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### 77<sup>th</sup> Independence Day Celebrations at GCWUF 14, August, 2024

Government College Women University Faisalabad (GCWUF) celebrated the 77th Independence Day with great zeal and enthusiasm. The Vice-Chancellor, Professor Dr. Zill-i-Huma Nazli, attended the event as the Chief Guest, while former MNA Mian Abdul Manan and MPA Uzma Raja participated as Guests of Honor. The event was hosted by the Directorate of Student Affairs, GCWUF. The event commenced with the flag-hoisting ceremony led by the Vice-Chancellor Professor Dr. Zill-i-Huma Nazli. Mian Abdul Manan, Uzma Raja, Registrar Mr. Asif A Malik, Controller Examinations Ms. Rizwana Tanveer Randhawa, all coordinators, directors, heads of teaching and non-teaching departments, and a great number of faculty members participated in the ceremony. A special prayer was offered for the safety and protection of the nation. The University Guard Squad presented a salute to the national flag, followed by an impressive march-past. The ceremony was further highlighted by an Independence Day walk. In their special messages, the Vice-Chancellor and the Guests of Honor reflected on the significance and value of freedom, drawing attention to the current situation in Palestine. They emphasized that Pakistan's independence was achieved through the sacrifices of our ancestors, and we must cherish and protect it.







As pe the vision of the Chief Minister of Punjab for a Green Punjab, the Department of Botany GC Women University Faisalabad celebrated the 77th Independence Day of Pakistan as Plantation Day and arranged an in-campus plantation activity and walk. The Guest of Honour, former MNA Mian Abdul Manan and MPA Uzma Raja initiated the activity by planting Amaltas and Croton plants respectively. The Chief Guest, Vice Chancellor GCWUF Prof. Dr. Zill-i-Huma Nazli, also took part in this noble activity by planting a Croton plant and prayed for the stability and prosperity of Pakistan as well as for the success of this noble cause.

#### Department of Islamic Studies Organized a Quran Recitation and Naat Competotion on 13, August, 2024

Government College Women University, Faisalabad's Department of Islamic Studies organized a Quran Recitation and Naat competition on August 13, 2024, to mark Pakistan's Independence Day. The virtual event, held on the university's video conferencing platform, saw 20 students from various departments participate. A panel of judges, including Dr. Imrana Shahzadi, Ms. Zujajah, and Ms. Durkhshan Kanwal, evaluated the performances. The competition was divided into two categories: Quran Recitation and Naat. Tayyaba Batool (MPhil Botany) secured first position in Quran Recitation, followed by Hafiza Saman and Hafiza Alisha. In the Naat competition, Sana Rehmat (BS Chemistry) took first place, Tayyaba Batool secured second, and Amna Javed (BS English) came third. Vice Chancellor Prof. Dr. Zill-i-Huma Nazli presented certificates to the winners. Dr. Shazia Adnan, Incharge of the Islamic Studies Department, expressed gratitude to all participants and highlighted the event's aim to foster patriotism and Islamic values among students.





#### GCWUF CAMPUS NEWS

# The Department of Health and Physical Education Table Tennis Competition in Celebration of Independence Day at GCWUF

The Department of Health and Physical Education organized an exhilarating Azadi Cup Table Tennis Competition in celebration of Independence Day. The event was honored by the esteemed presence of our Vice Chancellor, Professor Dr. Zill-e-Huma Nazli, who served as the chief guest. Professor Dr. Ayesha Sameen, Coordinator of Arts and Social Sciences, along with Ms. Sumeira Rajab, Incharge of the Department of Health and Physical Education, warmly welcomed the Vice Chancellor and other distinguished guests. The program commenced with the recitation of the Holy Quran, setting a reverent tone for the day. The Vice Chancellor then inaugurated the competition with an inspiring opening ceremony. The table tennis match featured a thrilling face-off between the Green Team and the White Team, with the Green Team emerging triumphant and claiming first place. The Vice Chancellor commended both teams for their outstanding sportsmanship and teamwork, praising their enthusiasm and dedication to the sport. The event concluded with a cake-cutting ceremony, followed by a memorable group photo with the Vice Chancellor, faculty members, and students to commemorate the Azadi Cup on this significant day.







# 77<sup>th</sup> Independence Day of Pakistan the Department of Humanities in GCWUF 12,August,2024

To celebrate the 77th independence day of Pakistan, the Department of Humanities organized a Mili Nagma Competition on August 12, 2024, in the Video Conference Room. The competition had two segments; one was for students and the other for faculty members. Students and faculty members enthusiastically participated in the competition. The competition started with the National Anthem of Pakistan followed by the recitation of the Holy Quran. Among the faculty members Dr. Amara Javed, Assistant Professor, Department of English secured 1st position, Mis Qaria Aziz from Public Administration stood 2nd while Dr. Bushra Naz, Department of Education got 3rd position. Among students, Mehwish Suhail, Department of English, got 1st position, Sadia Tufail, Department of Computational Physics 2nd, and Amna Javaid from the Department of English 3rd position. Prof. Dr. Zilli Huma Nazli, Vice Chancellor GCWUF and the Chief Guest of the event appreciated all participants and distributed certificates among the winners and organizers of the competition. Dr. Unsa Jamshed, In-Charge Department of Humanities thanks all the participants for their active participation in making the event successful. She also extended her gratitude to Dr. Shahzia Adnan, In-Charge Department of Islamic Studies, and Dr. Saira Akhtar, In-Charge the Department of English for their serving as Judges for the competition.





#### 77<sup>th</sup> Independence Day of Pakistan Department of Urdu and English Department in GCWUF 13th ,August,2024





To celebrate the 77th Independence Day of Pakistan, a bilingual speech competition was organised by Departments of Urdu and English on August 13, 2024 at video conference room. A number of students from various departments participated enthusiastically. Dr Rukhsana Bibi, Coordinator Faculty of Arts & Social Sciences, highlighted the significance of the event. In Urdu speech competition, Amna Zahid (Urdu Department) scored 1st position, Saba Pervaiz & Mariam Ramzan (Urdu Department) achieved 2nd position, and Tooba Sarwar (Urdu Department) won third position. In English Speech competition, Amna Javaid (English Department) scored 1st position, Rida Shahid (English Department) got 2nd position, and Rija Ali (English Department) secured 3rd position Dr. Sadaf Naqvi Incharge Urdu Department and Dr Saira Akhter Incharge English Department extended their gratitude to judges for Urdu speeches Ms Bazgah Qandeel and Dr. Bushra Illum Din from Urdu department and judges for English speeches Dr. Amara Javed and Ms Aqdas Khanam. Prof Dr. Zill-i-Huma Nazli, Vice Chancellor Govt. College Women University Faisalabad, the Chief Guest of the event, appreciated all the participants, gave her

valuable remarks and distributed the certificates among the winners, judges & organisers of the event. The event was hosted by Ms. Mariyum Siddiq from English department.

# Knowledge-Sharing Activity on "The Use of Artificial Intelligence in Higher Education on 25<sup>th</sup>, july ,2024



The Directorate of Faculty Development organized a knowledge-sharing activity on "The Use of Artificial Intelligence in Higher Education" on 25th July 2024. The session was led by Dr. Aminah Qayyum from the Department of Education at GCWUF who discussed various AI websites that can be used for academic pursuits. Faculty members from all departments attended the training well. Dr. Qayyum had previously attended a workshop by PHEC before conducting this knowledge-sharing activit



#### Traning of Office Management 30th and 31th, july ,2024



The Directorate of Faculty Development conducted a two-day interactive session for Academic Heads on July 30th and 31st, 2024. The session covered office management topics and various official communication modes. The HoDs actively participated in the session. Mr. Muhammad Ayub was the seminar's resource person. He is a former registrar of GCUF and an HEC Foreign-trained master trainer



### Faculty Members of Applied Psychology Attend a Workshop on use of SEM at GCWUF 16, August ,2024



Dr Riffat Sadiq and Ms Saira Khan Assistant Professors, Department of Applied Psychology have attended 2 days workshop entitled, Basic and Beyond: SEM using Smart PLS in Social Science Research" on 15 & 16 August 2024 at Govt. College University, Faisalabad. Dr Faran Ali, Baharia University Islamabad as a resource person taught how to use Smart PLS and Amos for 1st & 2nd order Structural Equation Modeling (SEM) in psychological research. Other statistical techniques included mediation/moderation and serial and parallel mediation as well.



### Alumni Mangement Committee Meets to plan First Alumnae Reunion 28, August ,2024

Under the kind patronage of Prof Dr. Zill-i-Huma Nazli, Vice Chancellor Govt. College Women University Faisalabad, Alumni Management Committee is going to organize First Alumnae Reunion on 28th August, 2024. A meeting of its members was held on August 9, 2024 at 11:00 am in the office of Convener Alumni Management Committee Prof Dr Ayesha Sameen to discuss the proceedings of the event in detail. The members of the committee Prof. Rashida Zafar (Former Principal Govt. College for Women, Madina Town, now GCWUF), Prof Farzana Hashmi (Retired Coordinator, Faculty of Arts & Social Sciences GCWUF), Mrs. Shahida Rai (Former Principal Govt. College for Women Samanabad, Faisalabad), Mrs. Yaldaiz Shah (Retired Associate Professor of Pakistan Studies, GCWUF), Mr. Muhammad Tariq Shahzad (Director IT Services, GCWUF), Dr. Sadaf Naqvi (Incharge Department of Urdu, GCWUF), Mrs. Saher Hussain (Incharge Department of Computer Science, GCWUF) and Dr Saira Akhter (Incharge Department of English, GCWUF) participated enthusiastically with viable suggestions to make event a huge success.



#### Miscellaneous Annoucements



