

TUF Proudly Congratulates **Mr. Muhammad Haider Amin,** Chairman BOG on Receiving Academic Excellence Award 2024

The University of Faisalabad is proud to announce that Muhammad Haider Amin, Chairman of the Board of Governors, has been honored with the prestigious Academic Excellence Award 2024 by the Association of Private Sector Universities of Pakistan (APSUP). The award was presented to Mr Haider Amin by the Governor of Punjab in recognition of his exceptional leadership, dedication, and unwavering commitment to advancing academic standards at The University of Faisalabad.

This accolade reflects Mr Haider's visionary leadership and his efforts to elevate TUF's academic programs to international standards. Under his guidance, TUF has achieved remarkable milestones, contributing significantly to the development of higher education in Pakistan. Mr. Amin's focus on quality education, research innovation, and sustainable development goals (SDGs) has positioned TUF as a leading institution in the region.



Academic
Excellence
AWARDS

TUF Community congratulates Muhammad Haider Amin on this well-deserved achievement and extends heartfelt gratitude for his continuous dedication to making a meaningful impact on the academic community and society at large.



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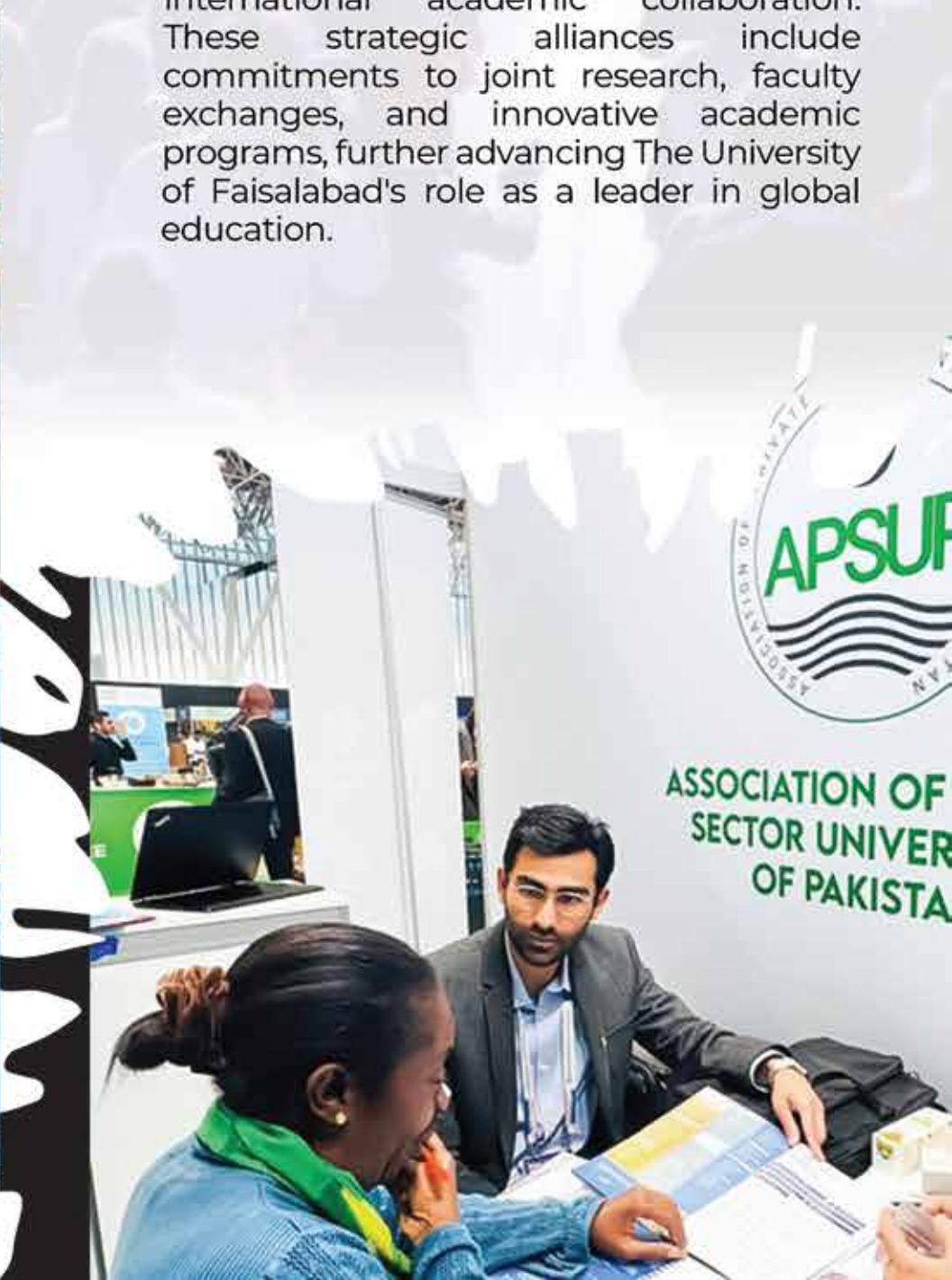
TUF Strengthens Global Presence

EAIE

Association for International
Education Conference

European in Toulouse

TUF made a remarkable impact at the EAIE European Association for International Education Conference in Toulouse, France, where its delegation actively engaged with key representatives from global institutions. Over the course of the event, they focused on fostering new collaborations and enhancing academic partnerships, positioning the university for a stronger global presence. During the conference, TUF delegation including Mr Hamza Amin, Vice Chairman BOG, Prof Dr Syed Amir Gilani and Mr Hanan Iftikhar, Head, International Programs held meaningful discussions with international university representatives from North America, Europe, Asia, and Africa. These interactions focused on establishing student and faculty exchange programs, joint research initiatives, and dual-degree opportunities. The team explored pathways for Pakistani students to access global academic platforms, gaining insights into the support and opportunities offered by various institutions. One of the key highlights was the university's commitment to fostering collaboration in cutting-edge research areas and expanding cross-cultural experiences for students and faculty alike. This global engagement aligns with the university's vision to prepare its students for future challenges in an increasingly interconnected world. The delegation's efforts culminated in the signing of several Memorandums of Understanding (MOUs) with partner institutions, marking significant strides in international academic collaboration. These strategic alliances include commitments to joint research, faculty exchanges, and innovative academic programs, further advancing The University of Faisalabad's role as a leader in global education.





TUF Signs MoU With PHEC for Chief Minister Honnahaar Scholarship Program

Punjab Higher Education Commission (PHEC), Lahore, has signed an MoU with The University of Faisalabad on 21 Sep 2024, including the other 5 top-ranked private sector universities of Punjab regarding Chief Minister Honnahaar Scholarship Program. The Chief Minister Honnahaar Scholarship Program aims to provide financial assistance to talented but needy students across Punjab, ensuring access to higher education at some of Pakistan's top universities. This initiative was attended by key figures such as Dr Farrukh Naveed, Secretary Higher Education Department, Prof Dr Shahid Munir (T.I), Chairperson PHEC, Lt General Javed Hasan (Retd) Chief Advisor (Institutionalization and Governance) UMT, Mr Ahmad Abdullah, Director General UMT, Mr Amjad Niaz UCP, Mr Arif Aziz, Registrar University of Sialkot, Mr Awais Raouf University of Lahore, Pirzada Sami Ullah DG Superior University, Mr Mudasir Kamran Registrar Superior University and Ms Zahida Maqbool, Registrar The University of Faisalabad. Under this scheme, the Government will award 30,000 scholarships to deserving students across the province. The program represents a major step in empowering the youth of Punjab to pursue excellence in higher education.

Congratulations

Prof Dr Aman Ullah has Assumed the Charge of Pro Rector TUF.

Prof Dr Amanullah Malik has assumed the charge of Pro Rector at TUF. With his exceptional leadership skills and unwavering commitment to academic excellence, Dr Amanullah has been a pivotal force in TUF community. We look forward to the positive impact, he will make in this new chapter.



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Signs MoU

With Humboldt-Universität to Strengthen Academic & Research to Collaboration ZU Berlin

TUF has signed a MoU with Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Germany. This agreement signed by Prof Dr Sarah Holz, from the Institute for Asian and African Studies, Humboldt University of Berlin and Ms Zahida Maqbool, Registrar TUF sets forth the bases and criteria under which both universities will take joint academic, scientific, and cultural cooperation actions for the improvement of their educative functions. An interactive session with heads and faculty members of TUF was also organized, by the National Business School, TUF featuring Dr Sarah Holz, titled "Implementation of Quality Teaching and Research Protocols as per European Standards,".

Dr Sarah Holz shared her extensive expertise on the integration of European standards in academic teaching and research, emphasizing the importance of adaptability and innovation in educational practices. An engaging Q&A session allowed for in-depth discussions on research protocol strategies. Dr Sarah Holz shared her insights with TUF faculty, on optimizing research methodologies, enhancing academic outcomes, and fostering innovation in their respective fields.



International Delegation Visited TUF from Italy & Türkiye

Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore

Yeditepe University

Exciting times ahead! An international delegation from Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore, Italy and Yeditepe Üniversitesi, Türkiye just wrapped up a productive visit to TUF. Looking forward to the amazing opportunities and collaborations that lie ahead.



Ms Ilaria Maria Bossi, Head Manager, International Marketing and Recruitment and Mr Gianluca Samsa, Associate Director Education Abroad from Cattolica University, Italy; And Ms Merve Muge SENGUL BEKTAS, specialist from International Exchange Office and Ms Ozge Nur OZCELIK, Assistant Specialist from Yeditepe University, Türkiye visited TUF and had an interactive session with Ms Zahida Maqbool, Registrar, Deans, Heads of Departments and faculty members. Their discussion session focused on potential collaborations related to programs and projects in alignment with each department's strategic objectives.

Stay tuned for updates on the initiatives and joint ventures that will emerge from this exciting collaboration.

TUF's Global *in* Excellence

Innovation, Student Mobility, and
A Milestone in Crisis Management

World University Rankings



The University of Faisalabad has secured 218th place in The World University Rankings for Innovation. Proud to be at the forefront of innovation in education.

We have secured 52nd place in the World University Rankings for Student Mobility and Openness. Embracing global connections and enriching educational experiences for all our students.

Celebrating a milestone at TUF. We've secured 42nd place in The World University Rankings for Innovation in Student Support and Engagement. Proud to empower our students with excellence and support.

TUF excels globally. Ranked 4th in Crisis Management by The World University Rankings, highlighting our commitment to preparedness and safety.

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TUF National Business School Hosts **International Seminar on Sustainable Financial Projects**

TUF-National Business School organized an international seminar focusing on the implementation of need based and mandatory financial sustainable projects. Guest speaker Mr Fritz Bohmler provided invaluable insights into developing wholesale and B2C distribution concepts and managing major technical development projects globally. The event was a significant learning opportunity for both students and faculty, enriching their understanding of international business strategies.

The seminar emphasized the importance of aligning financial projects with global sustainability goals, addressing challenges such as resource allocation, risk management, and social impact.

The discussions during the seminar highlighted the crucial role of education in driving sustainable financial practices. By integrating sustainability into business education, the TUF-National Business School aims to equip future leaders with the skills and knowledge necessary to implement impactful projects that align with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), particularly SDG 8 (Decent Work and Economic Growth) and SDG 12 (Responsible Consumption and Production).



PhysioCon 2024

A Resounding Success!



PHYSIOCON 2024, HOSTED BY TUF REHABILITATION SOCIETY, WAS A MONUMENTAL ACHIEVEMENT!

This prestigious event brought together:
Esteemed heads of institutes from Faisalabad

PhysioCon 2024, organized by TUF Rehabilitation Society on 17 August 2024, was a monumental achievement, establishing itself as a prestigious event in the field of physiotherapy.

This remarkable conference gathered esteemed heads of institutes from Faisalabad, alongside the final-year research defense presentations of MS Physical Therapy students. Distinguished external examiners from across Pakistan were also in attendance, adding to the event's academic significance.

There are some Key Highlights:

- 52 manuscripts were presented
- 32 manuscripts were submitted for publication
- 7 publications in Scopus-indexed journals
- 8 publications in HEC Y-category journals

PhysioCon 2024 prominently featured research from students pursuing MS degrees in Orthopedic Manual Physical Therapy and Neuromuscular Physical Therapy, showcasing groundbreaking advancements in these fields.

The event set a new benchmark for academic excellence, bringing forward cutting-edge research and fostering collaboration within the physiotherapy community.



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Participated in International

Webinar on The Usage of

AI in the Business World

The University of Faisalabad continues to be at the forefront of academic excellence and international collaboration, contributing to the global discourse on emerging technologies and their impact on the business world. The University of Faisalabad is proud to announce its participation in an international webinar titled The Usage of Artificial Intelligence in the Business World; hosted by Istanbul Aydin University, Faculty of Applied Sciences, on Thursday, September 5, 2024. The webinar, which was streamed live, attracted more than 100 virtual attendees, including academicians, researchers, AI experts, and students from around the globe. Three distinguished faculty members: Prof Dr Majid Hussain, Dean, Faculty of Information Technology, Dr Muhammad Farooq Akhtar, Head, National Business School and Ms Amna Iqbal, from the Department of Computer Sciences represented TUF at this prestigious event.

They actively contributed to the discussions by sharing their valuable insights on the transformative role of AI in the business landscape. The event provided a dynamic platform for the exchange of knowledge and ideas on the integration of artificial intelligence in business processes, highlighting its potential to drive innovation, enhance efficiency, and shape the future of industries worldwide.



TUF Co-Hosted Prestigious ITEA-Learning E-Learning Material Development Competition

The University of Faisalabad proudly co-hosted the highly anticipated ITEA-Learning E-Learning Material Development Competition's Opening Ceremony, held on September 9, 2024. The event was organized by the International Transnational Education Association (ITEA) and the International Cultural Communication Center Malaysia (ICCCM). This remarkable event brought together thought leaders, educators, and professionals from across the region to celebrate the importance of Women Empowerment through education and technology.



The event commenced with an inspiring opening speech by Dato' Slow Chen Pin, Chief Advisor of ICCCM. Addressing the participants, Dato' Chen Pin highlighted the importance of innovation in E-Learning and encouraged creative approaches to digital education. The event marks a significant step towards advancing learning technology and fostering collaboration among educational institutions.

The event featured an inspiring keynote address by Prof Dr Aman Ullah Malik, Director of the Office of Research, Innovation, and Commercialization (ORIC) at The University of Faisalabad. Prof Dr Malik delivered a thought-provoking speech on "Empowering Women, Empowering the World: Pioneering Sustainable Development," emphasizes the vital role of women in driving sustainable growth. It highlights the transformative impact of gender equality and women's leadership in achieving economic, social, and environmental progress globally.

Additionally, the ITEA-Learning, E-Learning Material Development Competition welcomed several distinguished keynote speakers, representing prominent organizations and institutions committed to advancing Women's Empowerment and Sustainable Development. The event featured insights from experts across Southeast Asia, focusing on a wide range of topics including women's creativity, youth empowerment, innovative learning, and digital transformation.



Keynote speakers included

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Miss Abigail Lanceta, representing The Southeast Asia Ministers of Education Organization Regional Centre for Sufficiency Economy Philosophy for Sustainability (SEAMEO SEPS), Miss Lanceta delivered a compelling keynote on "Women's Creativity and Energy: Bridging the Gap for Education and Sustainable Development."

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Madam Jamilah Kadir, from The Southeast Asia Ministers of Education Organization Regional Centre for Special Education Needs (SEAMEO SEN), Madam Kadir addressed "Empowerment of Women with Disabilities," highlighting strategies to support inclusion and equity.

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Siti Nor Hasyati bt Abd Rahman, representing Majlis Belia Malaysia (MBM), Siti Nor Hasyati discussed "Harnessing the Power of Youth for a Sustainable Future: Empowering Women as Leaders of Tomorrow," focusing on the pivotal role of young women in driving sustainable change.

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Dr. Chan Siaw Leong, from Universiti Putra Malaysia (UPM), Dr. Leong explored "From Access to Impact: Building a Better Future through Innovative Learning," emphasizing the role of innovative educational practices in creating sustainable futures.

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Maria Lourdes Jarabe, representing Pamantasan ng Lungsod ng Maynila (PLM), Dr. Jarabe presented on "Empowering Women in the Digital Age: Exploring How Technology and E-learning Can Accelerate Women's Empowerment and Sustainable Development," highlighting the transformative power of digital tools.

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Litya Surisdani Anggraeniko, from Universitas Harapan Bangsa (UHB), Ms. Anggraeniko discussed "Protection of Women within the Domestic Framework in Cases of Marital Rape," providing critical insights into the legal and social protections for women.

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Furthermore, the event featured a special guest speaker, Executive Director Ms. Fajer Rabia Pasha, representing Pakistan Alliance for Girls Education (PAGE), graced the event. She further enriched the discourse on women's education and empowerment.



These distinguished speakers brought diverse perspectives and innovative ideas, underscoring the importance of collaboration, creativity, and education in advancing women's empowerment and achieving sustainable development goals.

The University of Faisalabad remains committed to promoting initiatives that empower women through education and technology.

Faisalabad Regional Round of the Pakistan World Startup Championship 2024 A Showcase of Innovation and Entrepreneurship



The Faisalabad Regional Round of the Pakistan World Startup Championship 2024, organized by The University of Faisalabad in collaboration with the Association of Private Sector Universities of Pakistan (APSUP), featured innovative presentations by students and entrepreneurs from public and private universities. Selected startups from this round will advance to the Top 100, with the final event at Lahore Expo Center. Distinguished guests from academia and industry served as judges, recognizing the outstanding efforts of participants. The event's success was attributed to the leadership of APSUP Chairman, with commemorative shields and souvenirs presented to guests.

The presentation of commemorative shields and souvenirs to guests underscored the appreciation for their support and involvement. By aligning with Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) such as SDG 8 (Decent Work and Economic Growth) and SDG 9 (Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure), the event not only showcased innovative solutions but also fostered a culture of entrepreneurship and economic development, benefiting both the participants and the broader community.

PEC Re-Accreditation Visit for Bachelor of Electrical Engineering Program at TUF

The Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC) Program Evaluators (PEVs) conducted a Re-Accreditation Visit to assess the academic program of Bachelor of Electrical Engineering on July 12-13, 2024. The visiting team was led by Engr. Prof. Dr. Jameel Ahmed (Convener), along with esteemed members Engr Dr M. Farhat Kaleem, Engr Dr Fahim Gohar Awan, and Engr Abu Bakar.

The PEC team was warmly welcomed by the Rector and the Registrar Dr Asim Khan, Head of the Department of Electrical Engineering, explained the significance of Outcome-Based Education in the field of Engineering, highlighting its pivotal role in shaping effective learning outcomes.

The diligent efforts and dedication of the department were deeply appreciated by the PEC PEVs. Their recognition underscores the commitment to excellence demonstrated by the university's faculty and administration.



Pre-PAP Conference Workshop Set the Stage for 45th International Conference of Pakistan Association of Pathology



The Department of Pathology at UMDC Faisalabad organized a Pre-PAP Conference workshop on September 25, 2024, as part of the 45th International Conference of the Pakistan Association of Pathology and the 10th Joint Conference of Societies of Pathology. Guest speakers Dr Tania Jabbar, Principal Scientist, PINUM Cancer Hospital, Faisalabad and Dr Fakeeha Rehman, Head of department of pathology Faisalabad Medical University graced the event.

The event included participants from various institutions of Faisalabad physically and via zoom link online. The session started with histopathological slides of clinical cases from MTH which were explained by Professor Dr Shazia Aslam as an insightful discussion.

Dr Tania Jabbar delivered her words of wisdom on the topic of “advantages and limitations of AI in diagnostic pathological cases from different sites”. She highlighted the role digitalization, its benefits and shortcomings.



Professor Dr Fakeeha Rehman shared numerous cases with unexpected results under the title of “Critical alerts in surgical pathology perceptions and expectations.” She held the audience into an interactive session on how to pick and communicate about the alerts in surgical cases to improve quality assurance and patient wellbeing.

Later, Mr Tariq Saleem, Laboratory Manager, Clinical Laboratory and Blood Bank, Madina Teaching Hospital gave a brief introduction about the facilities being provided in the laboratories according to the new state of the art international guidelines.

In the conclusive session, Prof Dr Shirza Nadeem vice Principal UMDC & Head, Department of Forensic Medicine UMDC and Dr Mubashra Naz, Additional Medical Superintendent MTH & HOD Gynecology & Obstetrics paid their special thanks to the speakers and participants. They also honored the guests with souvenirs and participants with certificates.





TUF Law and Mooting Society and Mental Health Society Collaborate for Impactful Communication Skills Session

TUF Law and Mooting Society in collaboration with the Mental Health and Well-Being Society organized an impactful session on Communication Skills, Emotional Resilience; Well-Being of Women on July 3, 2024. The event featured Prof Dr Aman Ullah Malik, Mr Muhammad Ali, Additional Registrar, and Ms Batool Nouman, Counselling Psychologist. Students learned about various forms of harassment, bullying, and cyberstalking. Questions from students were addressed by the esteemed guests. Students are encouraged to share their concerns to take guidance from experts.

This event has a significant impact on participants, equipping them with essential skills for effective communication in both professional and personal contexts. The event emphasized the connection between strong communication abilities and mental well-being, encouraging students to foster healthy interpersonal relationships and excel in their academic and professional pursuits.

The session's impact extends beyond individual development, contributing to broader educational and societal goals. It aligns with Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) by promoting mental health (SDG 3), enhancing quality education (SDG 4), and reducing inequalities (SDG 10) by providing equal access to crucial skills training. This initiative showcases TUF's dedication to nurturing well-rounded, competent individuals who are prepared to contribute positively to society.

Empowering the Visually Impaired: A Workshop by the Department of Optometry

The Department of Optometry at TUF organized an impactful workshop on Training and Screening for the Visually Impaired on July 13, 2024. The event, led by renowned optometrist Dr Ahmad Ali, focused on screening 29 students with low vision, providing them with essential tools and techniques to manage their visual impairments. Participants were also educated about available rehabilitation services aimed at improving their quality of life.

This initiative is part of the department's ongoing efforts to empower visually impaired individuals, helping them become more self-sufficient and enhancing their capacity to contribute meaningfully to society. Through workshops like these, the university continues to play a pivotal role in promoting inclusivity and sustainability for all individuals, regardless of their physical challenges.





Workshop on Professional Competency Enhancement Program

The Department of Rehabilitation Sciences in collaboration with Dean Clinical Training and Department of Medical Education successfully culminated Professional Competency Enhancement Program on July 27, 2024. The session expertly led through a video link, by Dr Sumera Badar Ehsan, Director Medical Education at the Pakistan Medical and Dental Council. Dr Tanzeela Khalid, Dean Clinic Training, Faculty of Medicine and Allied Health Sciences and Dr Komal Atta, Director Medical Education proficiently directed the event.



This comprehensive OSCE (Objective Structured Clinical Examination) workshop, brought together medical professionals to elevate their clinical skills and advance medical education standards, fostering a culture of excellence in healthcare.

This milestone event underscores the commitment of the Department of Rehabilitation Sciences to advancing medical excellence and preparing future leaders in the field. By providing high-quality education and training opportunities, the department continues to contribute significantly to the improvement of healthcare outcomes and the promotion of well-being.



Capacity Building Series Writing Research Proposals for Competitive Funding

The Office of Research, Innovation, and Commercialization (ORIC), TUF organized an enlightening session for all faculty members on July 23, 2024 at Saleem campus, entitled "Writing Research Proposals for Competitive Funding". The session featured presentation by Prof Dr Zahir Ahmad Zahir, Professor, Institute of Soil and Environmental Sciences, University of Agriculture, Faisalabad, Vice Chairman/Local Dean of the Confucius Institute at UAF, as the esteemed resource person.



Prof Dr Zahir Ahmad Zahir, a prominent figure in the academic and research community, has secured funding for 25 National/International research projects, authored 5 books, 200+ research articles with > 500 Impact Factors, and 20,000+citations and has served as Director ORIC at UAF for 6 years.

Professor Zahir brought his extensive experience and knowledge to the faculty members of TUF and provided insightful guidance on crafting compelling and competitive research proposals, essential for securing funding in today's highly competitive academic landscape.

During the session, Dr Zahir emphasized the critical components of a successful research proposal, demonstrating the potential impact and significance of the proposed research including clear and concise objectives, innovative approaches, comprehensive literature review, methodological rigor KPIs, logical budgeting, referencing etc.

The session also included interactive discussions on practical aspects of proposal, allowing faculty members to apply the principles learned and receive feedback from Dr Zahir. The session equipped the faculty members with the tools and knowledge to better prepare their research proposal with increased chances of securing competitive funding. Esteemed faculty members had the opportunity to network with Dr Zahir and colleagues, promoting collaboration and idea exchange.

At the end of session, Professor Dr Aman Ullah Malik, Director ORIC, highlighted that ORIC remains committed to promoting a research-driven environment and supporting faculty members in their academic and research pursuits. This session was part of a broader initiative to enhance the research capabilities of the university's faculty, contributing to the overall growth and development of the academic community. He thanked resource person and faculty members for making the session productive and



Efficient Multitasking at Universities

How to Manage Time and Expectations with Work-Life Balance



As a part of the Capacity Building Series, The Office of Research, Innovation, and Commercialization (ORIC) at The University of Faisalabad hosted an engaging session for TUF faculty, on "Efficient Multitasking at Universities: How to Manage Time and Expectations with Work-Life Balance." This insightful event featured Dr. Nadeem Tariq, Director of Microbial Biotechnologies Limited UK, CEO of Microbial Biotechnologies and Biotech Fertilizers, and an Inspirational Facilitator. This event aimed at equipping faculty members with the tools and strategies needed to effectively juggle their various responsibilities. This event aligns with the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) of Good Health and well-being (SDG 3), Quality Education (SDG 4), Decent Work and Economic Growth (SDG 8), and Reduced Inequalities (SDG 10).

Dr Tariq's session emphasized the importance of managing time and expectations to achieve a sustainable work-life balance, a critical aspect for academic professionals facing the demands of teaching, research, and administrative duties. He provided practical insights and strategies to help faculty members navigate their multifaceted roles, ensuring they can maintain productivity without compromising their well-being. The session concluded with an interactive Q&A segment, allowing faculty members to seek personalized advice from Dr Tariq. The success of this event underscores TUF's commitment to continuous professional development and the well-being of its faculty, reinforcing its role as a leading institution in higher education.





Three-days Microsoft Skills Workshop for TUF Faculty and Administration

A series of comprehensive workshop on Microsoft Skills was organized from 3 to 5 July, 2024, by the Placement Bureau at TUF Saleem Campus, to customize digital competencies among the university's faculty and administration. This endeavor aimed to enhance digital proficiency among participants, empowering them with essential tools to optimize their professional workflows. The primary focus of the workshop was to introduce and deepen understanding of key Microsoft applications including Word, Excel, PowerPoint, and Outlook. The workshop aimed to assist administrative staff in streamlining their day-to-day operations through improved data management and communication practices. As a part of a broader series the 2nd Day workshop session was organized with a particular emphasis on Excel Skills. With a keen focus on using Excel to streamline daily operations, improve data management, and enhance communication practices, the faculty, and other participants were introduced to crucial Excel skills to optimize their professional workflows. The workshop not only provided valuable skills to the participants but also aligned with the broader Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) of Quality Education, and Decent Work and Economic Growth. The next sessions in the Microsoft Skills series will focus on PowerPoint for impactful presentations and Outlook for effective communication and email management.

The Placement Bureau successfully organized the third day of our workshop sessions, focusing on mastering PowerPoint for TUF faculty and administration. This session empowered them with advanced presentation skills, enhancing their ability to create impactful and engaging content.

Administrative personnel have gained valuable skills in creating and managing presentations for meetings, reports, and other official duties. This has streamlined communication processes and reduced the time spent on preparing presentation materials.

The Placement Bureau continues to advance the professional development of TUF's faculty and staff, consistently launching initiatives designed to elevate their expertise and enhance their operational efficiency.

By providing ongoing training opportunities, the Placement Bureau underscores the importance of continuous professional development by encouraging the faculty and staff, to continually upgrade their skills and knowledge in both academic and administrative domains.

"The Art of Writing and Publishing Quality Scientific Articles & Tips for Identifying Fake Journals" organized by ORIC



The Office of Research, Innovation, and Commercialization (ORIC) at TUF proudly hosted an enlightening session on August 20, 2024, titled "The Art of Writing and Publishing Quality Scientific Articles & Tips for Identifying Fake Journals." This session was specially organized for our faculty members and PhD scholars.

Prof. Dr. Rao Zahid Abbas, a distinguished expert in the field of Parasitology and the Editor of the Pakistan Veterinary Journal, led this session. Dr. Abbas shared his wealth of knowledge on scientific writing, offering invaluable insights into the nuances of research publishing. He emphasized the importance of publishing in high-impact journals and provided practical tips on how to identify and avoid predatory journals. The event saw an impressive turnout and received enthusiastic feedback from all participants. The session concluded with an engaging Q&A segment, where attendees had the chance to seek personalized advice from Dr. Abbas, making it a truly interactive and beneficial experience.

This event is a testament to ORIC's unwavering commitment to fostering a culture of quality research and academic integrity at TUF.

Sparking Entrepreneurial Innovation TUF and NICF Collaborate for Student Empowerment

The University of Faisalabad organized an introductory session for the National Incubation Center Faisalabad (NICF). NICF representatives briefed students on their mission, vision, and the upcoming cohort's programs designed to foster entrepreneurial skills and knowledge on July 3, 2024.

The session provided insights into the curriculum and opportunities available, allowing students to interact with faculty and understand how NICF can support their growth. This event marked the beginning of a collaborative relationship between NICF and TUF, promising exciting future endeavors for students and the entrepreneurial community.



Workshop on developing "Entrustable Professional Activities (EPAs)"

Madina Teaching Hospital, in collaboration with the University Medical & Dental College and The University of Faisalabad, officially launched Entrustable Professional Activities (EPAs) as a cornerstone of their house job training program starting on August 1, 2024. This initiative under HEC's NRPUR funded project, marks a significant advancement in medical education, aiming to align training with international standards and enhance the quality of healthcare in Pakistan.

The program commenced with a detailed workshop for all house officers, led by Dr Komal Atta, Director of Medical Education, UMDC. Dr Komal in her lecture, highlighted the pivotal role of trust in the doctor-patient relationship, emphasizing that trust is the foundation upon which all medical practice is built. She explained how this training would enable doctors to effectively serve in Basic Health Units (BHUs) and Rural Health Centers (RHCs), ultimately contributing to the elevation of medical standards across the country. A notable highlight of the event was an online session with Prof Dr Olle ten Cate from the Netherlands, a leading expert in medical education. His session provided valuable international perspectives on the implementation and significance of EPAs, further enriching the learning experience



Webinar on "Challenges and Opportunities of AI in Pilotage Training"

TUF participated in an insightful webinar on "Challenges and Opportunities of AI in Pilotage Training" organized by Istanbul Aydin University's Faculty of Applied Sciences on August 2, 2024. The event featured Mr. Ali Hasnain from the Department of Aviation Management, TUF, as a distinguished speaker. The webinar highlighted how AI-powered simulations can revolutionize training methods, providing more immersive and safer experiences.

This webinar serves as a stepping stone toward transforming the pilotage industry and paves the way for future innovations through AI. The University of Faisalabad continues to play a pivotal role in fostering discussions around the intersection of technology and education, ensuring that learners and professionals stay at the forefront of industry trends.

International **WEBINAR** ON
"Challenges and Opportunities of AI in Pilotage Training"

September 3rd, 2024

We are proud to share that one of our distinguished faculty members is representing us at this prestigious webinar.

MR. ALI HASNAIN
PROGRAM MANAGER
Department of Aviation Management
National Business School

Career Counseling Session on Pathways to Abroad & Scholarship Opportunities

TUF Rehabilitation Society proudly presented a successful Pre-Physio Con workshop, an informative session on Career Counseling, Pathways to Abroad, and Scholarship Opportunities. The session was led by the esteemed Dr Awais Bin Inam who offered aspiring physiotherapists valuable insights into advancing their careers and exploring global opportunities in their field. Attendees left the session with a clear understanding of how to strategically plan their future, making the most of both academic and professional prospects internationally. This event underscores The University of Faisalabad's commitment to guiding students towards global opportunities, aligning with our dedication to SDG 4 (Quality Education) and SDG 8 (Decent Work and Economic Growth).





The event commenced with an insightful keynote address by Prof Dr Shahid Rasool on “Elimination of Viral Hepatitis from Pakistan”. He highlighted the current status of viral hepatitis in Pakistan, emphasizing the urgent need for concerted efforts to eliminate the disease. He further briefed that about 304 million people were suffering from chronic Hepatitis B or C in 2022. The estimated number of people newly infected by viral hepatitis declined from 3 million in 2019 to 2.2 million in 2022. Dr Shahid claimed that “It is suggested that hepatitis B and C prevention, including immunization and safe injections, and the initial impact of expanding hepatitis C cure, have had an impact on reducing incidence. Strengthening viral hepatitis prevention, and making hepatitis C cure more widely available, are important for a sustainable response.”

As part of the World Hepatitis Day observance, a key highlight of the event was a presentation by Dr Muhammad Ilyas Shakir, who emphasized the importance of “Chronic Hepatitis B Simplified Treatment.” Dr Shakir provided an overview of chronic hepatitis B, highlighting its prevalence, transmission methods, and the long-term health risks associated with the infection, including liver cirrhosis and hepatocellular carcinoma. Dr Umair Shafqat, delivered a compelling presentation on the “Prevention of Viral Hepatitis”. His insights provided clear and actionable strategies for preventing the spread of viral hepatitis, highlighting the collective responsibility of individuals, healthcare providers, and policymakers. Dr Umair Shafqat’s presentation, underscored the critical

Prof Dr Khalid Mehmood Yahya stated that precaution is the best way to protect oneself from a dangerous disease like hepatitis. He further mentioned that Madina Teaching Hospital provides modern medical facilities for the treatment and screening of hepatitis patients. On this occasion, a poster competition and a quiz contest were held among MBBS students on the topics of hepatitis awareness and treatment. In the poster competition, the team of Anaiza from the 4th year MBBS secured first place, while in the quiz contest, the team of Adan Amjad and Kashmala Saif achieved first position.

The Hepatitis Screening Camp saw a significant turnout, with 250 + students availing the free testing services. The initiative not only facilitated early detection but also provided an opportunity for individuals to receive immediate medical advice and referrals for further treatment if necessary. The success of the screening camp underscored the importance of such initiatives in the fight against hepatitis. This event aligns with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), particularly SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-Being) and SDG 17 (Partnerships for the Goals).

TUF Rehabilitation Society Hosts Hands-On Workshop on Neuro Splinting Techniques

TUF Rehabilitation Society hosted a successful workshop on Neuro Splinting, providing an excellent opportunity for participants to gain in-depth knowledge and practical experience in advanced techniques. The workshop, led by the esteemed Mr. Muhammad Usman Arshad, was well-received by attendees who were eager to enhance their skills in neuro-splinting. Our attendees gained hands-on experience and valuable knowledge on neuro splinting techniques. The workshop aimed to equip healthcare professionals with the necessary skills to improve patient outcomes, particularly for those with neurological conditions requiring splinting interventions.



Advancing Elimination and Prevention of Viral Hepatitis: Hepatitis Screening Camp on World Hepatitis Day

In observance of World Hepatitis Day, Department of Gastroenterology, MTH and UMDC Hepatitis awareness Society organized a pivotal event focusing on the elimination of viral hepatitis in Pakistan on July 28, 2024. The keynote addresses were delivered by Prof Dr Shahid Rasool, a renowned expert in the field of hepatology, Head Department of Gastroenterology & Hepatology at Madinah Teaching Hospital, Dr Muhammad Ilyas Shakir, Diplomate American Board of Medicine & Gastroenterology, Dr Khalid Mehmood Yahya, Professor of Medicine at MTH and Dr Umair Shafqat, Senior Registrar Gastroenterology & Hepatology, MTH. The event featured a Hepatitis Screening Camp aimed at promoting early detection and treatment of hepatitis among the university community and the general public.



Primary Prevention of Hepatitis C

- Health Education
- Professional Medical Education programs
- Collaboration with patient support groups to improve health education, prevention efforts, and treatment compliance
- Routine screening of donors and viral inactivation of blood products.

TUF Marks International Youth Day with Powerful Exhibition on Youth Empowerment and Global Solidarity



The Character-Building Society and the Publication Society at TUF, in collaboration with the Center of Collective Activities (CCA), organized an impactful exhibition celebrating International Youth Day, on 12 August 2024. This event, held under the theme of youth empowerment and global solidarity, featured a diverse range of projects presented by students, focusing on global issues, including the ongoing situation in Gaza.

The exhibition served as a platform for students to express their solidarity with the people of Gaza through various creative mediums, including artwork, and posters. After much deliberation, the top positions for their projects, have been awarded to the following students:

- First: Zojaja Khan, Department of Rehabilitation Sciences
- Second: Anoosha Zafar, Department of Rehabilitation Sciences
- Third: Mehwish, Department of English Language & Literature

Independent Day Celebration Flag Hoisting Ceremony organized by CCA

TUF Center of Collective Activities (CCA), in collaboration with Lyallpur Girls Cadet College, proudly organized a Flag Hoisting Ceremony, to commemorate the 77th Independence Day of Pakistan. The ceremony was honored by the presence of distinguished guests, including Prof Dr Muhammad Akram Malik, Principal UMDC, Prof Dr Tahira Iqbal, Dean Faculty of Medicine a& Allied Health Sciences, Heads of Departments and esteemed faculty members from TUF and UMDC.

The highlights of the event were singing of national anthem, national songs, march past, and a compelling tableau.

In addition, as a part of 'TUF Go Green' plantation drive, TUF Environmental Society took a proactive step towards environmental stewardship by distributing plants to all attendees, encouraging them to contribute to a greener and more sustainable future.





World Photography Day Celebration at TUF

On World Photography Day, The University of Faisalabad proudly celebrated the art of capturing its essence through the lens on August 19, 2024. Each photograph, whether of campus life, academic achievements, or special events, reflects the vibrant energy, diversity, and unique stories that define our university community.

This day serves as a reminder of the power of photography to preserve moments, evoke emotions, and highlight the shared experiences of students, faculty, and staff. Through these images, TUF's commitment to academic excellence, cultural diversity, and sustainable development is vividly showcased, creating a visual tapestry of our institution's journey.



TUF Marks World Humanitarian Day by Distributing Ration Packets to Local Community

In observance of World Humanitarian Day, Research and Publication Society, in collaboration with Center of Collective Activities (CCA), TUF, took a significant step to support the local community by distributing essential ration packs to 100+ families in need. It aimed at addressing food insecurity and providing much-needed relief to vulnerable populations in the area. This initiative, driven by the university's commitment to social responsibility and community welfare, aimed to support underprivileged families during challenging times. This distribution stance reflects the university's dedication to Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), particularly SDG 2 (Zero Hunger) and SDG 10 (Reduced Inequalities). The distribution was part of a broader effort by TUF to engage in socially responsible activities that directly contribute to the well-being of the local community, reinforcing the TUF's commitment to global humanitarian values.

Beneficiaries: Approximately 100+ underprivileged families in the local community.



World Physical Therapy Day: Raising Awareness on the Importance of Movement and Rehabilitation

TUF Rehabilitation Society celebrated World Physical Therapy Day on September 4, 2024, with an event at Government Associate College for Women Ayub Research Faisalabad, featuring an awareness campaign on preventing low back pain and a cake-cutting ceremony honoring physical therapists' contributions. Our dedicated physiotherapists led interactive sessions on proper posture and exercises, receiving positive feedback from participants. The occasion was graced by Prof Dr Tahira Iqbal, Dean Faculty of Medicine and Allied Health Sciences, who acknowledged the vital role of Physical Therapy in healthcare, and we look forward to continued advancements in education, patient care, and treatment.





World Patient Safety Day celebrated by

Rehabilitation society

On September 18, 2024, in honor of World Patient Safety Day, TUF Rehabilitation Society hosted an enlightening workshop titled "Diagnostic Challenges in Physical Therapy for Patient Safety." Dr. Hassan Anjum; PT, a renowned expert in Physical Therapy, led the session, addressing the critical issues related to accurate diagnosis and its direct impact on patient safety. The workshop explored common diagnostic pitfalls, strategies for improving diagnostic accuracy, and methods to mitigate risks in Physical Therapy settings. Attendees gained essential insights into enhancing their practice and ensuring the highest standards of patient care. This event was a significant step towards fostering a safer and more effective clinical environment.



CCA organized World Peace Day

by the collective efforts of Literary Society and Welfare Society

A remarkable seminar on World Peace Day, organized by the Literary Society and Welfare Society in collaboration with the CCA Office! We were honored to have the guest speaker, Miss Aneela Naik, CEO of Falcon Association of Pakistan and Falcon Skills Learning SMC-PVT LTD, a multifaceted professional—writer, pathologist, clinical psychologist, public speaker, and human rights activist. She shared invaluable insights on peace and empowerment. Additionally, she is a proud CSS aspirant of 2022. Her insights truly inspired us all! Together, we strive for a brighter future!



World Pharmacists Day Celebrated at TUF



The guest of honor, Dr Anila Saeed, Deputy Drug Controller at Faisalabad Institute of Cardiology, delivered an insightful session where she emphasized the significance of pharmacists in ensuring patient safety and promoting responsible medication use. During her talk, Dr. Anila engaged students in a thought-provoking Q&A session, sparking meaningful discussions on the evolving role of pharmacists in contemporary healthcare. TUF Literary Society also contributed to the event by screening a powerful documentary that highlighted the critical role pharmacists play in enhancing healthcare outcomes, emphasizing their efforts in drug safety, patient education, and disease prevention.

The University of Faisalabad, in collaboration with the Drug Abuse Society and Tobacco Awareness Society, commemorated World Pharmacists Day with an impactful event organized by the Department of Pharmacy. The event aimed to recognize the indispensable role of pharmacists in healthcare and create awareness about their contributions to public health.

To express gratitude for her valuable insights, Dr Sadia Rafique, Head of the Department of Pharmacy, along with Dr Sana Shahzad, Coordinator, presented Dr Anila Saeed with a university memento



TUF and Pakistan Assistive Technology Foundation Empower 35+ Visually Impaired Students Through Annual Computer Courses

Since 2019, The University of Faisalabad, in collaboration with the Pakistan Assistive Technology Foundation, has remained steadfast in its mission to empower visually impaired students through technology. This year, over 35 students participated in our annual computer courses, gaining essential digital skills and expanding their opportunities in the tech world. The program not only equips students with technical expertise but also fosters independence and confidence. Their inspiring journey exemplifies progress and highlights TUF's commitment to inclusivity and innovation.



Outreach Dental Health Week **UMDC** Promoted **Oral Hygiene**

Across 42 Schools in Faisalabad



The Department of Community Dentistry at University Medical and Dental College (UMDC), Faisalabad, recently organized an Outreach Dental Health Week from September 23 to September 27, 2024, aimed at improving dental health awareness among school students. The initiative spanned 42 schools in Faisalabad, including prominent institutions such as Lahore Grammar School, Beaconhouse School System, Laboratory School, Allied School branches, Educators School, and various Government Schools.

This week-long campaign observed the active participation of dental students, house officers, junior doctors, and senior faculty members, all working together to provide dental health education and on-site checkups. The goal was to enhance oral health knowledge among students while promoting the importance of maintaining good oral hygiene.

Throughout the campaign, the dental team addressed unhealthy eating habits and their adverse effects on oral health, shedding light on the connection between diet and dental issues. Interactive sessions were held to engage students in understanding how lifestyle choices impact their oral hygiene.

Each participating student underwent a thorough dental checkup conducted by the skilled team from UMDC, ensuring that early signs of dental problems were identified and addressed. This initiative not only empowered students with practical knowledge to take better control of their dental health but also served as a hands-on learning opportunity for dental students and house officers, allowing them to gain valuable experience in preventive and practical dentistry.



Such outreach programs are instrumental in bridging the gap between healthcare providers and the community. The event was a step forward in promoting sustainable health practices, contributing to the broader goals of public health improvement in Faisalabad.

By reaching thousands of students, Outreach Dental Health Week played a vital role in shaping healthier future generations and enhancing the professional skills of future dentists.

Free Eye Camp at Madinah Teaching Hospital Provides Critical Eye Care to Over 2,800 Patients



A Free Eye Camp was organized by Department Ophthalmology, Madinah Teaching Hospital from September 27 to October 2, 2024. The camp aimed to provide comprehensive eye care services, including eye check-ups, consultancy, treatment, surgeries, and medicine. The Eye Camp recorded a total of 2,808 Outpatient Department (OPD) patients, 734 Inpatient Department (IPD) patients, and 731 surgeries performed. The initiative attracted a significant number of patients seeking eye care, demonstrating the community's need for accessible healthcare services. Experienced ophthalmologists and medical staff provided consultations, conducted eye examinations, and offered treatments for various eye conditions.

The Free Eye Camp not only facilitated the treatment of numerous patients but also raised awareness about eye health in the community. By offering essential services at no cost, the camp aligned with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), particularly SDG 3 (Good Health and Well-Being).



Multi-Disciplinary Free Medical Camp

The Department of Community Medicine organized a Multi-disciplinary Free Medical Camp at Govt. Girls High School, Sargodha Road, Faisalabad. The camp, aimed at addressing the health needs of female students, provided comprehensive medical services to 100 schoolchildren.

Doctors from the Pediatric Department of Madinah Teaching Hospital conducted clinical examinations, identifying common health concerns such as pallor, pharyngitis, and scabies. In addition, 7th Semester Optometry students performed detailed eyesight check-ups, ensuring that vision-related issues were promptly addressed. A key focus of the camp was nutritional surveillance, carried out by 4th-year MBBS students from UMD. They measured the height, weight, mid-arm circumference, and calculated the Body Mass Index (BMI) of the students. A dietary survey followed, aimed at identifying the causes of malnutrition. The results were concerning, with 50% of the students found to be underweight or stunted based on BMI classification.

This medical camp highlighted the pressing health challenges faced by school children and underscored the importance of regular health screenings and nutritional assessments. The Department of Community Medicine remains committed to providing essential healthcare services to underserved communities and promoting the well-being of young students.



TUF Conducted



Faculty Orientation

Sessions Culminating in

Cultural Evening

The University of Faisalabad conducted a comprehensive orientation program for its newly inducted faculty members in September 2024. The program was designed to familiarize the new faculty with the university's culture, policies, and academic standards, equipping them with the tools needed for professional growth and excellence in teaching and research.

The program kicked off with a warm welcome and an overview of the university's vision, mission, and governance, presented by Ms Zahida Maqbool, Registrar of TUF. Faculty members gained insights into TUF's policies and practices through sessions led by Ms Nazish Sehar, Deputy Registrar HR, Ms Sehrish Nisar, Asst Manager Legal Compliance and Dr Tazmeen Kaukab, Medical Educationist focusing on university policies, professional presence, and communication skills.



Mr Muhammad Ali, Additional Registrar and Head, Department of Law, outlined TUF's policy against sexual harassment, emphasizing guiding principles, prohibited conduct, confidentiality, and staff training. Mr Muhammad Hanan Iftikhar, Head of International Programs, presented strategies for effective student engagement, focusing on managing diverse classrooms and fostering inclusive, student-centered learning environments.

Mr Ali Hasnain from the National Business School led a session on engaging students in extracurricular activities, highlighting their role in building soft skills and personal growth. Mr Muhammad Hassan Javed from department of LAW, and Izza Ayub from Rehabilitation Sciences, emphasized physical fitness, teamwork, and leadership in student development through sports and games. Prof Dr Tahira Iqbal, Dean of Medicine and Allied Health Sciences, discussed the importance of hands-on learning and classroom simulations in medical education. Furthermore, Dr Amna Javed, Manager of International Linkages, discussed strategies for fostering internationalization, enhancing TUF's global outreach and collaborations.

Mr Muhammad Zubair, Controller of Examinations, led an informative session on grading policies, attendance regulations, examination protocols, and student evaluation methods. Faculty members also learned about curriculum development, innovative teaching strategies, and student support services from experts such as Prof Dr Majid Hussain, Dean Faculty of Information Technology, Prof Dr Aman Ullah Malik, Director ORIC and Prof Dr Tanzeela Khalid, Dean Clinical Trainings.

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Mr Taimoor, Assistant Librarian delivered a comprehensive presentation on digital libraries, covering topics like resource searching, evaluation, accessibility, as well as copyright and plagiarism issues.

Participants shared their reflections and feedback on the orientation program, ensuring that future programs continue to evolve and meet the needs of both faculty and students. Certificates were also awarded to the new faculty members, upon the successful completion of their orientation sessions, recognizing their readiness to contribute to the institution's academic and professional excellence.

At the grand conclusion of orientation sessions, Mr Muhammad Haider Amin, Chairman Board of Governors, delivered an inspiring address that resonated with the entire TUF community.

He passionately highlighted the significance of teamwork, emphasizing how collaborative efforts have positioned TUF as a globally recognized institution. Teachers play a crucial role not only in imparting knowledge but also in guiding and supporting students through their academic journeys, he added. He also lauded the collective commitment of faculty, staff, and students, encouraging them to continue striving for excellence.



Following the successful conclusion of the orientation sessions an exclusive and formal Annual Dinner was organized under the patronage of Chairman BOG Muhammad Haider Amin. Ms Zahida Maqbool, Registrar, all Deans, and Heads were among the distinguished attendees at the dinner. The event featured a Qawwali Night, offering a delightful cultural experience for all attendees. Faculty and administration members gathered to enjoy the vibrant performances. This memorable evening served as a perfect opportunity for team-building and camaraderie.





TUF Kicked Off Fall 2024

FOR NEW STUDENTS

orientation

With Enthusiasm & Inspiration



TUF welcomed its new students for the Fall 2024 semester with an inspiring orientation program full of energy and excitement. The event commenced with heartfelt recitations, the National Anthem, and Milad e Mustafa (S.A.W.), followed by insightful academic guidance from senior faculty.

Prof Dr Amanullah Malik, Pro-Rector, motivated the freshers with his words on academic success, highlighting TUF's vibrant campus life, research opportunities, and student support services. Ms. Zahida Maqbool, Registrar, offered a warm welcome and emphasized the remarkable contributions of the Madinah Foundation. Health sciences students received valuable insights from Prof Dr Tahira Iqbal, Dean, Faculty of Medicine and Allied Health Sciences. Online sessions were also organized, where Prof Dr Tanzeela Khalid, Dean of Clinical Training, and Prof Dr Saba Tariq, Dean, Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences, provided the new students with valuable insights.

Another innovative session on "Study Skills and Time Management" featuring Dr Komal Atta, Director of Medical Education, equipped students with essential academic tools. Interactive sessions on "University Regulations" by Mr Muhammad Zubair, Controller Examinations, and Mental health and well-being were set by Ms Nabeela, Clinical Psychologist.

Orientation continued with another session by the CCA office, which highlighted how students can enrich their campus experience through extracurricular involvement. Additionally, a session was conducted by the Placement Bureau, where students were briefed on various career opportunities, job placement services at MTH, and professional development programs aimed at preparing them for the competitive job market

An informative "Library Orientation" was conducted by Mr Muhammad Usman, Chief Librarian. Mr Tahir Mehmood, Network Manager, shared invaluable insights on E-Learning & IT Services. Students also visited IT labs and the library, where they were provided with detailed information about available resources, research databases, and the latest technological tools to support their academic and professional development.

The orientation program concluded with the participation of new students in singing and poetry activities, to show their talents. In addition to that, booths representing various student societies were set up, allowing freshers to explore and join societies that align with their interests. Stalls offering relevant information were also organized, creating a welcoming atmosphere for the new students. Furthermore, the sports team planned a series of engaging sports activities, encouraging participation and enhancing their overall campus experience





Mehfil-e-Mushaira "Manaqib-e-Ehl-e-Bait Athaar (A.S)"

The Department of Islamic Studies at The University of Faisalabad, in collaboration with Religious Society and Islamic Philosophical Society, organized a Mehfil-e-Mushaira titled "Manaqib-e-Ehl-e-Bait Athaar (A.S)". The Mehfil-e-Mushaira brought together esteemed poetesses and scholars who paid heartfelt tributes to the Ehl-e-Bait Athaar (AS) which served as a spiritual retreat.

Prof Dr Shahida Yousaf presided over the Mehfil. Famous poetesses including Prof Dr Naseem Sehraee, Dr Tahira Inam, Dr Shameem Zafar Rana, Mrs Shumaila Sadaf, Mrs Naveed Kausar, Mrs Samina Raees Nasheeb, Ms Safia Hayyat and Gulfam Naqvi offered Manaqib.

The recitations highlighted Ehl-e-Bait Athaar's unparalleled sacrifices, profound wisdom, and timeless teachings that continue to guide and inspire generations. The event provided a platform for the participants to express their deep reverence and love for these illustrious figures through eloquent poetry.

Featuring renowned poets and engaging recitations, the event highlighted the profound legacy and contributions of Ahl-e-Bait to Islamic history and inspired attendees with its spiritual depth and educational significance.



TUF HOSTED SPIRITUALLY ENRICHING DAILY

صلى الله عليه وآله وسلم
مخاض ميلاد
آب موصطفا

Department of Islamic Studies and the Center for Collective Activities hosted a profoundly spiritual Mehfil-e-Milad in celebration of the birth of the Holy Prophet Hazrat Muhammad (S.A.W) on 8th September 2024. This sacred gathering served as a heartwarming reminder of the timeless teachings and enduring legacy of the Holy Prophet (S.A.W), whose life remains a beacon of guidance and inspiration for people across the world.



The Mehfil-e-Milad began with a beautiful recitation from the Holy Quran, setting a serene and reverent tone for the event. The attendees were moved by the soul-stirring recitations of Naats, hymns in praise of the Prophet (S.A.W), performed by students and special guests. Each recitation was filled with deep devotion, creating a spiritually uplifting atmosphere that echoed with love and reverence for the Holy Prophet (S.A.W).



In addition to the recitations, speakers reflected on the teachings of the Prophet (S.A.W) and their relevance in today's world. They emphasized the importance of incorporating his values of kindness, compassion, humility, and justice into our everyday lives. The Mehfil provided a space for attendees to reconnect with the core principles of Islam, fostering unity and shared devotion within the community.

The event also highlighted the Prophet's (S.A.W) message of peace and harmony, urging participants to embody these ideals in both personal and societal contexts. The presence of students, faculty members, and esteemed guests created an atmosphere of communal warmth and solidarity, as the gathering stood as a testament to the unifying power of faith and love for the Prophet (S.A.W). As the Mehfil-e-Milad came to a close, attendees left with a renewed sense of spiritual purpose, committed to upholding the noble principles of Islam in their daily lives.





In a spirit of devotion and reverence, the Department of Biochemistry at the University Medical & Dental College (UMDC) organized a soulful Mehfil-e-Milad-un-Nabi (SAW) to celebrate the holy month of Rabi-ul-Awwal.

The event featured inspiring Naat recitations and a captivating calligraphy competition, where participants beautifully expressed their love and admiration for the Holy Prophet Muhammad (SAW).

Naat competition

- 1st position: Noor Fatima Final yr MBBS
- 2nd position: Roha Masood 4th year MBBS
- 3rd position: Eman khalid 1st year BDS

UMDC HOSTED HEARTFELT

مِيلَادُ النَّبِيِّ مَجْلِسٌ Celebration Of RABI-UL-AWWAL





Calligraphy competition

- First position: Roha Masood 4th year MBBS
- Second Position: Eman Imtiaz Second year MBBS
- Third position: Maleeha Akbar Second year MBBS

The Mehfil was a heartwarming display of spiritual connection, as students and faculty gathered to honor the life and teachings of the beloved Prophet (SAW). The atmosphere was filled with deep affection as participants renewed their commitment to embodying the principles of 'Seerat-un-Nabi (SAW)' in their lives. The calligraphy competition added a creative touch to the celebration, with students showcasing their talent by artistically rendering verses and praises of the Prophet (SAW). The event was a reminder of the timeless values of compassion, humility, and kindness exemplified by the Holy Prophet (SAW), encouraging all attendees to follow his blessed path.



و اردو Speech Competition organized by

Department of Islamic Studies

TUF Religious Society in collaboration with the CCA office, organized an inspiring Urdu speech competition on the topic "سیرت طیبہ میں اعلیٰ اخلاقیات کا کردار" (The Role of High Morals in the Life of the Holy Prophet, S.A.W). The event drew participants from various departments, all of whom delivered thought-provoking speeches emphasizing the profound ethical values exemplified by the life of the Holy Prophet Muhammad (S.A.W)

The distinguished panel of judges for the event included; Dr Rukhsana Baloch, Coordinator, Faculty of Humanities and Languages, GCWUF, Dr Unsa Jamshed, Head, Department of Humanities, GCWUF. Among the talented participants, the following students were awarded top honors:

- 1st Position: Zirwa Qayyum from BS Software Engineering
2nd Position: Nimra Ijaz from BS Medical Laboratory Sciences
3rd Position: Rikza Huda from BS English

The competition not only celebrated academic excellence but also reinforced the importance of ethical conduct and moral integrity, as demonstrated by the Holy Prophet Muhammad (S.A.W).



Seminar “The Integration of Spiritual and Temporal Knowledge in the Holy Prophet's (S.A.W) Teachings”

The Department of Islamic Studies, in collaboration with the TUF Religious Society, organized a profound session on "The Integration of Spiritual and Temporal Knowledge in the Holy Prophet's (S.A.W) Teachings." This event aimed to deepen students' understanding of the harmonious balance between spiritual enlightenment and worldly knowledge as embodied in the teachings of the Holy Prophet Hazrat Muhammad (S.A.W).

The distinguished guest speaker, Ms Sadia Rai, a renowned religious scholar and Principal of Jamia Qadria Higher Secondary School and College, Jaranwala, shared her valuable insights on how the Holy Prophet (S.A.W) seamlessly integrated spiritual wisdom with practical life, providing a timeless model for personal and societal development. Ms Rai highlighted the importance of adopting these teachings in today's fast-paced world, emphasizing the need for both spiritual growth and intellectual pursuit for a holistic approach to life. This insightful session inspired participants to reflect on how they can embody these principles in their own academic and personal journeys, developing a more balanced and meaningful approach to education.



Congratulations to Prof Dr Muhammad Ashiq on his well-deserved promotion to Dean Faculty of Engineering and Technology

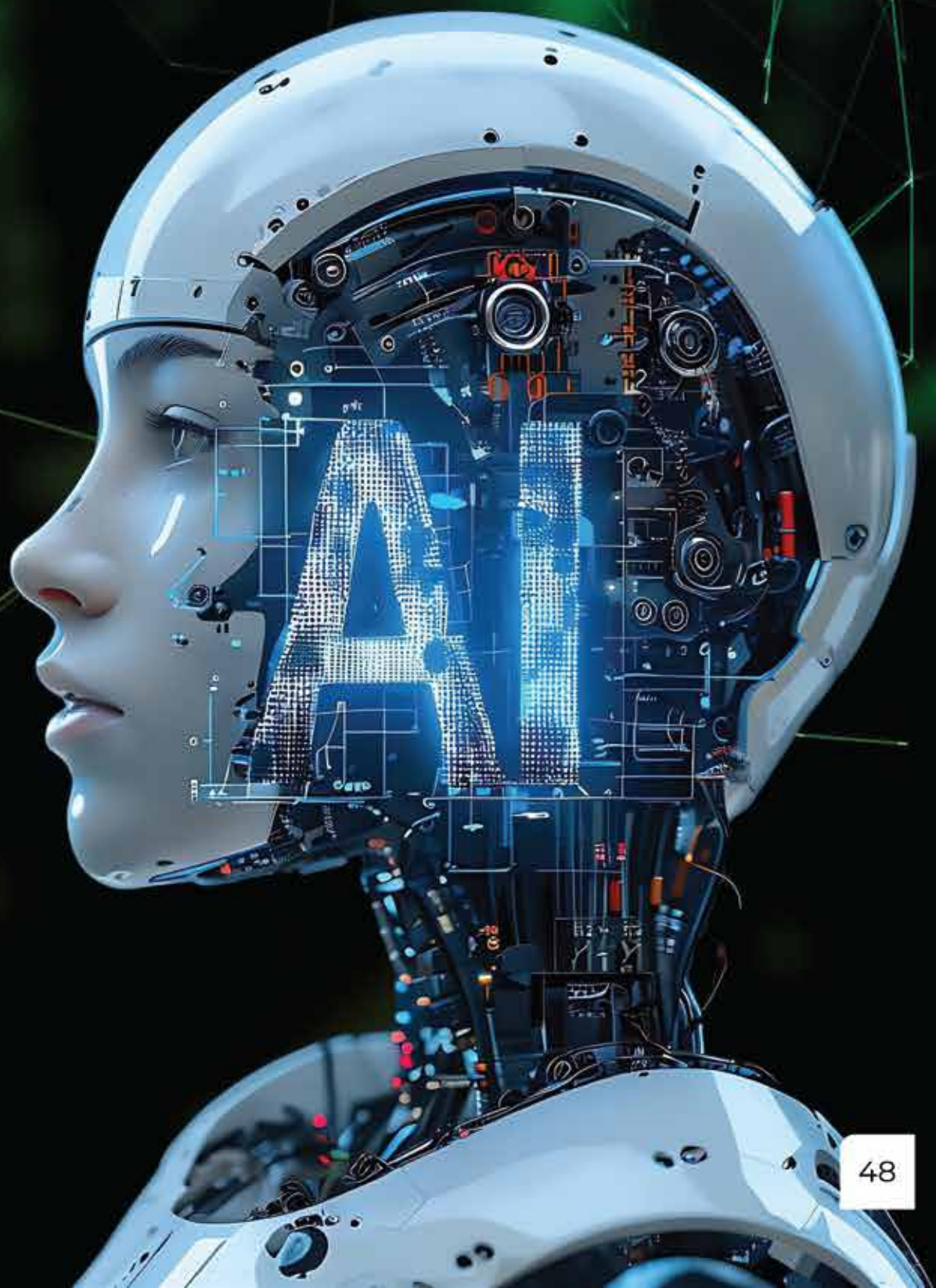
Dr Muhammad Ashfaq as a Dean exemplifies his commitment to excellence in academia and leadership. Congratulations to him!

The Department of Medical Education is well established and known for academic excellence, innovation, equity and quality in Health Professions Education.

Dr Komal Atta, Director Department of Medical Education UMDC is a prominent medical educationist and Associate Fellow of AMEE. She pioneered entrustable professional activities at the Madina Teaching Hospital for the first time in Pakistan, garnering praise and endorsements nationally and internationally including that of Prof Olle ten Cate, who conceptualized EPAs.



It is an honor for TUF and UMDC that Dr Komal was chosen as a member for the AMEE-The Association for Medical Education 's 2024 conference as a member of the online working group. AMEE is the largest medical education conference in the world and garners more than 8000+ delegates. Dr Komal's efforts to promote medical education were lauded in Basil Switzerland by legends of the field Prof. Dr. Ardi Findiyartini, Professor of Medical Education Universitas Indonesia regarding her latest publication on global south equity and also by the legendary Prof Dr Ronald Harden, the creator of the OSCE and commonly known as founding father of medical education. We are proud of our DMEs extraordinary efforts and commitment to excelling in Quality Education.





Welcoming the New Class of Medical Professionals: MBBS Graduates Begin House Officer Training at Madinah Teaching Hospital

We are thrilled to welcome our newest MBBS graduates as they begin their journey as house officers at MTH. Today marks the start of an exciting chapter filled with learning, growth, and hands-on experience in the medical field.

Prof Dr Shirza Nadeem, Vice Principal UMDC, delivered a welcome address and shared inspiring words about the significance of this next phase in their medical careers.

Roles and responsibilities of house officers were outlined by Prof Dr Muhammad Akmal Hussain, President of the Management Committee for House Officers Affairs. The standard operating procedures (SOPs) for house officers were provided by Ms Rizwana, Head of the HR Department at Madina Teaching Hospital.

Senior faculty members provided comprehensive overviews of departmental protocols, patient care standards, and the expectations for house officers.





TUF Welcomes Palestinian Scholars Under COMSTECH Fellowship Program

As part of its ongoing commitment to global education and solidarity, The University of Faisalabad proudly welcomed two distinguished scholars, Amir S F Rasas and Soltan Nasser Mahfouz Barakah, under the COMSTECH Fellowship Program. As part of its ongoing commitment to global education and solidarity, The University of Faisalabad proudly welcomed two distinguished scholars, Amir S F Rasas and Soltan Nasser Mahfouz Barakah, under the COMSTECH Fellowship Program. This initiative, aimed at empowering Palestinian students, reflects TUF's dedication to fostering academic excellence and inclusivity. By offering a platform for these students to pursue their educational aspirations, The University of Faisalabad stands in solidarity with global efforts to ensure a brighter future for all, reinforcing its commitment to sustainable development and international collaboration. Together, we stand in solidarity and commitment to a brighter future.



Congratulations

- Dua Fatima
- Iram Babar
- Saira Kanwal
- Shamsa Kanwal
- Manal Fatima
- Maham Farooq
- Eisha Khan
- Ayesha Arif
- Amina Rafiq
- Saba

Congratulations to the above mentioned successful candidates from the Pioneer Batch of BS Anesthesia Technology for securing jobs in BPS-17 at Public Sector Hospitals through Punjab Public Service Commission (PPSC).

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Optometry Excellence

A Journey

T h r o u g h

Innovation & Research

We're proud to showcase our groundbreaking projects, supervised by Maryam Jabbar:

Tea Tree Tonic

M Sight

MuSAFAR Tech Cane

These innovative initiatives align with the University of Faisalabad's commitment to achieving the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs):

SDG 3: Good Health and Well-being - Improving eye care and vision health for all

SDG 4: Quality Education - Enhancing optometry education and research

SDG 8: Decent Work and Economic Growth - Empowering optometrists and eye care professionals

SDG 9: Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure - Developing cutting-edge solutions for eye care

"Our mission is to push the boundaries of what's possible in optometry, combining research with practical solutions to improve patient outcomes and quality of life." - Maryam Jabbar, Lecturer
Optometry Department, The University of Faisalabad



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TUF's First iShop was Inaugurated by the Faculty of Management Studies

On September 23, 2024, The University of Faisalabad celebrated a significant milestone with the inauguration of its first iShop, a pioneering initiative by the National Business School. Prof Dr Muhammad Ashfaq, Dean, Faculty of Management Studies, led the ceremony, marking a vibrant new chapter for student entrepreneurship at TUF.

The event showcased 16 student businesses, giving these young entrepreneurs a platform to display their innovative products and ideas. Rama, a talented young TUFIAN entrepreneur got the opportunity to operate the KIOSK.

Prof Dr Ashfaq lauded the entrepreneurial spirit of the students, sharing insights from his own professional journey and providing guidance on how to navigate the challenges of building a successful business. He emphasized the importance of resilience, adaptability, and vision in entrepreneurship. Furthermore, he commended the TUF Entrepreneurship Society for its active role in supporting student-led ventures, ensuring that such innovative initiatives thrive within the university community.

The launch of iShop highlighted TUF's ongoing commitment to nurturing a dynamic entrepreneurial ecosystem, empowering students to transform their ideas into viable businesses.





TUF Student Societies Launch 1000 Trees/Year Plantation Drive

TUF Student Societies, in collaboration with Social Welfare and Bait Ul Maal Faisalabad, launched a 1000 Trees/year Plantation Drive. The launching ceremony held at Old Age Home Faisalabad on 8 September 2024. Captain (Retd) Nadeem Nasir, Deputy Commissioner of Faisalabad, was invited as the Chief Guest. He inaugurated the drive by planting a tree along with the TUF IANS.

Ms Khalida Rafiq, Divisional Director of Social Welfare and Bait Ul Maal, and Pro-Rector Dr Aman Ullah Malik, Director Student Affairs, TUF, signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to facilitate the students in conducting the plantation drive.

Special Thanks to Ms Amna Alam, Deputy Director, Social Welfare & Bait Ul Maal, Faisalabad, for her support and guidance in conducting this activity.

This plantation drive aligns with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), particularly SDG 13 (Climate Action) and SDG 15 (Life on Land), as it seeks to mitigate climate change and preserve terrestrial ecosystems. Through this initiative, TUF students are not only contributing to a greener environment but also instilling a sense of responsibility towards nature within the community.



TUF Organized **National SPORTS**




Trials for Scholarship-based Admissions **2024**


On August 19, 2024, TUF Sports Department successfully organized trials for 10 different games as part of the Sports-Based Admission program (scholarship-based) for 2024. The event attracted aspiring athletes from across Pakistan, who demonstrated their skills and passion to secure admission at TUF. Scholarships will be provided to the selected candidates.


The trials, supervised by experienced coaches and conducted in the presence of the TUF Sports Committee, included games such as cricket, football, badminton, athletics, and table tennis, among others. The university is committed to nurturing sports talent through this initiative, offering scholarships to selected candidates as part of its ongoing support for sports and education.

The TUF Sports Department continues to play a pivotal role in fostering a balance between academic excellence and athletic prowess, providing deserving athletes an opportunity to excel in both fields.




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