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Department of Management Sciences, Isra university of Hyderabad organized a one day

seminar on Thar Coal: A Potential Energy Solution of Pakistan on 2nd August, 2017.

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WORLD HEPATITIS DAY



World Hepatitis Day "Two-day free screening and vaccination camp has been jointly organized by Department of Community Medicine and CM initiative for Hepatitis free Sindh, Department of Health, Government of Sindh at Isra University on

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Training Session of Isra Young Traders Challenge 2017

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Since the past 4 years Isra University has been conducting a successful training session on Isra Young Traders and this year Isra University Economics & Finance Society in collaboration with JS Global Capital Limited organized a one day training session on Thursday September 14th, 2017 at Asadullah Kazi Auditorium, Isra University Hyderabad. The main aim behind this training was to enhance the financial and to develop entrepreneurial skills in students.

The session was inaugurated by Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Pro Vice Chancellor, Faculty of Commerce, Economics & Management Sciences and Patron-in-Chief of Isra Economics & Finance Society. He shed light on the basic concept of stock market, the current situation, how the market works and what emotions are necessitate to the stock market. He expressed, "Investing is not only for individual profit but is important activity when it comes to economy of the country. Such events acts as a key in building confidence of students introducing them with current market trends, opportunities and threats

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EDITORIAL

Dear Readers,

Assalamu Alaikum! Isra News is an official organ of Isra University. This quarterly newsletter is designed to keep the Isra affiliated community well connected, and at the same time bring the readers up to date with the various co-curricular and extra-curricular activities taking place at the University along with the educational and social welfare programs. pursued by the parent organization, Isra Islamic Foundation.

In order to keep Isra News well populated, we rely on contribution of news items. from the community members. When sending news items, please make sure to include the essential elements of an event: what took place, whom it concerns the most, where and when it took place. You are encouraged to send your news items by email to the address given below.

Last but not the least, your news contributions are important to us, so help us keep the Isra community connected by contributing regularly to Isra News. We appreciate your interest and contributions, and hope that you will find Isra News to be informative and pleasant to read

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One Day Seminar on Thar Coal: A Potential Energy Solution of Pakistan

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Chief Guest of the seminar was Mr. Shamsuddin Shaikh, Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Sindh Engro Coal Mining Company (SECMC) and Engro Powergen Thar Limited (EPTL).

Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Pro Vice Chancellor of Isra University hosted delegation in meet and greet session and reflected hope towards joint understanding for the establishment of the mutual initiatives for the betterment of the society.

Seminar was carried with the welcome address of Dr. Qamarudin Mahar (Head of Department, Management Sciences). He welcomed to Chief Guest along with his colleagues and expressed gratitude towards the collaboration of university with the corporate sector.

Mr. Shamsuddin Shaikh presented his detailed presentation on Thar Coal project, Block II. Considering objectives of the seminar,

he acknowledged the role of coal in the economy,

highlighted the importance of Thar coal and its related development projects and socioeconomic changes in context of development perspective of Thar. Session was carried with the question and answer session where faculty and students actively participated.

Dr. Hameedullah Kazi concluded seminar by his closing remarks. He appreciated the role of Engro in the development and endorsed the way forward strategy by working together.

Seminar was attended by various students from different disciplines. Organizing team of the seminar was consisted on; Mr. Zahid Chana, Ms. Annum Inayat, Ms. Wafa Pathan, and Mr. Ahsan Ansari.





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and providing them hands on experience to their upcoming challenges".

The second session was conducted by the guest speaker, Mr. Abdul Latif Memon branch manager at JS Global Capital Limited. He

environmental scenarios and situations create sentimental risk. He stated: "Trading involves considerable amount of risk and to be profitable you must possess good tolerance of risk". More than 120 students from Isra University and other schools,



described about the tools of trend analysis used by professional brokers. He illustrated on the important considerations for new investors and accorded a thorough overview of real time trading in stock market through online terminal to demonstrate how the





colleges and universities of Hyderabad including Sargodhian Spirit Trust Public School, Rashidabad, Foundation Public School, HIAST, IMSA and Zubairi College engaged in the event to accomplish the main aim behind it and making it a huge success.



CERTIFICATE CEREMONY OF BENAZIR BHUTTO SHAHEED YOUTH DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM, PHASE-9.



A Certificate Ceremony of Benazir Bhutto Shaheed Youth Development Program, Phase-9 was held on 01 August 2017 of 10 Trades in which 250 trainees successfully received Certificates. The chief guest on the occasion was Mr. Shariq Ahmed, Secretary, Benazir Bhutto Shaheed Human Resource Research Development Board (BBSHRRDB) who gave away the certificates in Auto

Chancellor, Engineering & Management Sciences, Dr. Sajjad Kazi, Vice Dean, Rehabilitation Sciences, Prof. Dr. Noor Muhammad, Chairperson, Electrical Engineering Department, Engr. Saad Khan Baloch, Assistant Professor, Isra University and others were present.

Mr. Shariq Ahmed, spoke on the occasion by congratulating the



CAD, Book Keeping & Accounting, Networking, E-Commerce, Mobile Application Developer, Fiber Optic Network Design, Lab Assistant, OT Technician, Dental Assistant, Pediatrics and CIT. The colorful ceremony was held at the Asadullah Kazi Auditorium, where on the occasion Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Pro-Vice



trainees. He was thankful to the administration of Isra University and expressed that in future too Isra University will remain proud partners. Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi thanked Mr. Shariq Ahmed for traveling all the way from Karachi and ensured to continue its support for BBSYDP Programs in future.





WORLD HEPATITIS DAY

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July 27-28, 2017.

An awareness walk was arranged and briefing on Hepatitis to staff and students of third year were given by Dr. Amanullah Jhatyal,



Senior Monitoring Officer of the program.

A large number of staff, students and community of vicinity were provided vaccination and were screened at the camp. Camp was



inaugurated by Dr. A G Kazi, Pro-Vice Chancellor Isra University. Participants of the walk were Prof. Hussain Bux Kolachi, Chairperson Department of Community medicine, Prof. Mumtaz



Qureshi, Dr. Salman Kazi, Dr. Sajjad Kazi including faculty members of Department of Community Medicine along with students and staff members.



PAKISTAN ENGINEERING COUNCIL (PEC) VISIT FOR MECHANICAL ENGINEERING



Pakistan Engineering Council Visited Mechanical Engineering Department at Isra University, Hyderabad. PEC conducted the





Zero/Verification Visit of the Department on 15 September 2017. PEC was very happy to see the facilities at the department. The team at first met Prof. Dr. Asadullah Kazi, Chancellor, Prof. Dr.



Chairperson, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Ibrahim Panhwar . Later on the team visited the labs, libraries, exam branch and class rooms. In the end the team expressed pleasure seeing the facilities.





SESSION ON MANAGING DEPRESSION



Isra University Alumni Association arranged an interactive session on Managing Depression on 13 September 2017. Dr. Imran Y. Muhammad (Sitara-e-Imtiaz), Founder Transformation

main causes of stress, which if not treated properly, can lead to depression. On the other hand, Dr. Imran entertained students with different constructive activities. He also taught essential



International Society, and Dr. Sobia Aftab, Fulbright Postdoctoral Visiting Scholar, were invited to create awareness among students who struggle with depression. Dr. Sobia Aftab highlighted the



techniques of reducing and removing the causes of stress in the light of Islamic teachings.





HOW TO WRITE SUCCESSFUL CURRICULUM VITAE



One- day workshop was conducted on How to write Successful Curriculum Vitae by the Career Development Center (CDC) under the Office of Research, Innovation and Commercialization (ORIC) on Thursday, 14th of September, 2017 at Block-C.

different faculties. The coordinator carried an activity to involve tha participating students in CV and resume building practices. The session lasted for over 2 hours where the managing team introduced ORIC Interest Form to the students followed by giving



The facilitator for the workshop was Mr. Noman Ahmed Qazi, Manager, Human Capital Department, Isra University, Hyderabad. The aim behind this session was to augment capacity among students in the area of CV/Resume writing.





out of certificates to the facilitator and organizers. The organizing team consisted of Mr. Zafar A. Siddiqui, Ms. WafaPathan, Mr. Ebbad Qureshi, Ms. Donia Bughio, Mr. Muazam Memon and Mr. Ahsan Ansari.



MINI POSTER COMPETITION



A Mini Poster Competition of the subject Fundamentals of Electrical Power by subject teacher Saad Khan Baloch, Assistant Professor, Isra University was organized on 29 August 2017 at the



participated. Present on the occasion were Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Pro-Vice Chancellor, Engineering & Management Sciences, Prof. Dr. Noor Muhammad, Chairperson, Electrical Engineering



faculty of Engineering, Science & Technology. Students had displayed posters of their projects. In total 10 groups had



Department.





CERTIFICATE CEREMONY OF PRIME MINISTER YOUTH SKILLS DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM, PHASE-3, BATCH-1

Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Pro-Vice Chancellor, Engineering & Management Sciences and Head of NAVTTC Prime Minister Youth Skills Development Program distributed Certificates to the successful trainees in Prime Minister Youth Skills Development Program, Phase-3, Batch-1.

Isra University, Hyderabad was shortlisted and selected to organize trainings in 03 trades at its Hyderabad Campus i.e. Book

Keeping & Accounting, Graphic Designing and Auto CAD in Prime Minister Youth Skills Development Program, Phase-3, Batch-2. A total of 75 students got training being offered to the students from underprivileged areas of the region. Mr. Saad Khan Baloch, Focal Person, Isra University, Hyderabad coordinated the event.

ADHESIVE DENTISTRY: DRIVING FORCE ON THE RIGHT TRACT



Online Lecture on Adhesive Dentistry: driving force on the right tract "was organized on 25 July

2017 at Isra Dental College Hyderabad. Dr. Umer Daood senior Lecturer in Clinical Dentistry, International Medical University Kuala Lumpur Malaysia and PhD scholar Adhesive Dentistry Hong Kong University was the Speaker. Program was facilitated by Dr. Zahid Iqbal, HOD & Associate Professor in the Department of Operative Dentistry Faculty members, postgraduate students and house officers of Isra Dental College attended the event. Dr.

Navaid Kazi (Vice Dean Isra Dental College) addressed the importance of continuing dental education in his welcome speech. Dr. Umer Daood delivered the lecture and also highlighted the significance of active application ofbonding agent on bond strength. He shared his research work on dental adhesive, incorporation of antimicrobial in dental adhesive and novel bonding product.

The vote of thanks was extended in the closing ceremony.





MOU SIGNATURE CEREMONY



MoU Signed with BBSHRRDB for Benazir Bhutto Shaheed Youth Development Program on 06 September 2017. Prof. Dr. Noor Muhammad, Chairperson, Electrical Engineering Department and Engr. Saad Khan Baloch, Assistant Professor, Faculty of Engineering, Science & Technology went to Head Office, BBSYDP, Karachi to sign the MoU. In total 08 Trades i.e. Auto CAD, E-Commerce, Book Keeping & Accounting, Entrepreneurship, Electrician, Electronic Technician, CIT and Networking. 225 students will be trained in the above-mentioned trades/courses.

MOU SIGNED WITH NAVTTC

MoU Signed with NAVTTC for Prime Minister Youth Skills Development Program on 26 September 2017. Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Pro-Vice Chancellor, Engineering & Management Sciences & Engr. Saad Khan Baloch, Assistant Professor, Isra University went to Head Office, NAVTTC, Karachi, Sindh to sign it.

Isra University has become a proud partner of NAVTTC in imparting trainings in Prime Minister Youth Skills Development Program. It is the 3rd time that NAVTTC has approved Isra University for giving trainings in seven sectors/trades i.e. Hardware & Network Technician, Book Keeping & Accounting, Auto CAD, Graphic Designing, Lab Assistant, Dental Assistant and Gynae Assistant for Phase-4.

Workshop on MS-Office at State Bank of Pakistan. Engr. Saad Baloch delivered a workshop on MS-Office at State Bank of Pakistan, Hyderabad on 28 September 2017. In total 30 participants participated in the workshop. All of the participants were employees of State Bank, Hyderabad. The participants were given hands on practice about the different formulae, tables, worksheets etc. Engr. Saad Baloch also met with the Chief Manger

of State Bank of Pakistan. The Chief Manager thanked Engr. Saad Baloch for conducting the workshop.



Lecture on self-hygiene and dryness of skin

On 27th September 2017, Dr. Uzma Dost Muhammad Rajar, Head, and Chairperson of Dermatology Department arranged a lecture for postgraduate and graduate students on "Self-hygiene and dryness of skin" at Isra University, Hyderabad.

This event was organized to create awareness among the doctors on how to keep a hygienic environment. A Post lecture "hands-on" practice was also done at the end to check the moisture level of skin on patients at the Skin Out Patient Department.

PAKISTAN ENGINEERING COUNCIL (PEC) VISIT



Pakistan Engineering Council Visits Electrical Engineering Department. PEC conducted the Re-Accreditation Visit of the department of Electrical Engineering on 19 & 20 September 2017. PEC was very happy to see the facilities at the department. The team at first met Prof. Dr. Asadullah Kazi, Chancellor, Prof. Dr. Ghulam Qadir Kazi, Vice Chancellor, Pro-Vice Chancellor, Prof.

Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Dean, Prof. Dr. Muhammad Iqbal Bhatti & Chairperson, Prof. Dr. Noor Muhammad Memon. Later on the team visited the labs, libraries, exam branch, classes and met with the students of final year electrical engineering. In the end the team expressed pleasure seeing the facilities.

DERMATOLOGY DAY

On 18th September 2017, The Dermatology Department of Isra University Hyderabad celebrated Dermatology Day. The topic of the day was "Topical Anti-Fungal." Speakers for the session presented this topic and guided the students regarding new

advances on Topical Anti-Fungal treatment options. A number of students participated in this activity which included graduates as well as postgraduates.

FREE SECOND HEPATITIS VACCINATION CAMP

On the 25th and 26th of August, 2017 the Department of Community Medicine, Isra University arranged a Hepatitis Vaccination camp for the faculty and the staff of Isra University. This was a two day camp and was done in collaboration with Chief Minister Hepatitis Prevention and Control Program, Sindh and was inaugurated by Dr. Sajjad Kazi.

This was the second time this camp has been arranged and all those who were vaccinated in the first camp were given their second dose of vaccinations and were also provided with guidelines regarding the prevention of Hepatitis B and C by the team of Public Health Specialist from Community Medicine Department led by Professor Hussain Bux Kolachi. Awareness and health education material was also displayed during the camp. Data of all vaccinated staff and faculty was collected on the pre-designed pro forma. This camp has been of great benefit to staff, faculty, students, and doctors working and studying in Isra University, Hyderabad.





It has been planned to arrange a Third Camp to fully vaccinate all the staff against Hepatitis B that is the main cause of Cirrhosis. It has been recorded that Pakistan has the 2nd highest number of cases for hepatitis C which denotes that organizing such camps is very important.

The preventive measures include; Safe use of syringes, Blood Transfusion and use of sterilized dental and surgical instruments. The students of Isra University demonstrated the importance of

prevention and vaccination to the rural and highly populated communities of Sindh and Pakistan. Prevalence of Hepatitis B&C in Pakistan is 2.5% and 5% respectively.

The Cooperation of Dr. Amanullah Jhatial, focal person Hepatitis Program and Dr. Wali Muhammad Leghari, Project Manager Hepatitis Program was highly acknowledged.

TRAINING SESSION ON OXFORD PRACTICE GRAMMAR

Department of Management Sciences, Isra University Hyderabad with collaboration of OXFORD UNIVERSITY PRESS PAKISTAN organized one-day training session on OXFORD PRACTICE GRAMMAR Book on 30th August, 2017. The session was conducted by Ms. Farida Faizullah, an eminent educationist and co-author of Grammar English Skills Book for Classes XI &





XII. The organizing team of Isra University comprised of Prof. Dr. Hameedullah Kazi, Dr. Qamaruddin Mahar, Ms. Annam Inayat, Ms. Nida Shah and Mr. Ahsan Ansari. The main objective for this session was to polish linguistic and learning skills of Faculty and students and to help them understand the importance of teaching grammar and vocabulary through various activities.

WORKSHOP ON "ANTERIOR CROWN PREPARATION AND TEMPORIZATION"



Department of Prosthodontics, Isra Dental College Hyderabad, conducted a one-day lecture and hands on workshop on "Crown Preparation and Temporization" on 26th July, 2017. The workshop was arranged and supervised by Dr. Farzana Memon, Assistant workshop was then carried out. The students learned all steps of crown preparation and temporization successfully. The workshop concluded with distribution of award and certificates by honorable Dr. Navaid Kazi, Vice Dean, Isra Dental College and Dr. Amtul



Professor, Prosthodontics Department, Isra Dental College Hyderabad. Dr Navaid Kazi, Vice Dean Isra Dental College was the chief guest of the program. The session began with a detailed lecture on crown preparation and temporization, hands on





Qayoom, Administrator Isra Dental College Hyderabad and also encouraged the students to benefit from such educational workshop. Certificates were also awarded to all participants and organizers. Focal Person: Dr. Farzana Memon



12TH ANNUAL GLOBAL DERMATOLOGIST CONFERENCE

Head and Chairperson of Dermatology Department, Isra University, Dr. Uzma Dost Muhammad Rajar presented as a speaker at the 12th Annual Global Dermatologist Congress. She also gave a lecture in the 2nd Annual Euro Global Congress on Melanoma and skin diseases held on 31st August to 1st September 2017 in London, U.K.

PRESENTATION IN FDI CONFERENCE

Dr. Zahid Iqbal, Head of Department and Associate Professor in the Department of Operative Dentistry presented in FDI Conference held in Madrid, Spain. He delivered a speech on biological based treatment modalities in contemporary Endodontics. He also presented basic ideas of biological based treatment including regenerative endodontics, MTA pulpotomy and PRF pulpotomy in permanent teeth. At the end of his presentation, he catered to the audiences' queries and was also awarded with a Certificate of Presentation by FDI Officials.

ISRA UNIVERSITY PARTICIPATES IN 13TH GLOBAL DERMATOLOGIST CONGRESS

The 13th Global Dermatologist Congress is being organized on 13th and 14th of August 2018 in Madrid, Spain. A number of dermatologists from throughout the world are invited to this congress. Dr. Uzma Dost Muhammad Rajar, Chairperson, Department of Dermatology Isra University, is also invited for an

oral presentation on genital lichen planus and Aloe Vera gel at the 13th Global Dermatologist Congress.

She is also selected as the member of organizing a committee of this conference.

World Rabies Day



Isra University celebrated World Rabies Day on the theme of Ending Rabies Death by the year 2030, it was organized by the department of Community Medicine on 22nd and 23rd September, 2017 in which various activities were conducted by the whole team

of department of community medicine with an aim to improve awareness regarding the cause and improve the prospect of treatments.





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- Faculty of Dentistry & Allied Sciences

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Isra Dental College & Hospital, Hyderabad

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Isra School of Paramedics, Hyderabad

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