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A glimpse into the inner world of Salim Habib University



Dr. Iram Afaq Chancellor

#### 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, and Salim Habib University, Karachi. Salim Habib University, founded by the dynamic Dr. Muhammad Salim Habib (Founder of TSHEF and Life Chairman, SHU), and the charismatic Dr. Iram Afaq (Chief Executive Officer and Founding Member, TSHEF, Deputy Chairman, Barrett Hodgson Pakistan, 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.





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### **CAREER CONNECT 2.23**

SHU Career Connect 2.23, organized by the Career Placement & Industrial Liaison Office at Salim Habib University, was held on Thursday, December 14, 2023. The mega event featured more than 30 multi-national corporations and local organizations and facilitated student engagement with HR experts and experienced industry professionals, offering valuable insights on excelling in interviews, creating compelling resumes, and developing core networking and communication skills critical for a successful corporate journey, while providing a centralized platform for SHU students as well as those from universities all over Karachi to access numerous job and internship opportunities.

Featured companies included British Council Pakistan, Toyota Southern Motors, Lucky Textile Mills Limited, LuckyOne Mall, HRSG, Lucky Core Industries Ltd., Ismail Industries Limited, Pakistan Beverage Limited (PBL), Herbion Naturals, PharmEvo Pvt. Ltd., S. Abdulla Home, Pakistan Petroleum Ltd., Burque Corporation Pvt. Ltd., Al Meezan Investments, Hamdard Laboratories Pakistan, Feroze1888 Mills Ltd., ValuStrat, Indus Hospital & Health Network, Soorty Enterprises Pvt. Ltd., Chiniot General Hospital, Leverify LLC, Nabiqasim Industries Pvt. Ltd. and Alkaram Towel Industries Pvt. Ltd., amongst others from a wide range of industries.

### **CULTIVATING HUMAN CAPITAL**

Numerous training and development workshops and sessions were held in recent months under the University's Center for Learning and Teaching (CLT), intended to polish the skills and upgrade the knowledge base of our faculty, staff, and students, and to ensure that they are up to date and prepared for the demands of the ever-changing world, on both a personal and professional level. These sessions included a Certified Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) Training Workshop conducted by a team from the Pakistan Life Savers Programme (PLSP), Centre of Excellence for Trauma and Emergencies, Aga Khan University, a session titled Particulate Air Pollution and its Health Effects in a Megacity of Asia: Karachi by Dr. Haider A. Khwaja, Associate Professor, School of Public Health, Department of Environmental Health Sciences, University at Albany, New York, a Breast Cancer Awareness Seminar by Dr. Amna Iqbal, Cancer Awareness Medical Officer, Shaukat Khanum Memorial Cancer Hospital & Research Centre, a Seminar on the Importance of Nanotechnology in Healthcare by Dr. Munezza Khan, Assistant Professor, Department of Biomedical Engineering, Balochistan University of Engineering and Technology (BUET), and an IT Industry-Academia Bridge Program by Dr. Shahzeb Malik, Chairman, Information Science & Technology Department, Government of Sindh, and Prof. Tahir Mehmood Chaudhry, Executive Director, Hazza Institute of Technology, Islamabad and CEO, Falcon Consulting.



### **INDUS KAY SITARAY GRADUATION CEREMONY**

The 10<sup>th</sup> Graduation Ceremony of *Indus Kay Sitaray*, Indus Hospital & Health Network's in-house school, took place at Salim Habib University on Tuesday, November 21, 2023. The ceremony, held to celebrate the completion of 5 years of *Indus Kay Sitaray* and honour its brave patient students who have successfully graduated from school while fighting disease, was beautiful and moving.

One of the highlights of the ceremony was a touching tableau presented by *Indus Kay Sitaray* students and alumni. It also featured a Keynote Address by the Chief Guest, Minister of Education,

Govt. of Sindh, Mrs. Rana Hussain, a talk by the Guest of Honour, Mrs. Sadia Rashid, President Hamdard Foundation Pakistan, and addresses by Dr. Zafar Zaidi, CEO IHHN, Ms. Faryal Kamran from the Faryal Kamran Initiatives, and Dr. M. Hussain Habib, Executive Director Education, Marketing, HR & Admin SHU, among others.





### WALK IN SOLIDARITY WITH PALESTINE



A walk to express solidarity with the people of Palestine was held at Salim Habib University on Thursday, October 26, 2023. Students, faculty, and staff turned out in great numbers to march peacefully to advocate for peace, justice, and freedom for the Palestinian people.





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### SALIM HABIB UNIVERSITY BECOMES AN ACADEMIC ASSOCIATE PARTNER FOR ERASMUS MUNDUS PROGRAM

Salim Habib University has secured approval from the consortium board of the European Union Erasmus Mundus Program of 'Intelligent Photonics for Security Reliability Sustainability and Safety (iPSRS)' to join as an Academic Associate Partner, through the efforts of Prof. Dr. Rizwan Ahmed Khan, Dean, Faculty of Information Technology.

## FRANCE UNVEILED: A SEMINAR ON EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

Mr. Francois Keo, Director International Relations, IMT Atlantique University, France, was invited to Salim Habib University on Thursday, October 19, 2023. Our esteemed guest was taken on a tour of the University campus, following which he conducted a seminar on educational opportunities in France titled 'France Unveiled'. This interactive seminar, organized by the Department of Computer Science, Faculty of Information Technology, SHU, was a great chance for the audience to learn how to pursue higher studies in France.



On the same day, students from Salim Habib University also visited the Choose France Education Fair organized by Campus France at Avari Towers, which had more than 12 top-notch French universities participating in it.

### **HEALTH ASIA 2023**

Biomedical Engineering and Biosciences students from Salim Habib University presented their projects at the 20<sup>th</sup> Health Asia International Conference & Exhibition 2023, which was held at Expo Centre, Karachi, from October 19 to 21, 2023.





In this edition of SHU World's Backpack to Briefcase: Alumni Success Stories, we proudly feature Laviza, a Computer Science graduate of the Class of 2022, who is now a Cybersecurity Analyst at British Telecom, UK.



SALIM HABIB UNIVERSITY'S DEPARTMENT OF BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING SUCCESSFULLY OBTAINS A GRANT FOR THE ERASMUS+ PROJECT BIOMED 5.0: CAPACITY BUILDING IN BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING EDUCATION FOR DIGITAL TRANSFORMATION AND INDUSTRY 4.0/5.0 TECHNOLOGIES

### BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING STUDENTS WIN AT 1<sup>st</sup> IEEEP NATIONAL STUDENT SYMPOSIUM

Biomedical Engineering students from Salim Habib University won big at the 1<sup>st</sup> IEEEP National Student Symposium organized by IEEEP Nawabshah Centre and hosted by Members of Salim Habib University's IEEE SHU Student Branch had the privilege of attending the prestigious IEEE 16th Pakistan Student/Young Professionals/Women in Engineering/SIGHT Congress 2023 (PSYWSC'23) held at COMSATS University Islamabad from October 20 to 22, 2023.

Quaid-E-Awam University of Engineering, Science & Technology (QUEST), Nawabshah, Sindh, Pakistan, which was held from October 23 to 24, 2023.

Adam Rafiq Jeraj, Mudasir Rafiq, and Mahnoor Maqsood placed 1<sup>st</sup> for their project *Hand-e-Ssist*, supervised by Engr. Hassan Ali and co-supervised by Engr. Tooba Khan, Lecturers of Biomedical Engineering at SHU, while Syed Saim Ahmed placed 2<sup>nd</sup> for his Research Paper titled *Designing of a Smart and Cost-Effective Spectrophotometer*, which was supervised, again, by Engr. Hassan Ali along with Mr. Muhammad Amir, Lecturer Biomedical Engineering, SHU.

It is also of note that of the three technical sessions at the Symposium, each consisting of 15 to 20 research papers for moderation, one session was moderated by Dr. Munsif Ali Jatoi, Associate Professor Biomedical Engineering SHU, and the other by Engr. Hassan Ali. They moderated various research papers from a range of domains of engineering.

### **BIOMEDICAL ENGINEERING PROJECTS TO BE FINANCED BY PEC**

We take immense pride in announcing that five Final Year Design Projects (FYDPs) created by Salim Habib University's bright Biomedical Engineering students have been selected for financing for the year 2023-2024 by the Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC).

The selected projects are:

- 1. Design and Development of Human Patient Simulator
- 2. Fabrication of Sodium Alginate Microparticles Embedded in PVA Hydrogel for Tissue Regeneration
- 3. Eco-Friendly Bioplastic/PVA Composite for Biomedical Applications
- 4. Comparative Evaluation of the Properties of PEEK, PMMA, and Titanium for Cranial Implants
- 5. Hand-e-Ssist (Automated Therapeutic Arm)

### COMPUTER SCIENCE FINAL YEAR PROJECT SELECTED FOR FYP ACCELERATOR PROGRAM ORGANIZED BY 10PEARLS

The Final Year Project created by Salim Habib University's Computer Science students Nabeel Ali Khan, Rabia Shaikh, and Sawera Rashid was selected for the FYP Accelerator Program organized by 10Pearls, a globally recognized software development company. The project, supervised by Dr. Samita Bai, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science, Salim Habib University, is titled 'Dog's Skin Disease Classification with Explainable AI by Multispectral Imaging'.

### **HEC INTERVARSITY TABLE TENNIS TOURNAMENT**

The table tennis team from Salim Habib University placed 4<sup>th</sup> at the HEC Intervarsity Table Tennis Tournament held at DOW University of Health Sciences on November 4, 2023.

### **GRAD WEEK FALL 2023**

The graduating class of Fall 2023 was treated to a weeklong series of events and activities to sum up their rollercoaster undergrad journey. Their Grad Week included a Movie Day, a Meme Day, a day dedicated to the bestowal of titles, a trip to Jumbo Jump, the world's largest jumping castle in Karachi, and a formal Farewell Dinner.





### 14<sup>TH</sup> INTERNATIONAL BIENNIAL CONFERENCE OF THE PAKISTAN SOCIETY FOR MICROBIOLOGY (FIBC-PSM 2023)

The 14<sup>th</sup> International Biennial Conference of the Pakistan Society for Microbiology (FIBC-PSM 2023), organized in collaboration with Salim Habib University (SHU), and hosted by SHU's Department of Biosciences, Faculty of Science, was held at SHU from November 22-24, 2023.

The conference, themed *Disasters, Epidemics, and Public Health Challenges for Microbiologists,* included 19 scientific sessions, a dozen hands-on workshops, keynote lectures, a scientific exhibition, and oral and poster presentations of research papers by foreign and local experts. More than 400 delegates from educational and research institutions in Pakistan and abroad participated in the conference, including participants from Lebanon, Jamaica, Iran, Australia, the United States, and other countries.

The conference was declared officially open in a grand Inauguration Ceremony held on November 22, 2023, the Chief Guest for which was Prof. Dr. Kausar Abdullah Malik, Federal Minister for National Food Security and Research, Pakistan. Prof. Dr. Farhan Essa Abdullah, Patron-in-Chief of the Pakistan Society for Microbiology, and CEO, Dr. Essa Laboratory & Diagnostic Center, Prof. Dr. Shahana Urooj Kazmi, President of the Pakistan Society for Microbiology and Chairperson FIBC-PSM 2023, and Prof. Dr. Shakeel Ahmed Khan, Vice Chancellor, Salim Habib University, also addressed the audience during the ceremony, speaking about the significance of the conference, which covered a wide range of the extensions of microbiology and their applications in healthcare, food, agriculture, pharmaceuticals, diagnostics, and other industries.



Vice Chancellors in attendance, namely Prof. Dr. Fateh Muhammad Marri, Vice Chancellor, Sindh Agriculture University, Tandojam, and Prof. Dr. Mujaddad Ur Rehman, Vice Chancellor, Abbottabad University of Science & Technology, KPK, expressed their views on the conference at its Inaugural, while Dr. Rana Jawad Asghar, CEO, Global Health Strategists & Implementers (GHSI), Pakistan, and Adjunct Professor of Epidemiology, University of Nebraska Medical Center, USA, gave the Dr. Ahmed Ali Anwar Memorial Lecture. Prof. Dr. Aqeel Ahmad, Dean, Faculty of Science, Salim Habib University, and Secretary FIBC-PSM 2023, presented the Vote of Thanks.

Also present, among other dignitaries and personalities of renown from both industry and academia, were Prof. Dr. Johar Ali, Vice Chancellor, Usmania Institute of Technology University, Karachi, Prof. Dr. Saeed Khan, Chairman, Department of Molecular Pathology, DOW University of Health Sciences, Karachi, and Dr. Kaiser Waheed, CEO, Medisure Pharma.

The conference program also contained a Gala Dinner hosted by Dr. Iram Afaq, the Honourable Chancellor of Salim Habib University.

Notably in attendance from Salim Habib University were Mr. Muhammad Abbas, Executive Director Finance SHU and Chief Operating Officer of The Salim Habib Education Foundation, Prof. Dr. Kaleem Raza Khan, Registrar, Dr. Muhammad Hussain Habib, Executive Director Education, Marketing, HR & Admin, Dr. Arshad Mahmood, Chairperson, Department of Biosciences, and the University's Directors, Deans, Heads of Departments, Chairpersons, faculty, students, and staff.







### SALIM HABIB UNIVERSITY OPENS ITS DOORS FOR KARACHI

The Salim Habib University Open House was held on Thursday, November 16, 2023. More than 4000 aspiring students visited our campus on the day of the Open House, with the aim of experiencing our world-class facilities, exploring the market-competitive programs and dynamic career opportunities we offer, and witnessing the SHU way of life.

The Open House included not only campus tours, career counselling sessions and briefings, but also a Project Exhibition, a Panel Discussion featuring our own highly-qualified Faculty members, and fun activities such as karaoke and games, and lots of food options.

We also held an Awards Ceremony by the name of

Shining Stars Awards on the same day, to recognize and award high-achieving college and intermediate level students all over Karachi for academic excellence as well as their extraordinary talents and achievements in extra-curricular activities.





### CONNEX 2023 - TECH TUNED HEARTS

Salim Habib University was a Support Sponsor for CONNEX 2023 – an HR Conference & Exhibition organized by the Pakistan Society for Training and Development that was held at Pearl Continental, Karachi, on Wednesday, November 1, 2023, and was attended by multiple leading corporations and Tier-1 MNCs. The conference, themed Tech Tuned Hearts, was a great platform for our HR experts and enthusiasts to learn about the current issues and latest developments in the HR world. We thank the Career Placement & Industrial Liaison Office for this great opportunity!

### ACADEMIA-INDUSTRY CONNECT

Salim Habib University's Career Placement and Industrial Liaison Office arranged a Study Tour to Lucky Textile Mills Limited on Tuesday, November 21, 2023, as part of its Academia-Industry Connect program for students. The trip gave students not only the industry exposure they require but also the chance to develop their soft skills, get some experiential learning, and upgrade their portfolios.

#### **SPORTS MEETUP**

A meetup of Sports Heads and representatives of sports from leading educational institutions in Karachi including Nixor College, The Lyceum School, Karachi Grammar School, Beaconhouse School System, and The City School, amongst others, was organized by Salim Habib University's Sports Department on Friday, November 17, 2023. The meetup, which also included a Networking Lunch, successfully initiated a productive discussion and talks of collaboration to improve the system of athletics at schools, colleges, and universities in the city, with the end-goal of promoting sports and providing exciting opportunities to young and budding athletes.



### TRUKARACHI 2023

Dr. Muhammad Hussain Habib, Executive Director Education, Marketing, HR & Admin, Salim Habib University, was the Track Leader for an open discussion on Visualizing Employers & Employees of 2030 held at the second edition of TruKarachi, a Recruiting 'Unconference' by the Recruiters, which took place on November 16, 2023, at Avari Towers, Karachi.

Salim Habib University, through an initiative taken by the Career Placement & Industrial Liaison Office, was also an Official Learning Partner for the event, which featured 120 recruiting, sourcing, and employer branding experts, and included talks on a range of recruitment issues.



### AGA KHAN UNIVERSITY'S 3<sup>RD</sup> ANNUAL BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES CONFERENCE

Prof. Dr. Rizwan Ahmed Khan, Dean, Faculty of Information Technology, Salim Habib University, was an Invited Speaker at Aga Khan University's 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Biological Sciences Conference: *From Basics to Breakthroughs*, that took place on Wednesday, November 15, 2023. His presentation, titled *Elevating Healthcare: The Convergence of AI and Medical Imaging*, was an enriching experience for all who attended.

Moreover, Computer Science students Aliza Alwani, Dileep Kumar, and Hasaan Abdullah, were awarded Second

Prize for their research poster on Machine Learning Approach for Early Parkinson's Disease Identification through Voice Analysis, among forty incredible presentations.

Dr. Affhan Shoaib, Assistant Professor, Department of Biosciences, SHU, also presented his paper titled *Probiotics: The Path to a Happy Belly.* 



### **UNLOCKING THE POWER: WOMEN ON WHEELS - SERIES II**

Unlocking the Power: Women on Wheels - Series II, a 10-day training program organized by Salim Habib University's Department of Business Administration, Faculty of Management Sciences, under an initiative taken in collaboration with Atlas Honda, was held from Monday, November 27, 2023, to Friday, December 8, 2023. The program aimed to empower women by teaching them how to ride a motorcycle and thus equipping them with skills designed to enhance their mobility and independence.

### **MOU SIGNED WITH PAKISTAN FREELANCERS' ASSOCIATION**

An MoU Signing Ceremony was held on Monday, December 11, 2023, to signify that Salim Habib University has entered into a collaboration with the Pakistan Freelancers' Association (PAFLA) by way of a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU). The MoU Signing Ceremony was presided over by Prof. Dr. Shakeel Ahmed Khan, Vice Chancellor SHU and Mr. Tufail Ahmed Khan, President & CEO PAFLA. Registrar SHU, Prof. Dr. Kaleem Raza Khan and Mr. Ibrahim Amin, Chairman PAFLA, also graced the ceremony with their presence. The MoU, which intends to strengthen academia-industry linkages to bring about both the professional development of SHU students and to empower them through providing freelancing opportunities and mentoring and guidance regarding the same, with the ultimate goal of leading them to financial independence, was followed by a Grand Seminar on Freelancing Opportunities conducted by representatives from PAFLA.



### **BIOSCIENCES UNDERGRADUATE INTRA-UNIVERSITY POSTER COMPETITION**

The Department of Biosciences, Faculty of Science, Salim Habib University, held an Undergraduate Intra-University Poster Competition on Friday, December 15, 2023, in collaboration with the Department of Computer Science. The competition exhibited the incredible research work students of Biosciences, Computer Science, Biomedical Engineering, and related fields have produced, and awed the judges.

WINNERS	1 <sup>st</sup> Position	2 <sup>nd</sup> Position	3 <sup>rd</sup> Position
Technology Stream	Heart Disease Prediction Using KNN Classifier by Maryiam Ashfaq, Amna Ayaz & Nabiha Rahman, supervised by Prof. Dr. Rizwan Ahmed Khan, Dean, Faculty of Information Technology	Eco-Friendly PVA/Bioplastic Composie for Biomedical Applications by Maryam Furqan, Zaiba Muhammad & Qandeel Zahra, supervised by Engr. Tooba Khan, Lecturer, Department of Biomedical Engineering	Comparative Analysis between KNN, SVM and Decision Tree: Models for Accurate Diabetes Prediction by Amna Jawed Shaikh, Nisha Fatima, Muzammil Ahmed & Sarah Tariq, supervised Prof. Dr. Rizwan Ahmed Khan
Biology Stream	Antioxidants and Antibacterial Potential of Halophytes in Improving Skin Health by Ayesha Khan, supervised by Ms. Maleeha Moin Silat, Lecturer, Department of Biosciences, and Dr. Arshad Mahmood, Chairperson, Department of Biosciences	Effect of Intermittent Fasting and Starvation on Fertility and Health by Muhammad Irfan Akbar & Muhammad Arhum, supervised by Dr. Arshad Mahmood & Prof. Dr. Aqeel Ahmad, Dean, Faculty of Science	In Vitro Antidiabetic Potential of Medicinal Herbs by Rabia Nasir and Mohsin Riaz, supervised by Ms. Maleeha Moin Silat, Lecturer, Department of Biosciences, and Dr. Arshad Mahmood, Chairperson, Department of Biosciences

The judges for the competition were Dr. Sheeraz Arif, Chairperson, Department of Computer Science, Dr. Mudassar Azhar, Associate Professor, Faculty of Pharmacy, and Mr. M. Wasim Munir, Assistant Professor, Department of Biomedical Engineering.





### **COMPUTER SCIENCE FINAL YEAR PROJECT EXPO**

The Department of Computer Science, Faculty of Information Technology, Salim Habib University, held its Final Year Project Expo on Thursday, December 21, 2023. The showcase exhibited the incredible projects Computer Science students have created, which awed the judges and audience with their ingenuity.

WINNERS	Best Research	Best Product	
FYP I	Predictive Analysis of Polycystic Ovary Syndrome (PCOS) on Ultrasonic Images using XAI and MLOps by Aliza Alwani, Dileep Kumar, and Hassan Abdullah, supervised by Prof. Dr. Rizwan Ahmed Khan, Dean, Faculty of Information Technology	HealthHive (Emergency Ambulance Service App) by Safa Basha, Nisha Fatima, and Farzeen Ali, supervised by Ms. Sumra Khan, Lecturer Computer Science	
FYP II	Comparative Analysis of DPC and its Enhancements by Altamash Bin Masroor and Syed Faraz Ahmed, supervised by Ms. Sumra Khan, Lecturer Computer Science	RL Applied for Dynamic Game Difficulty Adjustment by Hasan Abbas Rizvi, supervised by Prof. Dr. Rizwan Ahmed Khan, Dean, Faculty of Information Technology	





### **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

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### **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)

### **EVENTS**

The following events and activities also took place from October to December 2023:

### Mountain Dew on Campus

Mountain Dew visited Salim Habib University for a two-day activity, from October 2-3, 2023, and brought with them countless fun opportunities for SHU students in the form of a fully-equipped Gamers' Arena, a range of activities, and of course, lots of free drinks!

### Mehfil-e-Milaad-e-Mustafa

Mehfil-e-Milaad-e-Mustafa, an event organized in celebration of Eid Milaad-un-Nabi, was held at Salim Habib University on Thursday, October 5, 2023. The beautiful event, featuring the renowned Naat Khwaan Atif Alam Qadri, was soulful and moving. Moulana Hafiz Waqas Ismail was a Guest Speaker for the event, while a beautiful Naat was also recited by Mr. Muhammad Atiq, Assistant Manager Systems and Project Lead for *Qirat, Naat & Seerat*-Related Activities. The *Mehfil* came to a conclusion with a beautiful Dua.



### UniWiz T6 Challenge

Salim Habib University's Sports Society held UniWiz T6 Challenge, a super exciting Inter-Departmental Cricket Tournament based on the knockout method, from Thursday, October 12, 2023, to Friday, October 13, 2023. The tournament saw budding cricketers from the University, both male and female, participating whole-heartedly and giving it their all to win. We loved the energy and exceptional sportsman spirit exhibited by all involved!

### Varsity Futsal Faceoff

Varsity Futsal Faceoff, an Inter-Departmental Futsal Tournament for men was organized by the SHU Sports Society on Friday, October 27, 2023. The exciting and action-packed tournament was a delight to watch as players from all Faculties at the University exhibited a beautiful display of athletic skill and spirit.

### SHU vs MiTE Table Tennis Tournament

Friendly games of table tennis were held on October 17, 2023, at Salim Habib University between SHU students and visiting teams from the Millennium Institute of Technology and Entrepreneurship (MiTE).

#### **Blood Donation Drive**

A Blood Donation Drive was held in association with Indus Hospital Blood Center on Thursday, October 19, 2023. Students turned out in great numbers to donate to this noble cause.

### Workshops on Python Programming, Logic Building in C, and Git

CS Cube, Salim Habib University's Computer Science departmental society, organized a series of workshops from October to November 2023, including one on Python Programming with a focus on Machine Learning, one on Logic Building in C, and a Git workshop.

### Noor-e-Saqafat

Noor-e-Sagafat, a celebration of local culture organized by the SHU Arts & Literature Society and held at Salim Habib University on Thursday, November 30, 2023, painted the SHU campus in beautiful, vibrant colours, each of them coming together to create a harmony of all the rich cultures that Pakistan boasts. The highlight of the event was the enthralling Qawwali event featuring Wagar & Ashfag Hussain of the Ashfag Brothers, which entranced the audience and gave them the melodic experience of a lifetime.



### **BioHorizon Gala: Excellence in Biomedical Engineering & Beyond**

BioHorizon Gala, an event held in celebration of Biomedical Engineering Day, was organized by Salim Habib University's IEEE Student Branch and the Biomedical Engineering Departmental Society We.M.E. on December 5, 2023. The event included an interesting and highly competitive segment called Pitch Revolution, followed by guest speaker sessions. The Inauguration Ceremony of the IEEE EMBS (Engineering in Medicine & Biology Society) was also held on the same day.

## TechFest

TechFest, a multicategory technology-themed competition, was organized by Salim Habib University's Departmental Society for Computer Science, CS Cube, on Thursday, December 7, 2023. The event had something for every tech enthusiast with a competitive spirit, including categories for Speed Programming, Video Editing, Graphic Designing, Pitch Your Idea, and e-Gaming.



## **OUR PROGRAMS**



