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HIGHLIGHTS OF OCTOBER 2015

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SOUTH ASIAN LIBRARIES CONFERENCE AT LUMS

Lahore, October 12-13, 2015 – The Honorable Rector Prof. Dr. Abdul Majeed represented The University of Faisalabad (TUF) in an international conference on “Journey through Print to Digital Information and Beyond” at the Lahore University of Management Sciences (LUMS.). This conference brought together the international speakers from India, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, and United States and about 450 participants from Pakistan. The conference was inaugurated by the Education Minister Rana Mashhood Ahmad Khan whereas five Vice Chancellors from public and private universities addressed with the audience. The Chair of the South Asian Libraries Conference (SALC) Dr. Muhammad Ramzan established four think tanks for the librarians in South Asia. TUF is honored to be a member of the think tank on “Developing Libraries for 21st Century.” The Chief Librarian Mr. Umar Farooq is representing TUF in the think tank.
VISIT BY PAKISTAN NURSING COUNCIL

Faisalabad, October 8, 2015 – A team from the Pakistan Nursing Council (PNC) visited the Noor-e-Siddiq-e-Akbar Library. The Chief Librarian Mr. Muhammad Umar Farooq briefed the PNC members about the print and electronic resources on Nursing. The PNC team emphasized on the training of nursing faculty in using the HEC databases.

VISIT BY MANAGER OF DUTCH HOSPITAL

Faisalabad, October 19, 2015 – The Manager of Dutch Hospital Mr. Robert Moss visited the Noor-e-Siddiq-e-Akbar Library. The Additional Registrar Madam Zahida Maqbool accompanied the guest and the Chief Librarian Mr. Muhammad Umar Farooq briefed him about the resources, services, and programs of the library. The guest was also given a tour of the Islamic Gallery. He appreciated the availability of rare and sacred items in the gallery.
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LIBRARY ORIENTATIONS FOR NEW STUDENTS

Faisalabad, October 27 and 30, 2015 – The University of Faisalabad (TUF) librarians gave orientations about the resources and services for new students at Saleem and Amin Campuses on October 27 and 30, respectively. They shared information about books, journals, theses, and databases available at both campuses for the students. The students were also briefed about the rules and regulations of the libraries. They learned about the online catalog for searching the books. The presentations at both campuses were concluded with motivational quotes about the reading habits.

Library Orientation at Amin Campus:

Library Orientation at Saleem Campus:
CELEBRATION OF “WORLD SIGHT DAY”

Faisalabad, October 8, 2015 - Noor-e-Siddiq-e-Akbar Library joined the School of Optometry to celebrate the World Sight Day by organizing an exhibition of books and online resources at the Saleem Campus. The faculty member from the School of Optometry Dr. Rubina Kousar visited the library and shared the background about the world sight day. She educated the students about common eye problems and its treatment. The students took keen interest in the talk and books on Ophthalmology.

CELEBRATION OF “WORLD HANDWASHING DAY”

Faisalabad, October 15, 2015 - Noor-e-Siddiq-e-Akbar Library celebrated the World Handwashing Day by sharing an article “Good Hygiene Can Save Children’s Lives” via e-mail with the doctors at Madinah Teaching Hospital (MTH,) faculty at University Medical and Dental College (UMDC,) and teachers at the University Cambridge School (UCS.) The article reported that 5,000 children under the age of five died from diarrhea and a lot of these deaths can be prevented by cleaning hands properly.
Sujaag is a source of news and articles about the life, people and culture of the Faisalabad. This Urdu language website highlights the social issues of the city. It also contains interesting articles about current affairs by the well known Pakistani authors.

Language and Learning Online is a collection of resources to help in improving the academic performance. These resources include online tutorials, interactive exercises, and examples of writing for subjects. It also includes resources on Reading, Writing, Speaking, and Listening.

Access Engineering contains a wonderful collection of online books on business skills. The books on communication skills, presentation skills, negotiation skills, conflict resolution, time management, team management, business writing, and performance reviews are available in this database. This resource is accessible via the HEC Digital Library. Please feel free to contact the library staff at library@tuf.edu.pk for assistance to access the HEC Digital Library.
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**QUOTES OF THE MONTH**

**RESPONSIBILITY**

1. “Accept **responsibility** for your life. Know that it is you who will get you where you want to go, no one else.”
   -- Les Brown

**CHALLENGES**

2. “**Challenges** are what make life interesting and overcoming them is what makes life meaningful.”
   -- Joshua Marine

**DESIRE**

3. “In order to succeed, your **desire** for success should be greater than your fear of failure.”
   -- Bill Cosby