

Quality Assurance & Accreditation Awareness Seminar for HND degree Program at Ibadat International University (IIU)- Islamabad

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IBADAT International University (IIU) Islamabad is a private university located in the Zone V, Sihala, and Islamabad, Pakistan. IIU was established in 2021. IBADAT International University has been established by the Parliamentary Act in 2021. The campus is built across 250 kanals. The University offering several degree programs including undergraduate and post graduate with core focus on providing quality education to the students. Currently IIU having 5 faculties with 37 degree programs. Department of Diet and Nutritional Sciences (DDNS) was established in 2021. Currently this department is offering one undergraduate degree program.

A Quality Assurance & Accreditation Awareness Seminar was conducted for BS HND degree program on April 30, 2024. Engr. Imran Ahmed, Deputy Director Quality Enhancement Cell (QEC), IIU-Islamabad along with other faculty members of the HND received the honorable guests, Dr. Abdul Ghaffar, Secretary NAEAC and Mr. Abdullah, Deputy Director Programs.

The Seminar was held in the auditorium. Ms. Maimoona Waheed (Lecturer-DDNS) acted as the stage secretary. The seminar was started with recitation of the Holy Quran by Mr. Ammar Ahmed, Assistant Professor followed by the national anthem. Ms. Madiha Iftikhar presented a brief overview of the IIU, Islamabad including infrastructure especially about the HND degree program. The seminar was started after the introductory session, Dr. Abdul Ghaffar, Secretary NAEAC delivered his talk on “Quality Assurance and Accreditation in Higher Education”. The main objective of this talk was to explain the overall process of accreditation and its significance in maintaining the quality of education. Dr. Abdul Ghaffar introduced the NAEAC, explained the evaluation criteria of accreditation process which comprised of 8 criteria and 73 subcriteria in detail. He also highlighted the impact of accreditation on quality improvement employing the accreditation data of last 14 years. During presentation questions raised by the participants were discussed in length to their satisfaction.

The seminar was attended by the worth Rector, Advisor to Chairman, Pro-Rector, Admin and Finance, members from the Department of Registration, Quality Enhancement Cell (QEC) and Office of Research, Innovation and Commercialization (ORIC), faculty members and students of Department of Diet and Nutritional Sciences. Seminar was ended with a note of thanks by Justice Retd. Dr. Sajid Qureshi, Rector, IBADAT International University, Islamabad. He assured that the administration will fulfill the accreditation requirements of NAEAC to maintain the high quality of education. At the end, souvenirs were presented to the NAEAC Secretariat staff.

