

## Quality Assurance & Accreditation Awareness Seminar at Afro-Asian Institute- Lahore

November 23, 2021

Afro-Asian Institute was established in June 2016 by a renowned educationist & radiologist Prof. Dr. Syed Amir Gilani in Lahore. Afro-Asian Institute is offering 12-degree programs in the field of Allied Health Sciences, Applied Health Sciences, Physical Therapy, Computer Sciences, & Social Sciences. Institute operates under the affiliation granted by Government College University, Faisalabad. Human Nutrition & Dietetics (HND) degree program is offered under the department of Allied Health Sciences.



A Quality Assurance & Accreditation Awareness Seminar was conducted on November 23, 2021. Ms. Rabia Shabir, HOD, HND and Mr. Adnan Director QEC, Afro-Asian Institute, Lahore welcomed NAEAC team (Dr. Abdul Ghaffar, Secretary and Mr. Abdullah, IT Coordinator). A meeting was held with Mr. Azhar Hussain Shamim, Principal, Afro-Asian Institute, Lahore. He informed briefly about the institute and its degree programs. The awareness seminar was started with the recitation of the Holy Quran. Ms. Rabia Shabir gave an overview of the Institute. Dr. Abdul Ghaffar delivered a talk on significance and need of quality assurance and accreditation. Many institutions are offering agriculture-related degree programs 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 to accredit HND by HEC and Council Board. Dr. Abdul Ghaffar illustrated in detail the process of accreditation and its role in standardizing the agriculture and allied education across the country. He also pointed out four major and three minor criteria considered in the accreditation process.



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