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IBA CICT
Center for Information & Communication Technology
Institute of Business Administration

BBSYDP
Certificates Distribution Ceremony

July 2017: IBA, with the active support of Benazir Bhutto Shaheed Youth Development Program (BBSYDP) has trained over 450 underprivileged youth in different courses like Web Designing, Web Development, Multimedia & Graphic Designing, IT Entrepreneurship, Software Development and Office Automation.

On the completion of the courses IBA organized a certificate distribution ceremony on Thursday at JS Auditorium in IBA City Campus. Provincial Minister of Education and Literacy Mr. Jam Mehtab Hussain Dahar, Special Advisor to CM on Science & Information Technology Dr. Sikandar Ali Shoro, Secretary BBSHRRDP Mr. Shariq Ahmed, Dean and Director of IBA, Dr. Farrukh Iqbal; Director of Information & Communication Technology, Mr. Imran Batada and other guests from the IT sector participated in the event.

This year IBA also organized a symposium for the top-rated projects of the students who took different IT courses in which CIOs and CEOs of different organizations took keen interest. This helped the students to exhibit their projects before industry experts and professionals to get possible jobs.

IBA produced a documentary which showcased the whole training process as well as the efforts of trainers and students regarding the entire 4-month program. High achievers (top 3 students) from each class were invited on stage, where the Chief Guest presented them their certificates and an electronic tablet to the highest percentage holder from each class - courtesy Commtel and DWP.

On the occasion, Mr. Imran Batada - Director ICT & CICT congratulated all the students and added how they have been successful in changing the mindset of the students resulting in some students being interested in joining IBA degree programs, some getting jobs, and some selling their final year projects.

Speaking on the occasion Provincial Minister of Education and Literacy Mr. Jam Mehtab Hussain Dahar said that this is a great initiative under the umbrella of Sindh Government's BBSYDP initiated in 2008 and has provided training and education to the youth of Sindh to facilitate their employment and curtail poverty. He added that his Government's focus is on education and that they are glad that IBA Centre of Information & Communication Technology has come forward for this program and trained 450 plus students in this batch alone. He said that he was very excited to know that, not only students have learned here but they also have gotten internship and jobs.

The Program aims to provide opportunities for short-term employment and skill development to approximately 100,000 semi-literate and educated unemployed youth in Sindh for a period varying between 3 months to one year.





MoU Signing Ceremony between IBA Karachi and Ecommerce Gateway Pakistan



IBA to participate in 17th ITCN Asia 2017 as the Knowledge Partner

July 18: Institute of Business Administration (IBA) and Ecommerce Gateway Pakistan, signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) regarding the participation of IBA as a knowledge partner for 17th ITCN Asia 2017- International Exhibition & Conferences. The MOU was signed by Mr. Imran Batada, Director ICT, IBA and Dr. Khursheed Nizam, President, Ecommerce Gateway Pakistan.

The two organizations expressed their objective to work together to benefit the IT industry.

The objective of this MOU is to bring forth the potential of ICT sector, benefits of CPEC, and to provide a platform to startups to showcase their projects. Mr. Imran Batada, Director ICT, IBA, congratulated the whole team of ITCN Asia and said, "This year again IBA is happy to collaborate with ITCN Asia to deliver, IBA may take advantage of this platform to showcase its startups and final year projects, since ITCN has a high impact factor. In addition, IBA will also help ITCN in the conference for selection of the track, keynote speakers, and moderation of event. This year we are also going to add two conferences in ITCN Asia; CPEC and IT Industry of Pakistan and Challenges of Digital Security for Media".

Engro & National Food Project

IBA-CICT team continues to provide its services to National Foods & Engro employees to live stream their events and for their CEO conferences. Their solution and services enable National Foods employees from all over the Pakistan to view the live streaming of these events by residing at remote locations. This particular service allows organizations to live stream their events to the audience of their corporate and global offices. It generates increased engagement by making events seamlessly accessible to those who cannot physically attend.

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