanced Sound Design

MMM377 Direction

MMM382 Editing & Post Production III (6C)

MMM402 Introduction to Unreal Engine



## Core Courses (Journalism Major)

MMM301 Photojournalism  
MMM318 Business Journalism  
MMM333 Sports Journalism  
MMM336 Human Rights & Gender Reporting  
MMM367 Digital Journalism  
MMM372 Environmental Journalism  
MMM403 Investigative Journalism: Thesis I (6C)  
MMM392 Investigative Journalism: Thesis II (6C)

## Elective Courses (Production Major)

MMM301 Photojournalism  
MMM367 Digital Journalism  
MMM384 Design Thinking  
MMM386 Introduction to Podcast & Audio Journalism  
MMM387 Introduction to 3D Animation & Motion Graphics  
MMM399 New Media Technologies : Tools & Applications  
MMM402 Introduction to Unreal Engine  
MMM555 Discovering Film  
ENT403 Entrepreneurship & Small Business

## Elective Courses (Journalism Major)

MMM386 Intro to Podcast & Audio Journalism  
MMM384 Design Thinking  
MMM396 Concept Art  
MMM399 New Media Technologies: Tools & Applications  
MMM555 Discovering Film  
ENT403 Entrepreneurship & Small Business

## Special Summer Course offered to all BS/BBA students

MMM555 Discovering Film  
MMM399 New Media Technologies: Tools & Applications

## Course Structure

<b>Semester One</b> Academic English Introduction to Design Tools Urdu I Intro to Creative Arts Pakistan Studies Media History	<b>Semester Two</b> Introduction to Photography Introduction to Journalism Introduction to Video Production Intro to Performing Arts Islamic Studies History of Filmmaking
<b>Semester Three</b> Screenplay I Cinematography Concept Art Edit & Post Production Urdu II Introduction to Sound Design	<b>Semester Four</b> Intro to 3D Animation & Motion Graphics UI/UX for Interactive Media Introduction to Advertising & PR Writing for Digital Media Digital Journalism Intro to Podcast & Audio Journalism (J)



<b>Semester Five</b> Studio Production Digital Marketing Basics Social Sciences in Media Creative Portfolio Management Production Design (P) Screenplay II (P) Sports Journalism (J) Photojournalism (J)	<b>Semester Six</b> Production of Documentary Direction New Media Technologies: Tools & Applications Content Creation Production Management (P) Direction (P) Business Journalism (J)
<b>Semester Seven</b> Methods in Media Research Media Law & Ethics Creative Portfolio Management Public Relations & Corporate Communication Filmmaking – The Art & Craft: Thesis I (P) (6C) Investigative Journalism: Thesis I (J) (6C) Elective I	<b>Semester Eight</b> Content Distribution & Promotion Entrepreneurship & Small Business Human Rights & Gender Reporting (J) Filmmaking – The Art & Craft: Thesis II (6C) Editing & Post Production III (6C) Investigative Journalism: Thesis II (6C) Elective II

*(6C) = 6 Credit Hours*

*(P) = Production*

*(J) = Journalism*

*Internship (2 credit hours)*



## BS Economics with Double Minors (Law, Media, and IR)

This program focuses on international negotiations for trade and commerce for business and economic advantage. Graduates of this program can evaluate the comparative advantage of trading with businesses and countries. They can evaluate the economic implications of policies related to GMOs, geopolitical dynamics, trade routes, and economic corridors such as CPEC. The graduates can help large importers, exporters, and logistic organizations design their business strategies. They can also help government bodies in evaluating and designing bilateral and multilateral agreements

The professional development of economists is a pivotal factor in building the human capital index. IoBM has always taken the lead in providing much-needed human capital to Pakistan's business industry. Keeping in view the dire need for a dynamic and enterprising industry IoBM offers a 4-year BS in Economics with double minors in Law, IR, or Media program to contribute towards building the backbone of the economy. This 4-year program has been particularly developed to fill the niche in Pakistan's industrial, banking, civil service, and media sectors. The program's purpose is to provide a strong foundation in the field of economics and integrate the core principles of effective management of organizations and the economy. This 144 credit hours program will be offered during the weekdays.

It is a 144 credit hour program with 22 compulsory courses (3 credit hours each), 8 elective courses (3 credit hours each), 5 aligned courses (3 credit hours each), and 13 other courses (3 credit hours each). The time limit to complete the BS degree is four years.

### Eligibility Criteria:

Intermediate (any group)/A-Levels with at least 50% marks CGPA 2.0 out of 4 from a recognized university/institution.

### Learning Outcomes

- Students should get not only well familiar with economic theories and laws but also with applied economics.
- They should be able to enhance their contribution towards the growth of the whole country/economy.
- Students should be able to apply quantitative techniques and modeling to analyze key economic indicators for the performance of an organization.
- Students should be well equipped with mathematical/statistical/economic tools to demonstrate strong analytical and problem-solving skills.
- They should be well equipped with software such as E-Views and SPSS.
- Students should be able to produce a research paper or article independently in any journal of international repute.
- They should develop a thirst for research-based studies like going for M.Phil. or Ph.D.
- They can further set an example by getting success in their lives for their juniors to go for research-based studies
- Students should be able to focus on the humanistic aspect of Economics w.r.t IR and Law and also its impact on society.
- Students should be prepared for future careers in our interconnected society, whether in mass media or advanced study
- Students should be able to analyze financial documents, like budgets, critically.
- They should be capable of analyzing fiscal policy, monetary policy, and trade policy to provide problem-solving solutions.
- Students should be able to get admission to institutes of international repute.
- They should get international or national scholarships.
- Understanding of the institutions, processes, constitutional background, and policy outcomes of the Pakistani government and the ability to compare the Pakistani government to other countries around the world
- Knowledge of key theories and concepts, historical developments, organizations, and modern issues in international relations.

### Career Path

- Policy analyst/Research Economist
- Business Journalist/Content Developer
- Domestic and International Financial institutions
- NGOs/Development Sector
- Banking Sector/Financial Analyst
- Portfolio Manager/ Quantitative Risk Analyst
- Public Sector/Civil Service



## Foundation Courses

COM107 Academic English  
COM119 Communication Skills  
COM205 Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Comm.  
PSC301 Pakistan Studies  
REL101 Islamic Studies  
BED101 General Science  
SSC202 Environmental Studies  
SSC104 Principles of Sociology  
PSY300 Introduction to Psychology  
MTH100 Mathematical Economics  
MTH104 Calculus I  
MTH105 Calculus II  
STA203 Probability Theory & Statistics  
STA301 Models of Inferences  
STA302 Methods of Data Analysis  
SSC301 History of Ideas  
LAN 10\* Foreign Language I  
LAN 20\*\*Foreign Language II  
\*1 = Introduction to Arabic      \*2 = Introduction to French  
\*4 = Introduction to German      \*6 = Introduction to Italian  
\*8 = Introduction to Chinese  
  
\*\*1 = Intermediate Arabic      \*\*2 = Intermediate French  
\*\*4 = Intermediate German      \*\*6 = Intermediate Italian  
\*\*8 = Intermediate Chinese

## Core Courses

### Economics (Core Courses)

ECO101 Principles of Microeconomics  
ECO102 Principles of Macroeconomics  
ECO315 Microeconomics Analysis  
ECO316 Macroeconomics Analysis  
ECO304 Econometrics-1  
ECO323 Development Economic  
ECO412 Econometrics-2  
ECO302 International Trade  
ECO307 Monetary Theory & Policy  
ECO402 Pakistan Economic Policy

### Media (Core Courses)

MMM318 Business Journalism  
MMM367 Digital Journalism  
MMM374 Introduction to Journalism  
MMM384 Design Thinking  
MMM385 Writing for Digital Media  
MMM395 Media History

### International Relations (Core Courses)

BIR301 Introduction to IR  
BIR302 Political Geography  
BIR303 World Politics  
BIR305 Religion, Culture & IR  
BIR308 Peace Building and Conflict Zones  
BIR312 Globalization

## Law (Core Courses)

LAW105 Mercantile Law  
LAW106 Company Law  
LAW202 Banking Law in Pakistan  
LAW203 Insurance Law in Pakistan  
LAW301 Intellectual Property Patents, Copyrights  
LAW400 Company Secretarial Practices

## Elective Courses

### Economics (Electives)

ECO407 Analysis of Pakistan Industry  
ECO410 Issues in Political Economy  
ECO411 Islamic Economics  
ECO418 Resources & Environmental Economics  
ECO442 Public Finance  
ECO518 Governance & Public Policy  
ECO310 History of Economics Thought  
ECO321 General Equilibrium and Welfare Economics  
ECO207 Game Theory  
ECO314 Contemporary Issues in Macroeconomics  
ECO444 Economics of Logistics  
ECOXXX Agronomics  
ECOXXX Merger, Acquisition & Restructuring

### International Relations (IR) (Electives)

BIR314 Confidence Building Measures  
BIRXXX Introduction to Political Science  
BIRXXX Global Governance  
BIRXXX Muslim Political Thought

### Media (Electives)

MMM308 Contemporary World Media  
MMM555 Discovering Film  
MMM405 Media, Law and Ethics

## Course Structure

### Possible Options for Minors:

#### I. Law & International Relations (LI)

<b>Semester One</b> Principles of Microeconomics Islamic Studies Academic English Introduction to Psychology Principles of Sociology Calculus I	<b>Semester Two</b> Principles of Macroeconomics Foreign Language-1 General Science Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication Calculus II Environmental Studies
<b>Semester Three</b> Microeconomic Analysis Foreign Language-2 Introduction to IR Mercantile Law Probability theory & Statistics Mathematical Economics	<b>Semester Four</b> Macroeconomic Analysis Company Law Pakistan Studies History of Ideas Communication Skills Models and Inferences
<b>Semester Five</b> Econometrics-1 Development Economics Methods of Data Analysis Banking Law in Pakistan World Politics Religion, Culture & IR	<b>Semester Six</b> Econometrics-2 International Trade Insurance Law in Pakistan Intellectual Property, Patents and Copyright Globalization Political Geography
<b>Semester Seven</b> Monetary Theory & Policy Pakistan Economic Policy Company Secretarial Practices Peacebuilding & Conflict Zone Law Elective I IR Elective I	<b>Semester Eight</b> Economics Elective I Economics Elective II Economics Elective III Economics Elective IV Law Elective II IR Elective II

#### II. Media & International Relations (MI)

<b>Semester One</b> Principles of Microeconomics Islamic Studies Academic English Introduction to Psychology Principles of Sociology Calculus I	<b>Semester Two</b> Principles of Macroeconomics Foreign Language-1 General Science Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication Calculus II Environmental Studies
<b>Semester Three</b> Microeconomic Analysis Foreign Language-2 Introduction to IR Introduction to Journalism Probability theory & Statistics Mathematical Economics	<b>Semester Four</b> Macroeconomic Analysis Pakistan Studies History of Ideas Communication Skills Models and Inferences Digital Journalism



<b>Semester Five</b> Econometrics-1 Development Economics Methods of Data Analysis Media History World Politics Religion, Culture & IR	<b>Semester Six</b> Econometrics-2 International Trade Business Journalism Design Thinking Globalization Political Geography
<b>Semester Seven</b> Monetary Theory & Policy Pakistan Economic Policy Writing for Digital Media Peacebuilding & Conflict Zone Media Elective I IR Elective I	<b>Semester Eight</b> Economics Elective I Economics Elective II Economics Elective III Economics Elective IV Media Elective II IR Elective II

### III. Law & Media (LM)

<b>Semester One</b> Principles of Microeconomics Islamic Studies Academic English Introduction to Psychology Principles of Sociology Calculus I	<b>Semester Two</b> Principles of Macroeconomics Foreign Language-1 General Science Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication Calculus II Environmental Studies
<b>Semester Three</b> Microeconomic Analysis Foreign Language-2 Mercantile Law Introduction to Journalism Probability theory & Statistics Mathematical Economics	<b>Semester Four</b> Macroeconomic Analysis Models and Inferences Pakistan Studies History of Ideas Communication Skills Digital Journalism
<b>Semester Five</b> Econometrics-1 Development Economics Media History Company Law Methods of Data Analysis Banking Law in Pakistan	<b>Semester Six</b> Econometrics-2 International Trade Insurance Law in Pakistan Intellectual Property, Patents and Copyright Business Journalism Design Thinking
<b>Semester Seven</b> Monetary Theory & Policy Pakistan Economic Policy Company Secretarial Practices Writing for Digital Media Media Elective I Law Elective I	<b>Semester Eight</b> Economics Elective I Economics Elective II Economics Elective III Economics Elective IV Media Elective II Law Elective II

## BS JOINT (HONORS) IN BUSINESS & PSYCHOLOGY

The BS Joint (Hons) in Business and Psychology program is designed to provide strong foundation in business and to integrate core psychological principles. The main goal of this program is to produce graduates who have the ability to apply science of human behavior to practical business problems. Students learn to apply theories in psychology to business challenges. They learn to analyze business problems through psychological approach, utilizing research skills and developing effective solutions.

This four-year program requires completion of 126 credit hours of coursework. Students can take minimum load of 12 credit hours (4 courses per semester) or maximum load of 18 credit hours (6 courses per semester).

**Entry Requirement:** HSSC/FSc/FA/A' level

### General Education Courses

LAN 10\* Foreign Language I

LAN 20\*\* Foreign Language II

\*1 = Introduction to Arabic      \*2 = Introduction to French

\*4 = Introduction to German      \*6 = Introduction to Italian

\*8 = Introduction to Chinese

\*\*1 = Intermediate Arabic      \*\*2 = Intermediate French

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COM107 Academic English

COM202 Business and Professional Speech

COM205 Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication

MTH102 Business Mathematics

STA104 Quantitative Techniques in Business

SSC104 Principles of Sociology

BED101 General Science

SSC202 Environmental Studies

PSC301 Pakistan Studies

REL101 Islamic Studies

PSY300 Introduction to Psychology

MTH100 Basic Mathematics \*\*\*

COM100 Foundation English\*\*\*

*(\*\*\* Remedial non-credit course to be taken by those students who have not been able to reach the desired level of competence in the admission test.)*

### Psychology Core Courses

PSY301 Research Methods in Business Psychology

PSY302 Writing Business Psychology Research

PSY303 Introduction to Psychological Testing

PSY304 Experimental Psychology

PSY305 Contemporary Social Psychology

PSY309 Developmental Psychology

PSY311 Consumer Psychology



## Business Core Courses

ACC101 Introduction to Financial Accounting  
 FIN201 Introduction to Business Finance  
 SEL415 Social Advocacy and Change  
 ENT202 Entrepreneurial Business Operations  
 LAW409 Corporate and Business Law  
 SCM501 Supply Chain Management  
 MKT511 Brand Management

## Distribution Courses

ECO101 Principles of Microeconomics  
 ECO102 Principles of Macroeconomics  
 MKT302 Marketing Management  
 MAN306 Intro. to Management & Organizational Behavior  
 MAN309 Leadership Journey  
 SSC401 Business Ethics  
 MAN405 Strategic Management

## Course Structure

## Elective Courses

### Elective Psychology

PSY310 Positive Psychology (Compulsory Elective)  
 PSY306 Understanding Individual: Personal Construct  
 PSY307 Psychology of Organizational Change  
 PSY308 Psychological Aspects of Advertising  
 PSY501 Work Motivation and Attitude  
 PSY515 Projective Methods  
 PSY507 Cyber Psychology, Behavior and Social Networking  
 PSY508 Health Promotion in Corporate Setting

### Elective Business

HRM513 HR Automation (Compulsory Elective)  
 HRM505 Organizational Change & Development  
 HRM514 Occupational Health and Safety  
 HRM515 Employees Engagement & Wellbeing  
 MKT507 Services Marketing  
 MKT508 Personal Selling  
 ENT502 Green Entrepreneurship  
 ENT503 Competitive Strategies for Startups

<b>Semester One</b> Academic English Business Math Islamic Studies Principles of Microeconomics Introduction to Psychology Principles of Sociology	<b>Semester Two</b> Introduction to Financial Accounting Pakistan Studies Principles of Macroeconomics General Science Quantitative Techniques in Business Research Methods in Business Psychology
<b>Semester Three</b> Introduction to Business Finance Entrepreneurial Business Operations Marketing Management Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication Introduction to Psychological Testing Contemporary Social Psychology	<b>Semester Four</b> Introduction to Management & Organizational Behavior Business and Professional Speech Environmental Studies Foreign Language I Business Ethics Experimental Psychology
<b>Semester Five</b> Foreign Language II Brand Management Introduction to Data Science Writing Business Psychology Research Developmental Psychology Positive Psychology (Compulsory Elective I)	<b>Semester Six</b> Consumer Psychology Leadership Journey Supply Chain Management HR Automation (Compulsory Elective II) Elective III Elective IV
<b>Semester Seven</b> Corporate and Business Law Social Advocacy and Change Elective V Elective VI Internship (non-credit)	<b>Semester Eight</b> Strategic Management Elective VII Elective VIII Capstone / Final Year Project



## BS PSYCHOLOGY

The program offer an opportunity to learn about the subject, conventionally, and to see how the notions /theories /models work in the social ecology. Courses like; Psychological crises management; Forensic psychology; Psychology of diversity; Human promotion in corporate settings; Cyber psychology, behavior, and social networking; Work motivation and attitude; Projective methods; Health psychology; Consumer psychology – are phenomenal in imparting knowledge [along with conventional courses] and developing understanding to incorporate the learned ideas in the living situations.

This four years program requires completion of 129 credit hours of course-work [43 courses]. Student can take a minimum load of 12 credit hours (four courses per semester) or a maximum load of 18 credit hours (six courses per semester).

**Entry Requirement:** HSSC /FSc /FA /A level

### General Education Courses

LAN 10\* Foreign Language I

LAN 20\*\* Foreign Language II

\*1 = Introduction to Arabic      \*2 = Introduction to French

\*4 = Introduction to German      \*6 = Introduction to Italian

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\*\*1 = Intermediate Arabic      \*\*2 = Intermediate French

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\*\*8 = Intermediate Chinese

COM202 Business and Professional Speech

COM205 Persuasive & Analytical Writing for Business Communication

COM107 Academic English

MTH102 Business Mathematics

STA104 Quantitative Techniques in Business

SSC104 Principles of Sociology

SSC401 Business Ethics

BED101 General Science

SSC202 Environmental Studies

PSC301 Pakistan Studies

REL101 Islamic Studies

MTH100 Basic Mathematics \*\*\*

COM100 Foundation English\*\*\*

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## Core Courses

PSY300	Introduction to Psychology	PSY316	Physiological psychology
PSY303	Introduction to Psychological Testing	PSY317	Personality psychology
PSY304	Experimental Psychology	PSY318	Cognitive Psychology
PSY305	Contemporary Social Psychology	PSY319	Clinical Psychology
PSY306	Understanding Individual: Personal Construct	PSY320	Health Psychology
PSY308	Psychological Aspects of Advertising	PSY321	Psychology of Education
PSY309	Developmental Psychology	PSY322	Cross-cultural Psychology
PSY310	Positive Psychology	PSY323	Project Practicum
PSY311	Consumer Psychology	PSY324	Fundamentals of Psychological Counselling
PSY313	History of Psychology	PSY325	Research Methods in Psychology
PSY314	Psychopathology	PSY326	Organizational Psychology
PSY315	Statistics in Psychology	PSY327	Writing Psychological Research

## Elective Courses [opt for any 6]

PSY501	Work Motivation and Attitude
PSY515	Projective Methods
PSY507	Cyber Psychology, Behavior and Social Networking
PSY508	Health Promotion in Corporate Setting
PSY502	School Psychology
PSY503	Psychology of Diversity
PSY504	Forensic Psychology
PSY505	Psychological Crisis Management

## Course Structure

<b>Semester One</b> Academic English Introduction to Psychology History of Psychology Principles of Sociology Islamic Studies Business Mathematics	<b>Semester Two</b> Quantitative Techniques in Business Foreign Language I Persuasive and Analytical Writing for Business Communication Research Methods in Psychology General Science Physiological psychology
<b>Semester Three</b> Business and Professional Speech Environmental Studies Pakistan Studies Writing Psychological Research Foreign Language II Business Ethics	<b>Semester Four</b> Developmental Psychology Introduction to Psychological Testing Contemporary Social Psychology Personality psychology Psychology of Education Statistics in psychology
<b>Semester Five</b> Experimental Psychology Cognitive Psychology Psychological Aspects of Advertising Positive Psychology Organizational Psychology Health Psychology	<b>Semester Six</b> Consumer Psychology Understanding Individual: Personal Construct Psychopathology Clinical Psychology Fundamentals of Psychological Counselling Cross-cultural Psychology
<b>Semester Seven</b> Project Practicum Elective I Elective II Elective III	<b>Semester Eight</b> Elective IV Elective V Elective VI <i>Internship (Non Credit)</i>



## B.Ed (HONORS) 2.5 Year

B.Ed. honors (2.5 years) degree program is offered to pre-service and in-service teachers, enterprising educational entrepreneurs, potential and current administrators of schools and other educational organizations.

Professional development of school teachers and administrators is a pivotal factor for building the human capital index. IoBM has always taken the lead in providing the much-needed human capital to Pakistan's business industry. Keeping in view the dire need of dynamic and enterprising teachers and administrators in schools and educational organizations, IoBM offers B.ED (honors) 2.5 year program to contribute towards building the backbone of the educational sector. This 2.5-year program has been particularly developed to fill in the niche in Pakistan's educational milieu. The purpose of the program is to provide a strong foundation in the field of education and integrate the core principles of effective teaching and managing educational organizations. The main goal of this program is to produce graduates, who have the ability to apply the science of learning to practical educational problems. The program not only meets the basic criteria of effective skills based pedagogy and foundations for solid administration in public and private schools, but also provides a clear path to pursue higher studies in Education (MPhil/PhD).

This is a 90 credit hours weekend program.

**Areas of Specialization:** School Leadership & Management, Early Childhood Development, English Language Teaching, Teaching of Science, Teaching of Mathematics, Teaching of Social Sciences

### Eligibility Criteria:

- BA / BSc. / B.Com or equivalent degree (14 years of education) with minimum 45%/ 2.00 CGPA Division from a university recognized by HEC
- Success in aptitude test and interview conducted by IoBM

### Foundation Courses (6 Course)

BED120 Academic Writing and Seminar Skills  
BED203 Foundation and history of Education  
BED301 Curriculum Development  
BED233 Evaluation and Assessment  
BED421 Sociology of Education  
BED206 Educational Psychology  
SED102 Philosophy of Education and its Psychological Roots  
BED231 Educational Policy and Economics

### Content courses (4 Courses)

BED205 Early Childhood Education  
BED401 Area of Specialization 1  
BED403 Area of Specialization 2  
BED405 Area of Specialization 3



## Professional courses (13 Courses)

BED341 Teacher Education  
 BED337 Educational Counseling  
 BED352 Strategic Management of Schools  
 BED363 Research Methods in Education  
 BED357 Critical Thinking and Reading  
 BED407 Innovations and Technology in Education  
 BED405 Inclusive Education  
 BED426 Comparative Education System  
 BED238 Interpersonal Communication Skills in Educational Settings  
 BED415 Lifelong Learning  
 BED359 School Management  
 BED351 Edupreneurship

### BED491 Research Project: 6 Credit hours

BED281 Teaching Practicum - I  
 BED381 Teaching Practicum - II  
 BED383 Teaching Practicum – III

## Course Structure

<b>Semester One</b> Foundations and History of Education Curriculum Development Evaluation & Assessment Innovations and Technology in Education	<b>Semester Two</b> Inclusive Education Teacher Education Critical Thinking and Reading Educational Psychology
<b>Semester Three</b> Philosophy of Education and its Psychological Roots Research Methods in Education Academic Writing and Seminar Skills Teaching Practicum-I	<b>Semester Four</b> Edupreneurship Sociology of Education Teaching Practicum-II School Management
<b>Semester Five</b> Interpersonal Communication Skills in Educational Setting Educational Policy and Economics Early Childhood Education Lifelong Learning	<b>Semester Six</b> Area of Specialization – I * Area of Specialization – II * Area of Specialization – III* Strategic Management of Schools
<b>Semester Seven</b> Comparative Education Systems Educational Counselling Teaching Practicum (6 credit hours) Research Project (6 credit hours)	

\* Areas of Specialization: School Leadership & Management, Early Childhood Development, English Language Teaching, Teaching of Science, Teaching of Mathematics, Teaching of Social Sciences.

## B.Ed (HONORS) 1.5 Year

B.Ed. honors (1.5 years) degree program is offered to pre-service and in-service teachers, enterprising educational entrepreneurs, potential and current administrators of schools and other educational organizations.

Professional development of school teachers and administrators is a pivotal factor for building the human capital index. IoBM has always taken the lead in providing the much needed human capital to Pakistan's business industry. Keeping in view the dire need of dynamic and enterprising teachers and administrators in schools and educational organizations, IoBM offers B.ED (honors) 1.5-year program to contribute towards building the backbone of the educational sector. This 1.5-year program has been particularly developed to fill in the niche in Pakistan's educational milieu. The purpose of the program is to provide a strong foundation in the field of education and integrate the core principles of effective teaching and managing educational organizations. The main goal of this program is to produce graduates, who have the ability to apply the science of learning to practical educational problems. The program not only meets the basic criteria of effective skills based pedagogy and foundations for solid administration in public and private schools, but also provides a clear path to pursue higher studies in Education (MPhil/PhD).

This is a 54 credit hours program is offered during the weekends.

**Areas of Specialization:** School Leadership & Management, Early Childhood Development, English Language Teaching, Teaching of Science, Teaching of Mathematics, Teaching of Social Sciences

### Eligibility Criteria

- 16-years of Education (MA, MSc., MCom or equivalent) in any discipline like Sciences, Social Sciences, Humanities and others, with at least 45%/2.00 CGPA from a university recognized by HEC.
- Success in aptitude test and interview conducted by IoBM

### Foundation courses (3 Course)

BED203 Foundation and history of Education  
BED301 Curriculum Development  
BED233 Evaluation and Assessment

### Content courses (3 Courses)

BED401 Area of Specialization 1  
BED403 Area of Specialization 2  
BED405 Area of Specialization 3

### Professional courses (8 courses)

BED341 Teacher Education  
BED337 Educational Counseling  
BED359 School Management  
BED363 Research Methods in Education  
BED357 Critical Thinking and Reading  
BED407 Innovations and Technology in Education  
BED405 Inclusive Education  
BED351 Edupreneurship  
BED481 Teaching Practicum  
BED491 Research Project



## Course Structure

<b>Semester One</b> Foundations and History of Education Curriculum Development Evaluation & Assessment Innovations and Technology in Education	<b>Semester Two</b> Critical Thinking and Reading Educational Counselling Inclusive Education Teacher Education
<b>Semester Three</b> Area of Specialization – I * Area of Specialization – II * Area of Specialization – III * Research Methods in Education	<b>Semester Four</b> School Management Edupreneurship Teaching Practicum (6 credit hours) Research Project (6 credit hours)

\* Areas of Specialization: School Leadership & Management, Early Childhood Development, English Language Teaching, Teaching of Science, Teaching of Mathematics, Teaching of Social Sciences

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# MSc ORGANIZATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY AND HUMAN RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

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The program is intended for professionals; looking for a better understanding of the organization they work for. It is concerned with the social and psychological processes operating in organizations, and how these processes relate to organizational systems and structures.

This two-year weekend program requires successful completion of 84 credit hours of course work – 28 courses including a research project of 3 credit hours. Students are expected to maintain a CGPA of 3.0 and successfully complete research projects for conferment of the degree. This program combines study in psychology with courses in human resource management, workplace relations, leadership, team dynamics, and management strategy.

Students can take a minimum load of 6 credit hours (two courses) or maximum of 12 credit hours (four courses) in each of the semesters.

## Foundation Courses

### Psychology

PSY400 Introduction to Organizational Psychology

### Management

MAN418 Management and Organizational Dynamics

### Human Resource Management

HRM410 Managing Human Capital

### Statistics

STA410 Introduction to Behavioral Statistics

## Core Courses

### Psychology

PSY402 Counseling Psychology  
PSY405 Group Dynamics  
PSY406 Research Methods in Organizational Psychology  
PSY407 Personnel Psychology  
PSY408 Consumer Psychology  
PSY430 Psychological Testing-I  
PSY431 Psychological Testing-II  
PSY432 Behavior Modification in Industry  
PSY433 Leadership and Strategic Change  
PSY434 Personality Theories



## Human Resource Management

HRM617 HR Analytics  
HRM619 Talent Acquisition  
HRM621 Learning and Organizational Development  
HRM408 Human Resource Issues in Pakistan  
HRM409 Organizational Consulting Skills  
HRM530 Research Practicum in HRM  
HRM620 Labor Studies and Employee Relations  
HRM622 Negotiations and Conflict Resolution Skills  
HRM623 Managing Organizational Change  
HRM624 Talent Management and Performance Development

## Elective Courses Courses

### Psychology

PSY501 Work Motivation Attitude  
PSY506 Quality of Work Life  
PSY515 Projective Methods

### Human Resource Management

HRM618 Managing Diversity and Inclusion in Organization  
HRM612 Strategic Human Resource Management

## Course Structure

<b>Semester One</b> Introduction to Organizational Psychology Management and Organizational Dynamics Managing Human Capital HR Analytics Introduction to Behavioral Statistics	<b>Semester Two</b> Group Dynamics Organizational Consulting Skills Psychological Testing-I Talent Acquisition Human Resource Issues in Pakistan
<b>Semester Three</b> Research Methods in Organizational Psychology Counseling Psychology Negotiations and Conflict Resolution Skills Labor Studies and Employee Relations Managing Organizational Change	<b>Semester Four</b> Consumer Psychology Personality Theories Learning and Organizational Development Leadership and Strategic Change Talent Management and Performance Development
<b>Semester Five</b> Psychological Testing-II Behavior Modification in Industry Personnel Psychology Research Practicum in HRM	<b>Semester Six</b> Elective I Elective II Elective III Elective IV

*\*Note: For the 6th Semester students are required to choose 2 Psychology electives and 2 HRM electives.*





## MPhil IN ORGANIZATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY

The MPhil program in Organizational Psychology is designed specifically for the training of professional industrial-organizational psychologists. Students will receive comprehensive training in utilizing psychological knowledge for improving organizational effectiveness and employee satisfaction.

### Eligibility

Candidates with 16 years of education holding a master's degree in Psychology with 1st division/CGPA with at least 3 on a scale of 4 from an HEC recognized university are eligible for admission to the MPhil program at IOBM.

### Program Structure

MPhil is a 30 credit hour program with 8 courses and one thesis of 6 credit hours. Each of the eight courses will be of 3 credit hours. After successful completion of course work, students are required to undertake research for a thesis under the guidance of a research supervisor assigned by IOBM.

### Course Structure

#### Semester One

- MPP601 Qualitative Research Methods in Psychology
- MPP603 Quantitative Research Methods in Psychology
- MPP605 Psychological Testing and Measurement

#### Semester Two

- MPP607 Independent Study in Organizational Psychology
- MPP609 Personnel Psychology at Workplace
- MPP611 Human Factors in Work Environment

#### Semester Three

- MPP613 Organizational Conflict & Management
- MPP615 Project Practicum in Organizational Psychology

#### Semester Four

- MPP620 MPhil Thesis (6 credit hours)

*It is mandatory for research students of MPhil programs to attend at least five sessions of the Psychology Research Seminar Series in each semester.*



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## MS ECONOMICS

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This program is proposed for students with 16 years of education as well as for in-house BS Economics and Finance students of IoBM and those with equivalent qualifications. The students enrolled will complete one year of course work of 24 credit hours and six credit hours of thesis writing.

### Required Courses

#### Economics

- ECO601 Microeconomics
- ECO602 Macroeconomics
- ECO603 Econometrics and Research Methods
- ECO607 Development Economics
- ECO606 Financial Econometrics
- ECO608 Theory and Practice of Economic Policy

### Elective Courses

#### Economics

- ECO706 Monetary Economics
- ECO708 Mathematical Economics
- ECO709 Industrial Economics
- ECO710 Mergers, Acquisitions and Restructuring
- ECO711 Taxation and Business Strategy
- ECO712 Trade and Globalization

Thesis writing (6 credit hours)

### Course Structure

#### Semester One

- Microeconomics
- Macroeconomics
- Econometrics and Research Methods

#### Semester Two

- Theory and Practice of Economic Policy
- Development Economics
- Financial Econometrics

#### Semester Three

- Elective I
- Elective II
- Thesis Writing (6 credit hours)

*It is mandatory for research students of MPhil and PhD programs to attend at least five sessions of the Multi-disciplinary Research Seminar Series in each semester.*



## MPhil EDUCATION

MPhil in Education is specially designed for educators at all levels in private and public sector institutions as well as administrators who have an interest in research. The program provides a strong foundation in the field of educational research and integrates the core principles of research and development backed by innovative practices.

### Eligibility

- As per HEC policy, 16 years of education with 2.5 CGPA or C-Grade.
- Candidates from relevant degree background are required to do coursework of 24 credit hours.
- Candidates from other disciplines are required to take six deficiency courses\* as a pre-requisite to the MPhil program.
- Candidates must have cleared GAT General (NTS) test at the time of admission.

### Program Requirements

- MPhil requires completion of course work of 24 credit hours and a 6 credit hour thesis.
- Minimum duration is 1.5 years and maximum are 4 years.

### Core Courses

MPE604 Developing a Research Project  
MPE610 Philosophical Foundations in Education  
MPE615 Qualitative Research Methods in Education  
MPE617 Statistical Testing and Inferences in Education  
MPE620 Analysis of Educational Policies  
MPE625 Authentic Assessment in Education

### Thesis

MPE790 Research Thesis (6 credit hours)

### Electives

MPE706 Global Trends in Education  
MPE711 Readings and Critical Analysis in Education  
MPE714 Innovations and Technology in Education  
MPE717 Teacher Education  
MPE721 Edupreneurship in the Changing World  
MPE725 Distance Learning in 21st Century  
MPE727 Lifelong Learning in Changing Contexts  
MPE730 Planning Developing and Evaluating Curriculum



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## PhD IN EDUCATION

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The aim of PhD in Education program is to promote scholarship, research and service at national and international levels. The research-oriented doctoral program is the highest academic degree facilitating candidates to remain updated in research literature and conducting socially relevant and intellectually competent research studies in specialized areas. The program offers a range of courses in contemporary topics of education and development, assisting the scholars to compete for leadership positions.

### Eligibility:

MS/MPhil. or equivalent graduates from HEC-recognized institutes meeting the following criteria:

- A minimum CGPA of 3.00 on a scale of 4.00 or equivalent.
- A minimum of 18\* years of schooling that corresponds to MS/MPhil or Equivalent degree from HEC recognized institutions in a relevant discipline.
- GAT subject test conducted by the NTS with a minimum of 60% marks
- An interview conducted by the Institute.
- Any other HEC stipulated requirements.

### Testing Requirement:

The Graduate Record Examination (GRE) test administered by the Education Testing Service or a Subject Specific Graduate Admission Test (GAT Subject) administered by the Education Testing Council.

### Statement of Purpose:

Required as part of the application to admission in PhD program

### Program Requirements:

PhD requires completion of course work and dissertation/thesis. Minimum duration is three years and maximum are eight years:

- Course work of 24 credit hours (4 core courses and 4 electives)
- The student must publish one research paper during his/her PhD studies
- On completion of dissertation/thesis the student is awarded 30 credit hours
- Any other HEC requirement

### Program Structure

#### Semester 1

Methods and Issues in Advanced Qualitative Research  
Methods and Issues in Advanced Quantitative Research  
Ways of Knowing  
Designing and Developing a Research Framework

#### Semester 2

Elective 1  
Elective 2  
Elective 3  
Elective 4

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## Courses

### Core Courses

PED701 Methods and Issues in Advanced Qualitative Research  
PED703 Methods and Issues in Advanced Quantitative Research  
PED705 Ways of Knowing  
PED733 Designing and Developing a Research Framework

### Elective Courses

PED741 Application of Research Methods in Education  
PED831 Writing Proposals for Grants  
PED833 Independent Research Study  
PED835 Global Insights in Teacher Education  
PED837 Research & Innovation in Educational Leadership  
PED820 Innovations & Pedagogies in Teacher Education  
PED839 Designing & Conducting Action Research in Education

### Thesis

PED991 Research Thesis (3 credit-hour)  
PED992 Research Thesis (6 credit-hour)  
PED993 Research Thesis (9 credit-hour)

*\*It is mandatory for students to attend defense sessions given by MPhil and PhD candidates*



## PhD IN ECONOMICS

The PhD in Economics focuses on providing state-of-the-art teaching and research skills within the broader economics discipline. This program aims to produce scholars with thorough knowledge of economic theory, technical and quantitative skills and the ability to apply these to study economic problems. These goals are achieved through teaching, workshops, research seminars, term papers and thesis writing.

### Eligibility

BS or equivalent graduates from HEC recognized institutions meeting the following criteria:

- A minimum CGPA of 3.00 on a scale of 4.00 (or overall 60% marks) or equivalent
- A minimum of 16 years of schooling that corresponds to BS or MS/MPhil equivalent degree from HEC recognized institutions in a relevant discipline
- GRE subject specific or GAT subject test conducted by the NTS, or equivalent in the relevant discipline. A minimum of 60% (percentage) marks is required
- Pass interview conducted by the Institute
- Meet all other HEC stipulated requirements Program Requirements PhD requires completion of course work and dissertation/thesis. Minimum duration is three years and maximum is eight years.

PhD course work requirements for MS/MPhil degree with Economics background consist of six graduate level courses (18 credit hours). for BS/MS/MPhil degree with non-economics background completion of four deficiency courses (12 credit hours) is also required. BS with Economics background are required to complete 11 additional graduate level courses (33 credit hours).

On completion of dissertation/thesis the student is awarded 30 credit hours.

A PhD student must additionally complete the following requirements:

- Comprehensive exam
- PhD proposal/synopsis development
- PhD proposal/synopsis defense
- BASR approval of PhD proposal/synopsis
- Continuous enrollment in supervised research courses for meeting the full-time residency requirements
- Completion of PhD dissertation/thesis
- Selection of external evaluators by BASR
- Publication of at least one paper in an ISI indexed or an HEC recognized journal or an official acceptance of the paper
- Evaluation of PhD dissertation by two foreign faculty members from developed countries as per HEC criteria
- Dissertation/thesis finalization
- Open defense of PhD dissertation
- Any other HEC requirement
- Final dissertation/thesis submission to BASR

### PhD Course Structure

#### Deficiency Courses

#### **BS (Without Economics background) (Maximum 12 Credit hours)**

four Economics courses to be selected from BS (Economics) courses by a Doctoral Committee of the department

#### **MS (Without Economics background) (Maximum 12 Credit hours)**

ECO601 Microeconomics

ECO602 Macroeconomics

ECO603 Econometrics and Research Methods

ECO611 Mathematics for Economists



## BS degree/Background (33 Credit hours)

### Core Courses

- ECO601 Microeconomics
- ECO602 Macroeconomics
- ECO603 Econometrics and Research Methods
- ECO607 Development Economics I
- ECO608 Theory and Practice of Economic Policy
- ECO609 Mathematics for Economists
- ECO611 Applied Econometrics
- ECO612 Qualitative Research Methods
- ECO613 International Trade & Globalization
- ECO651 Independent Study I
- ECO652 Independent Study II

## PhD (18 Credit hours)

### Core Courses

- PDE701 Advanced Research Methodology
- PDE702 Advanced Applied Econometrics
- PDE704 New Dimensions in Economics and Public Policies
- PDE705 Advance Microeconomics

### Elective Courses

- PDE711 Industrial Economics In a Globalized World
- PDE712 Public Finance
- PDE714 Selected Topics in Monetary Economics
- PDE715 Selected Topics in Islamic Economics
- PDE716 Mergers, Acquisitions and Restructuring
- PDE717 Topics in Labor Economics
- PDE718 Topics in Financial Economics
- PDE719 Agricultural Policy
- PDE720 Topics in Environmental Economics
- PDE 721 Economics of Governance
- PDE722 Topics in Health Economics

## Course Structure (MS With Economics background)

Semester One	Semester Two	Semester Three
Advanced Research Methodology Advanced Applied Econometric Advance Microeconomics	New Dimensions in Economics and Public Policy Elective I Elective II	Research Thesis



### Course Structure (MS Without Economics background)

<b>Semester One</b> Microeconomics (Deficiency Course) Macroeconomics (Deficiency Course) Econometrics & Research Methods (Deficiency Course)	<b>Semester Two</b> Mathematics for Economists (Deficiency Course) Advanced Research Methodology Advanced Applied Econometric	<b>Semester Three</b> New Dimensions in Economics and Public Policy Advance Microeconomics
<b>Semester Four</b> Elective I Elective II		

### Course Structure (BS with Economics background)

<b>Semester One</b> Microeconomics Macroeconomics Econometrics & Research Methods	<b>Semester Two</b> Development Economics I Theory and Practice of Economic Policy Mathematics for Economists	<b>Semester Three</b> Applied Econometrics Qualitative Research Methods International Trade & Globalization
<b>Semester Four</b> Independent Study I Independent Study II	<b>Semester Five</b> Advanced Research Methodology Advanced Applied Econometric Advance Microeconomics	<b>Semester Six</b> New Dimensions in Economics and Public Policy Elective I Elective II
<b>Semester Seven</b> Research Thesis		

### Course Structure (BS without Economics background)

<b>Semester One</b> Deficiency Course I Deficiency Course II Deficiency Course III	<b>Semester Two</b> Deficiency Course IV Microeconomics Macroeconomics	<b>Semester Three</b> Econometrics & Research Methods Development Economics I Theory and Practice of Economic Policy
<b>Semester Four</b> Mathematics for Economists Applied Econometrics Qualitative Research Methods	<b>Semester Five</b> International Trade & Globalization Independent Study I Independent Study II	<b>Semester Six</b> Advanced Research Methodology Advanced Applied Econometric Advance Microeconomics
<b>Semester Seven</b> New Dimensions in Economics and Public Policy Elective I Elective II	<b>Semester Eight</b> Research Thesis	





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## INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

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At IoBM the Internship Program is designed to allow students to work on meaningful assignments and gain real-world experience; thus, making them immediately valuable for the organisations they join upon graduation. The internship aims to provide IoBM students with relevant corporate experience in reputed organisations. An internship bridges the gap between the theoretical knowledge and practical skills needed in professional life. Real-world experience related to their field and knowledge is of vital importance to students in two main areas:

### Work Experience

An internship is a means to gain hands-on work experience, develop specific skills and knowledge, and network with people from the student's chosen field. Moreover, employers assess the skills and abilities of prospective employees by evaluating their previous experience. Students pursue career-related opportunities before graduation, thereby obtaining an edge over other candidates in the competitive job market.

### Career Choices

An internship provides a more accurate picture of what individuals would do in certain professions. After experiencing a particular job environment and observing what it entails, students may decide if this is the right career. The internship is compulsory for MBA regular and Bachelors' students. MBA weekend program and evening program students are exempted from the internship program as they are already on the job.

### Eligibility for Internship

MBA: Minimum CGPA = 2.8

Semesters completed at IoBM = Two

Bachelors Degree CGPA = 2.4

Semesters completed at IoBM = Four or Five

- Candidates must have completed MKT 404, Methods in Business Research (MBR) or any other equivalent course according to their degree program.
- Interested and eligible students are required to register INT 302 (Non credit) on SMARTZ.
- A registration fee may apply.
- The internship is for a minimum of six continuous weeks.
- Students are not allowed to take any weekday course along with official internship program.
- The internship is allowed only in organisations approved by the Internships & Placements Department.
- All interns are required to write a report based on the given guidelines.
- SOPs of internship will be provided to registered interns prior to the start of internship.



## LIST OF COMPANIES IN WHICH IOBM STUDENTS DO INTERNSHIP

10Pearls	Alternate Research Pvt. Ltd.
14th Street Pizza	Aman Foundation
360 Training	American Pacific Enterprises LLC
360Training.com	AMFCO International
3M Pakistan Pvt. Limited	Amir Adnan
A.F. Ferguson & Co. Chartered Accountants	Amreli Steels Limited
A.I. MIR LLC	Anjum Asim Shahid Associates Limited
AAJ News TV	APL Pakistan Pvt. Ltd.
Aaj TV	Apna Karachi FM 107
AASA Consulting (Pvt) Ltd.	APTECH Computers Education
Aba Ali Habib Securities	Arif Habib Bank Limited
Abacus-Global	Arif Habib Limited
ABAMCO Limited	ARMTECH Business Solutions (Pvt.) Ltd.
Abbott Laboratories Pakistan Ltd.	Arpatech
Abudawood Trading Company	Arpatech Pvt. Ltd.
ACCA Pakistan	Artal Group of Companies
Ace Insurance Limited	Artistic Milliners
ACM Gold Pvt. Ltd.	ARY Communications
Adam Motor Co. Limited	ARY Digital Television Network
Adamjee Life Insurance Company	AsiaCare Health & Life Insurance
Adcom Pvt. Limited	Asiatic Public Relations Network Ltd.
ADM Denim	Askari Bank Limited
ADVANS Micro Finance Bank	Asktourism
Aftab Associates	Atco Laboratories (Pvt) Limited
Aga Khan Education Services	Atlas Honda
Aga Khan Health Services	Attock Cement Pvt. Limited
Aga Khan University	Auspak
Agha Steel	Automobile Corporation Pakistan
Ahmed Foods	Avanza Solutions
AIG Pakistan	Aventis Pharma Pakistan Limited
Airlift	Axis Communications
Airmen Golf Course & Recreational Park	Badar Expo Solutions (BXSS)
Aisha Steel Mills Ltd.	Bandhani Group
Akber Ali & Sons	Bank Al Baraka
AKD Commodities	Bank Al Habib
AKD Securities	Bank Alfalah Limited
Akhuwat Foundation	Bank Al-Habib Limited
Al Marai, Saudia Arabia	Bank Islami Limited
Al Meezan Investment Management Ltd	Bank of Punjab
Albaraka Bank Limited	Barclays Bank Limited
Alfalah Securities	BASF Pakistan
Ali Asghar Textile Mills Ltd.	Bayer Pakistan
Ali Gohar & Co. Limited	BDO Ebrahim & Co. Chartered Accountants
Allianz EFU Health Insurance Limited	BenchMatrix
Al-Mughal Trading Corporation	Bentham Science Publishers
Alstom Pakistan (Pvt.) Limited	Berger Paints Pakistan Limited



Berlitz  
Beyond Profits  
Blitz Advertising (Pvt.) Limited  
Blue Communications  
BMA Capital Management Limited  
BOC Pakistan Limited  
BOL Network  
Boom Group Pakistan  
Bosch Pharmaceuticals  
Bottomline Pvt. Ltd.  
Bounty Studio  
Brand Mileage  
Brand Synario  
Breezecom Pvt. Ltd  
Bridgestone Tires Pakistan Limited  
Bullseye 360  
Burj Bank Ltd.  
Business Plus  
Business Recorder  
Byco Petroleum Pakistan Ltd.  
Cadbury Pakistan Ltd.  
Calibre Vintage  
Candyland Industries Limited  
Capital Management (Pvt.) Limited  
Carbonated TV  
Careem  
CDC Pakistan  
Celentas Digital Solutions  
Centegy Technologies (Pvt.) Ltd.  
Central Depository Company of Pakistan  
CIM Shipping  
Citi Security  
Citibank N.A.  
Citizen Archive of Pakistan  
Citizens Foundation  
Clariant Pakistan Limited  
Classic Designs  
Clicktrade  
Cloud BPO  
Clouds Innovators Solution  
CM Pak Ltd.  
Coats Pakistan Pvt. Ltd.  
Coca-Cola Beverages Pakistan Ltd.  
Colgate Palmolive Pakistan Ltd.  
Collective Wizdom  
CommTEL Digital  
Contact Plus  
Continental Biscuits Pvt. Limited  
Contract Advertising  
Converge Technologies Pvt Ltd.  
Creative Chaos Pvt. Ltd.  
Creative Edge Communications  
Creative Factor  
Creek Developers

Crescent Insurance  
Crescent Steel and Allied Products Limited  
Crown Group of Companies  
Crystal-Lite  
Cubix Labs  
Cupola Pakistan Limited  
Custom HR Solutions  
Cybernet  
Dadabhoy Investments Pvt. Ltd.  
Dadex  
Dalda Foods Pvt. Ltd.  
DAMCO Pakistan (Pvt) Ltd.  
Dany Technologies  
Daraz Pakistan  
Daraz.Com  
Dawlance (Pvt.) Limited  
DAWN News  
Dawood Hercules Corporation  
Deal Club  
Deal Today  
Dealon  
Deloitte Pakistan  
Descon Engineering  
Deutsche Bank  
Dewan Group of Companies  
Dewan Mushtaq Trade Ltd.  
DG Harbour  
DGS Pvt. Ltd.  
DHL Global Forwarding  
DHL Pakistan Limited  
Digital Tribe  
Directing Edge  
DMK Consultancy  
Dollar Industries  
Dolmen Group  
Dot Images  
Drug Information Systems  
Dubai Islamic Bank Limited  
Duleaf  
Dupont Pakistan  
EDGE Financials  
EFU General Insurance Limited  
EFU Life Assurance Limited  
Elixir Securities Pakistan Ltd.  
Empact  
Engage 24X7  
Engage Consulting  
English Biscuits Manufacturers Ltd.  
Engro Corp.  
ENI Pakistan Limited  
EPFirms  
Ephlux  
EPlanet Communication  
Epoxy Industries (Pvt.) Limited



Escape Advertisement  
eSys Pakistan  
Etihad Airways  
Etilize Pvt. Ltd.  
Evaluation Factor (Pvt) Ltd.  
Evernew Entertainment  
Evolution Advertising  
Excelerate  
Express News  
Express News Tv  
Ey Fords  
Faysal Asset Management Ltd.  
Faysal Bank Limited  
Fidelity Insurance  
Finja Pvt Ltd  
First Capital Equities Pvt. Limited  
First Women Bank Ltd.  
Fitness Republic  
Flight Connections  
FM91  
Folio 3  
Food Connections Pakistan  
Forex Financial Products  
Forte Pakistan Pvt. Ltd.  
Foundation Public School  
Freight Systems Co. Ltd.  
Friends of Literacy & Mass Education  
FYSL Trade  
Gatron Industries Ltd./Novatex Ltd.  
GEMCO Pakistan Ltd.  
General Tyre & Rubber Company Ltd.  
Genix Pharma Private Limited.  
Getz Pharma  
Ghulam Farooq Group  
Giga Group of Companies  
GlaxoSmithKline Pakistan Limited  
Global Food Marketing  
Global Securities Pvt. Ltd.  
Goodcore Technologies  
Greaves Airconditioning (Pvt) Ltd.  
Green Cherry Solutions  
Green Star Social Mkt. Pvt. Ltd.  
Gul Ahmed Textile Mills  
Gul-Ahmed Textile Mills Pvt. Ltd.  
Gumcorp Pvt. Ltd.  
Habib Bank AG Zurich  
Habib Bank Limited  
Habib Metropolitan Bank Ltd.  
Habib Oil Mills Limited  
Habib University Foundation  
Habitt  
Haleeb Foods,  
HANDS Pakistan  
Hasnain Tanveer Associates (Pvt) Ltd.

HBL Asset Management Ltd.  
Herbion International Inc.  
Hilal Confectionary Pvt. Ltd.  
Himont Pharmaceutical Pvt. Ltd.  
Hinopak Motors Limited  
Hirelabs  
Home Express  
HR Outsourcing & Consulting  
HRS Global  
HRS International  
HRS Total Solutions  
HRSG (PVT) LTD  
HSBC Bank Middle East Ltd.  
Huawei Internship Program  
HUBCO  
HUB-PAK SALT REFINERY  
HUM Network Limited  
Hum TV  
Human Capital Solutations  
Human Resource Solutions  
HURD  
IAL Satchi & Satchi  
IBEX Global  
IBEX Global Pvt Ltd  
IBL Group  
IBM Pakistan  
ICE Animation  
ICI Pakistan Limited  
Icon Global  
ICS Group of Companies  
Ifrasoft Technology Limited  
IGI Financial Services  
IGI Life Insurance  
IJARA  
imrooz.com  
Inbox Business Technology  
Indus Bank Limited  
Indus Motors Company  
Industrial & Commercial Bank of China  
Industrial Development Bank of Pakistan  
Information Technology Services  
Inforox Limited  
Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan  
Intel Pakistan  
Interactive Cell  
Interactive Health Solutions  
Interflow Communications Pvt. Ltd.  
International Advertising Pvt. Ltd.  
International Asset Management Company Ltd.  
International Foundation and Garments (PVT) Ltd  
International Industries Limited (IIL)  
Interwood Mobil  
INVATERRA  
Invest & Finance Securities Limited



Invertex Technologies  
Iris Communication  
Islamic Investment Bank  
Ismail Industries  
Ismail Iqbal Securities  
IT Link Online  
J. Walter Thompson Asiatic (Pvt.) Ltd.  
Jaag Broadcasting Systems Pvt Ltd.  
Jaffer Brothers Limited  
Jahangir Siddiqui & Co. Limited  
Jason Group of Companies  
Jazz Warid  
JCR -VIS  
Jeem Solutions  
Johnson & Johnson Pakistan Ltd.  
Jotun Paints  
JS Bank Limited  
JS Global Capital Limited  
JS Investment  
Junctionz  
KalSoft (Pvt.) Limited  
Karachi Deals  
Karachi International Container Terminal Ltd.  
Karachi Stock Exchange Limited  
Karachi Vocational Training Institute  
KASB Bank Limited  
KASB Capital  
KASB Funds Limited  
KASB Securities  
K-Electric  
Khaliq Fashion  
Khwaja Ghareeb Nawaz Trust  
KNYSYS  
Kopak Shipping Company  
KPMG Taseer Hadi & Co.  
KZR Associates  
Lakson Group of Companies  
Lalani & Associates  
Land O'Lakes Inc.  
Lane 12  
Lasmo Oil Pakistan Limited  
LGS Matrix  
Liberty Books  
Lilly Pakistan (Pvt) Ltd.  
Linde Pakistan  
Live Securities Pvt. Ltd.  
Lo'real Pakistan  
Logic Information's  
Logicose  
Lootlo.pk  
Lucky Cement  
Lucky Textile Mills  
Lucky Knits  
M. Yousuf Adil Saleem & Co. Chartered Accountants

Maersk Sealand  
Magnus Investment Advisors Ltd.  
Majsons Corporation  
MAL Pakistan Limited  
Manhattan Leo Burnet  
Manzar Pakistan  
Maple Pharmaceuticals Pvt. Ltd.  
Marie Stopes Society  
Markematics Pvt. Ltd.  
Martin Dow Pharmaceutical  
Mass Advertising Pvt. Ltd.  
Mazars  
MCB Bank Limited  
MCB-Arif Habib Savings & Investments Limited  
Meat One  
Media Axis  
Media Max Pvt. Limited  
Media Pulse Pvt. Limited  
Meezan Bank Ltd.  
Mehran Enterprises  
Merck Marker Pvt. Ltd.  
Merit Packaging Pvt. Ltd.  
Meritocracy  
Metro Cash & Carry Pakistan  
Metropolitan Bank Limited  
MGH Group  
Microsoft Corporation  
Midas Safety  
Mindshare Pakistan Pvt. Limited  
Mitsubishi Corporation  
Mobil Askari Lubricants  
Mobilink  
Mobitel, KSA  
Mondelz  
Monsieur  
Mother and Child Welfare Foundation  
MS Associates  
MullenLowe & Rauf  
Muller & Phipps Pakistan Pvt. Ltd.  
Multinet Pakistan Pvt Ltd  
Multinet Pakistan Pvt. Ltd.  
Mushawar Consulting  
Mustafa & Co. Pvt. Limited  
MWM Studio  
Nabiqasim Industries  
Najmi Bilrami Collaborative Pvt. Ltd.  
Nanosoft Technologies Pvt. Ltd.  
Narejo Human Resources  
National Bank of Pakistan  
National Clearing Company of Pakistan Ltd.  
National Commodity Exchange  
National Foods Limited  
National Fullerton Asset Management Ltd.  
National Industrial Parks Ltd. (NIP)



National Insurance Company  
National Investment Company of Pakistan  
National Investment Trust  
National Marketing Services  
Naveena Export Pvt. Limited  
NBP Funds Management  
Nedo Corporation  
Nestle Pakistan  
Net Space Systems  
New Era Industries  
New Jubilee Insurance Co. Limited  
Next Degree  
Next Generation Innovations  
NIB Bank Ltd.  
Nielsen Pakistan  
Nike Pakistan Limited  
Nizami Bijli  
Nolin BPO  
Novartis Pharma Pakistan Limited  
OBS Group  
Oceanic Star Line (Pvt) LTD  
Oman National Electronics, Dubai  
OMD Pakistan  
OMV Pakistan Exploration  
Oratech Systems Pvt. Limited  
Orient Public Relations  
Orix Pakistan Limited  
Oxford University Press  
Oxygene Pakistan  
P&O Nedlloyd  
Packages Limited  
Pak Mediacom Pvt. Limited  
Pak Oman Microfinance Bank  
Pak-Arab Refinery Limited  
Pakistan Institute of Corporate Governance  
Pakistan Institute of Management  
Pakistan Petroleum Ltd.  
Pakistan Refinery Ltd.  
Pakistan Services Limited  
Pakistan State Oil Company Ltd.  
Pakistan Super League (PSL)  
Pakistan Telecommunication Co. Ltd.  
Pakistan Television Corporation  
Pakistan Tobacco Company (British American Tobacco)  
Pakistan Vehicle Engineering (Pvt) Ltd.  
Pak-Kuwait Investment Co. Ltd.  
Pak-Petrochemical  
Pak-Suzuki Motors Co. Limited  
Parke Davis & Co. Limited  
Pastel Communications  
Path Group of Companies  
PCI Group  
Pearl Packages  
Pegasus Consultancy (Pvt.) Ltd.  
Pfizer Laboratories Limited

PharmEvo Pvt. Ltd.  
Pharmatec  
Philip Morris International  
Philip Pakistan  
Philips Electrical Co. of Pakistan  
PIRANA Group  
Pixarch  
Pizza Hut  
Pizza Hut – MCR (Pvt) Ltd.  
Pizza Next - MFC Pvt. Ltd.  
Plastech Products (Pvt.) Ltd.  
Polaris  
Premier Systems Pvt. Ltd.  
Prestige Communications Ltd.  
Prestige Grey  
Price Solution Pvt. Ltd.  
Prime HR  
Procter & Gamble  
Promotech Media Solution (Pvt) Ltd.  
Protege Global  
Qineqt  
Qordata  
Qubee  
Rain Bargain  
Reactivate Pvt. Ltd  
Reckitt Benckiser Pakistan Ltd.  
Red Tape Media  
Resources Linked  
Reveal Pakistan  
RG Blue Communications (Pvt) Limited  
Rhone Poulenc Rorer Pakistan Ltd.  
Rising Technologies  
Robotics Labs  
Roche Pharmaceuticals Limited  
Rohi International Pvt. Ltd.  
Roshan Media  
S13 - Systems Innovations Pvt. Ltd.  
Sach International  
Sagacious Business Consultancy  
Salsoft Technologies Pvt. Ltd  
Samba Bank Ltd.  
Sana Safinaz  
Sanofi Aventis Pakistan Ltd.  
Sapphire Textile Mills Limited  
SBT Japan  
Schneider Electric  
School of Leadership  
SCT Group  
Sea Gold limited  
Searle Pharmaceuticals  
Security Papers Limited  
Service Sales Co.  
Shabbir Tiles & Ceramics Ltd.  
Shafi-Reso Chemicals  
Shaheen Air International



Shaheen Airlines  
Shajar Capital  
Shamrock  
Shan Foods Pvt. Ltd.  
Shangrila Pvt. Ltd.  
Sharaf Shipping Agency  
Shell Pakistan Limited  
SibiSoft Inc.  
Sidat Hyder Morshed Associates Private Limited  
Siemens Pakistan Engineering Co. Limited  
Signium International  
Silk Bank  
Sindh Education Foundation  
Singer Pakistan Limited  
SKF Pakistan Pvt. Ltd  
Small & Medium Enterprise Development Authority (SM-EDA)  
Snack Bites Company  
So Safe Pakistan  
Social Sell  
Socially Global  
Solutionicks  
Soorty Enterprises  
Spark Communication  
SSG Consulting  
Stancos Pvt. Limited  
Standard Chartered Bank Limited  
Starcom Pakistan  
Starcrest Communications  
State Bank of Pakistan  
Statuspro Inc.  
STEP Consultants  
Stitchers International  
Stork Prints Pakistan  
Strategic HR Promotion (SHRP)  
Streebo  
Strongman Medline  
Structure Lab Services Pakistan  
Sufi Brothers  
Sui Southern Gas Company Ltd.  
Sukoon.Com  
Summit Bank Limited  
Sun Consultants  
Sun Enterprises  
Sun Systems  
Super Trading Inc.  
SWVL  
Symbios.pk  
Synapse Consulting  
Sysnet Pakistan Pvt. Ltd.  
Systems Limited  
Talent Optimizers  
Tameer Micro Finance Bank Ltd.  
Tapal Tea Pvt. Ltd.  
Target Resourcing

Tarzz  
Tata Group of Industries  
Tata Textile Mills Ltd.  
Taurus Securities Ltd.  
TBH Employment and Consulting Services  
TCS (Pvt.) Limited  
TCS E-COM  
Teach for Pakistan  
Teamants  
Teamz International  
TeleCard Ltd.  
Telemart  
Telenor Pakistan Limited  
TenPearls  
The Bank of Khyber  
The Brand Consultant  
The Express Tribune  
The First Micro Finance Bank Ltd.  
The Learning Organisation  
The Leatger Grandeur  
The Recruiters  
The Snack Bites Company  
Thinkline  
Third Eye Managed Services  
Time & Vision Advertising  
Times Consultant (Pvt) Ltd.  
TIPU Associates  
TNI - Worldwide Partners Inc.  
Together  
Top Boss  
Total Lubricants  
Touchpoint (Pvt) Ltd.  
Toyota Indus Motor Company  
TPL Holdings  
TPL Trakker Limited  
TPS  
TradeKey  
Transit HR Consulting  
Transworld Associates  
Travel Mate  
Travel Solutions  
Travelport  
Tri Pack  
Triple E Pvt. Limited  
TV One - Airwaves Media Pvt. Ltd.  
Uber  
UBL Fund Manager  
UBL Insurers  
Ufone  
Uniferoz  
Unilever Pakistan Limited  
Unique Pakistan  
Unisys Pakistan Pvt. Limited  
United Assets Management Co. Ltd.  
United Bank Limited



United Consultants Pvt. Limited  
United Energy Pakistan Ltd.  
United Marine Agencies  
United Registrar of Systems Limited  
United Sales Pvt. Limited  
Unity Foods  
Universal Brush Ware Pvt. Ltd.  
Universal Brushware  
Urbanite  
US Consulate, Karachi  
USAID Pakistan  
Utopia Pvt Ltd  
Versa Canada Inc.  
Visa International (Asia Pacific) Ltd.  
Vision Express  
Walnut Communications  
Ward Howell International  
Warid Telecom  
Waterlink Group of Companies  
Wavetec Pvt. Ltd.  
Weekend World Marketing Limited  
Westminster & Eastern Financial Services Ltd.  
Winstar Pvt. Ltd.  
World Tel  
WorldCall Broadband Limited  
Wrap n Roll  
WWF Pakistan  
Xenith Public Relations (Pvt.) Ltd.  
Younus Brothers Group  
Yunus Textile Mills Ltd.  
Zameen.com  
ZAP Infotech Inc.  
ZEPCOM  
ZH Technologies Inc.  
ZIL Limited  
Zishan Engineers Pvt. Ltd  
Zong China Mobile  
ZRG International





## PLACEMENT PROGRAM

IoBM emphasises close collaboration with the government, firms, banks and leading HR consultants to ensure appropriate induction of its graduates into these organisations. Close links are maintained with CEOs and Heads of Departments in organisations to provide graduates with the best possible career prospects. Efforts are made to match students' talents with the requirements of both multi-national and local organisations.

IoBM's Placement Department provides a firm commitment to its graduates for developing their careers. This begins when the student is inducted and continues with a lifelong partnership. Some of the activities designed students' placement include but are not limited to the following.

### Publishing Graduate Directory

Graduates are invited to showcase their resumes in IoBM's Graduate Directory. GD is circulated to 150 national and multinational companies and is an essential tool for being placed in the market.

### Career Counselling Sessions

The placement department holds Career Counselling Sessions for the final semester students. In these sessions, executives of renowned companies mentor the graduating batch students in one-to-one sessions. The purpose of these sessions is to

- uncover the underlying concerns of students about their area of interest,
- answer their questions regarding professional life,
- guide them in building their career road map and prepare them to step into the corporate world.

### Job Announcements

IoBM's placement department manages a database of job opportunities of reputed companies/organisations in the market. These opportunities are communicated regularly to our students, graduates & alumni via group emails.

### Career Fairs

Career Fair is the annual feature of IoBM. It provides a meeting ground between the corporate world and students/graduates with resumes to HR representatives. Students are selected for jobs against companies' requirements immediately or later since their data remains readily available with such organisations for possible employment.

### Employability Enhancement

The department organises workshops and sessions on employability enhancement for our students. These workshops are on how to give interviews, CV writing, professional personality development etc. These workshops are conducted by professionals having extensive corporate experience and provide the students with a boardroom perspective, valuable practical tips and a unique networking opportunity with industry gurus. It helps our students & graduates to get good jobs and achieve rapid progression therein.

### On-Campus Recruitment Drives

The department facilitates companies to conduct on-campus recruitment drives. On the day of the recruitment drive, employers can conduct information sessions, as well as conduct employment tests or on-the-spot interviews

### Career Counseling advice

Guidance and counselling are essential aspects of development for young adults at IoBM. The department is constantly engaged in assisting students in preparing for and finding jobs for them.



## LIST OF COMPANIES IN WHICH IOBM GRADUATES ARE EMPLOYED

10Pearl	Ali Gohar and Company (Pvt) Limited
14th Street Pizza	Al-Khair Distributor
1LINK (Guarantee) Limited	Allianz EFU Health Insurance Limited
360 Training	Al-Mughal Trading Corporation
3M Pakistan Pvt. Limited	Alstom Pakistan (Pvt.) Limited
A.F. Ferguson & Co. Chartered Accountants	Alternate Research Pvt. Ltd.
A.I. MIR LLC	Aman Foundation
AAJ News TV	American Pacific Enterprises LLC
Aaj TV	AMFCO International
AASA Consulting (Pvt) Ltd.	Amir Adnan
Aba Ali Habib Securities	Amreli Steels Limited
Abacus Consulting	Anjum Asim Shahid Associates Limited
Abacus-Global	APL Pakistan Pvt. Ltd.
ABAMCO Limited	Apna Karachi FM 107
Abbott Laboratories Pakistan Ltd.	APTECH Computers Education
Abudawood Pakistan	Arif Habib Bank Limited
ACCA Pakistan	Arif Habib Limited
Ace Insurance Limited	ARMTECH Business Solutions (Pvt.) Ltd.
ACM Gold Pvt. Ltd.	Arpatech Pvt. Ltd.
Adam Motor Co. Limited	Artal Group of Companies
Adamjee Life Insurance Company	Artistic Milliners
Adcom Leo Burnett	ARY Communications
ADM Denim	ARY Digital Television Network
ADVANS Micro Finance Bank	AsiaCare Health & Life Insurance
Aftab Associates	Asiatic Public Relations Network Ltd.
Aga Khan Education Services	Askari Bank Limited
Aga Khan Health Services	Askari General Insurance Co. Ltd.
Aga Khan University	Asktourism
Agha Steel Mills	Atco Laboratories (Pvt) Limited
Agility Logistics Pakistan	Atlas Asset Management
Agro Processors and Atmospheric Gases (Pvt.) Ltd.	Atlas Honda
Ahmed Foods	Attock Cement Pvt. Limited
AIG Pakistan	Auspak
Airlift Technologies	Automobile Corporation Pakistan
Airmen Golf Course & Recreational Park	Avanza Solutions
Aisha Steel Mills Ltd.	Aventis Pharma Pakistan Limited
Akber Ali & Sons	Axis Communications
AKD Commodities	Badar Expo Solutions (BXSS)
AKD Investment Management Ltd	Bakri Energy (formerly Bakri Pakistan Pvt. Ltd.)
AKD Securities	Bandhani Group
Akhuwat Foundation	Bank Al Baraka
Al Marai, Saudia Arabia	Bank Alfalah Limited
Al Meezan Investment Management Limited	Bank Al-Habib Limited
Albaraka Bank Limited	Bank Islami Limited
Alfalah Securities	Bank of Punjab
Ali Asghar Textile Mills Ltd.	BankIslami Pakistan Limited
Ali Gohar & Co. Limited	BASF Pakistan



Bayer Pakistan  
Bays International (Pvt.) Limited  
BDO Ebrahim & Co. Chartered Accountants  
BenchMatrix  
Bentham Science Publishers  
Berger Paints Pakistan Limited  
Beyond Profits  
Blitz Advertising (Pvt.) Limited  
Blue Chip FMCG (UAE)  
Blue Communications  
BMA Capital Management Limited  
BOC Pakistan Limited  
BOL Network  
Boom Group Pakistan  
Bosch Pharmaceuticals  
Bottomline Pvt. Ltd.  
Bounty Studio  
Brand Mileage  
Brand Synario  
Breezecom Pvt. Ltd  
Bridgestone Tires Pakistan Limited  
British Council Pakistan  
Brookes Pharma  
Bulls Eye Communications  
Bullseye 360  
Burj Bank Ltd.  
Business Plus  
Business Recorder  
Byco Petroleum Pakistan Ltd.  
Cadbury Pakistan Ltd.  
Calibre Vintage  
Capital Management (Pvt.) Limited  
Carbonated TV  
Careem Pakistan  
Carfirst  
Celentas Digital Solutions  
Centegy Technologies (Pvt.) Ltd.  
Central Depository Company of Pakistan  
Charter for Compassion Pakistan  
Child Life Foundation  
CIM Shipping  
Citi Security  
Citibank N.A.  
Citibank N.A. Pakistan  
Citizen Archive of Pakistan  
Citizens Foundation  
Clariant Pakistan Limited  
Classic Design  
Clicktrade  
Cloud BPO  
Cloud Innovators Solution  
CM Pak Ltd.  
Coats Pakistan Pvt. Ltd.  
Coca-Cola Beverages Pakistan Ltd.  
Colgate Palmolive Pakistan Ltd.

Collective Wizdom  
CommTEL Digital  
Contact Plus  
Continental Biscuits Pvt. Limited  
Contract Advertising  
Converge Technologies Pvt Ltd.  
Creative Chaos Pvt. Ltd.  
Creative Edge Communications  
Creative Factor  
Creek Developers  
Crescent Insurance  
Crescent Steel and Allied Products Limited  
Cubix Labs  
Cupola Pakistan Limited  
Custom HR Solutions  
Cybernet  
Dadabhoy Investments Pvt. Ltd.  
Dadex  
Daewoo Pakistan Express Bus Service  
Dalda Foods Pvt. Ltd.  
DAMCO Pakistan (Pvt) Ltd.  
Dany Technologies  
Daraz Pakistan  
Dawlance (Pvt.) Limited  
DAWN News  
Dawood Hercules Corporation  
Deal Club  
Deal Today  
Dealon  
Deloitte Pakistan  
Descon Engineering  
Deutsche Bank  
Dewan Group of Companies  
Dewan Mushtaq Trade Ltd.  
DG Harbour  
DGS Pvt. Ltd.  
DHL Global Forwarding  
DHL Pakistan Limited  
Digital Tribe  
Directing Edge  
DMK Consultancy  
Dollar Industries  
Dolmen Group of Companies  
Dot Images  
Drug Information Systems  
Dubai Islamic Bank Limited  
Duleaf  
Dupont Pakistan  
EDGE Financials  
EFU General Insurance Limited  
EFU Life Assurance Limited  
Ellahi Group  
Elixir Securities Pakistan Ltd.  
Empact  
Engage 24X7



Engage Consulting  
Engage Consulting Limited  
English Biscuits Manufacturers Ltd.  
Engro Corp.  
Engro Fertilizer  
Engro Foods  
Engro Polymer  
ENI Pakistan Limited  
EPFirms  
Ephlux  
EPlanet Communication  
Epoxy Industries (Pvt.) Limited  
Escape Advertisement  
eSys Pakistan  
Etihad Airways  
Etilize Pvt. Ltd.  
Evaluation Factor (Pvt) Ltd.  
Evernew Entertainment  
Evolution Advertising  
Excelerate  
Express Media Network  
Express News  
EY Ford Rhodes  
Faysal Asset Management Ltd.  
Faysal Bank Limited  
Fidelity Insurance  
Finja Pvt Ltd  
First Capital Equities Pvt. Limited  
First Women Bank Ltd  
First Women Bank Ltd.  
Fitness Republic  
Flight Connections  
Float Securities (Pvt.) Ltd  
Folio 3  
Food Connections Pakistan  
Forex Financial Products  
Forte Pakistan Pvt. Ltd.  
Foundation Public School  
Freight Systems Co. Ltd.  
Friends of Literacy & Mass Education  
Fulcrum Pvt Ltd  
FYSL Trade  
Gadoon Textile Mills Limited  
Gatron Industries Ltd.  
Novatex Ltd.  
GEMCO Pakistan Ltd.  
General Tyre & Rubber Company Ltd.  
Genix Pharma Private Limited.  
Gentipak  
Getz Pharma  
GfK Etilize Pakistan  
Ghulam Faruque Group  
Giga Group of Companies  
GlaxoSmithKline Pakistan Limited  
Global Food Marketing

Global Industries Intelligence  
Global Securities Pvt. Ltd.  
Goodcore Technologies  
Greaves (Pvt) Ltd.  
Green Cherry Solutions  
Greenstar Social Marketing Pakistan Limited  
Gul-Ahmed Textile Mills Pvt. Ltd.  
Gumcorp Pvt. Ltd.  
Gwadar International Terminals Ltd  
Habib Bank AG Zurich  
Habib Bank Limited  
Habib Metropolitan Bank Ltd.  
Habib Oil Mills Limited  
Habib University Foundation  
Habitt  
Haleeb Foods,  
HANDS Pakistan  
Hard Howell International  
Hashwani Group of Companies  
Hasnain Tanveer Associates (Pvt) Ltd.  
Hasnain Tanveer Associates (Pvt.) Ltd  
HBL Asset Management Ltd.  
Herbion International Inc.  
Hilal Confectionary Pvt. Ltd.  
Himont Pharmaceutical Pvt. Ltd.  
Hinopak Motors Limited  
Hirelabs  
Home Express  
House of Habib  
HR Outsourcing & Consulting  
HRS Global  
HRS International  
HRSG  
HSBC Bank Middle East Ltd.  
HUBCO  
HUBCO Laraib Energy Limited  
Hudson Pharma  
Hum Network Ltd  
Hum TV  
Human Resource Solutions  
Hurd Consultancy  
IAL Satchi & Satchi  
IBEX Global  
IBL Group  
IBM Pakistan  
ICE Animation  
ICI Pakistan Limited  
Icon Group of Companies  
ICS Group  
ICS Group of Companies  
Ifrasoft Technology Limited  
IGI Financial Services  
IGI Life Insurance  
IJARA  
imrooz.com



Inbox Business Technology  
Indus Motors Company  
Industrial & Commercial Bank of China  
Industrial Development Bank of Pakistan  
Information Technology Services  
Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan  
Intel Pakistan  
Interactive Cell  
Interactive Health Solutions  
Interflow Communications Pvt. Ltd.  
International Advertising Pvt. Ltd.  
International Asset Management Company Ltd.  
Interwood Mobil  
INVATERRA  
Invest & Finance Securities Limited  
Invortex Technologies  
Iris Communication  
Islamic Investment Bank  
Ismail Industries  
Ismail Iqbal Securities  
IT Link Online  
J. Walter Thompson Asiatic (Pvt.) Ltd.  
Jaag Broadcasting Systems Pvt Ltd.  
Jaffer Agro Services  
Jaffer Brothers Limited  
Jaffer Business Systems  
Jahangir Siddiqui & Co. Limited  
Jason Group of Companies  
JCR -VIS  
Jeem Solutions  
Johnson & Johnson Pakistan Ltd.  
Jotun Paints  
JP Coats Pakistan (Private) Limited  
JS Bank Limited  
JS Global Capital Limited  
JS Investments  
Jubilee Life Insurance Pvt Ltd  
Jumani Group of companies  
Junctionz  
KAFI COMMODITIES PRIVATE LTD  
KalSoft (Pvt.) Limited  
Karachi Deals  
Karachi International Container Terminal Ltd.  
Karachi Lubricants Pvt Ltd  
Karachi Stock Exchange Limited  
Karachi Vocational Training Institute  
KASB Bank Limited  
KASB Capital  
KASB Funds Limited  
KASB Securities  
Kaymu.PK  
K-Electric  
Khaadi  
Khaliq Fashion  
Khwaja Ghareeb Nawaz Trust

KNYSYS  
Kopak Shipping Company  
KPMG Taseer Hadi & Co.  
KZR Associates  
Lakson Business Solutions  
Lakson Group of Companies  
Lalani & Associates  
Land O'Lakes Inc.  
Lane 12  
Lasmo Oil Pakistan Limited  
Levi Strauss & Co  
LGS Matrix  
Liberty Books  
Lilly Pakistan (Pvt) Ltd.  
Live Securities Pvt. Ltd.  
Lo'real Pakistan  
Logic Information's  
Logicose  
Lootlo.pk  
Lucky Cement Ltd.  
Lucky Knits  
Lucky Textile Mills  
M. Yousuf Adil Saleem & Co. Chartered Accountants  
Maersk Sealand  
Magnus Investment Advisors Ltd.  
Magnus Investments Advisors Limited  
Majsons Corporation  
MAL Pakistan Limited  
Mandi Express  
Manhattan Leo Burnet  
Manzar Pakistan  
Maple Pharmaceuticals Pvt. Ltd.  
Marie Stopes Society  
Markematics Pvt. Ltd.  
Martin Dow Limited  
Martin Dow Pharmaceutical  
Mass Advertising (Pvt) Ltd  
Mass Advertising Pvt. Ltd.  
Mayfair  
Mazars  
Mazars Consulting  
MCB Bank Limited  
MCB-Arif Habib Savings & Investments Limited  
Meat One  
Media Axis  
Media Max Pvt. Limited  
Media Pulse Pvt. Limited  
Meezan Bank Ltd.  
Mehran Enterprises  
Merck Marker Pvt. Ltd.  
Merit Packaging Pvt. Ltd.  
Meritocracy  
Metro Cash & Carry Pakistan  
Metropolitan Bank Limited  
MGH Group



MGH Logistics Pakistan  
Microsoft Corporation  
Midas Safety  
Mindshare Pakistan Pvt. Limited  
Minha Soft  
Mitchell's Fruit Farms  
Mitsubishi Corporation  
Mobil Askari Lubricants  
Mobilink  
Mobitel, KSA  
Mondelz  
Monsieur  
MS Associates  
MullenLowe & Rauf  
Muller & Phipps Pakistan Pvt. Ltd.  
Multinet Pakistan Pvt. Ltd.  
Mushawar Consulting  
Mustafa & Co. Pvt. Limited  
MWM Studioz  
Nabiqasim Industries  
Najmi Bilrami Collaborative Pvt. Ltd.  
Nanosoft Technologies Pvt. Ltd.  
Narejo Human Resources  
National Bank of Pakistan  
National Clearing Company of Pakistan  
National Commodity Exchange  
National Foods Limited  
National Fullerton Asset Management Ltd.  
National Industrial Parks Ltd. (NIP)  
National Insurance Company  
National Investment Company of Pakistan  
National Investment Trust  
National Marketing Services  
Naveena Export Pvt. Limited  
Nedo Corporation  
Nestle Pakistan  
Net Space Systems  
New Era Industries  
New Jubilee Insurance Co. Limited  
Next Degree  
Next Generation Innovations  
Nielsen Pakistan  
Nike Pakistan Limited  
Nizam Bijli  
Novartis Pharma Pakistan Limited  
OBS Group  
Oman National Electronics, Dubai  
OMD Pakistan  
OMV Pakistan Exploration  
Optimus Capital Management  
Oratech Systems Pvt. Limited  
Orient Automotive Industries (PVT.) LTD  
Orient Public Relations  
ORIX Leasing Company  
Orix Pakistan Limited

Oxford University Press  
Oxygene Pakistan  
P&O Nedlloyd  
Packages Limited  
Pak Mediacom Pvt. Limited  
Pak Oman Microfinance Bank  
Pak Petrochemical Industries  
Pak-Arab Refinery Limited  
Pakistan Institute of Corporate Governance  
Pakistan Institute of Management  
Pakistan Mercantile Exchange Limited  
Pakistan Petroleum Ltd.  
Pakistan Refinery Ltd.  
Pakistan Services Limited  
Pakistan State Oil Company Ltd.  
Pakistan Telecommunication Co. Ltd.  
Pakistan Television Corporation  
Pakistan Tobacco Company (British American Tobacco)  
Pakistan Vehicle Engineering (Pvt) Ltd.  
Pak-Kuwait Investment Co. Ltd.  
Pak-Petrochemical  
Pak-Suzuki Motors Co. Limited  
Parke Davis & Co. Limited  
Pastel Communications  
Path Group of Companies  
PCI Group  
Pearl Packages  
Pegasus Consultancy (Pvt.) Ltd.  
Pfizer Laboratories Limited  
Pharmatec  
PharmEvo (Pvt.) Ltd  
Philip Morris International  
Philips Electrical Co. of Pakistan  
Philips Pakistan  
PIRANA Group  
Pixarch  
Pizza Hut – MCR (Pvt) Ltd.  
Pizza Next - MFC Pvt. Ltd.  
Plastech Products (Pvt.) Ltd.  
Point Blanc Media  
Polaris  
Premier Software (Pvt.) Ltd  
Premier Systems Pvt. Ltd.  
Prestige Communications Ltd.  
Prestige Grey  
Price Solution Pvt. Ltd.  
Price Waterhouse Coopers Pakistan (PWC)  
Primatics Financial  
Prime HR  
Procter & Gamble  
Promotech Media Solution (Pvt) Ltd.  
Protege Global  
Qineqt  
Qubee  
Rafi Securities



Rain Bargain  
Reckitt Benckiser Pakistan Ltd.  
Red Tape Media  
Red Tape Media  
Resource Linked Private Limited  
Reveal Pakistan  
RG Blue Communications (Pvt) Limited  
Rhone Poulenc Rorer Pakistan Ltd.  
Rising Technologies  
Robotics Labs  
Roche Diagnostics  
Roche Pharmaceuticals Limited  
Rohi International Pvt. Ltd.  
Roshan Media  
S13 - Systems Innovations Pvt. Ltd.  
Sach International  
Sagacious Business Consultancy  
Salsoft Technologies Pvt. Ltd  
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Sana Safinaz  
Sanofi Aventis Pakistan Ltd.  
Sapphire Textile Mills Limited  
SASPAK Cargo Pvt Ltd.  
SBT Japan  
Schneider Electric  
School of Leadership  
SCT Group  
Searle Pharmaceuticals  
Service Sales Co.  
Shabbir Tiles & Ceramics Ltd.  
Shafi-Reso Chemicals  
Shaheen Airlines  
Shajar Capital  
Shajar Capital Pakistan (pvt) Ltd  
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Teach for Pakistan  
Teamants  
Teamz International  
TeleCard Ltd.  
Telenor Pakistan Limited  
TenPearls  
Thal Ltd  
Thatta Cement Company Limited



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The Bank of Khyber  
The Bank of Tokyo, MUFG  
The Brand Consultants (TBC)  
The Citizen Foundation  
The Express Tribune  
The First Micro Finance Bank Ltd.  
The Hub Power Company Ltd  
The Learning Organisation  
The Leatger Grandeur  
The Recruiters  
The Searle Company Ltd  
The Snack Bites Company  
Thinkline  
Third Eye Managed Services  
Time & Vision Advertising  
Times Consultant (Pvt) Ltd.  
TIPU Associates  
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Top Boss  
Torque Corporation Pvt. Ltd  
Total Lubricants  
Touchpoint (Pvt) Ltd.  
TPL Holdings  
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Transit HR Consulting  
Transworld Associates  
Travel Mate  
Travel Solutions  
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TripleE Pvt. Limited  
TV One - Airwaves Media Pvt. Ltd.  
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UBL Fund Manager  
UBL Insurers  
Ufone  
UNDP Pakistan  
Uniferoz  
Unilever Pakistan Limited  
Unique Pakistan  
Unisys Pakistan Pvt. Limited  
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United Bank Limited  
United Consultants Pvt. Limited  
United Energy Pakistan Ltd.  
United Marine Agencies  
United Registrar of Systems Limited  
United Sales Pvt. Limited  
Unity Foods  
Universal Brush Ware Pvt. Ltd.  
Urbanite  
US Consulate, Karachi  
USAID Pakistan

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Visa International (Asia Pacific) Ltd.  
Vision Express  
Vivo Mobile Pvt Ltd  
Ward Howell International  
Warid Telecom  
Waterlink Group of Companies  
Wavetec Pvt. Ltd.  
Weekend World Marketing Limited  
Wemsol Pvt. Ltd (KEENU)  
Westminster & Eastern Financial Services Ltd.  
Winstar Pvt. Ltd.  
World Tel  
WorldCall Broadband Limited  
Wrap n Roll  
WWF Pakistan  
Xenith Public Relations (Pvt.) Ltd.  
YB Holdings  
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# ENTREPRENEURSHIP & MANAGEMENT EXCELLENCE CENTER (EMEC)

## Introduction

The Entrepreneurship & Management Excellence Center (EMEC) is the executive education and consultancy wing of Institute of Business Management. EMEC is responsible for conducting specialized management training programs by closely working with its clients. It provides a wide range of open enrolment, customized training programs, post-graduate diploma and summer school. These programs are designed for professionals, business personnel and leaders from various public and private sector organizations who aspire to seek new perspectives and insights on management issues. These training programs are conducted by our distinct faculty members and leading industry scholars with research interests ranging from global business issues to local problems. Many of our trainers are leaders in their fields and bring in new knowledge and experiences in their sessions.

## Initiatives by EMEC

- Trainings, seminars and conferences
- Lectures by foreign experts on specialized topics
- Collaboration with relevant organizations, institutes and Associations
- Public & private partnerships administration of entrance tests
- Advisory/consultancy services
- Entrepreneur skills development

## Programs at EMEC

### Customized Training & Need Assessment Services

In order to bridge the gap between the actual and perceived market demand of organization's most important resource, their people, EMEC employs a need assessment tool customized for each client. The customized and effective need analysis would translate goals in to realistic achievable target determining in what areas the training is needed with a clear outcome. This process helps EMEC develop customized training programs for its clients.

### Open Enrolment Training

With an aim of enhancing your skills and understanding to achieve your organizational, personal development and career objective, EMEC offers wide range of training programs. We offer training in the areas of Management, Marketing, Human Resources, Information Technology, Finance and Accounting, Leadership, Supply Chain.

## Past Training Programs

### Human Resource Management

- Executive Diploma in Human Resources
- Leading HR Change
- Developing Talent Management & Employer Branding Strategy
- Maximizing Return on Training
- Result Driven Performance Management
- Maximize your Sales Force Performance
- Recruitment, Interviewing and Selection
- Management of Contract / Outsourced Labour
- Competency Based People Management



- Compensation and Benefit Management
- New Approaches- Employer Branding and Talent Management
- Fundamentals of Effective Mentoring
- HR as Business Partner
- Management of Contract Labor
- Sindh Labour Laws & Updates

#### **Sales and Marketing**

- Diploma in CRM
- Competitive Advantages through Channel Management in FMCG
- Digital Marketing
- Ali Baba store selling
- Strategic Marketing Management
- Digital Marketing

#### **Communication**

- Assertive Communication for Managers
- Personal Branding Toolkit
- Business Report Writing
- Company Secretary: Master class

#### **Banking & Finance**

- Financial Modeling
- Block chain for Executives
- Pool Management and Profit Distribution
- Halal Audit for Halal Certification

#### **Leadership & Strategy**

- Introduction to Design Thinking
- Developing Leadership Excellence
- Consultative Simulation Workshop on Value Innovation
- Aligning HR with Business Strategy
- Pedagogical Leadership Teaching Training
- Design thinking for Business Innovation
- Project Sizing & Costing
- Introduction to Systematic Reviews
- Impression Management
- Criticality and Risk Assessment
- Re-energizing Teams in a New Environment
- Teamwork Skills
- Leadership in Post Pandemic

#### **Soft Skills**

- Basic to Advanced Excel
- Advanced Excel & Dashboard Reporting
- Microsoft Power Pivot, Power Query and Power BI

#### **Logistics & Supply Chain Management**

- Supply Chain Excellence
- Asset Performance Management - using Blended Learning

#### **Entrepreneurship**

- Diploma in Tech Entrepreneurship
- Creative Digital Art Skills for Business Start-ups

## Training Facilities

1. A semicircular u-shape Lecture Theatre with a capacity of 85 persons equipped with microphones/speakers on individual desks, BenQ flat-panel interactive touch screen (android based) for sharing whiteboard and other contents with the audience.
2. Flexibility with room layout with plenty of space to move around for games and activities
3. Fully air-conditioned training rooms with a backup power supply.
4. Good acoustics and soundproofing
5. Participant breakout spaces with Mira-cast-based smart screens and flip chart boards
6. Catering – appropriate provision of refreshments/ lunch
7. Location – easy to find on a map, convenient location with access to public transport
8. Ample and secured on-campus parking
9. Trainers Lounge for use of office staff and trainers
10. Wireless Internet access
11. Photocopying/printing/ email on-demand from USB

## EMEC Workshops

March 2022- July 2023

### Workshops

- Business Intelligence and Big Data Visualization, March 15 & 16, 2023
- Leading HR in the World of New Normal, January 28, 2023
- Predictive Maintenance using the Internet of Things (IoT), November 30 & December 1, 2022
- The Future Supply Chain: Supply Chain Transformation through Digital Disruptive Technologies, November 16 & 17, 2022
- Successful Talent Acquisition Strategies, November 12, 2022
- New Business Drivers Shaping the Future of Leadership Effectiveness, October 29, 2022
- Business Intelligence and Big Data Visualization, October 26 & 27, 2022
- Compensation and Benefits Strategy in Competitive Market, October 8, 2022
- Transitioning to Result-Driven Performance Management, September 25, 2022
- Futuristic Trends in Learning and Development, September 10, 2022
- Competency-Based People Management, August 6, 2022
- Employer Branding and Talent Management in a Disruptive World, July 2, 2022
- Aligning Business Strategy with HR, June 18, 2022

### Diploma

Four-month Undergraduate Diploma in Web development, Graphic Designing, Social Media and Freelancing, June 19 till October 18, 2023

### Training Programs

#### Developing Leadership Excellence and Communication Skills

Two-day training for the officers of the School of Logistics, Pakistan Airforce (PAF) Airmen Academy on February 28 & March 1, 2023

#### Capacity Building Training for the Teachers

Two-day Capacity Building training for the teachers of DHA College & School System (DHACSS), March 2022

#### Capacity Building Consultative Workshops

Four-day training for the officers of Islamic Relief Pakistan, March 2022



## OFFICE OF RESEARCH INNOVATION AND COMMERCIALIZATION (ORIC)

The Office of Research, Innovation and Commercialization (ORIC) is an integral part of the institution's eco-system. It is headed by the Honourable President of IoBM, with the vision to make IoBM a hub of economic opportunities for academia, faculty and youth alike by fostering a research and innovation culture.

IoBM continuously supports its researcher to conduct rigorous applied research to become a centre of excellence. It is imperative that apart from maintaining high standards in teaching, research is rigorously pursued and suitably rewarded. The research & development output of IoBM is in line with national needs and contributes to the country's socio-economic growth.

ORIC acts as a focal point for providing guidance and support to the constituent institutions in all activities related to research & development. As such, the office has a significant role in achieving IoBM vision. Therefore, the mission of this office is to facilitate and coordinate applied research activities and liaise with other national and international academics, research and industrial organizations to promote research at IoBM.

IoBM aims at making research a top priority for the future knowledge economy, which encompasses all the research activities, from the development of research proposals to the commercialization of research products - under a single umbrella.

The scope of work of ORIC includes, but is not limited to, initiatives as follows:

- Outcome-based research
- The research leading to product development
- Funding opportunities for research and product development
- Capacity building of students/faculty in winning research and product-development awards and hackathons
- Capacity building in research, innovation, and entrepreneurship

IoBM, in pursuance of achieving its agenda, established the President's Innovation Steering Committee (PISC), which is the regulatory body to oversee and support research, innovation and entrepreneurship. Hence, help ORIC execute its strategy and key performance Indicators as per the HEC's requirements. The Steering Committee is supported through its role and functions by the Deans of IoBM Colleges/faculties and ORIC.

ORIC also, after a rigorous exercise, drafted the ORIC Five Year Strategic Policy (2021-2025), and six strategic themes stood out;

1. Promoting the culture of Research & Development through research excellence & collaboration
2. Entrepreneurship (innovation, commercialization, incubation, patent)
3. Capacity Building of faculty, staff & students (training/exhibitions/community events)
4. Promoting Industry-academia linkage: a source of knowledge creation, innovation & economic growth
5. HR & Operations
6. Sustainability

Following identifying strategic themes, ORIC goals, objectives and strategies are determined to ensure more clarity.

## Yearly Insights Highlights of Activities

### 1. Research Proposal Submitted for Funding

In the year 2021 – 22, around twenty-six (26) proposals have been submitted to numerous donors, including the Higher Education Commission (HEC), Islamic Relief Pakistan (IRP), United Nations Development Programme (UNDP), Government of Sind and other.

However, in 2020 – 21, around thirty-seven (37) proposals were submitted to HEC and numerous other national and international donors by our faculty.

### 2. Grants Secured

The research grant secured by IoBM through NRPUs has amounted to Rs. 15.1 million in the year 2021 – 22, while in 2020 – 21 total amounts confirmed was Rs. 62.8 million.



## QUALITY ENHANCEMENT CELL (QEC)

The QEC is an independent department at IoBM, established in 2008 under the directive of the Higher Education Commission (HEC) and is headed by a director. The purpose of QEC is to implement the guidelines provided by the HEC. It is also involved in planning, guiding, and monitoring quality assessment and enhancement activities.

Since its inception, QEC has been successfully functioning over the last eight years, amassing an excellent record. QEC was able to contribute to the implementation of qualitative and quantitative data for several academic programs.

QEC has consecutively been in the W category for the last eight years. In the recent ranking, the QAA of HEC has awarded the QEC of IoBM a score of 100%, which is a strong reflection of the quality assurance system at IoBM.

HEC QEC monitors plagiarism policies provided by HEC and serves as a focal point for the implementation of HEC quality criteria. All research papers are checked for plagiarism by software and reported to HEC on a regular basis.

The QEC is rated very highly by the *Asia-Pacific Quality Network (APQN)*. It has received the best internal quality assurance award from APQN. APQN has recognized that QEC designed a post-graduate diploma in quality assurance in tertiary education which can be conducted locally and internationally. QEC is an active member in the IoBM linkage with *APQN, AMDISA, CHEA, ASQ, INQAAHE*, the Tallories network, etc.

QEC is responsible for setting up Systems, Applications, and Products (SAP) university alliance linkages with an Australian university with the help of German experts and is among the few institutions in the world to be providing SAP training to its students in the areas of Supply Chain, Human Capital Management, Finance and Accounting, Material Management, Production Planning, Project Management, etc.

QEC, has been the focal agency to coordinate acquiring accreditation by NBEAC for IoBM's BBA and MBA programs, accreditation by the Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC) for its BS-Industrial Engineering and Electrical Engineering programs, and is currently assisting in acquiring *AACSB* accreditation and a *QS ranking*.

QEC is also responsible for developing policies, procedures, and their revisions. HEC utilizes the services of QEC in its assessment of *Institutional Performance Evaluations* of other HEIs on a regular basis. QEC is also conducting workshops on areas of quality and the preparation of self-assessment reports of the programs of other institutions. Uploading of all IoBM programs on the e-portal (PQR) of HEC has been done successfully by QEC.

QEC is now engaged in moving towards ISO-21001 Management Systems for educational organizations and in setting up an IoBM Center of Excellence for Quality Management for continuous quality improvement in the areas of engagement, innovation, and impact.



# **ADMINISTRATIVE AND ACADEMIC REQUIREMENTS**

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## COMPREHENSIVE EXAMINATION

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After completion of their MBA program, all students are required to pass a comprehensive examination conducted by the Institute. The comprehensive examination provides students an opportunity to integrate, synthesize and apply the various aspects of academic achievements and overall work done in their chosen majors and the core courses studied during their MBA. Preparation for the comprehensive examination would develop a broader understanding of the significance of the major chosen by the students within the framework of their overall educational experience.

### Structure

The comprehensive examination is of a three hour duration divided equally into three segments and consisting of three case studies, each of a one hour duration.

The case studies/questions are related to all majors available to MBA students.

1. To pass the comprehensive examination, a students must get satisfactory grades in one of their majors and in one non-major. The examination is to be conducted twice a year in the months of March and September. Students will be charged Rs. 5,000 as comprehensive examination fee. Passing the comprehensive examination is a mandatory requirement for obtaining the MBA degree.
2. Students are allowed a maximum of two attempts to qualify for the comprehensive examination. A third attempt may be availed only after the Dean's permission. The comprehensive examination is taken only after the students have completed all course requirements and attained a CGPA of at least 3.0 in their program.
3. A refresher course will be arranged by EMEC in the month of August for students who will appear in the comprehensive exam in September and will be conducted by faculty from within IoBM or hired from outside. Students will be charged a nominal fee for attending the refresher course.





## PROCEDURE FOR SUBMITTING MS, MPhil & PhD THESIS

### MS / MPhil Thesis

- Candidates must pass NTS (50% or more marks in General Exam) or equivalent test taken by IoBM / GRE
- Candidates must pass 08 courses (24 credit hours) with a minimum CGPA of 3.0. D grades will not be considered
- Qualified candidates to inform MPhil program coordinator/ HoD to decide on a specialized area for research
- Candidates to suggest supervisor as per relevant area of interest
- BASR's decision to be shared with the candidate and supervisor in writing
- Candidates to submit thesis on a CD for plagiarism (19% acceptable) check to the program BASR Office (Reference section to be excluded from thesis)
- After Plagiarism check, candidates will submit four copies of final thesis to the BASR
- BASR to approve the examiners' names: 2 for Thesis Evaluation and 1 for Thesis Defense (equal number of alternative names will also be shared with the BASR) which will be provided by the supervisor
- Reports from the examiners to be directed to the respective Deans
- Dean to submit the report to BASR for recommendations (if any)
- Final copy of the thesis to be submitted to BASR for thesis defense
- Supervisor, coordinator, respective Dean, external examiner, relevant department faculty to form the thesis defense committee
- Candidates to defend the thesis through PowerPoint presentation
- Viva report to be submitted to the respective dean
- Dean to forward the examiners' report to BASR for the final approval of degree
- The Rector to confirm the award of the degree

### PhD Thesis / Dissertation

*For prescribed forms and details, refer to PhD manual for students*

- Candidates must pass NTS (60% or more marks in subject exam) or equivalent test i.e. GRE or by IoBM
- Candidates must pass 06 courses (18 credit hours) with a minimum CGPA of 3.0. D grades will not be considered
- Qualified candidates to inform PhD program coordinator/HoD to decide on a specialized area for research
- Candidate to suggest supervisor as per relevant area of interest
- BASR's decision to be shared with the candidate and supervisor in writing
- Candidates to submit thesis on a CD for plagiarism (19% acceptable) check to the BASR Office (Reference section to be excluded)
- After Plagiarism check, candidates submit four copies of final thesis to the BASR Office
- BASR to approve the examiners' names: Two international thesis evaluators and one national evaluator (equal number of alternative names will also be shared with the BASR committee members) which will be provided by the supervisor
- Reports from the examiners to be directed to the respective deans
- Dean to submit the report to BASR for recommendations (if any)
- Final copy of the thesis to be submitted to BASR for thesis defense.
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## TEACHING AND LEARNING AT IOBM

IoBM has been, and continues to aim at harnessing the best researched and the most widely implemented methods of dissemination of information to support excellence in teaching, learning and research. Multifaceted teaching strategies at IoBM include experiential learning, cooperative learning, directed class discussions and activities in critical thinking.

- Experiential learning methodology enables industry engagement through “learning by doing” approach. Adoption of experiential learning in all programs is a strategic initiative of IoBM.
- The case method of instruction continues to be a significant classroom teaching strategy at IoBM with a view to integrating the best practices with management theory.
- Field-based learning encourages students to complement their conceptual knowledge with off-campus learning experiences that deepen their understanding of business issues.
- Research-based assignments under the supervision of trained faculty aim to hone the research skills of students and maximize participant-centered learning experiences by exploring specific topics of interest related to real business situations.
- Specially-designed classrooms reinforce instruction through multimedia technology.
- Understanding being the purpose of instruction, the process of assessment at IoBM is more than just evaluation. It is a substantive contribution to learning that aims to identify gaps in student learning. IoBM’s approach to learning is rooted deeply in assessment that fosters understanding and is more than an end-of-the-semester test. It informs students and faculty about what students currently understand and how to proceed with subsequent teaching and learning.

### Performance Evaluation and Standards

The performance of students is constantly evaluated through surprise quizzes, hourly examinations, assignments throughout the semester, submission of term reports, presentations and final examinations at the end of the semester. The grades awarded are as follows:

Grade	Marks	Grade Points
A+	96-100	4.00
A	91-95	3.89
A-	87-90	3.78
B+	84-86	3.67
B	79-83	3.33
B-	74-78	3.00
C+	68-73	2.75
C	65-67	2.67
C-	62-64	2.50
D	60-61	1.75
F	<60	0.00

Grade points are assigned to the given grades for calculation of the cumulative Grade Point Average (CGPA).



## 'I' Grade Policy

**Eligibility criteria for approval of 'I' grade:** Student missing final examination of a course due to a genuine reason, for example, serious illness/death in immediate family or official assignment may apply for 'I' grade with documentary evidence.

**Conditions for I grade :** Absences should not exceed the allowed limit; marks obtained in 1st & 2nd hourlies should be at least 60% and I grade processing fee of Rs.1000/= per course to be paid. Marks obtained should be at least 60% 'I' grade final exam otherwise 'I' grade will be changed to F grade.

## Weightage Policy

**Eligibility criteria for approval of Weightage :** Student missing any of the two hourly examination of a course due to a genuine reason, for example, serious illness/death in immediate family or official assignment may apply for weightage with documentary evidence.

**Conditions for weightage :** Absences should not exceed the allowed limit; marks obtained in final examination should be at least 60% and weightage processing fee of Rs.2000/= per course to be paid.

## Rechecking Policy

**Eligibility criteria for Rechecking :** After the final exam results have been posted, a student can apply for rechecking of final exam answer script/term project.

**Conditions for rechecking :** Absences should not exceed the allowed limit; marks obtained in 1st, 2nd hourlies & final examination should be at least 60% and rechecking processing fee of Rs.1000/= per course to be paid.

Note: Detailed policies are available on website in examination section.

## Leave for Absences

A student shall apply for leave for his/her absence from class in advance, duly supported with concrete evidence, for approval of the Rector. Following tables shows the approved absences for a course during a semester.

Regular Semester:	Approved Absences:
Weekdays	4 days
Weekend	2 days
Summer Semester:	
Weekdays (Crash)	3 days
Weekend	2 days

The above absences are allowed on account of serious illness or emergencies and after approval by the Rector.

If a student accumulates more than the approved number of absences in a course, he/she will automatically be awarded an "F" grade in that particular course.

A student will not be eligible to apply for weightage or 'I' grade in case the absences exceed the allowed limit.

In case of a severe constraint, a student may apply for condoning of excess absences supported with concrete evidence to Academics Officer, who will forward the application along with evidence and attendance record duly verified by him, to the Rector for approval. After the Rector's approval, the student will have to sign an attendance undertaking.



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## DISCIPLINE

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IoBM stands out among other universities for its special emphasis on maintaining good order and discipline among its students. It reserves the right to prescribe such regulations from time to time as may be considered expedient for effectively maintaining the highest standards of conduct. The regulations set out below are IoBM's General Regulations for discipline.

### **The General Regulations provide that:**

#### **No student of IoBM shall**

1. disrupt the activities and functions of the Institute;
2. damage any property of the Institute or of any faculty member, visitor or an employee of the Institute or knowingly misappropriate such property;
3. forge or falsify any certificate/degree issued by IoBM or knowingly make false statements concerning standing or results obtained in examinations;
4. engage in violent, indecent, disorderly, threatening, or offensive behavior or language;
5. engage in the harassment/disrespect of any faculty member, peer, visitor, employee of the Institute;
6. exhibit behavior that is inappropriate in terms of the norms and cultural values of the Institute and society in general;
7. engage in any political activity while enrolled at IoBM;
8. disrespect/disregard any guidelines/instructions prescribed by faculty and management of the Institute;
9. assist or encourage directly or indirectly any person to act in breach of the above-mentioned regulations.

#### **No student of IoBM shall breach any regulation**

- a) relating to the use of the libraries or the information and communication technology facilities at IoBM;
- b) relating to conduct in examinations;
- c) assist or encourage directly or indirectly any person or persons to act in breach of the above-mentioned regulations.

## The Disciplinary Committee

The Disciplinary Committee, IoBM, comprises a Chairman, Executive Director Administration, Academic Heads of Departments, Controller of Examinations, and other members notified by IoBM. If the Disciplinary Committee is satisfied that a student is guilty of breach of conduct it may:

1. impose a fine of such amount as it thinks fit;
2. order the student to pay compensation to any person or body suffering injury, damage, or loss as a result of the student's conduct;
3. make an order banning the student from specified premises or facilities for a certain period or on such terms as it thinks fit;
4. rusticate the student for such period as it thinks fit;
5. expel the student;
6. ask the parents of the student to give an undertaking that henceforth their wards will not get involved in any activity warranting disciplinary action and should any such incident occur, the Disciplinary Committee reserves the right to expel him/her permanently from the Institute without even asking him/her to appear before the Committee for the consideration of his/her case.

If the Disciplinary Committee is satisfied that a student has committed a breach of the disciplinary regulations relating to plagiarism it may:

- (i) exclude any part of the work submitted from assessment;
- (ii) award no mark / reduce or disregard any piece of work;
- (iii) permit a student to re-sit an examination or resubmit a piece of work on such conditions as it thinks fit.

### Appeal / Review of the decision:

The review of the decision taken by the committee shall rest with the President, IoBM.



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## ATTENDANCE POLICY

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Ensure 100% attendance for each course. 20% absence is permissible, only in case of illness, or emergencies. Absences have to be approved by the Management. Approval is contingent upon the evidence provided. 20% means that a student is allowed a maximum of four approved absences in a course during a regular semester and two in a course offered on weekends. If a student accumulates more than the allowed number of absences, he/she will automatically be awarded an 'F' grade in that particular course.

In case of a severe condition, a student may apply for condonation of excess absences supported with concrete evidence to the Academics Officer, who will forward the application along with evidence and attendance record duly verified by him, to the Rector for approval. After the Rector's approval, the student will have to sign an attendance undertaking. For detail visit the link: <http://www.examination.iobm.edu.pk>

## DRESS CODE POLICY

### A. For Female students:

- At least mid-thigh shirts should be worn with pants ,although knee-length shirts are desirable and preferred. Tucked in shirts with pants or jeans will be treated as a dress code violation.
- Ripped jeans are not allowed.
- Tights to be worn only with closed slit long shirts, otherwise to be avoided ,if worn in an exposed and indecent manner, as judged by the Proctor.
- All sort of revealing and indecent dress-up is not permitted.
- Trousers and shalwars above ankles are to be avoided.
- Clothes offensive in terms of cuts and style ,or by way of messages printed on them are to be avoided.
- Only light make-up, jewelry and perfume is permitted.

### B. For Male Students:

- Only full-length trousers, jeans and shalwars are allowed. Track/sports lowers ,Bermudas and shorts are strictly not allowed.
- Footwear: Slippers are strictly not allowed . Dress shoes and shoes with back-strap are allowed.
- Male students are advised to maintain a proper hair-cut and refrain from piercing their ears and faces
- Offensive messages printed on shirts are not permitted.
- Ripped jeans are not allowed.



## EXAMINATION NORMS

Each semester has two hourly exams (6th & 11th week) & one final exam in the 15th week. Mark distribution is explained to the students at the beginning of the semester. Traditionally, 15 marks are given for each hourly exam and 40 marks for the final exam. 30 marks are assigned for quizzes and assignments. In some cases, there might be a slight variation if the concerned faculty so desires.

In its pursuit of excellence, IOBM believes in providing a congenial atmosphere to the students during exams in order to get them to perform at an optimum level. However, there are certain norms which the students are expected to be aware of and observe both in letter and spirit. These norms are as follows:

- Impersonation may lead to permanent expulsion from the Institute.
- Cell phones are strictly prohibited in the exam hall/ room. Defying this rule may result in confiscation or a fine of Rs. 1000/=.
- Valid college ID card is mandatory for entry to the exam room/hall. There is absolutely no relaxation in this rule.
- Punctuality is most important at all times. Students are expected to reach their exam location and be seated at least 10 minutes prior to the exam time. Late comers will be made to wait for five minutes in case of hourlies and 15 minutes in the final exam before they are allowed entry. Students arriving late by more than 15 minutes will not be allowed to appear in the exam.
- As per Institute's policy, all question papers are to be returned along with answer scripts.
- Students are required to bring their own stationary and calculators as no lending or borrowing is permitted during examinations.
- Programmable calculators or other kinds of electronic devices are strictly prohibited inside the exam area.
- Indiscipline in the exam hall/room will not be tolerated. Such cases are to be reported to the controller of examinations immediately for appropriate action.
- Possession of any written material related to the subject or communication with their fellow students will result in disciplinary action through the decision of the Disciplinary committee.

### Mid-Term Policy

Students are required to take two mid-terms and one final examination. There would be no N-1 given to a student. All students must take both the mid-term exams, as the aggregate of these would be included in the final grade. The Institute does not exempt students from completing course requirements on medical grounds nor is leave granted for any personal reasons. This is to ensure the market credibility of the Institute's teaching programs and degrees.

### Policy for Course Repetition

Student failing a course twice will not be allowed to register for a third attempt. If it is a compulsory course, a second failure will lead to failure in the degree and withdrawal from the Institute.



## Grade Improvement

The Institute provides an opportunity to students for improvement of their CGPA if it is below 2.5 in the undergraduate and 3.0 in the Graduate program. A student wishing to improve his grade in any course is eligible to reappear in that course with exemption in attendance provided he has secured at least C- in that course in the undergraduate and C in the graduate program. Only courses for which grades C, D or F are received may be repeated for credit. Only one repetition is permitted, unless authorized in writing by the Dean. On repetition of a course, credit hours are applied towards a degree only once.

BBA (Honors) and BS students must maintain a minimum CGPA of 2.0 on a cumulative basis in order to maintain good standing. Any deficiency should be made up in the following semester. Otherwise, the concerned student may be dropped from the rolls of the College. A CGPA of 2.5 is required for conferment of the degree.

MBA and MPhil students are expected to maintain a CGPA of 2.5 to remain in good standing. Any deficiency should be made up in the following semester; otherwise the concerned student may be dropped from the rolls of the College. The cumulative GPA should be 3.0 in order for a student to receive the degree. MBA and MS students are required to repeat those courses in which they receive F and D grades.

## Umrah Leave

Dates of hourly and final exams are announced in the catalog well in advance for subsequent semesters. Students should not plan their personal events including Umrah during these dates. Weightage requests will not be entertained for missing hourly or final exam on such pretext.

Umrah leave of two weeks (four absences) for weekdays and (two absences) for weekend are allowable for a course on production of sufficient evidence, and are subject to the approval by the Rector. Total absences, however, should not exceed the allowed absence.

## Hajj Leave

Hajj leave of three weeks (six absences) for weekdays and (three absences) for weekend are allowable for a course on production of sufficient evidence, and are subject to the approval by the Rector.

## Below Good Standing Policy

As per Institute of Business Management (IoBM) Policy, admission will be cancelled on the following grounds:

- Bachelor's students scoring a CGPA below 2.00 for two consecutive semesters and Summer Crash in an academic year
- Master's (Regular Program) students scoring a CGPA below 2.5 for two consecutive semesters and Summer Crash in an academic year
- Master's weekend and evening program students scoring a CGPA below 2.5 for three consecutive semesters in an academic year (which includes three regular semesters)

Please note that if you have a below good standing CGPA, you cannot take semester gap/s unless approved by ED / Registrar.





## Academic Dishonesty

To maintain credibility and uphold its reputation, the Institute has certain procedures to deal with academic dishonesty which are uniform and should be respected by all. Violations of academic integrity include:

- Unauthorized assistance during an examination
- Falsification or invention of data
- Unauthorized collaboration on an academic exercise
- Plagiarism

## Definition of Plagiarism

Students are required to submit original work. Papers and/or projects submitted as part of a group effort must be clearly identified, with the team members specifically acknowledged. Ideas, data, direct quotations, paraphrasing, or any other indirect incorporation of the work of others must be clearly referenced to avoid plagiarism. Examples of plagiarism include:

- Direct quotation or paraphrasing from published sources that are not properly acknowledged;
- The use of other persons or services to prepare work that is submitted as one's own;
- The use of previously submitted papers or work, written by other students or individuals;
- Misappropriation of research materials;
- Any unauthorized access to an instructor's file or computer account;
- Any other serious violations of academic or moral integrity as established by the instructors of the Institute;
- Conduct during examinations.

Cheating is unacceptable. Examples of cheating are:

- Any written or oral communication among students during an examination
- Providing information about the content of an examination
- Impersonation by another student during an examination
- Using cell phones, programmable calculators or any other kind of electronic devices during an examination
- Using cheat sheet during an examination
- Material written on palm, hand or any other part of the body

***IoBM is a no smoking campus. Any violation of this rule can lead to serious consequences. The penalty for this can amount to the extent of cancellation of registration. Use of drugs is a serious offense and any student found guilty will be rusticated permanently.***



# **ADMISSION AND FINANCE**

## ADMISSION DEPARTMENT

Admissions Department performs various functions to admit eligible and quality students. These functions are performed with full transparency and accuracy while maintaining due confidentiality of personal data of all potential candidates for admission.

Admissions Department ensures that admissions are purely merit based depending upon the candidates' scholastic achievements, performance in aptitude tests and interviews.

Admission to IoBM is on a highly competitive basis, and only those who compete successfully on merit are selected for admission. They come from a variety of backgrounds. After joining IoBM, students continue to pursue their studies with a high level of competitiveness aimed at professional development. The admission criteria for the Institute's academic programs are described below:

### Eligibility for entrance to Bachelor's Programs:

The admission for Bachelor's Programs would be based on the following:

- A Higher Secondary School (HSC) Certificate with at least 55%\* marks awarded by a recognized Provincial Intermediate Board
- 3 A-Levels with at least 2C grades, Urdu will be accepted as a 3rd subject and not as a grade as long as the candidate has passed the course
- American High School Diploma with CGPA 2.5 or any other equivalent diploma
- Any other qualification if an authority has issued an equivalence certificate with minimum 55%
- IBCC equivalence may be required for A-Level and other foreign qualifications

#### In addition:

- At least 5C grades in O-Level exams (you need a total of eight subjects including: English, Urdu, Islamiyat, Pakistan Studies, and Math's as compulsory subjects and three electives)
- IBCC equivalence may be required for O-Level and other foreign qualifications
- Minimum 55% marks in SSC or equivalent
- Success in aptitude test and the panel interview conducted by IoBM

### Exemption from Aptitude Test on SAT-1

The applicant can apply for exemption in appearing in the IoBM Aptitude Test:

- A score of 550 (out of 800) in Mathematics
- A score of 550 (out of 800) in Evidence-Based Reading and Writing

Total score of 1100 is required for the exemption

*\*Subject to revision by the IoBM Management*



## Programs List:

- BBA (Honors)
- BS Joint (Honors) Accounting and Finance
- BS Joint (Honors) Economics and Finance
- BS Joint (Honors) in Business & Psychology
- BS (Honors) Accountancy, Management and Law
- BS (Honors) Media Studies
- BS Entrepreneurship
- BS Industrial Management
- BS Logistics and Supply Chain Management
- BS Economics, Law and International Relations (ELI)
- BS Economics, Media and International Relations (EMI)
- BS Technology Management
- BS Psychology

## Eligibility for entrance to the undermentioned Bachelor's Programs:

- BS Computer Science
- BS Data Science
- BS Actuarial Science and Risk Management
- BS Mathematics and Economics
- BS Software Engineering

The admission in these Programs would be based on the following:

- A Higher Secondary School (HSC) Pre-Engineering Certificate with at least 55%\* marks awarded by a recognized Provincial Intermediate Board
- 3 A-Levels with atleast 2C grades including Mathematics subject, Urdu will be accepted as a 3rd subject and not as a grade as long as the candidate has passed the course
- American High School Diploma with CGPA 2.5 or equivalent
- Recognized Overseas Equivalence Diploma
- Any other qualification if an authority has issued an equivalence certificate with minimum 55%
- Students from pre-medical track will be required to complete few additional courses
- For BS Actuarial Sciences and Risk Management students other than pre-engineering group will be required to complete additional deficiency courses

### In addition:

- Atleast 5C grades in O-Level exams (you need a total of eight subjects including: English, Urdu, Islamiyat, Pakistan Studies, and Math's as compulsory subjects and three electives)
- IBCC equivalence is required for O-Level, A-Level and other foreign qualifications
- Minimum 55% marks in SSC or equivalent
- Success in aptitude test and the panel interview conducted by IoBM

### Exemption from Aptitude Test on SAT-1

The applicant can apply for exemption in appearing in the IoBM Aptitude Test:

- A score of 550 (out of 800) in Mathematics
- A score of 550 (out of 800) in Evidence-Based Reading and Writing

Total score of 1100 is required for the exemption

*\*Subject to revision by the IoBM Management*

## Eligibility for entrance to BE Electrical Engineering Program:

The admission for Engineering Programs would be based on the following:

- A Higher Secondary School (HSC) Pre-Engineering Certificate with at least 60%\* marks awarded by a recognized Provincial Intermediate Board
- 3 A-Levels with atleast one C grade either in Mathematics, Chemistry and Physics
- American High School Diploma with CGPA 2.5 or any other qualifications
- Any other qualification if an authority has issued an equivalence certificate with minimum 55%
- IBCC equivalence certificate will be required for A-Levels and other foreign qualifications

### In addition:

- Atleast 5 C grades in O-Level exams (you need a total of eight subjects including: English, Urdu, Islamiyat, Pakistan Studies, and Math's as compulsory subjects and three electives)
- IBCC equivalence may be required for O-Level and other foreign qualifications
- Minimum 55% marks in SSC or equivalent
- Success in aptitude test and panel interview

### Exemption from Aptitude Test on SAT-1

The applicant can apply for exemption in appearing in the IoBM Aptitude Test:

- A score of 550 (out of 800) in Mathematics
- A score of 550 (out of 800) in Evidence-Based Reading and Writing

Total score of 1100 is required for the exemption

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## Eligibility for entrance to B.Ed. Programs:

### B.Ed. (Honors) 1.5 years Weekend Program:

For admission in the B.Ed (Honors) 1.5 years Weekend program, the candidate must possess:

16 years of Education (MA / MSc / MCom or equivalent degree) in any discipline like Sciences, Social Sciences, Humanities and others, with at least 45% or 2.00 CGPA out of 4 from a University/Institution recognized by HEC.

### B.Ed. (Honors) 2.5 years Weekend Program:

For admission in the B.Ed (Honors) 2.5 years Weekend program, the candidate must possess:

14 years of education (BA / BSc / BCom or equivalent degree), with minimum 45% or 2.00 CGPA out of 4 from a University/Institute recognized by HEC.

### BS Education:

For admission in the BS Education 4 years program, the candidate must possess:

- A Higher Secondary School (HSC) Certificate with at least \*55% marks awarded by a recognized Provincial Intermediate Board
- 3 A-Levels with atleast 2C grades including Mathematics subject, Urdu will be accepted as a 3rd subject and not as a grade as long as the candidate has passed the course
- American High School Diploma with CGPA 2.5 or equivalent
- Recognized Overseas Equivalence Diploma
- Any other qualification if an authority has issued an equivalence certificate with minimum 55%
- IBCC equivalence may be required for A-Level and other foreign qualifications



#### **In addition:**

- Atleast 5C grades in O-Level exams (you need a total of eight subjects including: English, Urdu, Islamiyat, Pakistan Studies, and Math's as compulsory subjects. The remaining three subjects are electives)
- IBCC equivalence may be required for O-Level and other foreign qualifications
- Minimum 55% marks in SSC or equivalent
- Success in aptitude test and the panel interview conducted by IoBM

#### **Exemption from Aptitude Test on SAT-1**

The applicant can apply for exemption in appearing in the IoBM Aptitude Test:

- A score of 550 (out of 800) in Mathematics
- A score of 550 (out of 800) in Evidence-Based Reading and Writing

Total score of 1100 is required for the exemption

*\*Subject to revision by the IoBM Management*

#### **Eligibility for MBA (offered in Morning):**

*Please refer to Page No. 45 for specializations*

#### **The admission for this program would be based on the following:**

- Sixteen years of Education in Arts, Science, Law, Commerce, Engineering, Medicine, Pharmacy or any other degree with high second division or equivalent from HEC/Provincial Government approved Institutes/Colleges/Universities in Pakistan.
- A final qualification examination of a professional body recognized by the Higher Education Commissions of Pakistan, for example, ACMA, CA, ACCA (HEC equivalence / membership certificate required)
- Four years overseas Bachelor's degree or equivalent recognized by HEC

#### **In addition:**

- Minimum 55% marks in overall academic career in annual examination system or 5C's in O-Level and 3 A-level with minimum 2C's excluding General Paper and Urdu or equivalent
- Minimum CGPA 2.5 on a scale of 4 in semester system (CGPA will be considered, if both CGPA & Percentage are mentioned in the Transcript)
- Success in aptitude test and interview conducted by IoBM

*Eligibility criteria is subject to revision by the IoBM Management.*

#### **Eligibility for MBA (offered on Weekends/Evening):**

*Please refer to page No. 45 for specializations*

The admission in MBA (offered on Weekends/Evening) would be based on the following:

- Sixteen years of Education in Arts, Science, Law, Commerce, Engineering, Medicine, Pharmacy or any other degree with high second division or equivalent from HEC/Provincial Government approved Institutes/Colleges/Universities in Pakistan
- A final qualification examination of a professional body recognized by the Higher Education Commissions of Pakistan, for example, ACMA, CA, ACCA (HEC equivalence certificate required)
- Four years overseas Bachelor's degree or equivalent recognized by HEC

#### **In addition:**

- Minimum 55% marks in last qualification in annual examination system
- Minimum CGPA 2.5 on a scale of 4 in semester system (CGPA will be considered, if both CGPA & Percentage are mentioned in the Transcript)
- Success in aptitude test and interview conducted by IoBM
- Candidates once admitted, not having a four year degree in business management/commerce will attend a Bootcamp of six weeks before the semester begins

## Eligibility for MSc Organizational Psychology and HRM:

The admission in this program would be based on the following:

- Sixteen years of Education in Arts, Science, Law, Commerce, Engineering, Medicine, Pharmacy or any other degree with high second division or equivalent from HEC/Provincial Government approved Institutes/Colleges/Universities in Pakistan
- A final qualification examination of a professional body recognized by the Higher Education Commissions of Pakistan, for example, ACMA, CA, ACCA (HEC equivalence certificate required)
- Four years overseas Bachelor's degree or equivalent recognized by HEC

### In addition:

- Minimum 55% marks in last qualification in annual examination system
- Minimum CGPA 2.5 on a scale of 4 in semester system (CGPA will be considered, if both CGPA & Percentage are mentioned in the Transcript)
- Success in aptitude test and interview conducted by IoBM
- Candidates once admitted, not having a four year degree in business management/commerce will attend a Bootcamp of six weeks before the semester begins

## Eligibility for entrance to MS/MPhil Programs:

The admission in MS/MPhil Programs would be based on the following:

- Sixteen years of education in relevant field with high second division or equivalent from HEC recognized Institutes/Universities in Pakistan

OR

- Four years overseas Bachelor's degree or equivalent recognized by HEC

### In addition:

- Minimum 55% marks in overall academic career in annual examination system or 5C's in O-Level and 3 A-level with minimum 2C's excluding General Paper and Urdu or equivalent
- Minimum CGPA 2.5 on a scale of 4 in semester system (CGPA will be considered, if both CGPA & Percentage are mentioned in the Transcript)
- Candidates must score minimum 50% marks in NTS/ETC test
- Success in panel interview conducted at IoBM

### Programs List:

- MS Business Management
- MS Computer Science
- MS Mathematics and Scientific Computing
- MS Statistics and Scientific Computing
- MS Engineering Management
- MS in Electrical Engineering
- MS in English-Applied Linguistics
- MS in Economics
- MPhil in Education
- MPhil in Organizational Psychology



## Admission Requirements for PhD Programs:

- Candidate having 18 years of education from an HEC recognized university is eligible to apply. For admission into the PhD program, minimum CGPA 3.0 on scale of 4 or first division in MPhil/MS/ degree is required
- Minimum CGPA 3.0 is required for candidates having MBA or equivalent degrees. They will have to do pre-requisite courses recommended by the committee (HEC equivalence certificate required)
- Students with HEC recognized professional degrees i.e., ACMA, CA, ACCA may also apply subject to equivalence certificate issued by the HEC

### In addition:

- Minimum 55% marks in overall academic career in annual examination system or 5 Cs in O-Level and 3 A-Levels with atleast C grades in any subjects
- Success in interview
- Candidates must score minimum 60% marks in NTS/ETC test

### PhD Eligibility Policy:

#### 1) MS with relevant degree

18 Credit Hours of Courses plus 30 Credit Hours of Thesis

#### 2) MS with irrelevant degree

Minimum 12 Credit Hours of deficiency Courses (from BS approved by Doctorial Committee) plus 18 Credit Hours of Courses plus 30 Credit Hours of Thesis

### Program List

- PhD in Business Management
- PhD in Economics
- PhD in Education
- PhD Computer Science
- PhD Statistics & Scientific Computing

### Policy and Procedure for Transfer of Credit Hours

Students desiring credit transfer in a specific degree program will be required to submit application along with their transcripts and course outlines/descriptions soon after their admission formalities have been completed. The request for transfer of credit hours will be reviewed if the previous program was incomplete and courses were done during the last three years. The credit equivalence committee (CEC) will examine such cases and decide accordingly, keeping in view the following:

- All requests must be for the same level of program. Courses completed in Bachelor's program cannot be considered for Master's program
- The credit hours will not be considered from program which has been completed and the student has been graduated.
- Transfer applications can be submitted once and atleast two weeks before commencement of the first semester, late applications for transfer of credits will not be considered nor any second application will be accepted.
- Student will be required to submit the application along with course outlines and an official transcript
- Student must have secured B or better grade as per the IoBM grading plan in each course meant to be transferred and the course title /outline must match with IoBM course plan. However, the decision of the subject specialist or Credit Equivalence Committee will be final.





- The Committee has the right to reject any course or an application
- Maximum of three courses can be transferred in PhD programs
- Maximum of four courses can be transferred in MPhil/MS programs
- Maximum courses of two semesters can be transferred in Bachelor's / MBA Programs from highly reputed and HEC recognized institutes of Pakistan and abroad. However, each case will be reviewed separately and the decision will be taken considering the grades and the reasons for the transfer

### **Re-Admission and Continuation Policy**

- Students who stop attending classes at the Institute, for any reason, without informing the concerned authorities about their absence for more than one semester, their admission shall be suspended.
- Admissions can be deferred for maximum of two semesters with justification and approval of the Executive Director Admissions.
- Any relaxation not beyond two years is subject to approval of Executive Director Admissions.
- Students who complete their Bachelor program from IoBM are eligible to register for MBA if there were no any disciplinary issues. However, if security deposit has been withdrawn, candidates may apply for restoration of admission to office of the Executive Director.
- Students dropped due to below good standing (for Master's program below 2.5 CGPA and for Bachelor's below 2 CGPA) may also apply for re-admission and to qualify both the entry test and interview.
- Students dropped out from the Institute for any reason will not be considered for enrollment as an external candidate
- On successful completion of readmission process in undergraduate and graduate program: the degree/transcript section will consider transfer of previous courses completed in IoBM based on grades and their relevancy.
- A MPhil or a PhD student dropped due to below good standing / time barred or absent for more than two years and CGPA is below 3.00, may also apply for readmission and to qualify both the entry test and Interview.
- After readmission , the student will follow current program structure and obsolete courses will not be considered. However, the Program Head and OGS Office may recommend transfer of previous courses having minimum C+ grades to degree/ transcript section for consideration.



## SCHOLARSHIPS AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS

### Internal

IoBM has established a financial assistance fund for students who are unable to afford the financial costs associated with an academic program. Financial assistance are provided to students on the basis of merit and need. Currently, about 25% of the students are receiving some form of financial aid. Special scholarship programs are available under CSR activity for deserving students of selected districts in Sindh through IoBM Outreach Program, TCF Alumni Program and Kiran Foundation.

### Educational Assistance on Need

IoBM grants Educational Assistance (EA) to its regular students. It is a 50% waiver of the tuition fee and is automatically renewed for the next semester, subject to maintaining the specified criteria and GPA.

### Merit Scholarships

IoBM offers Merit Scholarships to its meritorious students which is 50% of the tuition fee and automatically renewed for the next semester, subject to maintaining the specified criteria and GPA in the first semester.

### Sports Scholarship

Sports scholarship awarded to the students who have achievements at a regional, national or international level in the last 8-12 months and are the active player of IoBM sports team. After the endorsement of student's application by the HoD sports, scholarship is awarded to student which is 50% of tuition fee.

### Program Promotional Waiver

Students of the following programs are eligible to get 50% tuition fee waiver:

- BS Industrial Management  
GPA 2.5 with minimum 15 credit hours or 5 courses in a semester
- B.Ed (1.5 and 2.5 years)  
GPA 2.5 with minimum 12 credit hours or 4 courses in a semester

### External

#### Endowment Fund

Various endowment funds have been set up by IoBM, public and private donors to provide financial assistance for students who deserve and in need.

#### Following external financial assistance are being provided to students:

- Iobm Endowment Fund
- Lucky Cement Scholarships
- Sindh Educational Endowment Fund (SEEF), Government of Sindh
- Shan Foods Endowment fund
- Bashir Janmohammad CCSIS Building Endowment Fund
- Mitsubishi Corporation Scholarships
- Faysal Bank Zakat Fund

#### Scholarships are also available on reciprocal basis to:

- Bilkent University, Turkey
- International Burch University, Bosnia
- University of Florence, Italy
- Vytautas Magnus University, Lithuania
- Hanyang University, South Korea
- Guilin University of Technology, China
- Erfurt University, Germany



## FEE STRUCTURE\*

IoBM operates on a self-financing basis as a non-profit institution. All students are required to pay a one-time CAUTION MONEY of Rs. 25,000.00 which is refundable only as per the policy.

The fee structure for various degree programs, per semester, is as follows:

	Registration Fee	Tuition Fee* (per course)	Fee on the basis of Per Credit Hour	Tuition Fee Full Load	Total Fee* (per semester)
All Bachelor's Programs	10,000.00	22,080.00	7,360.00	132,480.00	142,480.00
All Master's (Regular) Programs	10,000.00	23,805.00	7,935.00	142,830.00	152,830.00
All Master's (Specialized / Weekend) Programs	10,000.00	23,805.00	7,935.00	142,830.00	152,830.00

\* Subject to change

Note:

Additional fee will be charged for remedial (non-credit) courses such as MTH100 or COM100 which have to be taken by those students who have not been able to reach the desired level of competence in the relevant section of the admission test.

Rs. 44,160/- will be additional Lab Charges for BE Electrical Engineering in Electronics and Telecommunication program.

Rs. 44,160/- will be additional Lab Charges for BS Computer Science and BS Software Engineering program.

Rs. 20,000/- will be charged for MBA Boot Camp (Page No. 46) for MBA students joining IoBM for the first time.

MBA executive and weekend students, planning to take less than a full load, would be charged registration and tuition fees accordingly. However, caution money will remain the same.

Post Graduate Programs	Registration Fee (1-2 Courses)	Tuition Fee Per Course	Thesis, External Examiner, Viva Voce, Exam, Supervisors and Foreign Examiner Fee
MS / MPhil Programs	3,500.00	16,044.00	82,800.00
PhD Programs	5,000.00	17,424.00	417,450.00

The registration duration of thesis is one year (3 consecutive semesters) after 3rd semester. Students will be required to get themselves re-registered in thesis by paying registration fee and one course fee for the subsequent semesters.



## Convocation Fee:

Rent for gown and cap with mask (mask is nonreturnable)	1,000.00
Degree folder including degree cost	4,500.00
Physical arrangement and lunch cost for the Graduate only	4,500.00 approximately
Brochure	500.00
Administrative charges	1,500.00
<b>Convocation Fee</b>	<b>1,200.00</b>

Security deposit for the gown and cap (refundable)	5,000.00
Convocation fee	12,000.00
<b>Total amount with security deposit</b>	<b>17,000.00</b>

### Note:

- **Rs. 5,000.00 will be refunded after the gown and cap are returned in good condition**
- **The catering and physical arrangements costs for parents will be communicated after finalizing the quotation.**

## Fee Refund Policy

### Interpretation

1. In this policy reference to the masculine also includes the feminine.

### Caution Money (Security deposit)

2. Students are eligible to claim refund of caution money:
  - a. after completion of their respective programs or
  - b. upon cancellation of admission by the student or by IoBM if claimed within six months of such cancellation.
3. Any amount receivable from a student for whatsoever reason will be deducted from the amount due to that student on account of caution money.
4. Without prejudice to the above, both provisional students and deferred candidates (details for both appear below) are entitled to be refunded security deposits in accordance with the terms of this Policy if any have been collected.

### Registration Fee

5. Registration fees paid is nonrefundable and nontransferable.

### Continuing students

6. In case a course or courses are dropped during any given semester, and provided that such course or courses had been dropped without penalty, the tuition fee of such course or courses:-
  - a. shall be fully refunded if the course or courses had been dropped within 7 days of commencement of classes.
  - b. shall be refunded 50% if dropped after 7 days but within 14 days of commencement of classes.
  - c. shall not be claimed from the 15th day of commencement of classes.
7. Provided that the refund in clause 6 above shall be made only after completion of program or admission cancellation.
8. Tuition fee for students suspended for one semester shall also be refunded as per clause 6 above.
9. Tuition fee for courses dropped after the due date (with penalty) will be forfeited.



## Fresh Entrants

10. If after securing admission, a fresh entrant decides to withdraw from the Institute, the tuition fees paid will be refunded as per Higher Education Commission (HEC) refund policy outlined hereunder: -

<b>%age of Tuition Fee*</b>	<b>Timeline** for Semester System</b>
Full (100%) Fee Refund	up to 7th day of commencement of classes
Half (50%) Fee Refund	From 8th-15th day of commencement of classes
No Refund (0%) Refund	From 16th day of commencement of classes

1. *%age of Fee shall be applicable on all components of fee, except for security & admission charges.*

\*\* *Timeline shall be calculated continuously, covering both weekdays and weekends.*

## Provisional Admission

11. Candidates awaiting the results of last required qualification shall be provisionally admitted provided they qualify in the written test as well as the interview. If such a candidate fails to meet the set admission criteria after declaration of the last required results, he will be refunded the tuition fee and the caution money provided that an application for refund is submitted within seven days of declaration of results/grades (along with a copy of result/grades). If a candidate fails to do so, the tuition fee shall stand forfeit. The caution money shall remain payable only for refund till six months from the date of application for refund. This is without prejudice to the other terms of this policy.

## Deferment of Admission-Fresh Entrants

12. In case of a written request of the candidate for deferment of admission for a semester, he must sign an affidavit stipulating the matters stated in this policy and duly notarized, the paid tuition fee shall be carried forward to next semester.
13. If a candidate of the nature in clause 12, later decides not to join and informs the Institute of his withdrawal or does not join :-
- the tuition fee shall stand forfeit provided the Institute and candidate were otherwise agreed upon admission in the current semester but for the candidate's withdrawal from the Institute.
14. Notwithstanding clause 12 above, if any deferred candidate decides to withdraw from admission at any time, the security deposit, if collected, shall be fully refunded and shall remain payable till six months from the date of intimation of withdrawal from the Institute. Upon expiry of said period the security deposit shall also stand forfeit.
15. If any candidate is allowed a second attempt to improve his grade/percentage/results in order to qualify for the admission, he must sign an affidavit stipulating the matters stated in this Policy and duly notarized. If the candidate fails in the second attempt or does not avail the opportunity of second attempt:-
- caution money, if collected, will be fully refunded and shall remain payable only for refund till six months from the date of intimation of the final refusal of admission from IoBM. Upon expiry of the said period the caution money shall also stand forfeit.
  - the tuition fee shall stand forfeit provided the Institute and candidate were otherwise agreed upon admission in the current semester but for the candidate's failure to achieve the results required by the Institute.
16. A candidate will retain his status as candidate until completion of the formalities provided herein.

## Dispute

17. In case of any dispute/disagreement regarding interpretation of any clause of this Policy, the decision of the IoBM management shall be final and binding.

## Amendment

18. This policy may be amended or changed at the discretion of the management provided always that any amendment or change may only take place at the start of every semester and that such amendment or change must be incorporated in all new admission letters from the semester in which the amendment or change takes place onwards.



# ORGANIZATION

## Board of Governors

The Board of Governors exercises the powers to hold, control and administer the property, funds and resources of the Institute. It also approves the annual report, plan of work, statements of accounts and the annual budget estimates as recommended by the Executive Council. It is also responsible for ensuring the effectiveness of the Institute's operations and the continuity and preservation of its autonomy.

**Members of the Board of Governors (listed on Page No. 8)**

## Executive Council

The Executive Council is responsible for formulating and approving the principles, policies and plans governing the activities and operations of the Institute so as to facilitate teaching and other academic work. It can appoint faculty, researchers and officers on the recommendation of the Selection Board. It can also create new components of the Institute such as faculties/departments/college, and constitute standing committees, subcommittees, councils, and other administrative or academic advisory bodies, if necessary. It can undertake initiatives to ensure efficient and effective management and functioning of the Institute. It proposes plans of work for the approval of the Board of Governors.

### Members of the Executive Council

- Mr. Bashir Janmohammad, Chairman
- Mr. Talib Syed Karim, President
- Chairman, Higher Education Commission
- Mr. Justice Irfan Saadat Khan
- Secretary, Universities & Boards Department, Government of Sindh
- Mr. Masood Hashmi
- Mr. Muhammad Ali Tabba
- Prof. Dr. Sarosh Hashmat Lodi
- Prof. Dr. Tariq Rahim Soomro
- Dr. Shahida Wizarat
- Dr. Shujaat Mubarik
- Dr. Muhammad Abbas
- Mr. M. W. Jahangir, Secretary

## Academic Council

The Academic Council is responsible for:

- Advising the Executive Council on academic matters
- Regulating the conduct of teaching, research, publications and examinations
- Regulating the admission of students to courses of studies and examinations at the Institute
- Regulating the conduct and discipline of the students of the Institute
- Regulating award of financial assistance, exhibitions, medals and prizes
- Formulating courses of study, syllabi and outlines of all examinations conducted by the Institute

### External Members of the Council:

- Mr. Mazhar ul Haq Siddiqui
- MS Rukhsana Asghar
- Mr. Khalid M. Nagra



## Board of Advanced Studies and Research

IoBM has a Board of Studies which reports to the Academic Council. It supervises teaching research and academic discipline. It has three sub-committees on curriculum, resources, and discipline. External members on the Board of Studies are:

### External Members of the Board:

- Prof Dr. Bhawani Shankar
- Dr. Nadeem Hanif
- Dr. Amjad Waheed

## Board of Studies

The following departments exist in the Institute:

### College of Business Management (CBM)

Communication, Management, Marketing, Human Resource Management, Health & Hospital Management, Accounting and Finance, Environment & Energy Management, Risk Management, Industrial Management, Advertising & Media Management and MPhil Business Management

### College of Computer Science and Information Systems (CCSIS)

Mathematics and Statistics, Computer Science & MIS and Actuarial Science

### College of Economics and Social Development (CESD)

Economics, Commercial and Professional Studies, Media Studies, Education, Policy & Area Studies, Business Psychology, Social Sciences and Organizational Psychology

### College of Engineering and Sciences (CES)

Electrical (Electronics & Telecommunication), MS-Engineering Management and MS-Electrical Engineering

HoDs report to the Dean and the academic work of each department is governed by a departmental board of studies consisting of both internal and external members.

## Foundation for Higher Education

Foundation for Higher Education was established in 1994 under the Societies Registration Act, 1860 as a non-profit institution committed to the provision of quality education in Pakistan. IoBM is the first educational institution established by the Foundation. Following are the members of the Foundation:

- Mr. Talib Syed Karim, President
- Mrs. Sabina Mohsin
- Mr. Mehtab Syed Karim
- Dr. Mussarrat Hasan
- Mr. Mohsin Furquan
- Mr. Mehboob Syed Karim
- Mr. Talha Syed Karim
- Mr. Nabhan Shah Karim
- Mr. Naveed Qazi
- Mr. Masood Hashmi
- Syed Amr Ali Karim
- Mr. M. W. Jahangir, Secretary





# FACULTY

## Acting Rector



**Dr. Tariq Rahim Soomro** Professor of Computer Science, and Acting Rector at IoBM, earned his BSc (Hons) and M.Sc. degrees in Computer Science from the University of Sindh, Jamshoro, Pakistan, and his PhD in Computer Applications from Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, China, making him the first Pakistani to receive all three degrees in the field of Computer Science. He has more than 28 years of extensive and diverse experience as an administrator, computer programmer, researcher, and teacher. He has served as Coordinator, Head of Department, Head of Faculty, Dean of Faculty, Head of Academic Affairs, and acquired wide experience in accreditation requirements of ABET USA, NCEAC & HEC Pakistan, KHDA UAE, and MOHESR UAE. He has published over 100 peer-reviewed papers. He is member Task Force on Arabic Script IDNs of the Middle East Strategy Working Group (MESWG) of ICANN, and received ISOC Fellowship to the Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF) at the 68th IETF Meeting. He is the first Pakistani to become IEEE Computer Society Distinguished Visitor (2021-2023) and to be selected by the IEEE Computer Society at the 2021 Inaugural Class of IEEE Computer Society Distinguished Contributors.

## College of Business Management



**Dr. Muhammad Shujaat Mubarik** is Professor and Dean College of Business Management (CBM). Having done his PhD from University of Malaya, Malaysia, Dr. Mubarik brings blended-experience from industry, academia, and research. His areas of interest are supply chain management, sustainability, and intellectual capital. He has more than 100 research papers (Clarivate/Scopus/ABDC/ABS indexed) published in journals of high repute. He also has four books to his credit, published by internationally reputable publishers like Springer and Taylor and Francis. Dr. Mubarik has also contributed various book chapters in the international best-selling handbooks; prominent among them is Palgrave's Handbook on Cross-Cultural Negotiation. He has worked on various funded projects in collaboration with colleagues from national and international universities. He is also a consultant and corporate trainer and has extended his services to many multinational and national firms.

## Accounting and Finance



**Dr. Imam Uddin** earned his PhD in Islamic Business & Finance from University of Karachi. He also holds a Specialization Degree in Islamic Jurisprudence, Bachelor of Laws (LL.B), and Post Graduate Diploma in Islamic Banking & Finance from reputable Institutions & got the status of approved PhD supervisor in the field of Business Management & Business Education by HEC. Currently, he is Associate Professor and Head of Department at IoBM. He brings more than 16 years of experience from industry, academia, and research. Dr. Imam has served the Islamic Banking Industry in the capacity of Islamic Finance expert for many years where he was engaged in product development and product management. He has also designed & developed courses for several Institutes in the field of Islamic Banking, Finance & Accounting. He has spoken at several International Conferences.



**Sharique Ayubi** holds a Master in Business Administration (MBA) from Institute of Business Administration (IBA), Karachi as well as an MA in Economics from the University of Karachi. He joined IoBM in 2004 and is working as an Associate Professor since 2010. His industry experience has been in the National Development Finance Corporation (NDFC), where he worked for fourteen years. He has been teaching courses in Finance, Accounting, Management and Marketing for over 25 years at various reputable universities and business schools. Sharique Ayubi served KASBIT Institute for four years as HOD, Management Sciences. He was awarded CIDA scholarship to attend "Training of Trainers" program under the LUMS-McGill Social Enterprise Development Program. His research interests are financial markets and institutions, Regulations in Banking and Securities Markets, and Comparative Management.



**Mehboob Moosa** is currently pursuing a PhD in Business Management at IoBM. He holds an MPhil in Business Management and is also FCMA from Institute of Cost & Management Accountants of Pakistan, a CA Finalist from the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan and holds a PGD in Islamic Banking & Finance from the Center for Islamic Economics (CIE). He is working with IoBM as an Assistant Professor. His 38 years' experience include working with national and multinational companies like BOC (Pakistan) Ltd., Al-Futtaim Engineering, Dubai, Habib Group, World Group of Companies (Automobiles), Liberty Textiles, Century-21 Textiles etc., as well as audit firms like KPMG Taseer Hadi, Sidaat Hyder, Rahim Jan and teaching in educational institutions of UK and Pakistani education streams.



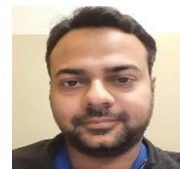
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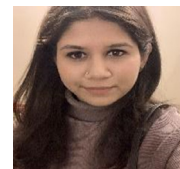


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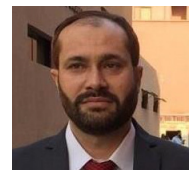


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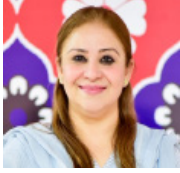
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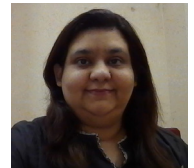
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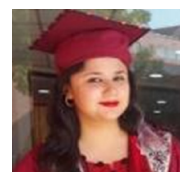
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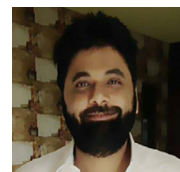


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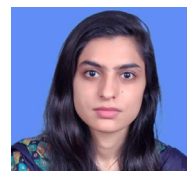


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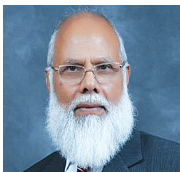


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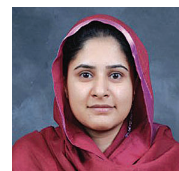
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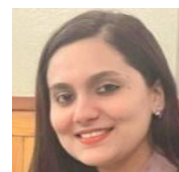
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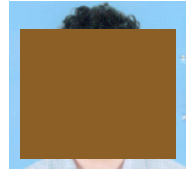


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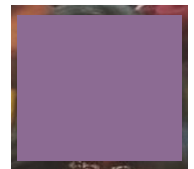
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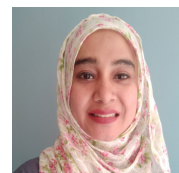


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## Business Psychology



**Dr. Nadia Ayub** received a Post-Doctoral Fellowship from the School of Psychology, University of Queensland, Australia, and earned a PhD in Psychology from the University of Karachi, Pakistan. She is an HEC approved PhD supervisor and has supervised a number of MPhil & PhD thesis at IoBM. She is working as Professor and Associate Dean, Psychology Department at IoBM. Her research focuses on identity issues in adolescents, organizational issues, family and marriages, cross-cultural psychology, educational psychology, and psychometrics. She has published more than 30 journal articles, presented research papers at Harvard University in 2012 & 2013 and around the world, served on the editorial boards of International Journal of Psychological Studies, Journal of Pakistan Psychological Association, Universal Research Journal, and Pakistan Business Review. She received the International Education Faculty Achievement Award from the International Association of University Presidents for 2014 and HEC Best University Teacher Award for 2011.



**Dr. Sana Sadia** is Acting HOD & Assistant Professor in the Department of Business Psychology at IOBM. She is also a Member of the Review Board of "JEED", a journal of the Department of Education, CESD. Her major areas of interest include child psychology, neurodevelopmental disorders, community and social psychology, and positive psychology, that is delivered through her work related to special needs and neurodiversity. Dr. Sana has 10 years of experience in clinical therapy. She has been associated with several national and international organizations and clinics, as a clinical psychologist, behavioral and child therapist, research psychologist, family therapist, and community counselor.

She has also been visiting faculty in the department of psychology, University of Karachi, and visiting faculty designated as associate professor, at the Institute of Industrial and Electronic Engineering (PSCIR). She had presented research papers at several national and global conferences.



**Dr. Syed Shameem Ejaz**, PhD in Psychology from the University of Karachi, is Assistant Professor in the Department of Psychology, at CESD, IoBM. He has been teaching psychology for 12 years as a regular faculty and as a visiting faculty prior to that, at different institutions. He has been a practicing psychotherapist for 19+ years. His research interests lie in personality, perception, emotion, as well as cognitive impact of social and ecological interactions, as well as in brain-computer interface (BCI). He has been providing research consultation to national and international clients like UNICEF, UNDP, Bayer France, Crop-Sciences Switzerland, Syngenta France-Pakistan. He is actively engaged with vulnerable social groups, especially the youth, providing counseling and psychotherapeutic interventions to deal with stress, anxiety, and depression in conventional clinical setups, and through workshops.



**Marvi Makhdoom** holds an MPhil Degree in Organizational Psychology from IoBM, and is currently working as a Lecturer, in the Business Psychology Department. Prior to that she worked as a Visiting Faculty in several renowned universities. She has done various national and international courses and diplomas in Psychology, Mental Health, as well as Counselling. Her research work includes areas such as Moral Integrity, Job Involvement, Work Values, and Family Relationship.

## Media Studies

**Ejaz Wasay** holds an MBA from IBA. He is Head - Department of Media Studies & Sr. Fellow Marketing. He joined IoBM on January 1, 2011. His industry experience spans over 37 years, in the fields of Marketing, Corporate Communication, and Advertising. He has worked for Unilever, Gillette, Philips, Orient McCann-Erickson and UBL. His overseas assignments with Gillette took him to Brazil and the UAE. He has led two major research projects at IoBM - a Consumer Perception Study for Indus Motor Company and a Media Responsibility & Independence Index research for USAID. His articles have been published over many years in the Marketing Review, and Aurora. He has been Council Member MAP over 15 years, and its President in 2005; and Jury Member of PAS and Effie Awards.



**Dr. Ayaz Ahmed Siddiqui** has lived, studied and worked within the communications industry in Karachi, London and Hong Kong since the last decade. He completed his PhD on the evolution of media political tactics of mainstream opposition groups in Pakistan since 1988, at the School of Communication in Hong Kong Baptist University. He was part of an international study group on ethical best practices within leading Asian news organisations, as the Pakistan lead examining the Daily Dawn. Dr Ayaz has presented research at leading communication conferences and is a member of the International Communication Association (ICA), as well as Agahi Awards. His Op-eds and stories have appeared in The Wire.in, The Eastern Eye - UK, The News, The News on Sunday and Synergyzer magazine.



**Taqi Shaheen** holds a Masters in Arts (MA) from National College of Arts, Lahore. He is currently working as an Associate Professor of Practice. As a film-maker, educator and media artist, his work crosses mediums and defies genre distinctions to fashion curious observations of contemporary South Asian cultures and mediascapes. Since 2004, he has been working closely with creative practitioners to produce collaborative works using artistic practices, pedagogic alternatives, and creative investigations to address alternate experiences of learning. He has presented his research in the US, Europe, and the Middle East at various academic conferences including International Symposium of Electronic Arts (ISEA). His publications include Subjective Atlas of Pakistan (Oxford University Press, 2020), and his works include a documentary series on artists as educators, amongst others.



**Nabhan Shah Karim** holds MA in Filmmaking from Kingston University London, UK and Bachelor in Film and Television from Indiana University Bloomington, USA. He is working as an Assistant Professor of Practice and Head of Media Production Department at the level of Manager. In the US, he interned for CNN's AC360 and went on to be a producer on a sports broadcast show on the Big Ten Network. After his return to Pakistan, Nabhan was an Assistant Producer at Stimulus Productions working on TV Commercials for big name brands and later on, started his own production company specializing in Digital Videos.



**Muhammad Faraz** holds a Master's degree in Mass Communication. He is a professional screenwriter, story writer, translator, researcher and a poet, and has over six years experience in teaching screenwriting at IoBM, and over fifteen years of script writing & research for various media groups including CNBC, JAAG Broadcasting System, Total Media Network and others. Currently working as a Senior Lecturer at IoBM he is leading a longer-term project focused on archiving and publication of acclaimed Urdu Screenplays.



**Shayan Hussain** has completed his Masters degree in the field of Film and TV Production from IQRA University. He is currently working with IoBM as Lecturer & Assistant Manager. He has been teaching since 2021. His professional experience includes TV Commercials, short films & documentary production for both digital and conventional media. He has produced a number of TV commercials for brands like Pepsi, Coca-Cola, Nestle, Unilever, Total Parco, Telenor with the creative agencies like Ogilvy Pakistan, ADCOM Leo Burnett, Mullen-Lowe Rauf, IMPACT BBDO and many others. He also worked with acclaimed directors and professionals not limited to Pakistan but from India, the Middle east and Central Europe, i.e. Anurag Kashyap, Arun Gopalan and Ronald Koetzier



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# ADMINISTRATION

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The administrative staff of IoBM is highly skilled and qualified to perform multifarious tasks, vital for the smooth running of the Institute. The administration implements the policies formulated by the Governing Board and the Academic Council. It is responsible for organizing academic programs, ensuring student progress, providing adequate support facilities to the faculty and students, and liaison with business and industry to arrange internships, ensure career development and placement of students on the completion of their degree. It is also responsible for the organization and supervision of examinations.

### Members of the Administration



**Mr. Talib S. Karim**, President, Institute of Business Management, holds a Bachelor's degree in Systems Engineering and a Master's degree in Economics with specialization in International Trade, both from the University of Arizona, USA. He has worked for a financial institution for ten years before joining the Institute full-time in 1997. He has also taught Economics at the University of Arizona, USA and IoBM. He also attended the Oxford Advanced Management & Leadership Program at Oxford University. He is an Executive Council member of the Management Association of Pakistan and the President of Marketing Association of Pakistan and represents the Institute in various Associations nationally and internationally.



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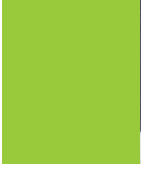


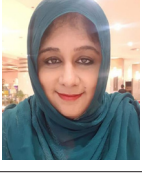


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# **ACADEMIC CALENDAR**

## FALL 2023

Registration of Courses and Fee Payment (On board students)	Tuesday, August 22, 2023 Onwards
Orientation for newly admitted students	Saturday, September 2, 2023
Commencement of Classes	Saturday, September 9, 2023
Eid-e-Milad-un-Nabi (SAW)*	Thursday, September 28, 2023
Last day to drop courses without penalty	Thursday, November 2, 2023
Last day to drop courses with penalty**	Thursday, November 30, 2023
Revision and Presentation Week	Saturday, December 23 to Thursday, December 28, 2023
Quaid-e-Azam's Birthday	Monday, December 25, 2023
Final Exam	Saturday, December 30, 2023 to Thursday, January 11, 2024
Classes End	Thursday January 11, 2024

## Exam Schedule

Week	Exams	Dates
8th	Midterm/Assessments	28/10/2023 to 02/11/2023
17th & 18th	Final	30/12/2023 to 11/01/2024

\* Subject to the appearance of moon

\*\* Grade 'W' will appear in Transcript

**Note:**

*All dates are subject to change. Students will be informed of the changes well in advance.*

*For details of examination please visit the website.*



## SPRING 2024

Registration of Courses and Fee Payment (On board students)	Monday, December 18, 2023 Onwards
Orientation for newly admitted students	Saturday, January 13, 2024
Commencement of Classes	Saturday, January 20 2024
Kashmir Day	Monday, February 5 2024
Last day to drop courses without penalty	Saturday, March 09, 2024
Pakistan Day	Saturday, March 23, 2024
Last day to drop courses with penalty**	Thursday, April 11, 2024
Eid-ul-Fitr*	Tuesday, April 9, 2024 to Thursday, April 11, 2024
Labor Day	Wednesday, May 01, 2024
Revision and Presentation Week	Saturday, May 04, 2024 to Thursday, May 9, 2024
Final Exam	Saturday, May 11, 2024 to Thursday, May 23, 2024
Classes End	Thursday, May 23, 2024

## Exam Schedule

Week	Exams	Dates
8th	Midterm/Assessments	09/03/2024 to 14/03/2024
17th & 18th	Final	11/05/2024 to 23/05/2024

\* Subject to the appearance of moon.

\*\* Grade 'W' will appear in Transcript.

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## SUMMER CRASH 2024

Registration of Courses and Fee Payment (On board students)	Saturday, April 20, 2024 Onwards
Commencement of Classes	Saturday, June 8, 2024
Eid-ul-Azha*	Sunday, June 16, 2024 to Tuesday, June 18, 2024
Last day to drop courses without penalty	Tuesday, July 02, 2024
Ashura*	Tuesday, July 16, 2024 to Wednesday, July 17, 2024
Last day to drop courses with penalty**	Saturday, July 27, 2024
Independence Day	Wednesday, August 14, 2024
Revision and Presentation Week	Saturday, August 03, 2024 to Thursday, August 08, 2024
Final Exam	Saturday, August 10, 2024 to Saturday, August 17, 2024
Classes End	Thursday, August 17, 2024

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Week	Exams	Dates
5th	Midterm/Assessments	6-07-24 to 11-07-24
10th	Final	10-08-24 to 17-08-24

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