

National Agriculture Education Accreditation Council



Quality Assurance & Accreditation Awareness Seminar at KAIMS International Institute- Multan

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KAIMS International Institute Multan, an enviable destination for education in the region of Multan, is approved and recognized. KAIMS has been established in 2016 as a private institute with the intention to provide quality education and training. The institute consists of 07 faculties including Faculty of Medical Sciences. This institute is affiliated with Govt. College University, Faisalabad. KAIMS International institute is a premier institute of Multan, offering more than 25 undergraduate programs. Currently 130 students are enrolled in Human Nutrition & Dietetics (HND) degree program. HND degree program started in 2018.

A Quality Assurance & Accreditation Awareness Seminar was conducted at KAIMS International Institute- Multan. Mr. Mahar Khizer Hayat Haraj, Director/Owner, KAIMS Institute, Multan, Ms. Fizzah Ashfaq, HoD, Department of Human Nutrition & Dietetics (HND), KAIMS International Institute, Multan and Ms. Mishal Saeed, HoD, Department of Food Science & Technology (FST), KAIMS International Institute Multan briefed about FST degree program. Dr. Rajwana delivered a speech received the guest and held a meeting with Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson, NAEAC to discuss various aspects of applied research and mutual interest. The awareness seminar was started with the recitation of Holy Quran. Mr. Mahar Khizer Hayat Haraj, Director, KAIMS Institute Multan presented an overview of the institute and shared the salient accomplishments of the institute. Dr. Fizzah Ashfaq, HoD, Department of HND, KAIMS International Institute Multan briefed about HND degree program and Ms. Mishal Saeed, HoD, Department of Food Science & Technology (FST), KAIMS International Institute Multan briefed about FST degree program. Dr. Rajwana delivered a speech on importance and need of quality assurance and accreditation. He emphasized "Agriculture and nutrition share a common entry







point "food". Food is a key outcome of agriculture activities and a key input into good nutrition for the health and strength of all people. The field of Human Nutrition & Dietetics is closely connected with food consumption, health services, healthy environment and adequate child caring practices".

Further he pointed out that many institutions are offering Food Science & Technology and Human Nutrition & Dietetics degree program where large number of students are studying in these institutions. Hence, it is essential to ensure the quality of education and research facilities provided to the students by these institutions. NAEAC has been entrusted by HEC to accredit of this degree program besides other disciplines under the purview of NAEAC. He described in detail the process of accreditation and its role in standardizing the agriculture and allied education across the country. He also highlighted the five major and two minor criteria in addition to different steps involved in the accreditation process.

Students and faculty members of the department of Food Science & Technology and HND degree program attended the seminar. Mr. Khizer Hayat Haraj, Director, KAIMS International Institute, Multan thanked the guest speaker and assured that the institute administration will fulfill the accreditation requirements of NAEAC to maintain the quality of education and increase the market value of their graduates.



