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Pre-Accreditation/Zero Visit of Human Nutrition & Dietetics (HND) Iqra University, Islamabad Chak Shahzad Campus

October 06, 2022

Iqra University chartered by the Government of Sindh was established in Karachi in 1998. The university is a brainchild of Mr. Hunaid Lakhani, Founding Chancellor & Chairman of Iqra University whose aim was to establish a premier institution of higher learning. The university having 07 campuses including main campus in Karachi and Islamabad Campus at Pakistan Institute of Education System Complex, Tarlai Kalan, Islamabad. The Islamabad Campus received recognition by the Higher Education Commission (HEC) in March 2001 under document reference No.16-23/ugc/secy/99/60. Recently HEC has awarded category 'W' to Islamabad Campus because of its highly sophisticated infrastructure and state of the art academic/research facilities. A modern and state of the art 7 storey building located in lush green area of Islamabad is offering conducive learning environment.



An Accreditation Inspection Committee (AIC) comprising of Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC as a convener Dr. Abdul Ghaffar, Secretary NAEAC and Prof. Dr. Asif Ahmad, Institute of Food and Nutritional Sciences, PMAS Arid Agriculture University, Rawalpindi as member conducted Pre-Accreditation/Zero visit of HND department, Iqra University, Islamabad Chak Shahzad Campus.

Dr. Tahir Ejaz, Associate Dean Academics, Mr. Abdul Waheed, Campus Director, Iqra University, Islamabad Chak Shahzad Campus, Mr. Allah Nawaz Khan, Focal Person, Human Nutrition & Dietetics (HND) and all faculty of HND welcomed NAEAC team. Mr. Muhammad Hassan, Assistant Professor acted as stage secretary in the inaugural session, started the session with the recitation of The Holy Quran and presented the salient achievements of the university including mission and vision. Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC presented a brief overview of NAEAC activities and informed the faculty about the need & importance of accreditation of degree programs. Meanwhile Dr. Muhammad Islam, Vice President, Iqra University, Islamabad Chak Shahzad campus also joined the inaugural session. Dr. Hidayat Ullah, Deputy Director QEC, Ms. Huma Tehseen, Assistant Registrar and all faculty members were also present at this occasion.



Ms. Saniha Nawaz, Program Coordinator, HND briefed the AIC in detail about their department working and achievements in terms of student graduation and current faculty position. AIC visited labs, classrooms, library, faculty offices, QEC, ORIC and Controller Examination offices. The AIC held individual meetings with faculty members to know the level of job satisfaction and working environment of the department. AIC also interacted with students of the departments to get an insight of teaching course completion and status of practicals.



In the concluding session, the program evaluator Prof. Dr. Asif Ahmad shared his observations with Dr. Tahir Ejaz, Associate Dean Academics, Iqra University, Islamabad Chak Shahzad Campus and other faculty members. Dr. Tahir Ejaz, Associate Dean Academics thanked NAEAC team for their long-day deliberations and inspection visit. He assured that the recommendations made by AIC would be implemented for the uplift of education standard and augment the market value of the graduates produced.

Quality Assurance & Accreditation Awareness Seminar at PMAS-Arid Agriculture University, Rawalpindi

October 11, 2022

Pursuant to the recommendations of the Barani Commission constituted to review and recommend measures for the development of rainfed agriculture and uplift of the poor masses through education, research, and development of technology, the Government of Punjab established Barani Agricultural College, Rawalpindi which was later upgraded to University in 1994. The mandate of the University is to produce high-quality agricultural



scientists and to form an organized scientific infrastructure for research to develop dryland regions of the country. The university is located on Murree Road, almost in the center of the twin, cosmopolitan cities of Rawalpindi and Islamabad. There are 5 faculties, 7 institutes and more than 25 departments. Two degree programs BS Poultry Science and BS Animal Sciences has been initiated under the department of Poultry Science and Livestock Production and Management. Currently 25 students are enrolled in BS Poultry Science while admission in Animal Sciences has been completed in this month.



Prof. Dr. Tanveer Ahmad, Chairman, Department of Livestock Production and Management, Pir Mehr Ali Shah (PMAS) Arid Agriculture University Rawalpindi (AAUR), received the NAEAC team (Dr. Abdul Ghaffar, Secretary NAEAC and Mr. Abdullah, IT Coordinator, NAEAC). A Quality Assurance & Accreditation Awareness Seminar was conducted at PMAS Arid Agriculture University, Rawalpindi. The NAEAC team reached the university at 10:45 am and held a meeting with Prof. Dr. Arfan Yousaf, Dean Faculty of Veterinary & Animal Sciences, PMAS-AAUR. During discussion, Dean Faculty of Veterinary & Animal Sciences, PMAS-AAUR highlighted the major achievements of the faculty and concerned departments.

The seminar was started with the recitation of Holy Quran followed by the welcome address by Prof. Dr. Arfan Yousaf, Dean, Faculty of Veterinary & Animal Sciences PMAS-AAUR who invited the Guest speaker for delivering the talk on "Quality assurance and accreditation in higher education".

Dr. Abdul Ghaffar, Secretary NAEAC delivered a speech on the role of accreditation process in quality assurance with examples during last 14 years. Talk mainly comprised on NAEAC history, accomplishments, accreditation process details, standards [7],

substandard [71] and outcome of the accreditation process in terms of rating the degree programs. During question answer session further clarifications were made regarding the time lag between the awareness seminar & zero visit and then accreditation visit. The seminar was attended by Dean, Faculty of Veterinary & Animal Sciences, Chairman, department of Livestock Production and Management, all faculty members and students of the Animal and Poultry Sciences degree programs.

After the seminar, Prof. Dr. Arfan Yousaf, Dean, Faculty of Veterinary & Animal Sciences, PMAS-AAUR thanked the guest speaker and assured that the administration will fulfill the accreditation requirements of NAEAC to maintain the quality of education and increase the market value of their graduates.



Accreditation and Pre-accreditation/Zero visit at PMAS-Arid Agriculture University, Rawalpindi

October 24-25, 2022

The Government of Punjab upgraded Barani Agricultural College, Rawalpindi to University in 1994 to produce high-quality agricultural scientists and to form an organized scientific infrastructure for research to develop dryland regions of the country. There are 5 faculties, 7 institutes and more than 25 departments.



Four Accreditation Inspection Committees (AICs) comprising of Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC as a convener and Prof. Dr. Fauzia Yusuf Hafeez, Vice Chairperson NAEAC, Prof. (Retd). Dr. Sher Muhammad, Institute of Agri. Extension, Education and Rural Development, University of Agriculture, Faisalabad (UAF), Prof. Dr. Muhammad Arif, Department of Plant Pathology, The University of Agriculture, Peshawar and Prof. Dr. Muhammad Saleem Haider, Dean, Faculty of Agricultural Sciences, University of the Punjab, Lahore as members conducted accreditation visit of the departments of Agricultural Extension and Plant Pathology degree programs and Prof. Dr. Masood Sadiq Butt, Dean, Faculty of Food, Nutrition and Home Sciences, UAF and Prof. Dr. Muhammad Ovais Omer, Department of Pharmacology and Toxicology, University of Veterinary and Animal Sciences (UVAS), Lahore as members conducted Pre-Accreditation/Zero visit of Human Nutrition & Dietetics and Poultry Science degree programs at PMAS-Arid Agriculture University, Rawalpindi.



On October 23, 2022, Prof. Dr. Tanveer Ahmad, Chairman, Department of Livestock Production and Management, Pir Mehr Ali Shah (PMAS), Arid Agriculture University Rawalpindi (AAUR) and Prof. Dr. Tariq Mukhtar, Chairman, Department of Plant Pathology, PMAS, AAUR received the guests and Prof. Dr. Fayyaz Ul Hassan, Sahi, Pro-VC, PMAS-AAUR also welcomed the NAEAC team. The inaugural session was held in the conference room of V.C. office on October 24, 2022 where Prof. Dr. Qamar Uz Zaman, Vice Chancellor, PMAS-AAUR formally welcomed all evaluators and also highlighted the major accomplishments and future plan of the university. Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC presented a brief overview of NAEAC activities, achievements made so far and shared the previous AIC recommendations of two departments (Agricultural Extension and Plant Pathology). Prof. Dr. Qamar Uz Zaman, Vice Chancellor, PMAS-AAUR distributed the NAEAC accreditation certificates to the Chairmen/HoDs of four departments (Agronomy, PBG, Entomology & Soil Science). During the inaugural session, Registrar, Director QEC, Director ORIC, Controller Examination, Deans, HoDs and other faculty members were present.

Later on, AICs moved to relevant departments where detailed presentations and discussions were held. Each HoD briefed respective AIC in detail about working of the department and achievements in terms of student graduation, faculty positions and research projects. AICs also visited respective departmental

infrastructure including labs, classrooms, library, glasshouse, faculty offices, experimental research area and held meeting with students of the department to get an insight of teaching/working environment in the departments. On October 25, 2022, two major activities (curriculum review and meeting with individual faculty) were carried out. Each course file was checked for its contents like lecture breakdown, assignments and results. AIC held individual faculty meeting to know the working environment and job satisfaction level.

In the concluding session of the visit the program evaluators shared their observations with the Vice Chancellor and other officials including HoDs, Deans, Director ORIC, Director QEC, Registrar and other faculty members. Prof. Dr. Qamar Uz Zaman thanked NAEAC team for their two-day long deliberations and inspection visit. He pledged that the recommendations made by AICs would be implemented in order to improve the bar for education and boost the value of the graduates produced.



Accreditation visit of Food Science & Technology and Pre-Accreditation of Human Nutrition & Dietetics at GCUF- Layyah Campus

November 07, 2022

Government College University Faisalabad (GCUF)-Layyah Campus was established in 2012 under public/private partnership between Government College University Faisalabad and Al-Abbas Bhatti Trust. Initially, 28 disciplines were allowed to start at Layyah campus. Distance learning program was started at Layyah campus in 2013 with 17 disciplines. Currently, 29 disciplines are offered with one 5 year program (DPT), 3 Technology programs (Mechanical, Civil and Electrical Engineering), 6 Associate Degree Programs, 8 MSc programs and 11 BS programs. Department of Food Science was started at GCUF-Layyah Campus in 2012. Initially B.Sc. (Hons.) in Food Science and Technology discipline was started with the enrollment of 27 (Male/Female) students. In 2018, B.Sc. (Hons.) Human Nutrition and Dietetics discipline was started. In March 2022, the department of Food Science and Nutrition separated into Department of Human Nutrition and Dietetics and other as Department of Food Science and Technology.



Two Accreditation Inspection Committees (AICs) comprising of Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC as a convener, Prof. Dr. Tahir Zahoor, Faculty of Applied Sciences, NUR International University, Lahore, Prof. Dr. Saeed Akhtar, Institute of Food Science and Nutrition, Bahauddin Zakariya University (BZU), Multan, Dr. Tauseef Sultan, Institute of Food Science and Nutrition, BZU, Multan as members conducted accreditation visit of Food Science & Technology (FST) and pre-accreditation/zero visit of Human Nutrition & Dietetics (HND) degree programs of GCUF-Layyah Campus.



Mr. Rai Safdar Abbas Bhatti, Project Director, GCUF-Layyah Campus, Mr Shahwar Muneer Bhatti, Assistant Director Academics, Ms. Sana Ramzan, HoD, FST, Ms. Umama Fatima Iqbal, HoD, Department of HND, GCUF- Layyah Campus welcomed NAEAC and AIC team. Mr. Akhtar Bhatti, Member Board of Management, GCUF-Layyah Campus started the session with the recitation of Holy Quran presented the salient achievements of the campus. Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson, NAEAC presented a brief overview of NAEAC and informed the faculty about the need & importance of accreditation in addition to highlights the previous actionable recommendations.



Afterwards, AICs moved to relevant departments where detailed presentations and discussions were held. Each HoD briefed respective AIC in detail about functioning of the department and achievements in terms of student graduation, faculty positions and research projects. AICs also visited respective departmental infrastructure including labs, classrooms, library and faculty offices. Subject experts held individual meetings with students to get an insight teaching/working environment in the departments. AICs also held individual faculty meeting to know the working environment and job satisfaction level.

In the exit meeting, program evaluators shared their observations

with the Project Director and other officials. Mr. Rai Safdar Abbas Bhatti, Project Director thanked NAEAC team for their day-long deliberations and assured that the recommendations made by AICs would be implemented to raise the standard of education and to improve the skills of the graduates.



Quality Assurance & Accreditation Awareness Seminar at KAIMS International Institute Multan

November 16, 2022

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 was 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.



Accreditation and Pre-accreditation/Zero visit at MNS University of Agriculture, Multan

November 17-18, 2022

MNS-University of Agriculture, Multan is an HEC recognized higher education institution that started its academic activities in 2012. During the short period of its existence, the university has made rapid progress in terms of expansion of its academic programs, students' enrolment, physical infrastructure, campus network, and hiring of highly qualified and experienced academic and administrative staff. The university is located at Old Shujabad Road, Multan, neighboring several different wings and formations of Punjab Agriculture Department. The main campus comprises 180 acres of land, whereupon initially an Academic Block, Administration Block, Girls and Boys hostels, Guest House and some staff residences are being constructed. For carrying out agricultural research activities, the university has established agricultural farms at the main campus as well as at Jalalpur Pirwala comprising 500 acres of land allotted to the University. There are 04 faculties with 170 academic faculty members among 105 have PhD. Total currently enrolled students are 6,441.



Five Accreditation Inspection Committees (AICs) comprising of Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC as a convener and Prof. Dr. Fauzia Yusuf Hafeez, Vice Chairperson NAEAC, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Saleem Haider, Dean, Faculty of Agricultural Sciences, University of the Punjab, Lahore, Dr. Muhammad Hafeez-ur-Rehman, Department of Fisheries & Aquaculture, University of Veterinary & Animal Sciences (UVAS), Pattoki, Dr. Samrah Masud, Institute of Zoology, Bahauddin Zakariya University (BZU), Multan, Prof. Dr. Masud Sadiq Butt, Dean, Faculty of Food, Nutrition and Home Sciences, UAF and Dr. Shahid Mehmood, Department of Poultry Production, UVAS, Pattoki as members conducted accreditation visit of Biotechnology, Plant Pathology degree programs and Pre-Accreditation/Zero visit of Fisheries & Aquaculture, Human Nutrition & Dietetics and Poultry Science degree programs at MNS University of Agriculture, Multan respectively.

On October 16, 2022, Prof. Dr. Hammad Nadeem Tahir, Director QEC, MNS University of Agriculture, Multan, Prof. Dr. Shafqat Saeed, Dean, Faculty of Agriculture & Environmental Sciences, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Asif Raza, Dean, Faculty of Veterinary & Animal Sciences, MNS University of Agriculture, Multan received



the guests and welcomed the NAEAC team. The inaugural session was held in the conference room of V.C. office on November 17, 2022 where Prof. Dr. Asif Ali (T.I.), Vice Chancellor, MNS University of Agriculture, Multan formally welcomed all evaluators and also highlighted the major accomplishments and future plan of the university. Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC presented a brief overview of NAEAC activities, achievements made so far and shared the previous AIC recommendations of two departments (Biotechnology and Plant Pathology). Prof. Dr. Asif Ali (T.I.), Vice Chancellor, MNS University of Agriculture, Multan distributed the NAEAC accreditation certificates to the Chairmen/HoDs of seven departments (Agronomy, Entomology, PBG, Soil & Environmental Sciences, Horticulture, FST and Seed Science & Technology) which were accredited last year. During the inaugural session, Director QEC, Director ORIC, Deans, HoDs and other faculty members were present.



Later on, AICs moved to relevant departments where detailed presentations and discussions were held. Each HoD briefed respective AIC in detail the departmental activities and achievements in terms of students graduated, no. of teaching faculty and research projects executed. AICs also visited respective departmental infrastructure including labs, classrooms, library, glasshouse, faculty offices, experimental research area and held meeting with students of the department to get an insight of teaching/working environment in the departments. On October 18, 2022, two major activities (curriculum review and meeting with individual faculty) were carried out. Each course file was checked for its contents like lecture breakdown, assignments and results. AIC's held individual faculty meetings to know the working environment and job satisfaction level.

In the concluding session the program evaluators shared their observations with the Vice Chancellor and other officials including HoDs, Deans, Director ORIC, Director QEC and other faculty members. Prof. Dr. Asif Ali (T.I.), thanked NAEAC team for their two-day long deliberations and inspection visit. In order to raise the bar for education and increase the value of the graduates produced, he promised that the recommendations given by the AICs would be put into practice.

Quality Assurance & Accreditation Awareness Seminar at Multan College of Food & Nutrition Sciences, Multan

November 18, 2022

The Multan Medical & Dental College (MMDC) was established in 2007-08 offering degree programs like MBBS, BDS, and BS (Nursing) in Multan with attached 600-bedded Tertiary Care Hospital (Ibn-e-Siena Hospital & Research Institute, Multan). Later on, Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT), Speech and Language Pathology (SLP) & BS Occupational therapy was started. Recently Multan College of Food & Nutrition Sciences, Multan (MCFN) was established in 2016-17. The Institute is offering 4 year degree program, B.Sc (Hons) Food & Nutrition. Currently, 92 students are enrolled in Food & Nutrition discipline. The institute is affiliated with University of Health Sciences (UHS) Lahore.

A Quality Assurance & Accreditation Awareness Seminar was conducted at MCFN- Multan. Prof. Dr. Sajid Rashid, Principal/HoD, Department of Food & Nutrition, MCFN, Multan and all faculty members of Food & Nutrition received and welcomed the guest Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson, NAEAC. The awareness seminar was started with the recitation of Holy Quran. Prof. Dr. Sajid Rashid, Principal/HoD, Department of Food & Nutrition, MCFN, Multan presented an overview of the institute and shared the salient accomplishments of the institute and also briefed about Food & Nutrition 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 Food & Nutrition 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 & Nutrition degree program attended the seminar. Prof. Dr. Sajid Rashid, Principal/HoD, Department of Food & Nutrition, MCFN, 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.

Accreditation visit at Lasbela University of Agriculture, Water & Marine Sciences (LUAWMS), Uthal

November 23, 2022

Lasbela University of Agriculture, Water and Marine Sciences (LUAWMS), located in the historic and magnificent district

Lasbela in Balochistan, is truly a comprehensive institution of higher education with enduring commitment to achieve excellence in higher education, innovative technology, cutting-edge research, and superior public service. LUAWMS is dedicated to prepare its graduates for successful careers and enable them to play a constructive role in progressing social inclusion, economic prosperity, and environmental quality. The university was chartered through Ordinance No. 1/2005, Government of Balochistan, Pakistan. There are 7 faculties including faculty of Agriculture. The university is offering 15 undergraduate and 10 postgraduate degree programs.



Six Accreditation Inspection Committees (AICs) comprising of Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC as a convener and Prof. Dr. Nazim Hussain, Department of Agronomy, Bahauddin Zakariya University (BZU), Multan, Dr. Unsar Naeem Ullah, Institute of Plant Protection, MNS-University of Agriculture, Multan, Prof. (Retd). Dr. Aman Ullah Malik, Ex-Dean, Faculty of Agriculture, UAF, Dr. Kashif Razaq, Department of Horticulture, MNS-University of Agriculture, Multan, Dr. Waqas Malik, Department of Plant Breeding and Genetics, BZU, Multan, Prof. Dr. Sobia Chohan, Department of Plant Pathology, BZU, Multan and Dr. Muhammad Arif Ali, Department of Soil Science, BZU, Multan as members conducted accreditation visit of the departments of Agronomy, Entomology, Horticulture, Plant Breeding & Genetics, Plant Pathology and Soil Science degree programs at LUAWMS, Uthal.

On November 22, 2022, Dr. Tamoor Khan, Dean, Faculty of Agriculture, LUAWMS, Uthal and Dr. Imran Rashid, Director QEC, LUAWMS, Uthal received and welcomed the NAEAC team. The inaugural session was held in the V.C. office on November 23, 2022 where Prof. Dr. Dost Muhammad Baloch, Vice Chancellor,





LUAWMS, Uthal formally welcomed all evaluators and also highlighted the major accomplishments and future plan of the university. Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC presented a brief overview of NAEAC activities, achievements made so far and shared the previous AIC recommendations of six departments (Agronomy, Entomology, Horticulture, Plant Breeding & Genetics, Plant Pathology and Soil Science). During the inaugural session, Registrar, Director QEC, Director ORIC, Deans, HoDs and other faculty members were present.



Later on, AICs moved to relevant departments where detailed presentations and discussions were held. Each HoD briefed respective AIC in detail about working of the department and achievements in terms of student graduation, faculty positions and research projects. AICs also visited respective departmental infrastructure including labs, classrooms, library, glasshouse, faculty offices, experimental research area and held meeting with students of the department to get an insight of teaching/working environment in the departments. In the last stage, two major activities (curriculum review and meeting with individual faculty) were carried out. Each course file was checked for its contents like lecture breakdown, assignments and results. AIC held individual faculty meeting to know the working environment and job satisfaction level.

In the exit meeting the program evaluators shared their observations with the Vice Chancellor and other officials including HoD, Dean and administrative staff. Prof. Dr. Dost Muhammad, Vice Chancellor thanked NAEAC team for their day long deliberations and inspection visit. He pledged that the recommendations made by the AICs would be implemented in order to improve the bar for education and boost the value of the graduates produced.



Quality Assurance & Accreditation Awareness Seminar at Iqra University, Karachi

November 24, 2022

Iqra University (IU) is one of the leading private-sector university in Pakistan. The IU was chartered by the Government of Sindh vide Sindh Government Ordinance No.VI of 2000. The university has earned its name and fame in national and international ranks through best educational practices and stringent quality measures, evident by its placement among the top universities worldwide by the QS and Times Higher Education agencies. In addition, IU is placed in the highest HEC university category of W4. The university is well-equipped with qualified faculty members, state-of-the-art equipment and facilities, professional administration, and a current student count of more than 15,000 students.



A Quality Assurance & Accreditation Awareness Seminar was conducted at North Campus (IUNC), Karachi. Prof. Dr. Syed Ali Raza, Director Academics, Iqra University, Karachi, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Masroor, Dean, Faculty of Health Sciences, Iqra University, Karachi and Dr. Tooba Mehfooz, HoD, HND, Iqra University, Karachi received and welcomed the guests Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson, NAEAC, Prof. (Retd). Dr. Aman Ullah Malik, Ex-Dean, UAF and Dr. Abdul Ghaffar, Secretary NAEAC. The awareness seminar was started with the recitation of Holy Quran. Prof. Dr. Syed Ali Raza, Director Academics, Iqra University, Karachi presented an overview of the institute and shared the salient accomplishments of the university, the distinguishing aspects of the Human Nutrition and Dietetics program being offered at the campus, and constant upgradation for the best educational experiences to all the students. Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. 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 Human Nutrition & Dietetics 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 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 HND degree program attended the seminar. The seminar concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr. Tooba Mehfooz. She acknowledged the efforts of the council's team and affirmed the application of NAEAC standards for betterment of profession. Prof. Dr. Ali Raza, Director Academics, Iqra University, Karachi presented the honorable guests with commemorative shields and souvenirs 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.



Accreditation visit of Food Science & Technology and Quality Assurance & Accreditation Awareness Seminar (Human Nutrition & Dietetics and Biotechnology) at Hamdard University, Karachi

November 25, 2022

Shaheed Hakim Mohammed Said (1920-1998) established Hamdard Pakistan in 1948. Within a few years, the herbal medical products of Hamdard became household names. The

phenomenal business success of Hamdard brands is a legendary part of the business history of Pakistan. Hamdard University (HU) is a private research university with campuses in Karachi and Islamabad, Pakistan. It was founded in 1991 by the renowned philanthropist Hakim Said of the Hamdard Foundation. Hamdard is one of the first and the oldest private institutions of higher education in Pakistan. There are 07 faculties with 02 campuses. Total faculty strength of Engineering Sciences & Technology is more than 100. Food Science & Technology (FST) was initiated in 2019 under the department of Biomedical Engineering. Currently 320 students are enrolled in different semesters.



An Accreditation Inspection Committee (AIC) comprising of Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC as a convener, Dr. Shahina Naz, Department of Food Science & Technology, University of Karachi as member conducted accreditation visit of Food Science & Technology (FST) department of Hamdard University, Karachi.

Engr. Prof. Dr. Muhammad Amir Saleem, Dean, Faculty of Engineering Sciences & Technology, HU, Karachi and Dr. Tariq Javed, Chairman, Department of Biomedical Engineering, HU, Karachi received the guests. Prof. Dr. Syed Shabib-ul-Hasan, Vice Chancellor, HU, Karachi formally welcomed NAEAC and AIC team. Prof. Dr. Syed Shabib-ul-Hasan chaired the inaugural session and presented the salient achievements of the university. Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson, NAEAC presented a brief overview of NAEAC and informed the faculty regarding the significance of accreditation in addition to highlighting the previous actionable recommendations.

Afterwards, AIC moved to the FST where detailed presentation and discussion was held. HoD of Food Science & Technology department apprised AIC members about achievements in terms of student's graduation, faculty positions and research projects completed/ongoing. AIC also visited the departmental labs, classrooms, faculty offices and library. HoD also demonstrated the on-line process for teacher and course evaluation by students through QEC and also the individual teacher folder where the recorded lectures were uploaded during Covid-19 period. AIC also held individual meetings with faculty members to know the level of satisfaction. Subject experts also held individual meetings with students to get an insight teaching/working environment in the departments.



A Quality Assurance & Accreditation Awareness Seminar was also conducted at Hamdard University, Karachi on November 25, 2022. Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC was the Guest Speaker. The proceedings of the seminar started with the recitation of Holy Quran. Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq Rajwana speaking on the occasion emphasized, "Quality education and research guarantees bright future for the youth since knowledge economy is the new mantra of success in the world today to achieve progress and development goals. Competent and dedicated teachers play a pivotal role in the intellectual development and promotion of academic potential of the students". He also briefed the seminar participants about the working and performance of NAEAC. Students and faculty members of the department of Human Nutrition & Dietetics and Biotechnology attended the seminar.



In the exit meeting, program evaluator shared her observations with the Prof. Dr. Syed Shabib-ul-Hasan, VC, HU, Karachi, Dean and other officials. Dr. Syed Shabib-ul-Hasan thanked NAEAC team for their day long deliberation and assured that the recommendations made by AIC would be implemented to raise the standard of education and to improve the skills of the graduates.



Accreditation and Pre-accreditation/Zero visit at Bahauddin Zakariya University (BZU), Multan

November 28-29, 2022

The University of Multan was established in 1975 by an Act of the

Punjab Legislative Assembly. To pay homage to the Great Saint, the name was changed from University of Multan to Bahauddin Zakariya University (BZU) in 1979. The university is located at a distance of 10 km from the city center. The university has nine faculties and three sub-campuses at Layyah, Vehari and Lodhran. The main campus is spread over 960 acres of land. The university started functioning in 1975 in rented buildings with 8 departments. Presently, it has more than 51 departments/institutes/colleges. Out of its 630 faculty members, 389 hold doctoral degrees and among 26659 students enrolled, half are female. The university has a fleet of 45 buses and 3 coaches which provides transport facilities to students and staff.



Six Accreditation Inspection Committees (AICs) comprising of Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC as a convener and Prof. (Retd.) Dr. Riaz Ahmad, Department of Agronomy, University of Agriculture, Faisalabad (UAF), Prof. Dr. Muhammad Jafar Jaskani, Institute of Horticultural Sciences, UAF, Dr. Muhammad Amin, Department of Horticultural Sciences, The Islamia University of Bahawalpur, Prof. (Retd.) Dr. Hafeez Ahmad Sadaqat, Department of PBG, UAF, Dr. Muhammad Anwar-ul-Haq, Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences, UAF as members conducted accreditation visit of the departments of Agronomy, Horticulture, PBG and Soil Science degree programs and Prof. Dr. Masood Sadiq Butt, Dean, Faculty of Food, Nutrition and Home Sciences, UAF and Dr. Shahid Mahmood, Department of Poultry Production, UVAS, Ravi Campus, Pattoki as members conducted Pre-Accreditation/Zero visit of Human Nutrition & Dietetics and Poultry Science degree programs at BZU, Multan.



On November 27, 2022, Prof. Dr. Hakoomat Ali, Dean, Faculty of Agriculture Science & Technology and Prof. Dr. Nazim Hussain, Department of Agronomy, BZU, Multan received the guests and



Prof. Dr. Nazim Hussain, Department of Agronomy, BZU, Multan received the guests and welcomed the NAEAC team. The inaugural session was held in the conference room of V.C. office on November 28, 2022 where Prof. Dr. Mansoor Akbar Kundi, Vice Chancellor, BZU, Multan formally welcomed all evaluators and also highlighted the major accomplishments and future plan of the university. Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC presented a brief overview of NAEAC activities, achievements made so far and shared the previous AIC recommendations of four departments (Agronomy, Horticulture, PBG and Soil Science).



Later on, AICs moved to relevant departments where before inaugural detailed presentations and discussions were held. Each HoD briefed respective AIC in detail about working of the department and achievements in terms of student graduation, faculty positions and research projects. AICs also visited respective departmental infrastructure including labs, classrooms, library, glasshouse, faculty offices, experimental research area and held meeting with students of the department to get an insight of teaching/working environment in the departments. On November 29, 2022, two major activities (curriculum review and meeting with individual faculty) were carried out. Each course file was checked for its contents like lecture breakdown, assignments and results. AIC held individual faculty meeting to know the working environment and job satisfaction level.



In the concluding session of the visit the program evaluators shared their observations with the Vice Chancellor and other officials including HoDs, Deans and other faculty members. Prof. Dr. Mansoor Akbar Kundi, Vice Chancellor, BZU, Multan thanked NAEAC team for their two-day long deliberations and inspection visit. He pledged that the recommendations made by the AICs

would be implemented in order to improve the bar for education and boost the value of the graduates produced.

Pre-accreditation/Zero visit of Human Nutrition & Dietetics (HND) at GCUF

November 30, 2022

The journey of the Government College University Faisalabad (GCUF) started as a primary school in 1897 in the present building of Government College for Women, Karkhana Bazar, Faisalabad. It was promoted to High School and Intermediate College in 1905 and 1924 respectively. It was elevated to the degree level in 1933 and postgraduate disciplines were introduced in 1963. The long journey that started with the humble beginning reached its climax when it was granted the status of University in October 2002. The university is situated at the Jhang Road not far from the historical Clock Tower. The main campus is spread on 37 acres and the construction of new campus has been started on an area of 200 acres 3-4 kilometers away from the main campus at Jhang Road. The university comprises of 8 faculties including faculty of Medical Sciences. The HND was started in 2014 under the department of Nutritional Sciences.

An Accreditation Inspection Committee (AIC) comprising of Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC as a convener, Prof. Dr. Imran Pasha, DG, National Institute of Food Science & Technology (NIFST), University of Agriculture, Faisalabad (UAF) as member conducted Zero/Pre-accreditation visit Human Nutrition & Dietetics (HND) degree program of GCUF.

Prof. Dr. Abid Rasheed, Dean, Faculty of Medical Sciences, GCUF, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Hidayat Rasool, Registrar, GCUF, Prof. Dr. Khalid Mahmood Zia, Director QEC, UAF and Prof. Dr. Mahr un Nisa, Chairperson, Department of Nutritional Science, GCUF welcomed NAEAC and AIC team.



After welcome, AIC directly moved to relevant department where detailed presentation and discussions were held. Prof. Dr. Mahr-un-Nisa, Chairperson, Department of Nutritional Science, GCUF briefed the AIC in detail about working of the HND department and achievements in terms of student graduation, faculty positions and research projects. AIC also visited respective departmental



infrastructure including labs, classrooms, library and faculty offices. Subject expert held individual meetings with students to get an insight teaching/working environment in the department. AIC also held individual faculty meeting to know the working environment and job satisfaction level.



In the exit meeting, Prof. Dr. Shahid Kamal, Vice Chancellor, GCUF presented the salient achievements of the university. Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson, NAEAC presented a brief overview of NAEAC and informed the faculty about significance of accreditation. Program evaluators also shared their observations with the Prof. Dr. Shahid Kamal, Vice Chancellor, Registrar, Director QEC, Dean, Chairperson, HND and other faculty members. Prof. Dr. Shahid Kamal thanked NAEAC team for their day-long deliberations and assured that the recommendations made by AIC would be implemented to increase educational standards and graduate competencies..



National Agriculture Education Accreditation Council (NAEAC) Board Meeting

December 02, 2022

NAEAC board meeting was held on December 02, 2022 at 10:00 am in Mural Hall HEC, Islamabad. After the introduction of participants, both on line and in person, Secretary Council recited few verses from Holy Quran then Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC extended an effusive welcome to the honorable members particularly new ones and dispensed the accomplishments of the council during last fiscal year with future vision to upgrade

and revitalize its working. He accentuated major challenges like financial sustainability of council, academia industrial collaboration, adoption of Outcome Based Education (OBE) in agriculture and allied sciences, hands on training for improving skill levels of graduates produced from agriculture universities and allied institution.



Later Dr. Abdul Ghaffar, Secretary Council presented the agenda items in a phased manner and after formal approval of previous council board minutes and its implementation status of decisions taken in previous meeting, the Secretary informed the honorable members that Mr. Kausar Saed Awan, Deputy Director Coordination breathed his last on September 18, 2022. He requested the members to offer "Fatiah" for departed soul. Prof. (Retd.) Dr. Amanullah Malik, Ex-Dean Faculty of Agriculture, University of Agriculture Faisalabad (UAF) lead the "Fatiah".

Then Secretary resumed the proceedings as per agenda items and honorable members approved all agenda items after thorough discussion and deliberations. The major agenda items included the ratings of last year (2021-22) accredited programs, annual work plan and the budget for the year 2022-23. Lastly, Prof. (Retd.) Dr. Amanullah Malik, Ex-Dean Faculty of Agriculture, University of Agriculture Faisalabad (UAF) delivered a detailed talk on Outcome Based Education (OBE) System implemented in UAF and members agreed to constitute a committee comprising of Deans of all Agriculture Faculties in public universities to discuss the adoption of outcome based education system across the country. The committee will put up its recommendations for implementing/revising curriculum for OBE System at NCRC level. The meeting ended with the thanks from chair.



Accreditation and Pre-accreditation/Zero visit at University of Agriculture, Faisalabad (UAF)

November 07-08, 2022

The foundation stone of UAF was laid in 1906 with the name of Punjab Agricultural College and Research Institute, Lyallpur which was upgraded as the West Pakistan Agricultural University, Lyallpur in 1961 and now the University of Agriculture, Faisalabad (UAF) since 1973. The UAF is a public and the oldest university and pioneer Agriculture Institute in South Asia. The UAF has always been striving hard to revolutionize agriculture by providing a skilled and professional workforce for agriculture sector. The University comprises of 07 faculties, 9 institutes and 03 sub-campuses.



Nine Accreditation Inspection Committees (AICs) comprising of Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC as a convener and Prof. Dr. Fauzia Yusuf Hafeez, Vice Chairperson NAEAC, Prof. (Retd). Dr. Hidayatur Rahman, Department of PBG, AUP, Prof. Dr. Arshad Mahmood Malik, Department of Agricultural Economics, PMAS, AAUR, Dr. Abdul Hayee Qureshi, Ex-Director, Agricultural Economics Research Institute, NARC, Islamabad, Prof. (Retd). Dr. Nowshad Khan, Ex-Dean, Faculty of Sciences, AIU, Islamabad, Dr. Ejaz Ashraf, Department of Agri. Extension, SU, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Naeem, Department of Entomology, PMAS, AAUR, Prof. Dr. Sarfraz Ali Shad, Department of Entomology, BZU, Multan, Prof. (Retd). Dr. Alam Zeb, Ex-Dean, Faculty of Nutrition Sciences, AUP, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Ayub, Dean, Faculty of Nutrition Sciences, AUP, Prof. Dr. Zahid Din Muhammad, Department of Forestry and Range Management, BZU, Multan, Dr. Lubna Ansari, Department of Forestry & Range Management, PMAS, AAUR, Dr. Abubakar Sufyan, Department of Livestock and Poultry Production, BZU, Multan, Dr. Abdul Ghaffar, Secretary, NAEAC and Prof. Dr. Tariq Mukhtar, Department of Plant Pathology, PMAS-AAUR as members conducted accreditation visit of Agri. Biotechnology, Agricultural Economics, Agri. Extension, Entomology, FST, Forestry, Livestock Management and Plant Pathology degree programs and Prof. Dr. Saeed Akhtar, Institute of Food Science & Nutrition, BZU, Multan, Prof. Dr. Umar Farooq, Department of Food Science & Technology, MNSUA, Multan as members conducted Pre-Accreditation/Zero visit of Human Nutrition & Dietetics degree program at University of Agriculture, Faisalabad.



On December 06, 2022, Prof. Dr. Zulfiqar Ali, Director, Quality Enhancement Cell (QEC), UAF and Mr. Muhammad Sulman, Research Officer, QEC, UAF received and welcomed the guests. The inaugural session was held in the conference room of Centre for Advanced Studies (CAS) on December 07, 2022 where Prof. Dr. Iqrar Ahmad Khan, (S.I.) Vice Chancellor, UAF formally welcomed all evaluators and also highlighted the major accomplishments and future plan of the university. Prof. Dr. Fauzia Yusuf Hafeez, Vice Chairperson NAEAC presented a brief overview of NAEAC activities, achievements made so far and shared the previous AIC recommendations of eight departments (Agri. Biotechnology, Agricultural Economics, Agricultural Extension, Entomology, Food Science and Technology, Forestry, Livestock Management and Plant Pathology). During the inaugural session, Registrar, Director QEC, Director ORIC, Deans, HoDs and other faculty members were present.



Later on, AICs moved to relevant departments where detailed presentations and discussions were held. Each HoD briefed respective AIC in detail about working of the department and achievements in terms of student graduation, faculty positions and research projects. AICs also visited respective departmental infrastructure including labs, classrooms, library, glasshouse, faculty offices, experimental research area and held meeting with students of the department to get an insight of teaching/working environment in the departments.

On December 08, 2022, two major activities (curriculum review and meeting with individual faculty) were carried out. Each course file was checked for its contents like lecture breakdown, assignments and results. AIC held individual faculty meeting to know the working environment and job satisfaction level.

In the concluding session of the visit the program evaluators



shared their observations with UAF officials including HoDs, Deans, Director ORIC, Director QEC, Registrar and other faculty members. Prof. Dr. Shahbaz Talib Sahi responded to observations and also thanked NAEAC team for their two-day long deliberations and inspection visit. In order to raise the threshold for education and increase the value of the graduates produced, he promised that the recommendations given by the AICs would be put into action.



Accreditation visit of Food Science & Technology (FST) at Govt. College Women University Faisalabad

December 09, 2022

Government College Women University Faisalabad (GCWUF) started its journey as an intermediate college in 1934. It was promoted to Degree College in the year 1944 and postgraduate disciplines were introduced in 1985. The long journey that started with the humble beginning, reached its climax when the status of University was granted on 5th January 2013. There are 04 faculties including faculty of science and technology. The university offers 31 Bachelor, one Associate Degree in ADE, B.Ed. (1.5 year), 17 Master, 10 M.Phil. and 05 PhD degree programmes in different faculties.



An Accreditation Inspection Committee (AIC) comprising of Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC as a convener, Prof. Dr. Fauzia Yusuf Hafeez, Vice Chairperson, NAEAC, Prof. (Retd). Dr. Alam Zeb, Ex-Dean, Faculty of Nutrition Sciences, The University of Agriculture, Peshawar and Prof. Dr. Muhammad Ayub, Dean, Faculty of Nutrition Sciences, The University of Agriculture, Peshawar as members conducted Accreditation visit Food Science & Technology (FST) degree program at GCWUF.

Dr. Asma Khalid, Director QEC, GCWU, Prof. Dr. Aysha Sameen, Chairperson, FST, GCWU and Dr. Rizwana Batool, Assistant



Professor, FST, GCWUF received and welcomed the guests. The inaugural session was started with the recitation of Holy Quran. Dr. Asma Khalid, Director QEC highlighted the major accomplishments and future plan of the university. Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson, NAEAC presented a brief overview of NAEAC activities, achievements made so far and shared the previous AIC recommendations of FST department. During the inaugural session, Registrar, Director QEC, Deans, HoD and other faculty members were present.



Later on, AIC moved to relevant department where detailed presentation and discussion was held. Prof. Dr. Aysha Sameen, Chairperson, FST, GCWU, Faisalabad briefed the AIC in detail about working of the FST department and achievements in terms of student graduation, faculty positions and research projects. AIC also visited respective departmental infrastructure including labs, classrooms, library and faculty offices. Subject expert held individual meetings with students to get an insight teaching/working environment in the department. AIC also held individual faculty meeting to know the working environment and job satisfaction level.

In the exit meeting, program evaluators shared their observations with the Director QEC, Dean, Chairperson, FST Department and other faculty members and HoD, FST assured that the recommendations made by AIC would be implemented to raise the standard of education and to improve the skills of the graduates.



Accreditation visit of Food Science & Technology (FST) at GCUF Sub-Campus Sahiwal

December 15, 2022

GCUF Sub-Campus Sahiwal was established in 2013 and the Food Science and Technology (FST) was started in 2014. Currently more than 300 students are enrolled in FST department in various semesters. There are total 12 faculty members in FST department and more than 100 faculty members in GCUF.

An Accreditation Inspection Committee (AIC) comprising of Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC as a convener, Prof. Dr. Tahir Zahoor, Faculty of Applied Sciences, NUR International University, Lahore and Prof. Dr. Imran Pasha, DG, National Institute of Food Science & Technology (NIFST), University of Agriculture, Faisalabad (UAF) as members conducted accreditation visit of Food Science & Technology (FST) degree program of GCUF Sub-Campus Sahiwal.



Brig. Dr. Mahboob Ahmad Butt, Director Coordination, GCUF Sub-Campus Sahiwal, Prof. Dr. Nuzhat Huma, HoD, Department of Food Science & Technology (FST), GCUF Sub-Campus Sahiwal and Mr. Arif Ali, Deputy Director Coordination received and welcomed NAEAC and AIC team. The inaugural session was started with the recitation of Holy Quran. Brig. Dr. Mahboob Ahmad, Director Coordination, GCUF Sub-Campus Sahiwal highlighted the major accomplishments and future plan of the sub-campus. Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson, NAEAC presented a brief overview of NAEAC activities, achievements made so far and shared the previous AIC recommendations of FST department. During the inaugural session, Director Coordination, Deputy Director Coordination, HoD and other faculty members were present.



Later on, AIC moved to Food Science & Technology department where detailed presentation as per itinerary was held followed by Question Answer session. Prof. Dr. Nuzhat Huma, HoD, FST, GCUF Sahiwal Campus and Ms. Zartasha, Lecturer, FST, GCUF Sahiwal campus briefed the AIC in detail about working of the FST department and achievements in terms of student graduation, faculty positions and research projects. AIC also visited departmental infrastructure including labs, classrooms, library and faculty offices. Subject experts held individual meetings with students to get an insight teaching/working environment in the department. AIC also held individual faculty meeting to know the working environment and job satisfaction level.



In the exit meeting, program evaluators shared their observations with Mr. Muhammad Sohail Tariq Choudhry, Project Director, Brig. Dr. Mahboob Ahmad, Director Coordination, HoD, FST Department and other faculty members. Brig. Dr. Mahboob Ahmad uttered gratitude and assured that the recommendations made by AIC would be put into place to strengthen educational standards and enhance graduates' skill sets.





Pre-accreditation/Zero visit of Environmental Sciences at Women University, Multan

December 20, 2022

Initially the Women University, Multan (WUM) was housed in the Government Degree College Katchehry campus and later a new campus was constructed and started its functioning at Matital. This university was chartered by Government of Punjab in 2010. A bachelor degree in Environmental Science was initiated in 2017. Currently 145 students are enrolled in Environmental Sciences (ES). There are 07 faculty members in ES and 04 have PhD.

An Accreditation Inspection Committee (AIC) comprising of Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC as a convener, Prof. Dr. Rashid Saeed, Faculty of Science, University of Gujrat and Dr. Muhammad Arif Ali, Department of Soil Science, Bahauddin Zakariya University (BZU), Multan as members conducted Zero/Pre-accreditation visit Environmental Sciences (ES) degree program of Women University, Multan.



Dr. Qamar Rubab, Registrar, WUM, Dr. Atia Iqbal, Director QEC, WUM, Dr. Shazia Jabeen, HoD, Department of Environmental Sciences, WUM and Dr. Kanwal, Director ORIC received and welcomed NAEAC and AIC team. Dr. Shazia Jabeen, HoD, Department of Environmental Sciences, WUM highlighted the major accomplishments and future plan of the university. Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC presented a brief overview of NAEAC activities, achievements made so far. During the inaugural session, Registrar, Director QEC, Director ORIC, HoD and other faculty members were present.



After welcome, AIC directly moved to relevant department where detailed presentation and discussions were held. Dr. Saima

Nasreen, Assistant Professor, Department of Environmental Sciences, WUM briefed the AIC in detail about working of the ES department and achievements in terms of student graduation, faculty positions and research projects. AIC also visited respective departmental infrastructure including labs, classrooms, library and faculty offices. Subject expert held individual meetings with students to get an insight teaching/working environment in the department. AIC also held individual faculty meeting to know the working environment and job satisfaction level.



In the exit meeting, program evaluators shared their observations with the Registrar, Director QEC, HoD, ES and other faculty members. Dr. Qamar Rubab thanked NAEAC team for their day-long deliberations and assured that the recommendations made by AIC would be implemented in order to increase graduate skills and raise the bar for education.



Pre-accreditation/Zero visit of Human Nutrition & Dietetics (HND) at Nishtar Medical University, Multan

December 21, 2022

The Governor of the Punjab Sardar Abdur Rab Nishtar made the announcement on 31st December 1950 in a public meeting that the government of Punjab has decided to establish a medical college and hospital at Multan. It was named as Nishtar Medical College and Hospital to honor Sardar Abdur Rab Nishtar. Foundation stone of the College & hospital was laid by Sardar Abdur Rab Nishtar on 28th April 1951 and college started functioning from 1st October, 1953 with 80 beds hospital and currently there are 1700 beds. This college was given the charter of university in May 2017. Currently 245 students are enrolled in HND. There are 15 faculty members in HND and allied disciplines. University has its own hospital where HND students get practical training.



An Accreditation Inspection Committee (AIC) comprising of Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC as a convener, Prof. Dr. Nuzhat Huma, HoD, Department of FST, GCUF Sub-Campus Sahiwal and Dr. Tauseef Sultan, Institute of Food Science & Nutrition, Bahauddin Zakariya University (BZU), Multan as members conducted Zero/Pre-accreditation visit of Human Nutrition & Dietetics (HND) degree program of Nishtar Medical University, Multan.

Prof. Dr. Hafiz Muhammad Kamran Siddiqui, Chairperson, Department of Human Nutrition & Dietetics (HND), Nishtar Medical University (NMU), Multan received the guests. Prof. Dr. Rana Altaf Ahmed, Vice Chancellor, NMU, Multan formally welcomed NAEAC and AIC team. The inaugural session was started with the recitation of Holy Quran. Prof. Dr. Rana Altaf Ahmed, Vice Chancellor, NMU, presented an overview of the institute and shared the salient accomplishments of the university/institute. Prof. Dr. Ishtiaq A. Rajwana, Chairperson NAEAC presented a brief overview of NAEAC activities, achievements made so far. During the inaugural session, Registrar, HoD and other faculty members were present.

Later, AIC directly moved to HND where detailed presentation and discussion was held. Prof. Dr. Hafiz Muhammad Kamran Siddiqui, Chairperson, Department of Human Nutrition & Dietetics (HND),

NMU, Multan briefed the AIC in detail about working of the HND department and achievements in terms of student graduation, faculty positions and research projects. AIC also visited respective departmental infrastructure including labs, classrooms, library and faculty offices. Subject expert held individual meetings with students to get an insight teaching/working environment in the department. AIC also held individual faculty meeting to know the working environment and job satisfaction level.



In the exit meeting, Program evaluators also shared their observations with the Prof. Dr. Rana Altaf Ahmed, Vice Chancellor, NMU, Multan, Registrar, HoD, HND and other faculty members. Dr. Rana thanked NAEAC team for their day-long deliberations and assured that the recommendations made by AIC would be implemented to raise the standard of education and to improve the skills of the graduates produced.

