

Pre-Accreditation/Zero Visit of Plant Pathology Degree Program at Mir Chakar Khan Rind University (MCKRU), Sibi

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Mir Chakar Khan Rind University (MCKRU), Sibi was established in 2019 as a public institute. At that time MCKRU, Sibi had 30 students and 4 departments, while now the number of students is more than 1700. Seven departments are offering 16 degree programs. The Balochistan government has provided 250 acres of free land on Nadi Gaj Road to Mir Chakar Khan Rind University, on which the work of boundary wall has been completed and academic blocks, hostels and other projects work will be started soon.

An Accreditation Inspection Committee (AIC) comprising of Dr. Abdul Ghaffar, Secretary NAEAC as a convener, Mr. Abdullah, Deputy Director Programs NAEAC, HEC, Islamabad and Prof. Dr. Sultan Maitlo Dean, Faculty of Agriculture, The University of Larkano as member conducted pre-accreditation/zero visit of Plant Pathology degree program. Before the inaugural session a short meeting was held with VC Secretariat where Prof. Dr. Jan Vash Karim, VC, MCKRU formally welcomed NAEAC team. He highlighted major accomplishment of the university.

The inaugural session was held in the committee room where Prof. Dr. Naeem, Dean, MCKRU formally welcomed NAEAC team and the evaluator. Dr. Laiqat Shah, Registrar briefed the AIC about the accomplishments of Mir Chakar Khan Rind University (MCKRU). Later, Dr. Abdul Ghaffar, Secretary NAEAC shared NAEAC criteria for degree program evaluation along with the significance of accreditation.

Detailed presentation of departmental achievements as per itinerary were given by Dr. Ifran Ahmad, Focal Person of the department. AIC visited departmental infrastructure including labs, classrooms, library, faculty offices, support facilities and held meeting with students of the department to get an insight of teaching/working environment in the departments. Course files were checked for its contents like lecture breakdown, assignments and results. AIC held individual faculty meeting to know the working environment and job satisfaction level.

Prof. Dr. Naeem, Dean, MCKRU and his team thanked AIC for their deliberations and inspection visit and assured that the recommendations made by AIC would be implemented to enhance the standard of education and to ensure the skills of the graduates.

