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DR. AZRA FAZAL PECHUHO VISITS AIEH: A REMARKABLE OCCASION

On September 25th, the Al-Ibrahim Eye Hospital (AIEH), under the umbrella of Isra Islamic Foundation, had the honor of hosting Dr. Azra Fazal Pechuho, the Health Minister Government of Sindh. Since its inception, the hospital has played a vital role in blindness control programs, continuously serving those in need of eye care services.

During her visit, Dr. Pechuho received a comprehensive tour of the facilities and praised the hospital's dedication to providing exceptional humanitarian

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Isra University Hyderabad proudly commemorated Pakistan's Independence Day with an engaging and spirited event on Wednesday, August 14th, 2024. The celebration featured a flag-hoisting ceremony, a

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Al-Ibrahim Eye Hospital had the honor of hosting Mr. Faisal Edhi, son of great philanthropist Mr. Abdul Sattar Edhi (late), founder of the renowned Edhi Foundation, on September 10, 2024. The Edhi Foundation is synonymous with humanitarian services in Pakistan, known for its extensive contributions to public welfare, including lifesaving ambulance services and disaster relief efforts.

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HEC OLYMPIC DAY CELEBRATION 2024 AT ISRA UNIVERSITY

In alignment with Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi's vision to enhance student engagement and sports at Isra University, the "HEC Olympic Day Celebration" took place on 11 July 2024. The event was graced by the Chief Guest, Deputy Commissioner Hyderabad, Mr. Zain-ul-Abideen Memon, who was warmly welcomed by Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, Vice-

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EDITORIAL

Dear Readers,

Assalamu Alaikum Isra News is the official organ of Isra University. This quarterly newsletter is designed to keep Isra affiliated community well connected, and at the same time bring the readers up to date with the various co-curricular and extra-curricular activities taking place at the University along with the educational and social welfare programs.

In order to keep Isra News well populated, we rely on contribution of news items, from the community members. When sending news items, please make sure to include the essential elements of an event, what took place, whom it concerned the most, where and when it took place. You are encouraged to send your news items by email to the address given below.

Last but not the least, your news contributions are important to us, so help us keep the Isra community connected by contributing regularly to Isra News. We appreciate your interest and contributions, and hope that you will find Isra News to be informative and pleasant to read.

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services. Her appreciation highlighted the impactful work being done to address vision-related challenges in the community.

A key discussion during her visit centered on addressing diabetes-related vision problems and enhancing the diabetic department at Al-Ibrahim Eye Hospital. Dr. Pechuho proposed the establishment of a new institution focused specifically on combating diabetes-related eye diseases. This initiative was identified as crucial, given



the rising challenges posed by diabetes and its impact on vision.

It was agreed that further meetings would be necessary to lay the



groundwork for this promising new institute, which aims to significantly reduce the negative effects of diabetes on vision.

The meeting was attended by notable dignitaries, including Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, Vice Chancellor, Isra University; Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Former Chancellor & Director, Isra Islamic Foundation; Prof. Dr. Saleh Memon, Director Isra Islamic Foundation and Co-Founder of Al-Ibrahim Eye Hospital; and Dr. Fattah Memon, Director, Al-Ibrahim Eye Hospital.



This visit marks a significant step forward in collaborative efforts to enhance eye care and tackle the challenges posed by diabetes in our communities.

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patriotic program, and various activities that fostered national pride and unity within the university community.

The event was honored by the presence of Mr. Bilal Memon, Commissioner, Hyderabad Division, who served as the Chief



Guest. He was warmly welcomed by Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, Vice Chancellor, Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Director, Isra Islamic Foundation & Former Chancellor, and Dr. Saad Baloch, Additional Director of Student Activities and Athletics at the Office of the Vice Chancellor, Isra University Hyderabad.



The festivities began with a symbolic procession led by the Chief Guest, Vice Chancellor, Director of Isra Islamic Foundation, Deans, Chairpersons, Directors, faculty, employees, and students from Academic Block-A to the Main Auditorium, representing the journey towards independence. The ceremony featured a moving recitation from the Holy Quran followed by the national anthem. The atmosphere was charged with emotion as Mr. Memon hoisted the Pakistani flag, serving as a powerful reminder of the nation's freedom and unity.

In his welcome address, Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi highlighted the significance of Independence Day and the vital role of the youth in shaping the nation's future. The university's commitment to patriotism was further demonstrated by presenting Mr. Bilal Memon with a shield and a traditional Sindhi Ajrak and Topi, honoring Sindh's rich cultural heritage.

The program included a compelling speech competition where students expressed their views on Pakistan's journey and



aspirations. A moving video depicting the nation's struggle for independence and a reenactment performance by student groups vividly illustrated the historical narrative.

In his address, Commissioner Hyderabad Mr. Bilal Memon praised the university for organizing such a meaningful event and encouraged students to become leaders in the nation's progress and development. Following his speech, certificates and trophies were awarded to the winners of the various competitions by the Chief Guest.

The event concluded with remarks from Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, who extended gratitude to all attendees. The day ended with a heartfelt Dua for Pakistan's prosperity, a cake-cutting ceremony, and group photos, celebrating the spirit of unity and festivity. The event was a testament to Isra University's dedication to nurturing patriotism and community spirit among its students and faculty.



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During his visit, Mr. Edhi engaged in an insightful discussion with Prof. Dr. Saleh Memon, Director, Isra Islamic Foundation and Co-Founder of Al-Ibrahim Eye Hospital exploring the possibility of future collaboration between Al-Ibrahim Eye Hospital and the Edhi Foundation. Although the specifics of this partnership are yet to be finalized, both parties expressed enthusiasm about the potential to combine their resources and expertise to better serve those in need.



"This meeting marks the beginning of a promising dialogue," said Prof. Dr. Memon. "Together, we can create impactful initiatives that will enhance the welfare of our communities."

The collaboration could pave the way for innovative programs aimed at improving healthcare access and support for underserved populations.



CME SESSION ON GLYCEMIC CONTROL AT ISRA HOSPITAL

On September 13, 2024, the Department of Medicine at Isra University Hospital held a Continuing Medical Education (CME) session titled "Identifying & Overcoming Barriers to Glycemic Control."

The event commenced with a heartfelt recitation of the Holy Quran by Prof. Dr. Akbar Memon, setting a reflective tone for the discussions that followed.

Moderated by Dr. Aisha Azeem, the session focused on critical issues in diabetes management, emphasizing the importance of effective glycemic control.



Prof. Dr. Adnan Bawany, Chairperson of the Department of Medicine and the organizer of the session, delivered profound insights into the global burden of diabetes, its complications, and the pivotal role of insulin in treatment. He underscored the necessity of identifying and overcoming barriers to achieve better patient outcomes.

This CME session provided an essential platform for healthcare professionals to enhance their understanding and improve strategies for managing diabetes, ultimately aiming to elevate patient care standards.

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Chancellor; Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Former Chancellor and Director of Isra Islamic Foundation; Prof. Dr. Suhail Kazi, Dean of the Faculty of Engineering, Science & Technology; and Dr. Saad Baloch, Additional Director (SA&A).



The day began with a Tree Plantation Drive, symbolizing the university's dedication to environmental sustainability. Mr. Zain-ul-Abideen Memon planted a tree on campus, highlighting the importance of conservation. The celebrations included various sports activities, such as a Table Tennis Competition, a Chess Tournament among students, and a 100-meter race for employees. Additionally, a seminar on "Benefits of Sports for a Healthy Lifestyle" was conducted.

The highlight of the day was an Exhibition Table Tennis match between Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi and Mr. Zain-ul-Abideen Memon, demonstrating the sporting spirit of the event. The Chief Guest also witnessed the Chess matches and the 100-meter race.



Mr. Zain-ul-Abideen Memon expressed his gratitude for the warm reception and commended Isra University's efforts in promoting sports and environmental initiatives. Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi emphasized the importance of such events in



fostering a healthy and active lifestyle among students and staff. At the closing ceremony, Dr. Kazi presented trophies to the winners and runners-up and certificates to all participants. Prof. Dr. Syna Amir delivered a talk on "Benefits of Sports for a Healthy Lifestyle" and was honored with a traditional Ajrak.

The Winner and Runner-up in 100-meter Race (Female) were, Shafia (Winner), Karishma Sharma (Runner-Up), while in Male category 100-meter Race (Male Employees), Abid Ali was Winner and Tahir Ahmed was Runner-up. For Table tennis (Female), Alia Yahya was Winner and Hifza Ansari was Runner-Up while in Male Category Muhammad Tashfeen Khalid was Winner and Jahanzeb was Runner-Up. In the Chess (Male) event Muhammad Najaf was Winner while Shafqat Hussain was Runner-Up. As for Chess (Female), Aqsa Bibi was Winner and Jasma sheikh was Runner-Up.

The HEC Olympic Day Celebrations at Isra University not only highlighted the institution's commitment to sports but also its dedication to nurturing a sustainable future. The event was a grand success, leaving participants and attendees with a renewed sense of camaraderie and environmental consciousness. Organized by the Directorate of Student Activities & Athletics, the celebration was a vibrant testament to the university's commitment to student activities, sports, and sustainability.



PROF. DR. HAMEEDULLAH KAZI ATTENDS DEFENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS AT 18 DIV GARRISON

Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Director of the Isra Islamic Foundation and former Chancellor of Isra University, had the honor of attending the Defence Day celebrations at the 18 Division Garrison in Hyderabad. Dr. Kazi was accompanied by Dr. Saad Baloch, Additional Director of Student Activities and Athletics at Isra University, at the special invitation of Major General Muhammad Hussain, General Officer Commanding (GOC) of the 18 Division.



During the event, Prof. Dr. Kazi laid a floral wreath to honor the martyrs of the 1965 war, paying tribute to their sacrifice for the nation's defense. This moment of reflection highlighted the importance of Defence Day and celebrated the bravery of the soldiers who gave their lives for Pakistan's sovereignty. A message from Chief of Army Staff General Asim Munir was also read during the ceremony, emphasizing unity, resilience, and dedication to national security. His words reinforced the patriotic spirit of the event.



The ceremony was attended by several distinguished guests, including Commissioner Hyderabad Mr. Bilal Memon, Deputy Inspector General of Police Hyderabad Mr. Tariq Dharejo, Member of the Sindh Provincial Assembly and Chairperson of the Standing Committee Sindh Assembly Ms. Tanzila Ume-Habiba, Mayor of Hyderabad Mr. Kashif Shoro, Deputy Commissioner Hyderabad Mr. Zain-ul-Abidin, Vice Chancellor of Government College University Ms. Tayaba Zarif, and Former Director General of FIA Mr. Bashir Memon, among others.

The event was a poignant reminder of the sacrifices and bravery of Pakistan's Armed Forces. Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi expressed deep admiration for their unwavering dedication to safeguarding the nation's sovereignty. His presence, alongside other prominent figures, added to the prestige of the occasion, which was marked by patriotism and pride. The gathering underscored the strong ties between educational, civil, and military leadership, symbolizing unity and commitment to national security and development.



AWARENESS WALK ON "YOUM-E-ISTEHSAL FOR SOLIDARITY WITH KASHMIRIS"

On Monday, Isra University held a significant Awareness Walk titled "Youm-e-Istehsal for Solidarity with Kashmiris." This event aimed to draw attention to the ongoing struggles of the Kashmiri people under what is



perceived as illegal occupation and to mark the controversial actions of the Indian government on August 5, 2019, when Article 370 of the Indian Constitution, which had granted special autonomy to Jammu and Kashmir, was abrogated.

The walk commenced at Academic Block-A and concluded at Academic Block-E, symbolizing a unified stance in support of the Kashmiri cause. The event began with the recitation from the Holy Quran, followed by the playing of the national anthems of Pakistan and Kashmir, which invigorated the participants. Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, Vice Chancellor, Isra University, delivered a compelling and impassioned address, emphasizing the day's significance and reiterating the university's commitment to raising awareness about the Kashmiri issue.



In his speech, Dr. Kazi discussed how, on August 5, 2019, the Indian government revoked the special status of Jammu and Kashmir, which had allowed the region its own constitution, flag, and autonomy over internal matters, with the exception of defense, communications, and foreign affairs. He also addressed the subsequent bifurcation of the state into two Union Territories—Jammu & Kashmir and Ladakh—under direct governance from New Delhi. Dr. Kazi highlighted the extensive reactions to this move, both within India and globally, describing it as a pivotal moment that significantly altered the



region's relationship with India and its geopolitical dynamics.

The walk witnessed active participation from the university's leadership, faculty, staff, and students. Notable participants included Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, Vice Chancellor, Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Director, Isra Islamic Foundation and Former Chancellor, Mr. Ghulam Rasool Kazi, Registrar & Director of Finance, and Deans Prof. Dr. Suhail Kazi, Prof. Dr. Khalid Talpur, Prof. Dr. Asad Jaskani, and Prof. Dr. Salman Shafiq. Various chairpersons, faculty members, and students also joined in, raising slogans in support of Kashmir and committing to backing the Kashmiri cause.

The event concluded with a heartfelt dua for the success of the Kashmiri struggle, reflecting the university's dedication to keeping the spirit of solidarity with Kashmir alive.



DEFENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS AT ISRA UNIVERSITY, HYDERABAD

Isra University, Hyderabad, celebrated Pakistan's Defence Day 2024 with immense enthusiasm and patriotic fervor. The event was honored by the presence of Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, Vice Chancellor; Prof. Dr. Suhail Kazi, Dean of the Faculty of Engineering, Science, and Technology (FES&T); Mr. Irfan Haroon, Director of Public Relations & Student Affairs; Dr. Saad Baloch, Additional Director of Student Activities & Athletics; as well as Heads of Departments (HoDs), university staff, and students.



The program began with a symbolic walk from Academic Block-A to the Main Auditorium, setting a reflective tone for the day's proceedings. Organized by the Directorate of Student Activities & Athletics in line with the guidelines of the Sindh Higher Education Commission (HEC), the event was a testament to the university's commitment to national pride.

The session commenced with the recitation of the Holy Quran, followed by the national anthem, which imbued the atmosphere with a profound sense of pride and unity. In his inaugural address, Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi emphasized the significance of Defence Day as both a day of remembrance and a call to the youth to recognize their crucial role in nation-building. He spoke passionately about the valor and sacrifices of Pakistan's Armed Forces, particularly during the 1965 war, and urged the younger generation to draw inspiration from these heroes to serve the nation with dedication and integrity. Dr. Kazi also encouraged



students to remain steadfast in their educational pursuits, as they are the future leaders who will carry forward the ideals for which so many have sacrificed their lives.

The event continued with reflections from esteemed attendees, including Prof. Dr. Hassan Ali Khan Durrani, Prof. Dr. Niaz Memon, Dr. Najeeb Saqlain, and Eman Fatima. Their eloquent expressions highlighted Pakistan's resilience, the bravery of its Armed Forces, and the enduring spirit of unity that characterizes the nation. Their words resonated deeply, instilling a strong sense of pride and responsibility among the audience.



A poignant highlight of the event was a video presentation showcasing Pakistan's military achievements and the sacrifices made by its Armed Forces, particularly during the 1965 conflict. This visual tribute powerfully reminded everyone of the bravery and dedication that have safeguarded and shaped the nation. The program also featured two tableaux that further ignited a sense of passion for the armed forces and the country.

The event concluded with the distribution of certificates to the organizers and presenters in recognition of their contributions to the success of the celebration. Group photos were taken to capture the spirit of unity and celebration that marked the day. The Defence Day celebrations at Isra University not only honored the nation's defenders but also reaffirmed the university's dedication to fostering patriotism and community spirit among its students and faculty.

IFS COMMEMORATES DEFENCE DAY WITH PRIDE AND REFLECTION

On September 6th, Isra Foundation Schools (IFS), held a poignant event to commemorate Defence Day, honoring the bravery and sacrifices of Pakistan's armed forces. The carefully structured program aimed to instill a profound sense of national pride and awareness among students.

The event commenced with the recitation of the Holy Quran, followed by the national anthem. A segment titled "Why Do We Celebrate Defence Day?" provided educational insights into the significance of this important day in Pakistan's history. Urdu



poetry reflecting on Defence Day captured the emotions of patriotism and sacrifice, while both Urdu and English speeches highlighted the valor and resilience of the nation's defenders.



To further engage students, a quiz focusing on military awards and Nishan-e-Haider recipients tested their knowledge of Pakistan's military history. Additionally, a poster-making activity allowed students to creatively express their admiration for the armed forces.

We are pleased to share some photos from this impactful event, showcasing the students' enthusiastic involvement and the patriotic spirit that characterized the day.



EMPOWERING HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS

On July 27, 2024, the Department of Gynaecology and Obstetrics at Al Tibri Medical College hosted an interactive workshop on "Infection Prevention" at our state-of-the-art Skill Lab.

Led by the esteemed Prof. Dr. Khadija Bano, Head of Gynaecology and Obstetrics at ATMCH, this hands-on session provided participants with the latest techniques and best practices for infection prevention, ensuring a safer healthcare environment.



We are dedicated to offering continuous learning and professional growth opportunities to our students and faculty. Stay tuned for updates on our upcoming workshops and events!



INDEPENDENCE DAY CELEBRATIONS AT ISRA UNIVERSITY ISLAMABAD CAMPUS

Isra University's Islamabad Campus celebrated Pakistan's Independence Day with great enthusiasm and patriotic spirit on Thursday, 15 August 2024. The event was attended by Prof. Dr. Umar Ali Khan, Pro-Vice Chancellor of Isra University Islamabad Campus; Prof. Dr. Salman Ahmed Tipu, Principal of Medical & Allied Sciences at ANMCH; Dr. Gillani, Director of Hospital ANMCH; Prof. Dr. Tanveer Cheema, Principal of



SEAS; Prof. Dr. Aqeel Khan, Principal of IIRS Islamabad; and M. Tufail Khan, Additional Director of Finance & Administration, along with the Chairpersons, employees, and students of Isra University Islamabad Campus.

The ceremony in the auditorium began with the recitation of the Holy Quran, followed by the national anthem and flag hoisting by Prof. Dr. Umar Ali Khan.

A poignant moment of the event included the screening of a video depicting Pakistan's Independence Movement, followed by a reenactment performance by two groups of students, vividly bringing the historical struggle to life. In his address, Prof. Dr. Umar Ali Khan praised the university for organizing such a meaningful event and encouraged students to be torchbearers of progress and development in the country. His speech was followed by the distribution of certificates and trophies to participants and winners of the competitions.

The event concluded with a heartfelt Dua for Pakistan's prosperity, a cake-cutting ceremony, and group photos, capturing the spirit of unity and celebration. The Independence Day celebration not only honored the nation's independence but also reinforced Isra University's commitment to fostering patriotism and community spirit among its students and faculty.

SCIENTIFIC EXHIBITION SHOWCASES TALENT AT AL-TIBRI MEDICAL COLLEGE

On August 9, 2024, Al-Tibri Medical College, Isra University Karachi Campus hosted an impressive Scientific Exhibition featuring a Poster and Model competition. This notable event was organized by the Advanced Training and Development department and was honored by the presence of distinguished guests.



Prof. Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, Vice Chancellor, Isra University Hyderabad, graced the occasion as the Chief Guest. He was joined by Prof. Dr. Muhammad Umer Kazi, Pro Vice Chancellor, Isra University Karachi Campus; Prof. Dr. Asad Raza Jiskani, Dean, Faculty of Basic Medical Sciences, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Rafique, Principal, Al-Tibri Medical College, and Prof. Dr. Abdul Rashid Shaikh, Director Al-Tibri Medical College Hospital.



Prof. Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi inaugurated the event, praising the students for their innovative ideas and commitment to advancing medical knowledge. The exhibition featured a distinguished panel of external jury members, including Prof. Dr. Masoom Raza Mirza, Prof. Dr. Zubaida Masood, and Dr. Shumaila Rafi, alongside internal jury members Prof. Dr. Abdul Rabb Bhutto and Prof. Dr. Syed Muhammad Maqsood.

The highlight of the event was the Best Model Awards. The first-place award went to a poster on Eclampsia, created by 4th Year



MBBS students Wajdan, Yousuf, Ayesha, Kinza, Wassan, and Nimra. The second-place award was presented to a poster on Cloning, designed by 4th Year MBBS students Affan, Farooq, Absar, Iqra, and Neha (3rd Year MBBS). The third-place award was earned by a poster on Polycystic Ovary Syndrome (PCOS), presented by 4th Year MBBS students Mirza Sikander Baig, Urwa, Sonia, Murk, and Tehreem.

At the conclusion of the exhibition, cash prizes and certificates were awarded to the winners and participants, recognizing their hard work and creativity. The event was a resounding success, showcasing the academic excellence and innovative spirit of Al-Tibri Medical College, Isra University Karachi Campus.



ISRA FOUNDATION SCHOOLS UNVEILS SUCCESS OF KIDS' SUMMER TECH CAMP 2024

Isra Foundation Schools is thrilled to announce the triumphant conclusion of its Summer Tech Camp 2024, held from July 22nd to August 3rd, 2024. This year's camp was a transformative journey into the realms of Artificial Intelligence and Robotics, providing our students with invaluable skills for the future.

During the camp, participants engaged in dynamic hands-on projects focused on robotics and AI, enhancing their problem-solving skills and creativity. The program also included enriching add-on activities such as culinary arts and various sports, creating a well-rounded and vibrant learning experience.



The final day was marked by a special ceremony featuring Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, Executive Director of Isra Foundation Schools, and Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Director, Isra Islamic Foundation. They celebrated the camp's success by awarding certificates and souvenirs to each participant, highlighting the importance of fostering innovation and the school's dedication to nurturing future leaders.

The camp proved to be more than just an educational event; it was a vibrant platform for young minds to collaborate, innovate, and ignite their passion for learning. We are excited to share a selection of photos capturing the enthusiasm and achievements of our participants throughout the camp.

We extend our deepest gratitude to the faculty, staff, and volunteers whose dedication was crucial to the camp's success. Their commitment reflects the core values of Isra Foundation Schools and our mission to cultivate the next generation of innovators.



SYNOSTAR COMPETITION 2024 AT ISRA DENTAL COLLEGE



Isra Dental College marked a significant milestone in academic excellence with the successful hosting of the inaugural Synostar 2024: Research Synopsis Competition on August 28th. The event was a major initiative aimed at nurturing a research-oriented culture among final-year BDS students and house officers.

Organized by Dr. Rabia Anis from the Department of Health Profession Education, Synostar 2024 received unwavering support from Dean Prof. Dr. Salman Shafique and Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi of Isra University. The competition featured nine teams of students who presented their



meticulously developed research synopses, showcasing their research capabilities and engaging in insightful scholarly discussions.

The day was highlighted by impressive presentations and stimulating Q&A sessions. The Floss Fanatics team, comprising Soha Bachani, Ameerbi Qureshi, Anchal, and Sabeela Shah Nawaz, emerged as the top team, securing the first place. They were awarded cash prizes, shields, and certificates for their outstanding performance. A tie for second place was observed between the Smile Makers team, including Pirena Asani, Arrej Saand, and Sania Laghari, and the Denticious team, featuring Yusra Qureshi and Eman Fatima. Both teams also received cash prizes, shields, and certificates.

A notable highlight of the event was the keynote address by Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, who delivered an inspiring talk on the crucial role of research in medical education. His presentation underscored the importance of integrating research into

professional development and motivated students to pursue research with dedication.

All participants and their supervisors were recognized with certificates for their dedication and hard work. The event concluded with an award and certificate distribution ceremony, celebrating the exceptional achievements of all involved.



The success of Synostar 2024 was further supported by a panel of distinguished judges, including Dr. Ali Maqbool, Associate Professor and Vice Principal at Bhattai Dental and Medical College; Dr. Arsalan Ahmed Uqaili, Assistant Professor at LUMHS, Jamshoro; and Dr. Syna Amir, Chairperson of the Department of Anatomy at Isra University Hyderabad.

Their expertise and constructive feedback were instrumental in the event's success. Special thanks were also extended to the leadership of Isra Dental College and University, particularly Dean Prof. Dr. Salman Shafique and Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, for their ongoing support and commitment to research in dental education. Appreciation was also expressed to the faculty members of Isra University who attended the event and contributed their valuable insights.

Synostar 2024 set a new standard for research initiatives at Isra Dental College, demonstrating the academic potential of its students and reinforcing the institution's commitment to a research-driven educational environment. The college looks forward to hosting more such events in the future to continue empowering its students as leaders in dental research and practice.

EMPOWERING INNOVATION: SEMINAR ON INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS AT ISRA UNIVERSITY

Under the distinguished leadership of Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, Vice Chancellor of Isra University, and Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Former Chancellor and Director of the Office of Research, Innovation, and Commercialization (ORIC), in collaboration with the Higher Education Commission (HEC), an awareness session on "Intellectual Property Rights" was held on Thursday, July 18, 2024, at the Asadullah Kazi Auditorium.



Prof. Dr. Niaz Memon, Chairman of the Civil Engineering Department, welcomed the attendees and underscored the significance of the seminar in raising awareness about intellectual property rights. He highlighted how such events contribute to fostering innovation and advancing research within the university,



setting a positive tone for active participation from both faculty and students.

The seminar featured Mr. Qazi Nauman Mujahid, an esteemed entrepreneur and visionary leader. As the CEO of Cybersecure Pvt. Ltd. and a co-founder of several innovative startups, Mr. Qazi shared his extensive knowledge of intellectual property rights and their relevance in today's digital era. His impressive credentials include roles as Co-Founder and Director of Operations at Digitech Infra Associates, Founder of Alms Card, and President of the Information & Technology Advisory Committee at Spark Business Club (SBC), among others.

Mr. Mujahid's presentation highlighted the crucial role of intellectual property in fostering innovation and safeguarding



creators' rights. He emphasized its significance for economic growth and global competitiveness. The seminar encouraged a lively discussion, with faculty, staff, and students actively engaging in a dialogue about intellectual property rights and their applications.

Additionally, a networking session allowed participants to exchange insights on related topics.

In his closing remarks, Mr. Haseebullah Memon, Additional Director of ORIC, extended his gratitude to Mr. Qazi Nauman Mujahid for his invaluable contribution to the seminar. He reaffirmed the university's commitment to enhancing intellectual property awareness and supporting the research endeavors of students and faculty.

The event culminated in a fruitful exchange of ideas between Mr. Mujahid and Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, focusing on potential collaborations and strategies to strengthen the intellectual property framework within the university. Their discussion aimed to cultivate a culture of innovation and research excellence.

The seminar on "Intellectual Property Rights" was a tremendous success, leaving participants with a deeper understanding of the subject and renewed motivation to pursue innovative projects.

CME ON DIABETES MANAGEMENT HELD AT ISRA HOSPITAL

The Department of Medicine at Isra University Hospital (IUH), hosted an insightful Continuing Medical Education (CME) program focused on "The Most Powerful Triad in Type 2 Diabetes Management." The event took place on September 27, 2024, and began with a recitation of the Holy Quran.

Dr. Ghulam Fareed, Assistant Professor and the event's speaker and organizer, delivered a comprehensive presentation on the management of diabetes, addressing both current practices and the



challenges faced by healthcare professionals in treating this widespread condition.

The panel featured esteemed experts, including Prof. Dr. Akbar Memon and Prof. Dr. Adnan Bawany, who shared their perspectives on effective diabetes management strategies. Ms. Tanzeela Rafiq served as the program's moderator, guiding the discussion and ensuring an engaging experience for attendees.

In addition to the informative sessions, Prof. Dr. Bawany and Prof. Memon presented a souvenir to Dr. Ghulam Fareed and the other guests, recognizing their contributions to diabetes care and education.



The CME program aimed to enhance knowledge and skills among healthcare providers, ultimately improving patient outcomes in diabetes management. The Department of Medicine at Isra University Hospital remains committed to fostering continuous learning and collaboration among medical professionals in the region.



For more information about future events or to learn more about diabetes management resources, please contact the Department of Medicine at Isra University Hospital.

ISRA UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL HOSTS RESEARCH PROGRAM FOR FCPS POSTGRADUATES AND HOUSE PHYSICIANS



Isra University Hospital's Department of Medicine recently organized a comprehensive research program entitled "Synopsis Writing and Understanding." This program, held over three sessions, was tailored specifically for FCPS postgraduates and house physicians at Isra University.



Under the leadership of Prof. Dr. Adnan Bawany, Chairperson of the Medicine Department, the program aimed to enhance participants' research skills. Prof. Dr. Bawany served as both the facilitator and the organizer of the sessions, while Dr. Sunil Maheshwari, Coordinator at Isra University Hospital, moderated the discussions.



The program featured a series of insightful presentations that delved into the latest trends and breakthroughs in the medical field. Designed to foster a collaborative atmosphere, the sessions encouraged engaging discussions and the exchange of innovative ideas. Attendees were inspired by the dynamic interactions and the strong sense of collaboration that characterizes the medical community at Isra University.

The event's success was due to the combined efforts of the speakers, participants, and organizers. A special thanks is extended to everyone who contributed to making the program a remarkable achievement. This event marks a significant step forward in advancing research and knowledge in the medical field.

Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, Honorable Vice Chancellor of Isra University, served as the chief guest. Along with Prof. Dr. Adnan Bawany and Dr. Sunil Maheshwari, he highlighted the importance and impact of the seminar. Participants left the sessions feeling more informed and better prepared for their research projects.

To celebrate the occasion, Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi presented souvenirs to Prof. Dr. Adnan Bawany and Dr. Sunil Maheshwari and awarded certificates to all participants who completed the research program.



SYMPOSIUM SHEDS LIGHT ON RATIONAL ANTIBIOTIC USE AT ISRA UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL



A pivotal symposium on the "Rational Use of Antibiotics" was held today at Isra University Hospital, drawing attention to crucial developments in antibiotic practices. The event, organized in collaboration with Memon Charitable Hospital and Isra Hospital, was sponsored by Highnoon Company. It featured a distinguished panel of experts, including Dr. Sajjad Kazi, Director Isra University Hospital, and Prof. Dr. Khalid Iqbal Talpur, Dean, Faculty of Clinical Sciences, who served as chief guests.



The panel included notable figures such as Professor Dr. Yasmeen, Chairperson of the Pediatrics Department; Dr. Pushpa, Professor of Gynecology; Dr. Akbar Memon, Professor of Medicine; and Dr. Gulfareen, Chairperson of the Gynecology Department. Their contributions provided valuable insights into the current landscape of antibiotic use.

Keynote addresses were delivered by Dr. Muhammad Amir Iqbal Memon, Associate Professor and Consultant in Pediatrics at Memon Charitable Hospital, who presented on Typhoid Management Guidelines. Dr. Shobha Luxmi, an Internal Medicine Specialist at NICVD, discussed Antimicrobial Stewardship and the classification of antibiotics. Additionally, Prof. Dr. Adnan Bawany, Chairperson of the Medicine Department, offered an in-depth look at Community-Acquired Pneumonia Guidelines.

The primary aim of the symposium was to disseminate the latest advancements in antibiotic use to junior doctors and the general public, reinforcing the importance of rational antibiotic practices in modern medicine.



FUTURE TRENDS IN ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND TECHNOLOGY EVENT AT ISRA UNIVERSITY

Under the esteemed leadership of Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, Vice Chancellor of Isra University, and Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Former Chancellor and Director of the IIF, the Business Incubation Center (BIC) within the Office of Research, Innovation, and Commercialization (ORIC) collaborated with SPOTE International to host a session on "Future Trends in Entrepreneurship and Technology." The event took place on Tuesday, 23 July 2024, in Skill Room #1, Basement Block C.



The session commenced with an engaging and motivational address by Dr. Kinza Yousfani, Chairperson of the Department of Management Sciences. She underscored the crucial role of entrepreneurship in stabilizing and advancing businesses in the rapidly evolving digital technology landscape.

The core focus of the event was on the pivotal role of startups in driving economic growth and technological innovation. Ms. Shahzana Memon, Manager of Monitoring and Evaluation at NIC Hyderabad, delivered a comprehensive strategy for launching startups, discussing essential stages and potential pitfalls. Faculty, staff, and students actively participated, posing questions and



deepening their understanding of entrepreneurial frameworks. Additionally, the event featured a segment on digital technology, where participants shared insights on stabilizing their businesses.

Engr. Ikhlauque Ahmed Memon, Managing Director & CEO of SPOTE International, provided a summary that encouraged the development of innovative startups. He shared his extensive expertise on "Future Trends in Entrepreneurship and Technology," emphasizing the importance of adopting remote and hybrid work models in the current digital era.

In their closing remarks, Dr. Kinza Yousfani, Ms. Shahzana Memon, and Engr. Ikhlauque Ahmed Memon collectively acknowledged Mr. Haseebullah Memon, Additional Director of ORIC and Founder of SPOTE International. They expressed gratitude for his significant contributions to promoting entrepreneurship and technology, highlighting the support of the university in advancing student research endeavors.

Overall, the event on "Future Trends in Entrepreneurship and Technology" was a resounding success, providing participants with a deeper understanding of the subject and renewed motivation to pursue innovative projects.

SUCCESSFUL RESEARCH PROGRAM ON SYNOPSIS WRITING AND UNDERSTANDING

On July 2, 2024, the Medicine Department, Isra University Hospital orchestrated a highly successful research program focused on synopsis writing and understanding. Supervised by Prof. Dr. Adnan Bawany, the program catered to FCPS postgraduates and house physicians of Isra University.

Dr. Adnan Bawany, Chairperson of the Medicine Department, not only moderated but also organized the event. The program featured insightful presentations showcasing the latest trends and discoveries in the medical field.



The seminar aimed to foster a collaborative spirit among participants, blending thought-provoking presentations with engaging discussions. Each moment underscored our commitment to advancing the frontiers of knowledge. The exchange of ideas and collaborative atmosphere were particularly inspiring, defining our community spirit. The event's success was a testament to the collective efforts of speakers, participants, and organizers.



We extend our sincere gratitude to all speakers, participants, and organizers for their invaluable contributions in making this event a resounding success. Together, we are paving the way for future breakthroughs in research.

Dr. Sajjad Kazi, Director of Isra University Hospital, and Dr. Sunil Maheshwari, Coordinator at Isra University Hospital, shared their perspectives on the event's significance and impact. Attendees departed the seminar enriched with knowledge and armed with practical strategies.



PEC CPD SEMINAR ON ROLE OF DIGITAL TWINS IN MODERN TECHNOLOGY AND PROCESSES

Isra University, in collaboration with the Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC), hosted the 3rd PEC Continuing Professional Development (CPD) Seminar on the topic “Role of Digital Twins in Modern Technology and Processes” at the Faculty of Engineering, Science & Technology (FES&T) on Wednesday, September 25, 2024. The event featured distinguished guests and speakers, providing valuable insights into the application of digital twins across various industries.



The Chief Guest, Engr. Sumair Saeed, Deputy Director General of the Civil Aviation Authority of Pakistan, along with Guest of Honour, Engr. Saleh Rind, a Chief Minister-nominated member of the PEC Governing Body, honored the occasion with their presence. They expressed gratitude to Isra University, particularly to Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, Vice Chancellor, for the warm hospitality. Both delivered addresses emphasizing the significance of integrating cutting-edge digital technologies, such as digital twins, in optimizing processes and advancing modern engineering



solutions. They also expressed hope for continued collaboration with Isra University in the future. Traditional ceremonial decorations for the Chief Guest, Guest of Honour, and Resource Person were conducted by Prof. Dr. Niaz Memon, Prof. Dr. Noor Mohammad, and Prof. Dr. Hassan Ali Khan Durrani. The vote of thanks was delivered by Dr. Saad Baloch, Focal Person for PEC CPD Activities.

The seminar featured an insightful session led by the Resource Person, Engr. Prof. Dr. Tanveer Hussain, Director of Research Incubation & Commercialization at Mehran University of Engineering and Technology (MUET), Jamshoro. Prof. Hussain



discussed the role of digital twins in simulating real-world processes and optimizing efficiency across various sectors, including aviation, manufacturing, and infrastructure. He expressed his appreciation for being invited as the resource person for this seminar.

The event concluded with remarks from Prof. Dr. Suhail Kazi, Dean of FES&T and PEC Coordinator, who highlighted the need for academic institutions to remain at the forefront of technological advancements. He commended participants for their active engagement and commitment to professional development. Dr. Kazi, along with the resource person, distributed certificates to participants and organizers.

The 3rd PEC CPD Seminar successfully brought together professionals, academics, and students, fostering meaningful dialogue and knowledge exchange on the role of digital twins in shaping the future of modern technology and processes. Isra University is a registered Professional Engineering Body (PEB) with the PEC for organizing CPD-related activities, holding License No. PEB-0112.

AWARENESS WALK & SEMINAR ON MPOX VIRUS



The Department of Community Medicine, in collaboration with the Directorate of Student Activities & Athletics, organized an Awareness Walk and Seminar on the MPox Virus.

The event featured Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Director, Isra Islamic Foundation and former Chancellor, as the Chief Guest. Dr. Lala Jaffar, DHO Hyderabad, and Mr. Abdul Hameed Khaskheli, Provincial Monitoring Officer at the DG Health, Government of Sindh, were honored as Guests of Honour.



The program began with a walk from Academic Block-A to the Asadullah Kazi Auditorium, followed by a seminar in the auditorium. Prof. Dr. Hussain Bux Kolachi delivered the welcome address, emphasizing the critical need for awareness about the MPox Virus.

In his address, Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi expressed appreciation for the organizers and underscored the significance of such initiatives for public health. Dr. Lala Jaffar also spoke, acknowledging the ongoing cooperation with Isra University and appreciating the organization of the event, especially given the virus's current status as a public health emergency of international concern by WHO.



Following the speeches, students showcased their research through E-Posters, reflecting their understanding of the virus. Prof. Dr. Khalid Iqbal Talpur, Dean, Faculty of Clinical Sciences, and Prof. Dr. Asad Jaskani, Dean, Faculty Basic Medical Sciences, shared their valuable insights. Dr. Ambreen Qureshi and Dr. Saba Alam Solangi presented the session's objectives and outcomes.

Dr. Saad Baloch, Additional Director of Student Activities & Athletics, delivered the vote of thanks. The guests were honored with traditional Sindhi Topi, Ajrak, and Shields, while participants and organizers received certificates for their contributions. The event concluded with a group photo.



CERTIFICATE DISTRIBUTION CEREMONY FOR SPOTE INTERNATIONAL INTERNS AT ISRA UNIVERSITY

Under the auspices of the Business Incubation Center, ORIC at Isra University, SPOTE International organized a certificate distribution ceremony for its interns on 30th July 2024 at Isra University.

The event began with a welcome address by Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Director of IIF and former Chancellor of Isra University. He praised the interns for their dedication and emphasized the



importance of such programs in honing practical skills and fostering innovation. Prof. Dr. Kazi urged the interns to aim for excellence in their respective fields and make positive contributions to the industry.

Following this, Vice Chancellor Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi addressed the gathering, commending the collaborative efforts of SPOTE International and the Business Incubation Center in providing valuable opportunities for students. He highlighted the university's commitment to nurturing talent and supporting



entrepreneurial initiatives. Dr. Kazi concluded by congratulating the interns on their achievements and wishing them success in their future endeavors.

Engr. Ikhtlaque Ahmed Memon, CEO & Managing Partner of SPOTE International, provided an overview of the six-week internship program. He detailed the key learning objectives, practical experiences, and industry-relevant skills acquired by the interns. Engr. Memon acknowledged the interns' final



presentations, which showcased innovative solutions and creative approaches to real-world challenges. This was followed by a Q&A session where interns shared insights and expressed their gratitude for the opportunity to apply theoretical knowledge in practical settings.

The event concluded with the ceremonial presentation of shields by Engr. Ikhtlaque Ahmed to Vice Chancellor Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi and Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, as a token of appreciation for their support and recognition of their contributions to the program's success. The ceremony culminated in the distribution of certificates, celebrating the interns' accomplishments and marking the successful completion of the internship program.



ISRA COLLEGE OF PHARMACY CELEBRATES WORLD PHARMACIST DAY 2024

Isra College of Pharmacy proudly celebrated World Pharmacist Day on September 25, 2024, highlighting the essential role pharmacists play in promoting health and well-being. The event brought together students, faculty, and healthcare professionals for a day of learning and engagement.



The festivities began with a keynote address by Honorable Chief Guest Brigadier Tarique Quadir Lakhia, whose inspiring remarks set a positive tone for the event. Participants were further enriched by esteemed guest speakers from various sectors, including industry, hospital, community, and academia. Their diverse insights emphasized the critical contributions of pharmacists to the healthcare system.



Attendees enjoyed a range of educational activities, including poster presentations, model displays, and discussions focused on the evolving responsibilities of pharmacists. The event provided a platform for sharing knowledge and fostering collaboration among future leaders in pharmacy.

The day was filled with educational activities, including poster presentations, model displays, and insightful discussions on the evolving role of pharmacists in the healthcare system.



Isra College of Pharmacy extends its gratitude to all participants and organizers who made this celebration a success. As we move forward, let us continue to champion the values of innovation, service, and dedication in pharmacy practice.

WORKSHOP ON "SUCCESSFUL BASIC LIFE SUPPORT" ORGANIZED BY IMSS

The Isra Medical Student Society (IMSS), in collaboration with the Cardiology Department of Isra University Hospital, successfully held a workshop on Basic Life Support (BLS). The event was honored by the presence of distinguished guests, including Prof. Dr. Khalid Iqbal Talpur, Dean of Clinical Sciences; Dr. Sajjad Kazi, Director of Isra Hospital; Mr. Irfan Haroon,



In total, 50 students were trained during the workshop. IMSS looks forward to organizing future events of even higher standards and impact.



Director of Student Affairs; and Prof. Dr. Hussain Bux Kolachi, Chairperson of the Community Medicine Department. Dr. Komal Anwar, President of IMSS, introduced the society and outlined its objectives.

The workshop aimed to equip students with vital life-saving skills. Dr. Sharwan BK Sujani delivered expert instruction on BLS procedures, covering cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and the use of Automatic External Defibrillators (AEDs).

A key component of the session was the hands-on practice segment, which allowed students to apply their newly learned skills in a controlled, simulated environment.

The event generated considerable enthusiasm among participants. We extend our sincere gratitude to the administration of Isra University, especially Dr. Sajjad Kazi, for his exceptional support in providing the necessary facilities, resources, and encouragement.



AL-TIBRI MEDICAL COLLEGE CELEBRATES 77TH INDEPENDENCE DAY OF PAKISTAN WITH PATRIOTIC FERVOR

1 4 August 2024: Al-Tibri Medical College, Isra University Karachi Campus, commemorated the 77th Independence Day of Pakistan with remarkable enthusiasm and patriotism. The event commenced with a dignified flag-raising ceremony, symbolizing national pride and unity. This was followed by a



special plantation drive, underscoring the college's commitment to promoting a greener and healthier Pakistan.

The celebration included a captivating tableau performance by the students, which highlighted Pakistan's rich cultural heritage and history. The performance was met with widespread applause and appreciation from the audience.



Prof. Dr. Muhammad Umer Kazi, Pro Vice Chancellor, Isra University Karachi Campus, graced the occasion as the Chief Guest. In his inspiring speech, he emphasized the significance of Independence Day and the crucial role of youth in shaping the nation's future. He was joined by Prof. Dr. Muhammad Rafique, Principal, Al-Tibri Medical College, and Prof. Dr. Abdul Rashid Shaikh, Director, Al-Tibri Medical College Hospital. Both also addressed the audience, commending the students for their spirited performances and dedication.



The event was a memorable occasion, brimming with national pride and a profound sense of responsibility toward Pakistan's future. The celebrations at Al-Tibri Medical College not only honored the sacrifices of the nation's founders but also inspired students and faculty alike to contribute positively to the country's progress.

ISRA UNIVERSITY'S PARTICIPATION IN THE DENNING PARLIAMENTARY DEBATE CHAMPIONSHIP 2024



Isra University took part in the Denning Parliamentary Debate Championship, held at the Denning Institute in Hyderabad. The team consisted of Adeena Khan (BEME), Komal Anwar (MBBS), and Misbah Imran (BSCS), with Mr. Bilal Memon, Associate of Broader Student Activities, serving as the Team Manager.

The team excelled in the competition, clearing the first round with distinction by defeating Hamd Institute. In the second round, Isra University secured a victory against Al-Ghazali Institute. During the quarterfinals, the team delivered a formidable performance against NED University, narrowly missing out on the semifinals. With a score of 120, Isra University's team fell just one point short, as their opponents scored 121.

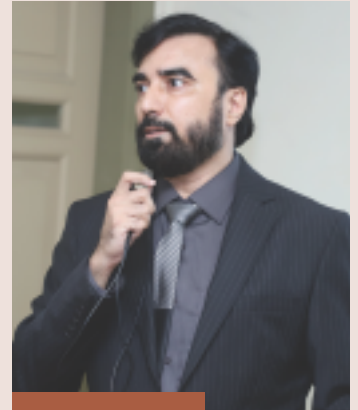
The Denning Parliamentary Debate Championship was a three-day event, featuring in-person debates where teams could choose to argue either for or against propositions in English or Urdu.



CME PROGRAM ON DIABETIC NEUROPATHY

On September 5, 2024, the Department of Medicine at Isra University Hospital, Hyderabad, hosted a Continuing Medical Education (CME) program focused on Diabetic Neuropathy. The session commenced with the recitation from the Holy Quran.

Dr. Sunil served as the moderator for the event. Prof. Dr. Adnan Bawany, Chairperson of the Department of Medicine, delivered a comprehensive presentation on the global and national impact of diabetes and the associated challenges of diabetic neuropathy.



Following his presentation, Prof. Dr. Akbar Memon and Dr. Sajjad Kazi, Director of Isra Hospital, presented souvenirs to Prof. Dr. Bawany and other distinguished guests.



ECG WORKSHOP



On July 29, 2024, the Department of Cardiology at Isra University Hospital, in collaboration with the Pakistan Cardiac Society, organized a "Workshop on Electrocardiogram" from 10:00 AM to 2:00 PM at Isra University Hospital.

The workshop was led by Dr. Ghulam Kubra, Dr. Faisal Qadir, and Dr. Abdul Moeed as facilitators, with Dr. Sharwan BK Sujani, Dr. M. Asim Shaikh, and Dr. Bushra Aqeel serving as course coordinators. This interactive event saw active participation from faculty members, postgraduate students, house officers, and medical officers from Isra University Hospital, Liaquat University of Medical & Health Sciences, Red Crescent Institute of Cardiology, and Government Hospital Qasimabad.



In his introductory remarks, Dr. Sharwan BK Sujani, In-Charge of the Department of Cardiology, highlighted the significance of the workshop.

At the conclusion of the event, the Chief Guest, Prof. Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi (Vice Chancellor, IU), along with Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi (Director IIF & Former Chancellor of Isra University), Prof. Khalid Talpur (Dean of Clinical Sciences, IU), and Dr. Sajjad Kazi (Director, IUH), extended their congratulations to Dr. Sharwan BK Sujani, Dr. Bushra Aqeel, Dr. M. Asim Shaikh, and their team for successfully conducting the Basic and Advanced ECG workshop.



ISRA UNIVERSITY AND HYDERABAD GYMKHANA UNITE FOR SUMMER OLYMPICS 2024: PROMOTING YOUTH SPORTS DEVELOPMENT



In a groundbreaking initiative led by Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, Vice Chancellor of Isra University, the institution has joined forces with Hyderabad Gymkhana to advance youth sports development in preparation for the Summer Olympics 2024. This collaboration aims to inspire and nurture young athletes through competitive sports.

From 2 July 2024 to 15 July 2024, participants will showcase their skills in 11 exciting events: Cricket, Badminton, Table Tennis, Tennis, Swimming, Squash, Foosball, Chess, Darts, Snooker, and Carrom.

The opening ceremony was honored by the presence of Dr. Suhail Kazi, Chairman of the Admissions & Outreach Committee; Mr. Saad Baloch, Director of Admissions; Mr. Salman Bajwa, Additional Director of Admissions; and other distinguished guests.

Isra University anticipates that this partnership will continue to thrive and that it will foster a spirit of sportsmanship and excellence among young athletes for years to come.



ISRA UNIVERSITY AND EDUFI FORGE STRATEGIC PARTNERSHIP TO ADVANCE EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

On August 30, 2024, Isra University Hyderabad and Edufi formalized a pivotal partnership by signing a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU). This collaboration is designed to enhance educational opportunities and foster innovative solutions within the academic sector.

Representing the Vice Chancellor of Isra University, Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, the MoU was signed by Prof. Dr. Umar Kazi, Pro-Vice Chancellor of Isra University Karachi Campus. The signing team also included Prof. Dr. Rasheed Shaikh, Director of the Hospital at ATMCH; Mr. Salman Khaliq Bajwa,



Additional Director of Admissions; and Mr. Waqar Dawood Memon, Deputy Registrar of Admissions. On behalf of Edufi, Ms. Aleena, CEO of Edufi, and Mr. Adil Alam Bhutto signed the agreement.

The MoU outlines a framework for collaborative initiatives, including providing educational loans under a "Study Now, Pay Later" scheme for students. This partnership underscores both institutions' commitment to educational excellence and their proactive stance in addressing the evolving needs of the academic community. The agreement was signed at Isra University's Karachi Campus.



CERTIFICATE DISTRIBUTION CEREMONY FOR CLINICAL LAB INTERNS AT ISRA UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL

On August 8, 2024, Isra University Hospital hosted a Certificate Distribution Ceremony to honor students who successfully completed their Clinical Lab internship at Isra Hospital Hyderabad.

The Chief Guest for the event was Dr. Sajjad Kazi, the Director of the Hospital. While presenting the certificates, Dr. Kazi commended the students for their dedication and hard work during their internship.



He remarked, "Internship provides students with a valuable opportunity to learn and delve deeper into their field of study. We truly value fresh perspectives, innovative ideas, and especially those who are eager to contribute and work with us."

SESSION ON STUDY, WORK, AND IMMIGRATE TO CANADA AT ISRA UNIVERSITY

Under the visionary leadership of Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, Vice Chancellor of Isra University, and Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Former Chancellor and Director of the IIF, the Office of Research, Innovation, and Commercialization (ORIC) organized a session titled "Study, Work, and Immigrate to Canada" at the Asadullah Kazi Auditorium, Isra University.

The session began with a warm welcome from Mr. Haseebullah Memon, Additional Director of ORIC. He emphasized the importance of such events in assisting students with their future career planning in international contexts and appreciated the enthusiastic participation of the students. He also highlighted ORIC's ongoing commitment to skill development and career guidance.

As a token of appreciation, Mr. Ghulam Rasool Kazi, Registrar, along with Prof. Dr. Sohail Kazi, Dean of the Faculty of Engineering, Science, and Technology, and Mr. Noman Kazi, Director of Human Capital, presented a souvenir to Mr. Abdul Aleem Shah, who led the session. This gesture reflected the university's gratitude for the valuable insights provided.



Mr. Abdul Aleem Shah, an expert in international education and immigration consultancy, conducted the session, offering comprehensive guidance on various pathways for studying, working, and immigrating to Canada. He also provided personalized counseling, addressing individual queries from students about academic and professional opportunities abroad. His expert insights were highly appreciated by all participants.



ISRA UNIVERSITY HARD BALL CRICKET TEAM TRIALS & CAMP IN FULL SWING!

In line with the vision of Vice Chancellor Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi to enhance sports opportunities for students, the Isra University cricket team camp commenced on Tuesday, 24th September 2024. The team was selected following a recent trial, and the camp will run until 14th October 2024 in preparation for the HEC Inter-University Zone-K Cricket Championship 2024, set to take place at Sindh Agriculture University, Tandojam, from 15th October 2024.

Arshad Wazir has been appointed captain, leading a dedicated squad of 12 players participating in the camp. The team is being guided by Dr. Saad Baloch, Additional Director of Student



Activities & Athletics, alongside Mr. Sheeraz Ali, Associate in Sports Activities. This camp underscores the university's commitment to fostering both academic and extracurricular excellence. The players express their gratitude to the university management for providing these valuable sporting opportunities.

ISRA UNIVERSITY SHINES AT HYDERABAD GYMKHANA SUMMER OLYMPICS 2024 CLOSING CEREMONY

Isra University was celebrated for its role as a sponsor at the Closing Ceremony of the Hyderabad Gymkhana Summer Olympics 2024, held on July 26, 2024. The university's representation included Prof. Dr. Suhail Kazi, Director Admissions; Dr. Saad Baloch, Additional Director, SA&A; and Mr. Salman Bajwa, Additional Director, Admissions. They accepted the Sponsor's Shield and medals on behalf of the institution.

The university's involvement extended to notable performances in the Table Tennis competition, with Ismaeel Kazi earning a Gold Medal in the Junior Singles category and securing the Runner-Up



position in Men's Doubles. The achievements were celebrated in the presence of the Chief Guest, Brigadier Noman Arif, Station Commander of Hyderabad.

Isra University's sponsorship underscores its commitment to fostering local sports talent and supporting community events. Congratulations are extended to all participants and organizers for their contribution to the event's success.



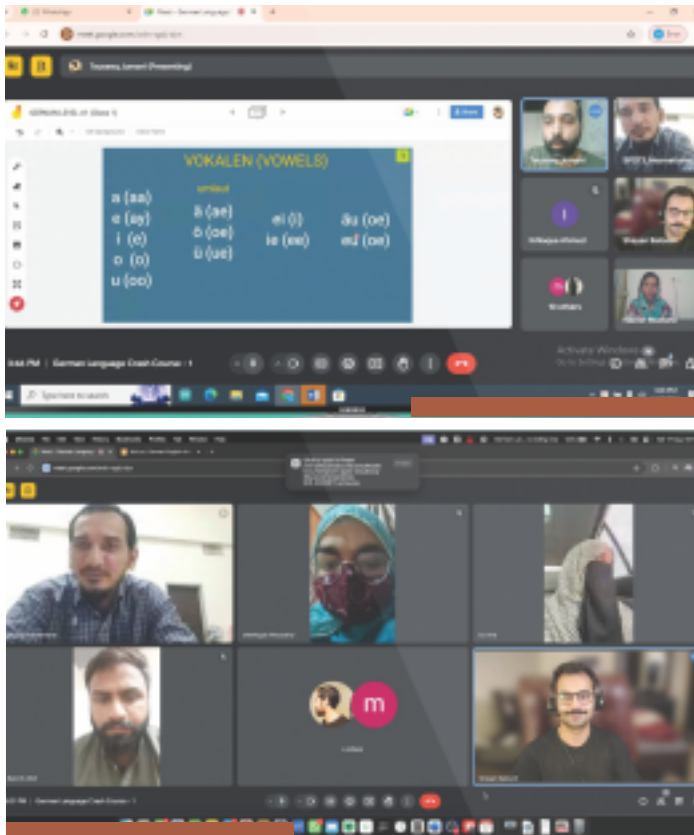
SPOTE LAUNCHES FIRST GERMAN LANGUAGE COURSE AT ISRA UNIVERSITY

Under the auspices of the Business Incubation Center (BIC) at ORIC, Isra University Hyderabad, SPOTE International has proudly launched the region's first German Language Course (Level A-1). This pioneering course has attracted international students from countries such as Saudi Arabia, Malaysia, the UAE, and Pakistan. The inaugural class commenced on August 17, 2024. Tailored for beginners, the course has quickly gained significant attention from participants across various regions.

Mr. Haseebullah Memon, Founding Chairman of SPOTE International, extended a warm welcome to the distinguished trainer and participants, underscoring the importance and impact of such innovative educational initiatives.

Led by the highly skilled and experienced trainer, Mr. Tauseeq Jumani, the course provides a thorough introduction to the German language. It covers essential grammar, vocabulary, and conversational skills through interactive lessons, practical exercises, and real-time feedback, ensuring a robust foundation in German.

Since its launch, the course has garnered overwhelmingly positive feedback, with participants praising the high quality of instruction and the engaging teaching methods. Many students have expressed their satisfaction with the course, highlighting the accessibility of the content and the supportive approach of the instructor.



INDEPENDENCE DAY: MAJOR TREE PLANTATION DRIVE AT ISRA HOSPITAL TO COMBAT CLIMATE CHANGE

In celebration of Pakistan's Independence Day, Dr. Sajjad Kazi, Director, Isra University Hospital, spearheaded a significant plantation drive in collaboration with the administration of Isra Hospital and Isra Welfare Hospital. This initiative aims to combat the challenges posed by climate change through extensive tree planting efforts.

The plantation drive underscores the commitment of these institutions not only to improving the environment but also to promoting social responsibility. By enhancing green spaces and



reducing carbon footprints, the project reflects a broader commitment to sustainable practices and community well-being.

This event highlights the crucial role that healthcare institutions and organizations play in addressing environmental issues and fostering a culture of environmental stewardship.

DIABETES SYMPOSIUM IN ISRA HOSPITAL HIGHLIGHTS INNOVATIONS AND CHALLENGES



Memon Charitable Hospital and Shaheen Iqbal Diabetic Center, in collaboration with Isra University Hospital Hyderabad, hosted a significant symposium on diabetes at the Asadullah Kazi Auditorium today. The event brought together leading experts to discuss the latest advancements and challenges in diabetes care.

Dr. Aamir Iqbal Memon, President, Memon Charitable Hospital and Associate Professor of Pediatrics in Isra University, served as the chief organizer of the symposium. The event began with a recitation from the Holy Quran, setting a reflective tone for the discussions that followed.



The symposium featured a diverse lineup of speakers, including Prof. Dr. Mohsina Ibrahim, Dr. Sania Bashir, and Dr. Yaqoob Memon, who addressed various facets of diabetes care. Panel discussions were led by Prof. Dr. Aslam Memon and Prof. Dr. Adnan Bawani, with Ms. Hifza Ansari moderating the sessions.

Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, Vice Chancellor, Isra University, and Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, former Chancellor, Isra University and Director, Isra Islamic Foundation, were the chief guests. Their presence underscored the event's importance in the academic and medical communities.

Also in attendance were Dr. Sajjad Kazi, Director, Isra University Hospital, and Prof. Dr. Khalid Talpur, Dean, Faculty of Clinical Sciences, Isra University, who contributed to the discussions and supported the event's success.

The symposium covered critical topics including Pediatric Diabetes, Adult Diabetes, and Case Reports, offering valuable insights into current practices and future directions in diabetes management.

In a heartfelt gesture, the symposium concluded with a tribute to Mr. Zubair Ghangra, Director, Unique Motorcycles, recognizing his unwavering support for the event. The chief guests were also honored with traditional "Ajrak" and "Topi," celebrating the rich cultural heritage of the region.

The symposium was a resounding success, highlighting the collaborative efforts needed to address the growing challenges of diabetes and promoting continued advancements in the field.



FIRST-EVER HANDS-ON PRIMARY TRAUMA CARE WORKSHOP AT AL-TIBRI MEDICAL COLLEGE

Al-Tibri Medical College, Isra University Karachi Campus hosted its inaugural hands-on workshop on Primary Trauma Care, a pioneering effort by the Advanced Training and Development department in collaboration with the Accident & Emergency department. The event garnered significant interest from medical professionals and students, all eager to enhance their trauma care skills.



The workshop featured four interactive stations, each dedicated to essential aspects of trauma care. Topics covered included Ultrasound EFAST, Primary and Secondary Survey in line with Advanced Trauma Life Support (ATLS) protocols, Log Roll and Helmet Extraction techniques, Polysling Application, C-Spine Collar Application, and Trauma Radiology. Participants had the opportunity to both observe and practice these critical skills under the expert guidance of seasoned facilitators.



The distinguished facilitators included Dr. Muhammad Wajahatullah, Consultant in Emergency Medicine at Al-Tibri Medical College & Hospital Karachi, Dr. Areej Zehra, Consultant in Emergency Medicine at Imam Clinic Karachi, Dr. Huma Nasir, Consultant in Emergency Medicine at Ziauddin Hospital Karachi, Dr. Inayat Khan, PG in Emergency Medicine at Ziauddin Hospital Karachi, and Dr. Akash, PG in Emergency Medicine at Ziauddin Hospital Karachi.



The workshop was a resounding success, offering participants valuable hands-on experience in primary trauma care and highlighting the critical importance of swift and effective response in emergency situations. This event represents a significant milestone for Al-Tibri Medical College, reinforcing its dedication to advancing medical education and training in emergency care.



ISRA UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL ENHANCES STAFF SKILLS WITH TRAINING SESSION

Isra University Hospital held a pivotal training and development session aimed at boosting the skills and productivity of its lower staff. The session, conducted by Mr. Uzair Arain, the Hospital Manager, focused on the importance of soft skills in the workplace.

Mr. Arain engaged participants with insights on how soft skills can significantly impact their professional performance and interpersonal interactions.

Dr. Sajjad Kazi, the Isra Hospital Director, praised the initiative during his address, underscoring the vital role of continuous training in personal and organizational growth.

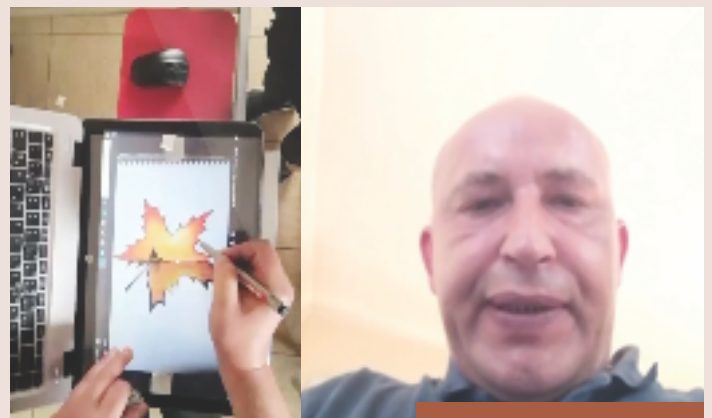


This effort reflects the hospital's commitment to fostering a skilled and effective team, enhancing overall service quality and operational efficiency.

SPOTE INTERNATIONAL AND ISRA UNIVERSITY'S GLOBAL ONLINE SESSION WITH NICKI KRETZ

On July 19, 2024, the Business Incubation Center (BIC) at ORIC, Isra University Hyderabad, hosted an engaging online session organized by SPOTE International. The event was a resounding success, attracting an enthusiastic global audience.

The session opened with a warm welcome from Mr. Haseebullah Memon, the founder, who also introduced our distinguished guest speaker, Mr. Nicki Kretz, a renowned German artist. Mr. Kretz focused on the art of line sketching, sharing his expertise and creative techniques with the attendees.



Mr. Shayan, a key member of the ORIC team, skillfully moderated the session and facilitated an interactive Q&A segment, ensuring active participation from the audience.

The event saw participation from four countries: Germany, Malaysia, the United Arab Emirates, and Pakistan. With over 70 attendees and 120 registrations, the session highlighted the widespread interest and global reach of our initiatives.

Students, professionals, and especially children from various schools enjoyed the live segment, making it a valuable experience for all involved.



SCIENTIFIC MODELS & POSTERS COMPETITION



Scientific exhibitions play a crucial role in fostering curiosity, sharing knowledge, and engaging the public with science. They inspire the next generation of scientists and promote scientific literacy among the general public. Additionally, these exhibitions facilitate networking among professionals, encourage interdisciplinary collaboration, and contribute to the dissemination of scientific advancements to broader audiences. Overall, scientific exhibitions serve as catalysts for innovation, education, and societal progress.



The Advanced Training & Development Department (AT&DD) of Al-Tibri Medical College organized a Scientific Models & Posters Competition on 09 August 2024. The event was inaugurated by Prof. Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, Vice Chancellor of Isra University. Other notable attendees included Prof. Dr. Umer Kazi (Pro Vice Chancellor, Isra University Karachi Campus), Prof. Dr. Asad Raza Jiskani (Dean, Faculty of Basic Medical Sciences),



Prof. Dr. Muhammad Rafique (Principal, ATMC), Dr. Rashid Shaikh (Director, ATMH), and other dignitaries.

Prof. Dr. Hina Khan guided the guests and provided insights into the students' efforts, noting that the models and posters were created by MBBS students from their first to final years. A total of 17 models and 15 posters were shortlisted for the competition. The jury comprised esteemed members from Al-Tibri Medical College and Hospital: Prof. Dr. Muhammad Ahmed Azmi, Prof. Dr. Abdul Rabb Bhutto, and Prof. Dr. Syed Maqsood Ahmed, along with external judges Prof. Dr. Masoom Raza (Hamdard University Karachi), Prof. Dr. Zubaida Masood (Sobraj Hospital Karachi), and Dr. Shumaila Rafi (Dow Hospital Karachi).

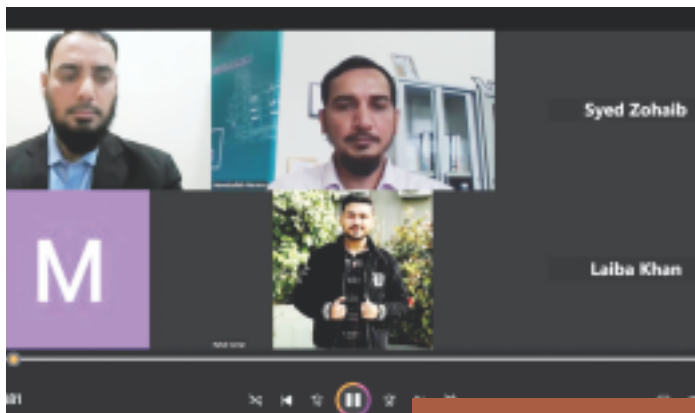
Cash prizes were awarded to the top three models and posters by the Vice Chancellor of Isra University, celebrating the exceptional talent and creativity of the participating students.



ORIENTATION SESSION FOR NEW INCUBATES AT ISRA UNIVERSITY'S BUSINESS INCUBATION CENTER

Under the visionary leadership of Vice Chancellor Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi and Former Chancellor & Director IIF Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, an insightful virtual orientation session was held on Sunday, 30th June 2024. This session aimed to welcome and guide the new incubates at the Business Incubation Center (BIC), which operates under the Office of Research, Innovation, and Commercialization (ORIC) at Isra University. The event was organized by SPOTE International, one of BIC's incubates.

Engr. Ikhtlaque Ahmed Memon, Managing Partner and CEO of



SPOTE International, led the orientation, sharing valuable insights and experiences on launching and managing a successful startup. His presentation detailed SPOTE's journey, achievements, and future plans, providing the new incubates with a roadmap for their entrepreneurial pursuits.

Mr. Haseebullah Memon, Founder of SPOTE International and Additional Director at ORIC, Isra University, offered insights into ORIC's support framework and SPOTE International's innovative approaches.

Ms. Nazish Mustafa, Manager of BIC, emphasized the role of BIC in nurturing startups and fostering a growth-oriented and innovative environment.

Mr. Shayan Balouch, Deputy Manager, discussed the significance of research in driving innovation and outlined the commercialization opportunities available to the incubates.

Mr. Syed Zohaib Ali, Assistant Manager, presented the career support services at BIC and encouraged interns to actively participate in programs designed to enhance their skills and career prospects.

The session concluded with an interactive segment where the interns shared their feedback, fostering a better understanding of their tasks and expectations.

VC AWARDS TOP PERFORMERS AT HYDERABAD GYMKHANA SUMMER OLYMPICS 2024

Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, Vice Chancellor of Isra University, graced the final event of the Table Tennis competition as the Chief Guest during the Hyderabad Gymkhana Summer Olympics 2024, held at Hyderabad Gymkhana. The Junior Singles final showcased a thrilling match between Sufyan Ahmed and Ismaeel Kazi, with Ismaeel Kazi emerging victorious with scores of 11-8, 8-11, 6-11, 11-9, and 14-12.

In another exciting Men's Doubles league match, Dr. Saad Baloch, Additional Director (SA&A) at Isra University and Secretary of

Sports at Hyderabad Gymkhana, teamed up with Sufyan Ahmed against Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi and Ismaeel Kazi.

During the event, Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi distributed certificates to the winners and runners-up of the Junior Singles final. He was also honored with a traditional Sindhi Ajrak by Mr. Faizan Shaikh, Convener of Sports at Hyderabad Gymkhana. Isra University is proudly sponsoring the Hyderabad Gymkhana Summer Olympics 2024, reflecting its dedication to supporting local sports events.



AL-TIBRI MEDICAL COLLEGE HOSTS SYMPOSIUM ON CLINICAL SKILLS & ADVANCEMENT

Al-Tibri Medical College's Advanced Training & Development Department (AT&DD) successfully held a high-impact symposium today centered on "Clinical Skills & Advancement." The event, hosted at the college's state-of-the-art facilities, aimed to enhance clinical expertise through a diverse range of specialized workshops.

The symposium featured workshops on essential medical topics, including Primary Trauma Care, Tracheostomy Care, ER



Obstetrics Care, Urine Catheterization & IV Cannulation, CPR, POP Casting & Splinting, Lumbar Puncture, ECG Interpretation, Basic Medical Techniques, and Bio Safety Practices. Each session was expertly led by facilitators from various departments at Al-Tibri Medical Hospital.

The notable contributors included Prof. Dr. Khadija Bano and her team from the Gynaecology Department, Prof. Dr. Khalid Iqbal and Dr. Vijay Kumar from the ENT Department, Dr. Muhammad Wajahatullah and Dr. Sana Kazi from the Emergency Medicine Department, Dr. Tooba Gauhar and her team from the Surgery Department, Dr. Humaira Zakir and Dr. Aman Ullah along with their teams from the Medicine Department, Dr. Maqsood Ahmed from the Orthopedics Department, Dr. Sundas Mehtab and her team from the Neuro Medicine Department, Dr. Tabassum Almas and her team from the Cardiac Department, and Mr. Ali Muntazir Naqvi and his team from the Molecular & Diagnostics Department.

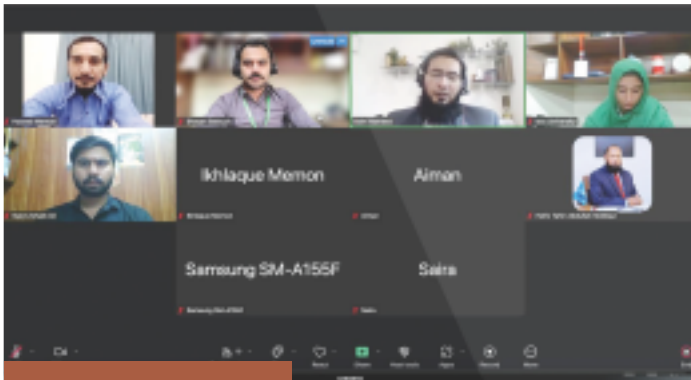


Participants engaged in hands-on practice with advanced medical simulators and mannequins. Certificates of participation were awarded by the Pro Vice Chancellor of Isra University Karachi Campus, Abdul Rashid Shaikh, and the Director of AT&DD. The event concluded with a vote of thanks from Prof. Dr. Hina Khan, who acknowledged the contributions of all facilitators and participants.

The symposium underscored Al-Tibri Medical College's dedication to advancing clinical skills and highlighted the collaborative efforts of its diverse medical departments.

SUCCESSFUL ONLINE SESSION ON ISLAMIC FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING HOSTED BY SPOTE & ISRA UNIVERSITY

SPOTE International, operating under the Business Incubation Center (BIC) at ORIC, Isra University, Hyderabad, hosted a highly engaging online session on Islamic Financial Accounting on 22nd August 2024. The session was led by Mr. Asim Hameed, Senior Associate at the Chartered Institute of Islamic Finance, Malaysia, who provided valuable



insights into Islamic Finance and its expanding role in the global financial landscape.

Mr. Haseebullah Memon, Founding Chairman of SPOTE International, warmly welcomed both the guest speaker and the participants. He underscored the importance of such sessions in enhancing the understanding of Islamic Finance and fostering active engagement to drive innovation in this crucial field.

The event featured a comprehensive presentation by Mr. Asim Hameed, a distinguished expert in Islamic Financial Accounting. Mr. Hameed highlighted the importance of inclusive education in Islamic Finance, stressing the need to bridge the gap between theoretical knowledge and practical application. He also emphasized the essential role educational institutions play in this process.

Engr. Shayan Baloch, Deputy Manager at ORIC, adeptly moderated the session, leading a dynamic Q&A segment that encouraged meaningful participation from the attendees. The session was a resounding success, sparking insightful discussions and facilitating the exchange of valuable knowledge.



SESSION ON THE POWER OF WORDS: LEVEL - 3 SERVICE

Under the visionary leadership of Dr. Ahmed Waliullah Kazi, Vice Chancellor of Isra University, and Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Former Chancellor and Director of the IIF, the Office of Research, Innovation, and Commercialization (ORIC) organized an inspiring session titled “The Power of Words: Level 3 Service” on Thursday, 21 September 2024. This event was open to administrative staff and all members of the university community, who participated virtually from various locations.

The session began with a warm welcome from Mr. Haseebullah Memon, Additional Director of ORIC, who highlighted the crucial role of communication skills in achieving professional success. He commended the university's commitment to continuous learning and personal development.



Mr. Shahbaz Aftab, Senior Associate at Schuitema Pakistan, delivered an engaging keynote on the impact of effective communication in enhancing relationships and productivity. He provided practical strategies for attendees to refine their verbal skills, fostering an interactive environment that encouraged active participation and the exchange of ideas.

In the closing segment, Prof. Dr. Suhail Kazi, Dean of the Faculty of Engineering Science and Technology and Director of Admissions, distributed certificates to participants, acknowledging their engagement and contributions throughout the session.

The “Power of Words” session was a resounding success, leaving attendees with newfound confidence and practical skills to enhance their verbal communication in both personal and professional contexts.

ISRA UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL AND BOSCH PHARMACEUTICALS HOST GROUNDBREAKING RESEARCH DIVERSITY WORKSHOP

Isra University Hospital Hyderabad, in collaboration with Bosch Pharmaceuticals, successfully hosted a workshop dedicated to enhancing research diversity.

The session, delivered by the esteemed Dr. Irfan Majeed, offered participants invaluable insights and knowledge. Dr. Majeed's expert guidance was highly appreciated by all attendees.

At the conclusion of the event, Dr. Sajjad Kazi, Director, Isra Hospital, proudly presented certificates of participation,



acknowledging the attendees' active involvement and successful completion of the workshop.

CERTIFICATE DISTRIBUTION CEREMONY HELD AT ISRA HOSPITAL

Isra Hospital Hyderabad proudly hosted a certificate distribution ceremony celebrating the successful completion of the Basic Obstetrics and Gynecology Ultrasound Course, conducted by esteemed instructor Prof. Dr. Nishat Zohra.

The ceremony featured Dr. Sajjad Kazi, Director of Isra Hospital, who presented certificates to the participants, recognizing their commitment to advancing their knowledge and skills in this essential area of healthcare.



Prof. Dr. Nishat Zohra expressed her gratitude to all participants for their dedication and enthusiasm throughout the course, emphasizing the importance of continuous education in providing quality healthcare services.



This course aimed to equip healthcare professionals with vital skills in obstetric and gynecological ultrasound, ultimately enhancing patient care.



ISRA UNIVERSITY STUDENTS EXCEL AT IGNITE HACKATHON CYBER SECURITY WORKSHOP

A group of students from the Department of Computer Science at Isra University recently participated in the prestigious Ignite Hackathon Cyber Security Workshop. The event took place at Mehran University of Engineering and Technology (MUET) in Jamshoro from September 3 to 5, 2024.



The participation of Isra University students was facilitated by Prof. Dr. Suhail Kazi, Dean of the Faculty of Engineering, Science & Technology (FES&T), and Prof. Dr. Amber Baig, Chairperson of the Computer Science Department. Accompanying the students were Dr. Saad Baloch, Focal Person for Ignite Projects at Isra University, along with Ms. Shadia S. Baloch, Senior Lecturer, Mr. Haibutullah, Lecturer, and Mr. Zubair Sanjarani, Teaching Assistant, all from the Computer Science Department.



The workshop was designed to provide participants with hands-on experience and advanced knowledge in the rapidly evolving field of cybersecurity. Over the three days, students engaged in intensive learning sessions, gaining valuable insights into cybersecurity protocols, threat mitigation, ethical hacking, and defense strategies against emerging cyber threats. The program combined theoretical knowledge with practical application through hackathon-style activities, enriching the students' technical skills and offering valuable networking opportunities with IT experts.



CME PRESENTATION ON RHINOPLASTY AT AL-TIBRI MEDICAL COLLEGE



Al-Tibri Medical College, part of Isra University's Karachi campus, recently hosted a highly informative Continuing Medical Education (CME) session titled "Rhinoplasty: Is it a Dying Art?"

The presentation was led by Dr. Vijay Kumar and Prof. Dr. Khalid Iqbal, respected members of the Department of ENT. The event, which drew faculty members, students, and was chaired by the Principal of the college and the Medical Superintendent of Al-Tibri Hospital, was well-received.



The session commenced with a comprehensive exploration of the historical significance and evolution of rhinoplasty. Dr. Kumar and Prof. Dr. Iqbal discussed the transformation of the procedure over the centuries, highlighting its dual role in both aesthetic enhancement and functional improvement for patients with breathing difficulties.

A key highlight was the in-depth discussion of several real-world cases. The speakers detailed the surgical techniques used and addressed the unique challenges encountered in each procedure. They emphasized the importance of precision and care in achieving optimal outcomes, showcasing postoperative results that demonstrated significant improvements in both aesthetics and quality of life.

An exceptional feature of the event was the live demonstration of a rhinoplasty procedure. This hands-on demonstration provided attendees with a unique opportunity to observe the surgery's intricacies in real time, enhancing their understanding of the complexities involved and fostering an interactive learning environment.

The session concluded with a thought-provoking discussion on the future of rhinoplasty. Dr. Kumar and Prof. Dr. Iqbal addressed the provocative question of whether rhinoplasty is becoming a "dying art." They argued that while surgical techniques may evolve, the core principles of artistic skill and patient-centered care remain essential for achieving the best outcomes. They emphasized the importance of ongoing education and hands-on experience in maintaining high standards in the field.

Overall, the CME session was a resounding success, underscoring the critical role of rhinoplasty in ENT practice and the necessity for continued skill development. The event highlighted Al-Tibri Medical College's commitment to providing its students and faculty with cutting-edge knowledge and practical experience in the medical field.



MOU SIGNING CEREMONY HELD BETWEEN ISRA UNIVERSITY KARACHI CAMPUS AND AL-KHIDMAT HOSPITAL NORTH KARACHI

A successful Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) signing ceremony took place on September 7, 2024, at 2:00 PM at Al-Khidmat Hospital, North Karachi. The agreement was signed by Dr. Noman Ahmed Issani, representing Isra University, Karachi Campus, and Mr. Rana Muhammad Anwar, Administrator of Al-Khidmat Hospital.

The primary aim of the MoU is to establish a collaborative



Hospital were highly productive and successful. This partnership is expected to significantly contribute to the growth and development of both Al-Khidmat Hospital and Isra University Karachi Campus.

partnership to enhance academic relations and provide practical training opportunities for students and house officers in Physiotherapy. The MoU details several areas of cooperation, including the placement of Physiotherapy students and house officers at Al-Khidmat Hospital for hands-on training. This initiative will afford students valuable real-world experience in a healthcare setting.

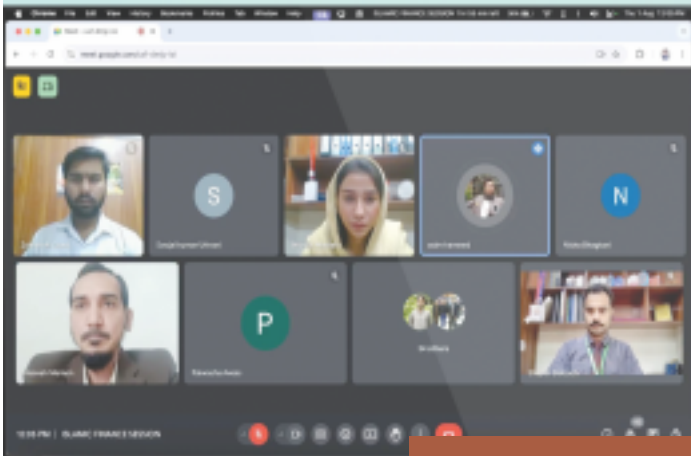
To commemorate World Physical Therapy Day, a celebratory cake was cut following the signing ceremony. The senior administrator of Al-Khidmat Hospital then guided us on a tour of the hospital's facilities, including the pediatrics, gynecology, and physiotherapy departments.

At the end of the visit, we were presented with thoughtful gifts as tokens of appreciation. The hospitality and generosity of the Al-Khidmat team were truly commendable.

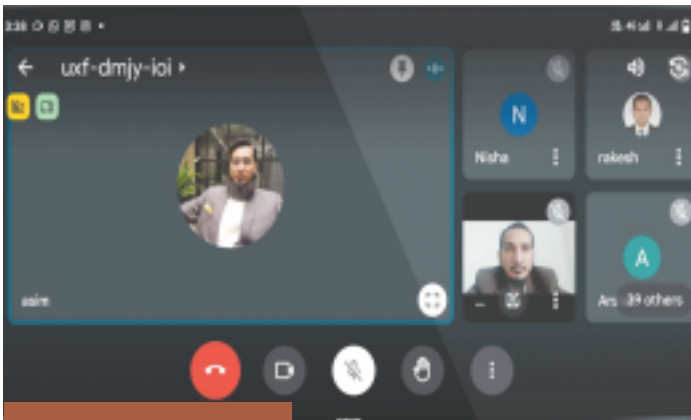
Overall, the MoU signing ceremony and visit to Al-Khidmat



ENGAGING ONLINE SESSION ON ISLAMIC FINANCE ORGANIZED BY SPOTE



Under the auspices of the Business Incubation Center (BIC) at ORIC, Isra University Hyderabad, SPOTE International hosted a highly engaging online session on 1st August 2024. This event featured distinguished presenters who offered valuable insights into the field of Islamic finance and the crucial role of educational institutions in building capacity.



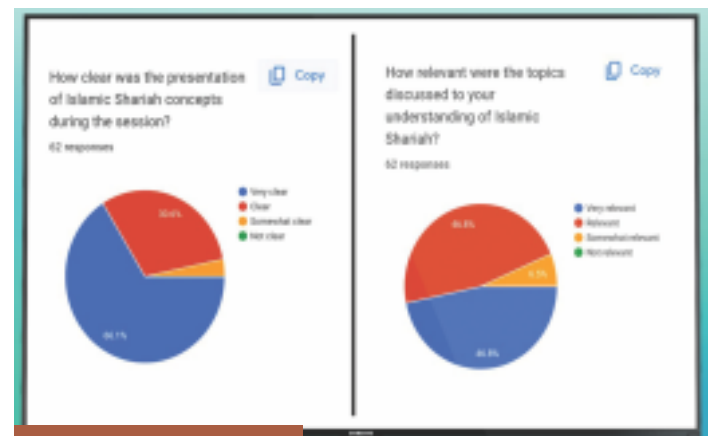
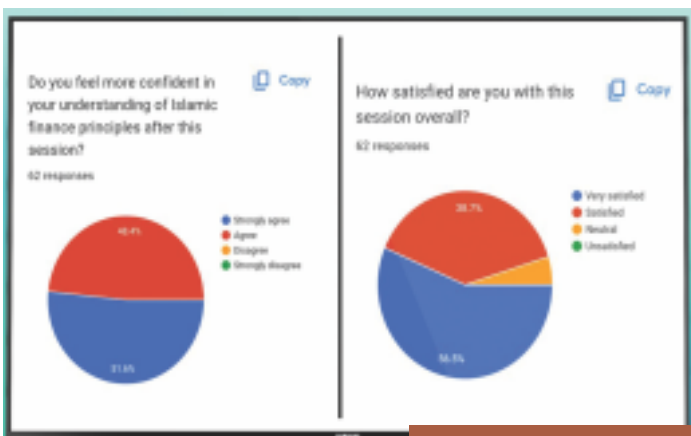
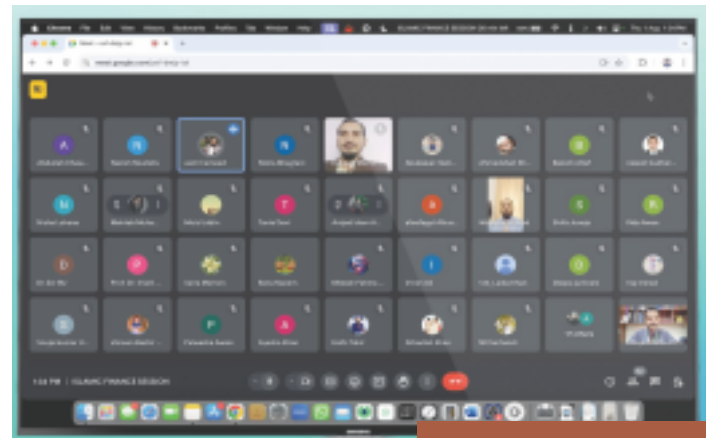
Mr. Haseebullah Memon, Founding Chairman of SPOTE International, extended a warm welcome to the guest speakers and participants. He emphasized the importance of such sessions in deepening understanding of Islamic finance and encouraging active participation in discussions that drive innovation and growth in this sector.

The session commenced with a presentation by Mr. Asim Hameed, an Islamic banking expert with over 16 years of experience. Mr. Hameed highlighted the importance of inclusive Islamic finance education and bridging the gap between academic theory and practical application. He underscored the critical role of educational institutions in cultivating a profound understanding of Islamic financial principles.

Prof. Dr. Imam Uddin, a leading expert in Islamic economics and finance, addressed both the challenges and opportunities within the field. As the founding Director of the Centre for Islamic Business & Finance and Head of Finance & Accounting at IoBM, Karachi, he stressed the necessity for collaboration between academia and industry to foster growth and innovation in Islamic finance.

The session was supported by the Founding Chairman, Mr. Haseebullah Memon, and the CEO and Managing Director, Engr. Ikhtlaque Ahmed Memon. Their leadership and vision have been pivotal in nurturing a dynamic ecosystem for entrepreneurship, innovation, and research.

Engr. Shayan Baloch, Deputy Manager at ORIC, skillfully moderated the session, facilitating an interactive Q&A segment that encouraged engagement from the audience of over 50 participants. The event was a resounding success, providing a valuable platform for thought-provoking discussions and knowledge sharing.





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ADDRESSING ENVIRONMENTAL CHALLENGES: PROF. DR. NIAZ MEMON'S INSIGHTS ON WORLD ENVIRONMENT DAY

Prof. Dr. Niaz Memon, Chairperson of the Department of Civil Engineering at Isra University Hyderabad, brought a compelling perspective to the PTV International Morning Show on June 5th, 2024, while celebrating "The World Environment Day", as part of a discussion on critical environmental concerns. He passionately outlined the challenges Karachi faces, particularly focusing on the rapid urbanization and its impact on natural resources and waste management. He stressed



the need for stricter regulations and sustainable solutions to address the detrimental effects of unchecked development, linking the spread of communicable diseases to inadequate solid waste management.

Dr. Memon also underlined the crucial need for clean drinking water, advocating for the implementation of rigorous WHO and



UNDP standards to ensure access for all. In highlighting the upcoming international symposium, he proudly stated that Isra University is focusing on the 6th Sustainable Development Goal (SDG), which emphasizes "clean drinking water for all." This signifies Isra University's commitment to addressing this crucial global challenge. By hosting this symposium, the university is taking a proactive stance in promoting awareness, research, and collaborative action towards achieving this SDG. Dr. Memon, himself, will be delivering a plenary lecture on "Filamentous Fungi in the Drinking Water" with the collaboration of different stakeholders for environmental safety, further showcasing Isra University's dedication to research and practical solutions.

Dr. Memon's discussion served as a call to action, emphasizing Isra University's role in fostering sustainable practices and driving positive change.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR SUCCESSFUL POST GRADUATE TRAINEES!



Dr. Inshal Awan



Dr. Ishrat Parveen



Dr. Shazia Ali

Isra University Hospital extends its heartfelt congratulations to our Post Graduate Trainees, Dr. Inshal Awan, Dr. Israt Parveen, and Dr. Shazia Ali, for successfully passing the IMM theory examination on their first attempt. We are proud of their accomplishment and wish them continued success in their future endeavors.

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- Faculty of Basic Medical Sciences
- Faculty of Clinical Sciences
- Faculty of Medicine & Allied Medical Sciences
- Faculty of Dentistry & Allied Sciences
- Faculty of Engineering, Science & Technology
- Faculty of Business Education, Social Sciences & Humanities

Isra University Hospital, Hyderabad
Isra Dental College & Hospital Hyderabad
Isra Institute of Rehabilitation Sciences
Isra School of Nursing, Hyderabad
Isra School of Paramedics, Hyderabad

Isra University

Karachi Campus

- Al Tibri Medical College & Hospital
- Isra Institute of Rehabilitation Sciences
- Isra Postgraduate Institute of Ophthalmology
- Isra School of Optometry
- Al Tibri College of Nursing

Isra University

Islamabad Campus

- Al Nafees Medical College & Hospital
- School of Engineering & Applied Sciences
- Isra Institute of Rehabilitation Sciences

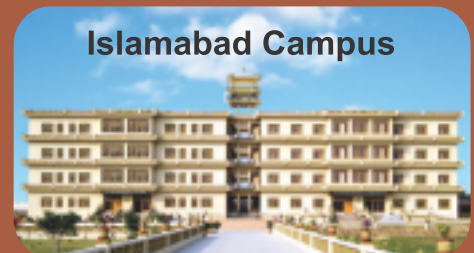
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