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Who are we?

Salim Habib University (SHU) is a not-for-profit institution of higher learning committed to providing quality university education to the Pakistani youth, no matter what their financial constraints.

Established through a charter granted by the Provincial Assembly, Sindh, in 2015, Salim Habib University is supported by The Salim Habib Education Foundation (TSHEF), a not-for-profit organization that focuses on providing the people of Pakistan with safe and easy access to international-standard educational and healthcare facilities. At present, TSHEF's large-scale projects in Pakistan include the Salim Habib Education Complex, Toba Tek Singh, Salim Habib University, Karachi, and its upcoming Fatima Business School.

Salim Habib University, founded by the dynamic Dr. Muhammad Salim Habib (Life Chairman, SHU), and the charismatic Dr. Iram Afaq (Chief Executive Officer, TSHEF and Barrett Hodgson Pakistan (Pvt.) Ltd., and Chancellor, SHU), is located at Korangi Creek, Karachi, and spans over six acres of lush landscaping. It boasts ultra-modern infrastructure featuring a five-story academic block with thirty-three state-of-the-art labs, a uniquely-built four-floor library, and world-class sports facilities.

The University focuses on ensuring that its graduates emerge as well-rounded, competent individuals who harbor the passion to engage in continual learning and have the ability to lead future generations to prosperity.



Cultivating Human Capital

Our Center for Learning and Teaching (CLT) organized an expansive range of training and development workshops and sessions in recent months, with the aim of enhancing the skills and upgrading the knowledge base of our faculty, staff, and students, and ensuring that they are prepared for the demands of the ever-changing world, on both a personal and professional level.

These sessions included:

- *Brand Yourself* by Ms. Mufarrah Malik, Head of Partnerships & Outreach, AshreiTech
- A seminar on *Clinical Concepts in Total Parenteral Nutrition (TPN)* by Dr. Tariq Mansoor, Group Pharmacy Director, Saudi German Health UAE, and Board Member, Giving Back to Pharmacy (GBTP)
- *High-Performance Computing using CUDA* by Dr. Raazia Sosan, Assistant Professor, DHA Suffa University
- *Project Sustainability and Analysis Using Project Management Tools* by Ms. Saba Khan, Enterprise Advisor, Better Work Pakistan, ILO
- Workshop on *Revamping the New HEC Graduate Policy 2023* by Syed Waqar Ul Hasan, Director QEC & Regulatory Affairs, Salim Habib University
- A seminar titled *Use Heart for Action* in commemoration of World Heart Day by Dr. Rajesh Kumar, Interventional Cardiologist, NICVD Karachi
- A seminar on *Drosophila: Little Humans with Wings* by Prof. Dr. Mushtaq Hussain, Principal, DOW College of Biotechnology, DUHS
- A session on *Stem Cells and Scaffolds for Tissue Engineering Applications* by Dr. Omair Anwar Mohiuddin, Assistant Professor, PCMD, ICCBS, University of Karachi
- A seminar titled *Rabies Virus: Transmission, Pathogenicity, and Vaccine Development* by Dr. Muhammad Usman, Assistant Professor, FUUAST, held in commemoration of World Rabies Day

QEC Workshop on International Rankings for SDGs in collaboration with Sindh HEC

Salim Habib University's Quality Enhancement Cell (QEC), in collaboration with the Sindh Higher Education Commission (HEC), successfully hosted a one-day workshop focusing on International Rankings for Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) on Monday, September 30, 2024. The event attracted over 100 participants from both public and private sector universities across Sindh.

The workshop, led by Dr. Abdul Wahid Usmani, Director of the Quality Enhancement Cell (QEC) at Jinnah Sindh Medical University (JSMU), was highlighted by the presence of prominent figures, including Mr. Moinuddin Siddiqui, Secretary of Sindh HEC, Mr. Saleemuddin, Director of Quality Assurance, Sindh HEC, Prof. Dr. Syed Irfan Hyder, Vice Chancellor, Salim Habib University, Dr. Muhammad Hussain Habib, Registrar, Salim Habib University, and Syed Waqar ul Hasan, Director QEC & Regulatory Affairs, Salim Habib University.

Dr. Usmani guided participants from various Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) on how to effectively participate in the Times Higher Education Impact Rankings 2025 by submitting data in accordance with the relevant SDGs. He shared insights on compiling documentary evidence, ensuring its accurate placement, and addressing other essential aspects to succeed in the global rankings.

The workshop was an invaluable opportunity for participants to deepen their understanding of international ranking systems, especially in the context of SDG-related activities, and demonstrated SHU's commitment to quality education and global standards.



Pharmacy Faculty Development Program: Introduction to Common Technical Document (CTD)

A training workshop titled 'Introduction to Common Technical Document (CTD)', organized by the Faculty of Pharmacy, Salim Habib University, under its Faculty Development Program, took place on Thursday, August 1, 2024.

The workshop, led by Dr. Iftikhar Jafri, a seasoned pharmaceutical professional, equipped participants with practical knowledge and tools to produce clear, concise, and effective technical documentation. It also covered advanced regulatory requirements and skills to enhance academic and professional capabilities in preparing documents and registration dossiers. The session delved into the intricacies of technical documentation, including standards, regulatory requirements, best practices, and applications.



Faculty Attends Islamic Finance Certification Program

Mr. Kashif Arif, Associate Professor and Chairperson, Department of Accounting & Finance, and Lecturers Mr. Salman Qayyum Galani, Mr. Abdullah Idrees, and Ms. Priyanka Bajaj, participated in a weeklong training program titled 'Islamic Finance Certification Program for Business Faculty', which was jointly organized by Meezan Bank Limited, IBA CEIF, and Ihsan Trust at the National Institute of Banking and Finance (NIBAF), Pakistan, from August 5-9, 2024.

Research Excellence

Salim Habib University is committed to nurturing and promoting a culture of research and innovation, striving tirelessly towards this objective. Our faculty is actively involved in groundbreaking research spanning diverse fields, and our dedication to research is evident through our state-of-the-art research facilities, focused mentorship, and abundant avenues for training and collaborative initiatives.

In recent months:

- A research article titled *A Neural-Network Based Web Application on Real-Time Recognition of Pakistani Sign Language* co-authored by Engr. Muhammad Shaheer Mirza, Lecturer, Department of Biomedical Engineering, was successfully accepted for publication in the subscription-based Elsevier journal *Engineering Applications of Artificial Intelligence* (Q1 Journal, HEC HJRS Category: W, Medallion: Platinum, Impact Factor: 7.5).
- Mr. Muhammad Abdullah Idrees, Lecturer, Department of Business Administration, Faculty of Management Sciences co-authored a research paper titled '*Comparative Analysis of FinTech Adoption among Islamic and Conventional Banking Users with Moderating Effect of Education Level: A UTAUT2 Perspective*', which was published in the Elsevier journal '*Journal of Open Innovation: Technology, Market, and Complexity*' (Q1 Journal, HEC HJRS Category: X, Medallion: Clay, CiteScore: 11.0).
- A research article on '*Density Peaks Clustering Based on Gaussian Fuzzy Neighborhood with Noise Parameter*' co-authored by Ms. Sumra Khan, Lecturer, Department of Computer Science, and Prof. Dr. Rizwan Ahmed Khan, Dean, Faculty of Information Technology, was published in the Elsevier journal *Expert Systems with Applications* (Q1 Journal, HEC HJRS Category: W-Platinum).
- Mr. Ali Asgher Shuja, Lecturer, Faculty of Pharmacy, presented his research work via oral presentation at the International Conference on Food and Applied Sciences (ICFAS-24) which took place in Nathiagali, Pakistan, from August 19 to 21, 2024. He was also invited to deliver a talk on cancer at the 1st International Conference on Pharmacology and Allied Sciences (ICPAS 2024) held at ICCBS, University of Karachi, from August 24-25, 2024.
- As part of the Salim Habib University Faculty Development Program, Dr. Affhan Shoaib, Associate Professor, Department of Biosciences, participated in the 6th Hands-on Training Workshop on Advanced Bioinformatics and Recombinant Biotechnology that took place at the University of Central Punjab, Lahore, from August 21-22, 2024. The training modules included Computer-Aided Drug or Vaccine Designing, Molecular Docking, Primer Design and Insilico PCR, Artificial Neural Networks, and Nanoinformatics.



- Ms. Saba Razzak, Lecturer, Faculty of Pharmacy, presented her research work titled '*Simultaneous Determination of Antiemetics Ondansetron and Domperidone Using RP-HPLC: A Study on Compatibility by Invitro Drug Interactions*' at the International Conference on Research Advancements in Chemistry (ICRA-C 2024). The three-day conference, organized by the Department of Chemistry, NUST Islamabad, took place from August 21 to 23, 2024.
- Ms. Memona Fatima, Lecturer, Faculty of Pharmacy, was invited to present her research work at the 1st International Conference on Pharmacology & Allied Sciences (ICPAS 2024), organized by the Department of Pharmacology, University of Karachi, in collaboration with the International Center for Chemical and Biological Sciences (ICCBS), from August 24 to 25, 2024.
- Prof. Dr. Zeeshan ul Haque, Dean, Faculty of Engineering, was featured as a panelist for a session on Biomedical Engineering & Industry 4.0/5.0 Technologies at IEEE R10 Young Professionals UpSkill 2024, held at Ziauddin University on September 19, 2024.



Seminar on Educational Opportunities in France

Campus France Pakistan Officers Mr. Mir Hamza Khan Khattak and Mr. Ali Zain were invited to Salim Habib University on Thursday, September 19, 2024 to conduct a seminar on educational opportunities in France.

This interactive seminar, organized by the Department of Computer Science, Faculty of Information Technology, was a great chance for the audience to learn how to pursue higher studies in France.

SHU Recognized as a Distinguished Partner by Indus Hospital & Health Network

In a true moment of pride for us and in recognition of our Honourable Chancellor Dr. Iram Afaq's vision of giving back to society, Salim Habib University was declared a Distinguished Partner by Indus Hospital & Health Network (IHHN) on the occasion of *Meer-e-Karwan Tum Ho*, IHHN and Indus Yaqeen's first Youth Conference, held on September 8, 2024.

Mr. Muhammad Abbas, Chief Operating Officer of The Salim Habib Education Foundation (TSHEF) and Executive Director Finance SHU, was honoured with a shield presented by Dr. Abdul Bari Khan, President IHHN, as an expression of IHHN's appreciation for our support and help and the efforts of our dedicated student volunteers.

We are proud to stand with Indus Hospital & Health Network and vow to continue to contribute to their mission to serve humanity and create a healthier and more prosperous Pakistan.



Student Achievements

Biomedical Engineering Student Team Wins 3rd Place at IEEE Region 10 Robotics Competition in Japan

Mirza Areeb Baig, Zarish Majid Shaikh, and Syeda Fakhra Jalal, Final Year Biomedical Engineering students from Salim Habib University, won 3rd place at the IEEE Region 10 Robotics Competition held in Tokyo, Japan, for their Final Year Project *Robotic Grasper with Integrated Haptic Feedback Mechanism*. They were one of 10 teams shortlisted for this rigorous robotics competition out of a total of 30 teams from all over the Asia-Pacific region.

Their award-winning project, which is a portable robotic tool designed to enable surgeons to perform minimally invasive surgery with control and precision, was supervised by Prof. Dr. M. Zeeshan ul Haque, Dean, Faculty of Engineering, and co-supervised by Engr. Muhammad Aamir, Lecturer, Department of Biomedical Engineering, with the constant support and guidance of Dr. Muhammad Hussain Habib, Registrar.

Salim Habib University is committed to providing students with opportunities for international exposure and mobility through competitions and exhibitions, and takes pride in showcasing Pakistan's talent and contributing to the country's recognition on global platforms.



Biomedical Engineering and Computer Science Final Year Design Projects Selected for Funding by Ignite NGIRI

Final Year Design Projects developed by our talented Biomedical Engineering and Computer Science students were selected for funding by Ignite NGIRI 2023-24.

These projects include:

Biomedical Engineering

1. *MediSync Alert Hub* by Nabiha Rehman, Maryam Ashfaque, and Sharjeel Hassan, supervised by Engr. Gul Munir and Engr. Hassan Ali, Lecturers, Department of Biomedical Engineering
2. *An Efficient P300 BCI Speller for Disabled Patients*, by Amna Jawed Shaikh, Sarah Tariq, and Muzammil Ahmed, supervised by Engr. Muhammad Aamir and Engr. Shaheer Mirza, Lecturers, Department of Biomedical Engineering

Computer Science

1. *Effective Eyewear Shopping with Virtual AI Try-On* by Alisha Fatima, Muhammad Sufyan, and Muhammad Taha, supervised by Ms. Saadia Karim, Lecturer, Department of Computer Science
2. *Legal Aid for Lawyers and Non-Lawyers* by Qamar Abbas, Abdul Hanan Khan, and Shahfaiz Baig, supervised by Ms. Sidra Nasir, Lecturer, Department of Computer Science and co-supervised by Prof. Dr. Rizwan Ahmed Khan, Dean, Faculty of Information Technology

Biomedical Engineering

- 3. An Intelligent Device for Diabetic Management**, by Syed Saim Ahmed, supervised by Prof. Dr. Zeeshan Ul Haque, Dean, Faculty of Engineering, and Engr. Gul Munir, Lecturer, Department of Biomedical Engineering

Students Win Debate Round at Indus Hospital & Health Network's First Youth Conference

Hurr Abbas and Areeba Soomro, students from Salim Habib University, won 1st Place and 2nd Place respectively in the debate segment of Indus Hospital & Health Network and Indus Yaqeen's First Youth Conference *Meer-e-Karwan Tum Ho*, themed 'Unfiltered Truth: The Real Cost of Nicotine', which took place at Beach Luxury Hotel on Sunday, September 8, 2024.

Hurr and Areeba had been shortlisted after two rigorous rounds to participate in the final round of debate, where they debated the pros and cons of banning or taxing new nicotine/tobacco products.

Pharmacy Student Recognized for Extensive Volunteer Work

Hiba Aamir, our dedicated Doctor of Pharmacy student with a penchant for social work, received a Dynamic Participation Award from Indus Hospital & Health Network for her passion to serve and her dedicated volunteerism for Indus over the last couple of years.

IEEE SHU Student Branch Wins a Young Professionals (YP) Mentoring Meet Fund Worth USD 1000

The IEEE SHU Student Branch won a Young Professionals (YP) Mentoring Meet Fund worth USD 1000. Congratulations to Engr. Tooba Khan, Lecturer, Biomedical Engineering, and Advisor EMBS and ComSoc, Mr. M. Wasim Munir, Assistant Professor, Biomedical Engineering, and Branch Counsellor, IEEE SHU Student Branch, and the branch members whose efforts have resulted in this outstanding achievement!

Alumni Success Story

Fatima Tuz Zahra, a Computer Science graduate of Salim Habib University's class of 2024, has successfully secured a place in the MSc (Internet of Things and Cybersecurity) program on scholarship at the prestigious Faculté des Sciences et Technologies at the Université de Lille, Villeneuve d'Ascq, France.

Building Strategic Linkages

Memoranda of Understanding (MOU) have been signed recently between Salim Habib University and the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE Karachi Section), AIESEC (Association Internationale des Étudiants en Sciences Économiques et Commerciales) in Karachi South, EfroTech Pvt. Ltd., and Research Minds.



Computer Science

- 3. Predictive Analysis of PCOS on Ultrasound Images using XAI and MLOps** by Aliza Alwani, Dileep Kumar, and Hasaan Abdullah, supervised by Prof. Dr. Rizwan Ahmed Khan, Dean, Faculty of Information Technology, and co-supervised by Ms. Sidra Nasir, Lecturer, Department Computer Science
- 4. XAI-Based Breast Cancer Detection** by Fatima Tuz Zahra, Uzma Fatima, and Amber Asif, supervised by Prof. Dr Sheeraz Arif, Chairperson, Department of Computer Science, and co-supervised by Ms. Sumra Khan, Lecturer, Department of Computer Science



Engr. Tooba Khan
Lecturer, Biomedical Engineering
Advisor, EMBS & ComSoc



Mr. M. Wasim Munir
Assistant Professor, Biomedical Engineering
Branch Counsellor, IEEE SHU Student Branch



First Meeting of Energy Policy Working Group - SHU Center for Policy Research & Sustainability (CPRS)

The first meeting of the Energy Policy Working Group of the Salim Habib University Center for Policy Research & Sustainability (CPRS), a think tank focused on innovative solutions for sustainable growth in Pakistan, took place on Wednesday, August 7, 2024, with the aim of developing a policy to advise the government on electricity conservation and lead initiatives for sustainable energy practices.

The meeting was attended by energy experts from all over Pakistan, including Mr. Syed Musharraf Ali, CEO & Founder, GMS Pharma & Energy, who has extensive experience in energy conservation, optimization, and cogeneration, Mr. Aadil Riaz, Director Human Resources, Pakistan Cables Limited, who has previously been associated with K Electric Limited, Dr. Faisal Javaid, Dr. Asim Ahsan, and Mr. Wali Farooqi, Research Officers from the Institute of Policy Studies, Islamabad Office, who are well-versed in energy-related policy publications, Dr. Fahad Bin Abdullah, Assistant Professor, Department of Environment and Energy Management, Institute of Business Management, who possesses a strong background in energy security, Mr. Qazi Sajid Ali, Wind Power Turbine expert and former Managing Director at BASF, and Mr. Jalal Ahmed Khan, Consultant and Energy Conservation Expert.

Vice Chancellor SHU Prof. Dr. Syed Irfan Hyder, Member Board of Governors Mr. Tariq Amin, Registrar Dr. Muhammad Hussain Habib, and Librarian Ms. Sadia Arshad were also present.

As renewable energy sources like solar and wind decentralize the generation and distribution of power, the inefficiencies of traditional Independent Power Producers (IPPs) and Generation Companies (GENCOS) have been exposed, leading to increased cost issues, public pressures and protests, and other problems. The Energy Policy Working Group of the SHU CPRS aims to address these challenges by providing solutions that reduce the dependency on centralized, large-scale power producers and support a more sustainable energy future.



Dean Faculty of IT Selected for NCEAC Group of Academicians Tasked with Revolutionizing Programming Education in Pakistan

Prof. Dr. Rizwan Ahmed Khan, Dean, Faculty of Information Technology, was selected to join a distinguished group of academicians chosen by the National Computing Education Accreditation Council (NCEAC) and the Higher Education Commission (HEC Pakistan) to contribute to a transformative initiative aimed at reshaping pedagogy for programming skills in Pakistan.

The group, consisting of experienced professors from leading universities, has been working dedicatedly to ensure that Computer Science graduates evolve from mere coders to innovative problem solvers.



Biomedical Engineering Faculty Members Receive Cheques for PEC-Funded Projects

Engr. Gul Munir and Engr. Tooba Khan, Lecturers, Department of Biomedical Engineering, were invited to the Karachi Institute of Economics and Technology (KIET) for an event organized by the Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC) on July 3, 2024.

During the event, Engr. Mir Masood Rashid, Convener, PEC Pakistan Development Committee (PPDC) and Advisor to Chairman PEC, provided an insightful introduction to the PEC PPDC and its forward-thinking initiatives aimed at fostering engineering excellence and driving national development. The event also featured the formal handover of cheques for the 6 projects PEC has decided to fund out of more than 20, and we are proud that Engr. Gul Munir and Engr. Tooba were amongst the honoured recipients of these cheques.



Visit of Delegation from Niger

A delegation of private universities from Niger visited Salim Habib University on Wednesday, August 7, 2024. Our esteemed guests met with the University's top management, Deans, Directors, and Heads, and were taken on a tour of our state-of-the-art facilities.

The delegation included Dr. Ahmed Ali Sirohey, Pakistan's Ambassador to Niger, Mr. Ibrahim Guero Mahamadoul-Hadi, Rector, KAAT University, Dr. Halidou Soumana Ibrahim, KAAT University, Mr. M. Abdoulaye Sanda Maiga, Rector, IPSP, and Mr. Ibrahim bin Maqsood, African Institute of Technology, Niamey, accompanied by Ms. Saima Agha, MPA Sindh Assembly, and Parliamentary Secretary for Sports and Youth Affairs, and Mr. Shakir Ali.

Our guests were inspired by the University's cutting-edge facilities and programs and appreciated its efforts to provide quality education and contribute to societal development.

SHU-PSTD First Focus Group for Research Center

Salim Habib University's Career Placement & Industrial Liaison Office (CPILO-SHU) and the Pakistan Society for Training & Development (PSTD) held the first focus group for their Research Center, a transformative initiative for Pakistan's business landscape dedicated to delivering credible, solution-oriented data for critical challenges, setting benchmarks for organizations, and empowering them to drive growth and foster skill development, on September 4, 2024.

The focus group, which took place at PSTD, brought together forward-thinking professionals to discuss the evolving dynamics of HR. Industry leaders shared valuable insights on themes such as hybrid workplaces and HR budgeting/spending, setting the stage for research-backed corporate decisions.



Industrial Visits

- Our MBA students visited **Kababjees'** factory and warehouse facilities on August 3, 2024. The visit provided students with a valuable opportunity to experience firsthand the real-world applications of their theoretical studies, gaining hands-on learning and industry exposure.
- Pharmacy students visited the Faculty of Pharmacy, **University of Karachi**, on August 22, 2024. This study trip was a great learning opportunity for students.
- Computer Science students were taken on an industrial visit to **Skillsrator** on September 25, 2024. This visit, which featured an engaging introductory session on e-commerce by Mr. Rehan Allahwala, showcased innovative approaches to e-commerce and entrepreneurship.





World Pharmacists Day 2024

The Faculty of Pharmacy at Salim Habib University celebrated World Pharmacists Day on Tuesday, September 24, 2024 with this year's theme of *Pharmacists: Meeting global health needs*.

Mr. Abdullah Feroz, Chairman & Managing Director of Efoze Group of Companies, graciously accepted to be the Chief Guest of the event.



World Pharmacists Day celebrations were complimented by talks delivered by eminent experts who highlighted the significance of the day and discussed a range of pharmacy-centered topics. These experts included Dr. M. A. Rubb, Senior Pharmacist and Principal, Ikhlas Group of Colleges, Prof. Dr. Sumbul Shamim, Principal, College of Pharmacy, DOW University of Health Sciences, Ms. Ruby Saeed, Senior General Manager Quality Operations and Research & Development, Herbion Pakistan (Pvt) Ltd., Dr. Aslam Shah, Chief of Pharmacy Services, Indus Hospital & Health Network, and Dr. Zaad Hashmi, Head of Foodpanda Pharmacies.



These enlightening talk sessions were followed by an exhibition of the innovative research projects prepared by PharmD students.

The ceremony was also commemorated with a World Pharmacists Day cake cutting by distinguished guests and our very own Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Syed Irfan Hyder.

A Panel Discussion was also organized, participated in by top experts from the pharmacy profession, including Prof. Dr. Ghazala Hafeez Rizwani, Dean Research Institute, Hamdard University, Prof. Dr. Fayyaz Vaid, Professor, Department of Pharmaceutical Chemistry, University of Karachi, Prof. Dr. Iqbal Azhar, Chairperson, Department of Pharmacognosy, University of Karachi, Dr. Obaid Ali, Lead, Strategic Office of Science & Technology, Drug Regulatory Authority of Pakistan, Dr. Munir Anwar, Senior Director Operations, ATCO Laboratories Ltd., Dr. Iftikhar Jaffri, GMP and Quality Consultant in pharmaceutical industries, Dr. Zaad Hashmi, and Dr. Arif Ali Arain, Senior Manager and Head of Pharmacy Services, Indus Hospital & Health Network.

COP-in-my-City Sindh 2024

COP-in-my-City Sindh 2024, a youth-led initiative aimed at empowering climate youth leaders from across Pakistan, was held at Salim Habib University on September 27, 2024. The event, organized by Youth4Climate Pakistan and supported by UNICEF, UN Women, and the COP 29 Presidency, offered a much-needed platform for engaging young minds on climate issues while encouraging action-oriented dialogue and working towards fulfilling SDG Goal 13 (Taking urgent action to combat climate change and its impacts). The Chief Guest for the event was Mr. Mansoor Ali Shahani, Special Assistant to Chief Minister Sindh.

COP-in-my-City Sindh 2024 brought together top climate youth leaders and various international climate experts, including Mr. Qaiser Nawab, Global Climate Youth Leader, UNFCCC, UNEP, UNESCO, UNDP, and Commonwealth Youth Delegate, Ms. Cindy Kushner from UNICEF Pakistan as Chief of WASH and Climate Change, Environment and DRR (CED), Mr. Khalil Ibrahim Ali Hasan from the UAE Consulate, Mr. Kapil Dev, Provincial Coordinator for UN Women, Mr. Tariq Mehmood Khattak, Attorney at Law, Sindh Bar Council, Mr. Waqar Hussain Phulpoto, Director Sindh Environmental Protection Agency, Mr. Yasir Husain, Director of Climate Action Centre (CAC Karachi), Mr. Ayhan Mustafa Bhutto, Director General, Directorate of Climate Change, ECC & CDD, Govt. of Sindh, and Dr. Muhammad Hussain Habib, Registrar, Salim Habib University.

University students and youth leaders from across a range of regions engaged in critical dialogue to develop innovative solutions to pressing environmental challenges, highlighting the urgency of addressing climate change and taking proactive steps toward a sustainable future.



Orientation MBA Program

The Orientation for the new intake of the Salim Habib University MBA Weekend program took place on Saturday, September 28, 2024.

The event included talks given by our Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Syed Irfan Hyder, Registrar Dr. Muhammad Hussain Habib, and Head of MBA Program Dr. Hassaan Ahmed.

One of the highlights of the event was a Panel Discussion on The Future of Work which featured Prof. Dr. Syed Irfan Hyder, Mr. Amin, Founding Partner, You Pitch Live, Mr. Rohail Imtiaz, e-Commerce and Performance Lead, Shan Foods Pvt. Ltd., Ms. Saba Mushtaq, Head of Marketing and Communications, Bykea Technologies, and Ms. Mufarrah Malik, Head of Partnerships, Outreach at AshreiTech.



Students Volunteer at TREE Conference

Our BBA students had a great experience contributing as lead volunteers at the TREE Conference, which, held on September 28, 2024 at PC Hotel, Karachi, brought together countless professionals with the aim of creating opportunities and fostering growth.

SALIM HABIB UNIVERSITY STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS

Student Council

Student Societies

- Arts and Literature Society
- Outreach & Public Relations Society
- Sports Society
- Public Speaking Society
- Event Society
- Marketing & Media Society
- Character-Building Society
- CSR Society - *Pukaar*

Departmental Societies

- Pharmacy - PharmDeeS
- Computer Science - CS Cube
- Biomedical Engineering - We.M.E.
- Biosciences - BioSoc
- Management Sciences - NexGen LeaderS

IEEE SHU Student Branch (IEEE SHUSB)

- IEEE Engineering in Medicine and Biology Society (EMBS)
- IEEE SHU Communications Society (ComSoc)
- IEEE Sight SHU Student Branch
- WIE SHU Student Branch
- IEEE Computer Society SHU Student Branch



Events

The following events and activities also took place from July to September 2024:

WEMEETUP 3.0

WEMEETUP 3.0: Connecting with Healthcare Professionals was organized by Salim Habib University's Department of Biomedical Engineering, the IEEE SHU Student Branch and WeMe, the Biomedical Engineering departmental society, in collaboration with IEEE Young Professionals and IEEE Women in Engineering (WIE) Affinity Group Karachi Section on Tuesday, July 9, 2024.



The session allowed students to interact with healthcare experts and learn from their expertise and ample experience. Invited healthcare professionals included Engr. Osama Asif, Senior Assistant Engineer, Aga Khan University, and Engr. Yumna Khan, Product Specialist, Hospital Supply Corporation.





Women in Engineering (WIE) Day Celebrations

Our IEEE Student Branch organized a grand celebration of the Women in Engineering (WIE) Day 2024 in collaboration with IEEE Women in Engineering (WIE) Affinity Group Karachi Section on July 9, 2024. The event showcased the role women are playing in innovation in AI, with a focus on the 4th Industrial Revolution (4IR), and included a dynamic talk by Ms. Hira Tariq, Co-Manager Google Developer Groups (GDG Kolachi). Chief Guest Parkash Lohana, Director ORIC KIET, Karachi, and Chair, IEEE Karachi Section Professional Activities Committee (2024-25), also addressed the audience.

Basic Life Support and First Aid Workshop

A Basic Life Support and First Aid Workshop conducted by HOPES MedAid Pakistan for Pharmacy students took place at Salim Habib University from August 15-16, 2024.



The workshop provided in-depth training on basic life support protocols, with hands-on practice to reinforce these critical skills. Participants left equipped with the knowledge and techniques necessary for effective emergency response.



Mehfil-e-Milaad-e-Mustafa (S.A.W.)

Mehfil-e-Milaad-e-Mustafa (S.A.W.), an event organized in celebration of Eid Milaad-un-Nabi, was held on Thursday, September 26, 2024. The event, highlighted by a Naat Competition, Declamation Contest, and Quiz Segment, also featured heartfelt Naats beautifully recited by Mr. Muhammad Atiq.



MBA Meetup

Salim Habib University's MBA Meetup 2024 was held at BBQ Tonight, Clifton, Karachi, on Sunday, August 25, 2024, and was a memorable event that everyone present enjoyed.



OUR PROGRAMS

Undergraduate

- BS Computer Science | BS Software Engineering | Doctor of Pharmacy | BS Cosmetic Sciences | BS Biosciences | BS Microbiology | BS Biotechnology
- BE Biomedical Engineering | BS Robotics & Intelligent Systems | BS Accounting & Finance | BBA | BS Business Analytics | BS Supply Chain Management
- BS Fintech | BS Actuarial Science & Risk Management | BS Content Development & Virality | BS Psychology | BS Digital Arts & Creative Design

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