Go Green Initiative by Hamdard University

Hamdard University has taken a Go Green Initiative on July 05, 2018. Mrs. Sadia Rasheed, Chancellor, Hamdard University, Dr. Shabib ul Hasan, Vice-Chancellor, Hamdard University, Mr. Farrukh Imdad, Dean Administration, Mr. Steffen Thierfelder, Chief Executive Officer, Prettl Pro and along with Dr. Vali Uddin, Registrar, and other Deans, Directors & Staff of Hamdard University inaugurated the initiative by planting the saplings. The aim is to make our environment greener and healthier for coming generations.

Plantation Activity at Herbal Garden on Monday was organized on April 2, 2018 by Faculty of Eastern Medicine at Hamdard University. It was attended by the Vice Chancellor, HU & the Registrar, HU.

Staff of Hamdard University, planting the saplings on Independence Day 2018 in continuation of the Go Green Initiative

Hamdard Institute of Management Sciences (HIMS), HU in collaboration with Team Sare Aam -Iqrar ul Hassan inaugurated HIMS Plantation Drive on 1st August, 2018 in Hamdard University’s main Campus.
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**HIMS Annual Meetup (Annual Dinner )**
HIMS Annual meetup was organized on 11th March 2018 at Lawyers Club. The event was hosted by HIMS Student society under supervision of Ms. Shamaila Burney, Student Advisor –HIMS. Our esteemed Chancellor Ms. Sadia Rashid and Respected Vice chancellor, Prof. Dr. Shabib Ul Hassan were event Chief Guests along with Registrar Hamdard University and all deans and directors. Event commenced with grand celebrations of Hamdard University’s Silver Jubilee Celebrations along with Cake cutting ceremony with whole team of Hamdard University’s Management and Students. On this occasion, Ms. Sadia Rashid, Chancellor Hamdard University and Dr. Shabib Ul Hassan, Vice chancellor appreciated the efforts of the organizing teams. The event was organized to bid farewell to the students of passing out batch of 2017 and to connect HIMS students with the Alumni’s of the institute. Event followed with the performances from students and a concert also arranged for students. Mr. Wahaq Hanif a prominent singer, rocked the stage with his musical performances. Event ended with Title distribution ceremony for students of passing out batch and Teachers by junior students.

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**One Day seminar**
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HIMS -Hamdard University's Faculty Members Mr. Hassan Ahmed, Assistant Professor and Ms. Shamaila Burney, Assistant Professor participated as lead panelist in Digital Marketing Summit 2.0 - 2018 at Benazir Bhutto Shaheed University. Professor Dr. Shabib ul Hassan, Vice Chancellor, Hamdard University also attended Summit as Chief Guest of day 2 of Summit.

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HU Participated in PROCOM 2018

A total of 75 students participated in the event on behalf of Hamdard University. The students from HIET were broken up as follows:

PROCOM consisted of various activities such as: job fair, seminars, recruitment drive and over 20 different competitions ranging from within the domain of technology & engineering like robo-wars, UI/UX design, to general competitions like sketching/painting and quiz.

HIET students performed outstandingly in both domains! Winners were given Cash Prices and Shields. In addition to the above, students also participated in Quiz competitions of different companies’ stalls and won USB and T-Shirts.

Workshop on Classroom Management

A two-day workshop on Classroom Management was conducted by Dr. Yousuf Sharjeel (Associate Professor HIES) and Dr. Muhammad Akhtar Kang (Assistant Professor HIES) on March 22 & April 02, 2018. Secondary Level Teachers of Hamdard Public School participated in this workshop.

HIETians Presented 2 Papers at IEEE ICEET 2018

This year our 2 papers had been submitted in International Conference on Engineering & Emerging Technologies (ICEET 2018) organized by IEEE Lahore Section and Superior University, Lahore. These two papers had been accepted by the grace of Allah Almighty and presented recently on 22nd-23rd Feb. 2018 at mentioned venue. ICEET 2018 is among the renowned conferences of IEEE events and this was the 4th Edition which was one of its kinds; in conference there had been more than 192+ papers submitted from which 52 were accepted and Alhamdulilah 02 were from Hamdard Institute of Engineering & Technology, Hamdard University, Khi.

Paper no: 01: “Implementation of an Autonomous Path Planning & Obstacle Avoidance UGV Using SLAM”
Authors: Naveed ur Rehman, Kundan Kumar and Ghulam E Mustafa Abro

Paper no: 02: “High Voltage Transmission Line Inspection Robot”
Authors: Kundan Kumar, Muhammad Azib Gulzar, M. Asad Javed and Muhammad Sharif

Oral Health Day Seminar and Interdepartmental Table Clinic Competition

For celebrating World Oral Health Day, Department of Community Health and Preventive Dentistry organized Seminar with Key note Speakers Dr Ashar Afaq (Dow University) and Dr Sobia Aftab (Karachi University). Moreover, Interdepartmental Table Clinic Competition was also organized with great success.

Corporate Cup 2018

HU-Sports Department organized Corporate Cup’18 on 5th April, 2018 where different companies participated in the event and acknowledged the efforts taken by the Sports Department.

Best University Teacher Award – 2016

Dr. Dur-e-Jabeen (Assistant Professor, Hamdard Institute of Engg. & Technology (FEST) Karachi) received BEST UNIVERSITY TEACHER AWARD - 2016 by Higher Education Commission (HEC) Pakistan in a ceremony at HEC Islamabad on 21st February, 2018. Prize includes a certificate and cash award of Rs. 1,00,000.

HCM&D Student Bags 3rd Position in 11th UMR Conference in Peshawar

Hamdard University participated in the 11th Undergraduate Medical Research Conference held on 27th-28th March 2018 in Peshawar Medical and Dental College at Peshawar. Out of the total 25 selected researches, the research ‘A study of hearing impairment amongst students of Hamdard University, Karachi using earphones’ presented by Barirah Jamshed, final year MBBS students was given 3rd prize among oral presentations.

Prof. Dr. Muhammad Furqan, Principal, HCM&D made a surprise visit to the conference to boost the morale of the students. Dr. Furqan appreciated the efforts of the organizers for successfully organizing the event since 2007 and thanked them to give full protocol on his visit.

Oral research presenter Barirah Jamshed along with group fellow Yumina Zakir with their poster.
Free Screening Camp
"Free Screening Camp" Community Screening Camp for Diabetes, Hypertension, BMI (Body Mass Index) and Identification of Mental Stress held on Thursday, April 12, 2018, at SUMMH, FEM, HU, organized by Department of Community Medicine & Behavioral Sciences, FEM, HU.

Journalist Visits HU
Meeting & Interview of media personnel with Dr. Shabib ul Hasan, Vice Chancellor, Hamdard University on topics related to Eastern (Unani) Medicine was taken place on 16th April, 2018.

Symposium on Challenges & Opportunities for Unani Medicine
Two Days Symposium on "Challenges & Opportunities for Unani Medicine in the Contemporary World" was held on Monday & Tuesday, April 23-24, 2018, at Bait al-Hikmah Auditorium, Hamdard University, Karachi, Pakistan.

Stress Management Workshop
Human Resource Department organized one day workshop on "Stress Management" on 23rd April, 2018 for employees of Pay Scale 6 and above. The workshop was conducted by the guest speaker Dr. Sobia Aftab with an aimed at controlling a person's level of stress for the purpose of improving everyday functioning. Formal discussions, activities and queries were discussed.

Teaching Practice
Teaching Practice of students (prospective teachers) of HIESS was held from May 03 - May 17, 2018 at Nasra School Soldier Bazar Karachi Conducted by Ms. Nargis Shamim (Lecturer, M.Ed Coordinator) and Ms. Naina Hasan(Lecturer,B.Ed Coordinator). The submission of teaching aids/material used, lesson plans in the form of portfolios and presentations of students on overall their teaching experiences were held on May 22, 2018 at City Campus.

International Conference
"UAEs Supporters' Conference" by The Citizen Foundation (TCF) was held at Hotel Roda Al Murooj, Dubai on 8th & 9th May, 2018. Being an Alumni of TCF; Deputy Director QEC was asked to get vocal on his experience with Higher Education as EX-Graduate of Hamdard University and share vision of the Founder Chancellor Shaheed Hakim Muhammad Said relating to education and community services.

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Hands-on Workshop on Applications of Power-Lab Systems
In context with 25th year Silver jubilee celebrations of Hamdard University, Hamdard College of Medicine and Dentistry organized 2-day hands-on workshop on Power-Lab systems on June 26 and 28, 2018, at main campus, Hamdard University. This workshop was held in collaboration with ADInstruments, Australia. Thirty participants from different faculties of the university and from other institutes/universities of Karachi participated.
Sports Day for HU’s Female Staff

A Sports Day was arranged for Female Staff of Hamdard University with an aim to bring them out of their office routine and make them enjoy their workplace. Winners and Runners ups of Badminton and Throwball teams were being awarded with Cash Prizes on May 29th, 2018.

International Symposium on “Modern Techniques in Joint Preservation


Lectures were given on the following topics:
1. Fat: an unexpected source of regenerative cells, tread carefully
   Mr. Miles Banwell (consultant Plastic Reconstructive Surgeon)
2. An artificial joint, not a new one: The merits of preserving the knee joint.
   Prof. Adrian Wilson (consultant Orthopedic & Specialist Knee Surgeon)
3. Preserving the shoulder joint: State of the art.
   Mr. Ali Noorani (consultant Orthopedic & Trauma Surgeon)
4. Correcting alignment and restoring anatomy.
   Mr. Nima Heideri (consultant Limb Reconstruction & Foot Ankle Surgeon)
5. Biologics and Stem cells for problems: have we got the magic cure?
   Mr. Nick Savva (consultant Orthopedic & Foot Ankle Surgeon)

HCM&D signs MOU with Employers’ Federation of Pakistan

A Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) was signed between Hamdard College of Medicine & Dentistry, Hamdard University and Employers’ Federation of Pakistan (EFP) held on July 11, 2018.

Both have a common interest in establishing strong linkages between industry and academia to improve their capacity to respond to social and economic challenges on society. HCM&D will Collaborate EFP in promoting health awareness and promotion related activities among their more than 600 member organizations.

Scholarship Awarded to HIET Student

Malik Gulbadin Khan Kakar (HIET BE Electronics Alumnus) has been awarded fully funded scholarship at Politecnico Di Milano (A QS Ranked 17th Top University) in MSc Electrical Engineering.

[Only 3 students who were selected for this scholarship from Pakistan and one was from HIET Hamdard University Karachi]

HIMS –CSR Activity –SOS Children’s Village

Hamdard Institute of Management Sciences (HIMS) students visited SOS Children’s Village on 8th May, 2018 under supervision of Ms. Sear Saeed, Lecturer – HIMS. Students of BBA2, BBA7 and BBA8 worked hard for making this event successful. Moreover, students also collected funds and donated food stuff to the management of SOS village for SOS children.

Independence Day Celebration’18

Dr. Shabib ul Hasan, Vice Chancellor, Hamdard University & Dr. Vali Uddin, Registrar, Hamdard University raised the flag on Independence Day and celebrated by cutting the cake with the HU Staff. The celebration was followed by walk and plantation drive.
Hamdard University’s 22nd Convocation

Hamdard University conducted its 22nd convocation ceremony for fall and Spring batches on 24th February (Saturday) at the Main Campus, Karachi.

A total of 1447 students were awarded their degrees at the convocation ceremony, out of whom 24 were from Faculty of Eastern Medicine, 173 were from Faculty of Pharmacy, 124 from Faculty of Health & Medical Sciences, 29 from Faculty of Law, 156 from Faculty of Management Sciences, 52 from Faculty of Social Sciences & Humanities and 888 from Faculty of Engineering & Technology. Out of these students, 1264 students received their bachelor’s degree, 173 received their master’s degree, while 10 were honored with Ph.D.

Gold Medals were also being awarded to high achievers. 25 HU Gold Medals & 7 HK Gold Medals were being awarded to students on this day.

HIMS Fusion Festival at Hamdard University

Hamdard Institute of Management Sciences (HIMS), organized Fusion Festival 2018 at the University’s main campus on 15th May 2018. Prof. Dr. Shabib Ul Hasan, Vice Chancellor, Hamdard University inaugurated the event along with Prof. Dr. Vali Uddin, Registrar. Prof. Dr. Shabib also encouraged and appreciated the efforts of HIMS Event organizing team and said that such kind of activities are necessary for student’s Development and should be organized on a regular basis.

The objective of the event was to build community pride and identity and to provide an annual event that offers fun activities and educational opportunities for families and people of all ages that can enjoy in a family environment.

The festival was jointly sponsored by Haji Ashraf Edhi, ARY Jewelers (Platinum Sponsors), Pakistan Beverages Limited (Gold Sponsors), The Big Bang (Silver Sponsors), Reckitt Benkizer, Arena Multimedia, Mr. Wajid Ali Shiekh -HIMS Alumni -Head of Supply Chain - Damco (Bronze Sponsors), Food World, Food Panda, Pizza Mars, ROOHAFZA, Cafe Boogie, TNS Event Management Company, Mehran Ice Cream, Maaz Limca, Street Kitchen, JD Lassi, Muhammad Kabab House & other Foodies and Rooh Afza Hamdard Foundation (Event Partners). Music Partner was Mr. Nafees, Band Melodiums.

Organized as part of extra-curricular activity by HIMS Faculty members (Ms. Shamaila Burney, Student Advisor- HIMS & Mr Hassan Ahmed –Program Coordinator-HIMS along with Team of HIMS students, the event included unique blend of fun activities, Fun busters (Games & entertainment) , Patang Gali (Baasant) Khabba Dhaba (food Street) and Motors show (Heats On) which showcased unique Vintage cars and motor Bikes that performed spectacular stunts and drifting. Motor show was performed by Motor show partners- Faisal Bacha, Drivers Club, Lowcals and Gears Motor Sports.

The event was participated by the students of seven academic Faculties of Hamdard University as well as their families and friends.
Career Fair 2018

Hamdard University proudly presented city's biggest job fair titled “Uni-Corp Career Connect 2018” on Wednesday, September 5, 2018 at Expo Center, Karachi.

As many as 60 plus noted organizations including, IT firms, NGOs, private hospitals, manufactures, textile industry, and ecommerce websites set up their stalls at the job fair to recruit university’s students and graduates to offer them internship and permanent placement opportunities.

This mega event was open to the public. Job-seekers had an excellent opportunity to network with prominent employers seeking companies to fill their open positions.

Apart from indoor activities and games, training workshops, motivational & grooming sessions and counseling programs were also conducted for the self-improvement and personal development of the participants. More than 17 universities & 7000 students attended the fair.

Corporate representatives appreciated the efforts taken by Office of Research, Innovation & Commercialization (ORIC)- Hamdard University to bridge the gap between students and corporate world. Vice Chancellor Hamdard University, Prof. Dr. Shabib ul Hasan acknowledged the efforts of participated companies and said that the purpose of this job fair was to get aware students about job opportunities, possible industries which hire persons & provide jobs and also make students to understand their hidden capacity, talents, and capabilities so that after getting knowledge of their abilities they would be in better position to find suitable jobs. He also awarded corporate representatives with the token of appreciation.