

TRANSFORMING HIGHER EDUCATION IN KHYBER PAKHTUNKHWA: STRATEGIES AND WAY FORWARD

A conference of higher education stakeholders was held at IMSciences on November 12, 2024, co-organized by ORIC IMSciences, Shaheed Benazir Bhutto Women University Peshawar, Women University Mardan, FIKR, and the Pakistan Development Foundation. The conference brought together over 80 prominent stakeholders from academia and industry, who participated actively in panel discussions and parallel sessions.

The conference provided a platform for participants to share insights, discuss challenges, and explore collaborative strategies to advance higher education and industry alignment in Pakistan. Through these sessions, attendees had the opportunity to address key issues, including curriculum development, research innovation, and the future of skills-based education.