



# THE UNIVERSITY'S PROFILE 2021-22

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“Ever since LUMS came into being over 30 years ago, we have tried to provide the best education and opportunity to our students to improve and develop themselves to serve society and contribute to making a better Pakistan.”

**Syed Babar Ali,**  
Founding Pro Chancellor, LUMS

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ALONG THE FENCE

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# VICE CHANCELLOR'S MESSAGE

As we pause to reflect on the year of the pandemic and its variants causing widespread distress, I am so proud of the extraordinary response from the LUMS community. Hybrid and online pedagogy came with a steep learning curve, but faculty and students embraced it with creative and flexible responses. Courses were redesigned, pedagogical training was further strengthened and our resolve to tackle the big issues facing society took on another meaning.

The grand challenges facing Pakistan require out-of-the-box solutions. These solutions transcend our traditional disciplinary responses. The answers appear to lie in unified responses that blend contributions from science, engineering, the humanities, law, business, and education. Research from our five schools is converging through our centres. Working closely with industry and government, our centres are focusing on water, big data, energy, entrepreneurship and technology. In 2020-21 alone, the Office of Research processed 186 grants, generating PKR 587 million for innovative, impactful projects.

Some relatively new Offices, including International Affairs, Academic Advising, Accessibility and Inclusion, as well as Health and Safety, are extending services from our established Offices to further enrich the student experience. Promoting

gender equality is also producing visible results. Forty percent of senior leadership positions are held by women, including the Provost, and for the first time the President and Vice President of the Student Council are female.

At the 33<sup>rd</sup> convocation ceremony held earlier this year, half of the top academic medals were awarded to female students for their performance in non-traditional fields for women, such as chemistry, mathematics and electrical engineering. The Suleman Dawood School of Business at LUMS is also the first in the world to offer a 50% scholarship to all women admitted to any of its graduate programmes. This groundbreaking initiative has resulted in 62% female enrolment in graduate programmes within a year.

The courage, creativity and care our community has demonstrated is showcased in this wonderful edition which I invite you to see for yourself. Please join us in our efforts to better serve our communities and build a stronger Pakistan.

Wishing you good health,

**Dr. Arshad Ahmad**





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# FAST FACTS



Ranked  
**40<sup>th</sup>**  
in the 'World's Best  
Small Universities' by  
Times Higher Education

National Outreach Programme  
wins Platinum Award by the Council  
for Advancement and Support of Education  
for 'Best Practices in Diversity, Equity,  
and Inclusion'

Suleman Dawood  
School of Business  
accredited by AACSB  
offers 50% scholarship  
to women

Ranked in the  
**651-700**  
band in QS World University  
Rankings 2022

**300**  
faculty members  
from universities like  
Stanford, MIT, Yale,  
Oxford, Cambridge, and  
Imperial

**1 in 3**  
students receives  
financial support  
annually

**5,092**  
students

**1,422**  
recruiting partners with  
96% graduate  
employability

**PKR 7.8  
Billion**  
disbursed as  
financial  
support since  
inception

**100%**  
scholarship for PhD  
students

**15,578**  
alumni





# THE UNIVERSITY

LUMS is a not-for-profit organisation established in 1985. It has evolved into a leading institution for research and teaching, with its students and faculty working towards solving the grand challenges of South Asia and beyond.

LUMS offers a distinctive academic experience through its 'Learning Without Borders' philosophy, providing an integrated core curriculum across disciplines. Its five schools have nurtured leaders in all spheres of life ranging from entrepreneurship, economics, biology, mathematics, engineering, education, writing, politics and business.

The University's internationally qualified faculty are experts in their fields. They create an engaging learning environment and foster a mentoring relationship with their students, who are taken on as co-creators in this process. A major hallmark of the pedagogy at LUMS is that it encourages students to apply their knowledge and come up with progressive 21<sup>st</sup> century solutions. Academic Advising services at the University offer school-focused peer-mentoring programmes, and online resources for faculty advisors and students.

Cutting-edge research at LUMS is positioned to examine the mission of higher education from the perspective of innovation, continuing education, and social engagement. The centres at LUMS work in areas ranging from water, energy, and big data, to indigenous languages and public policy, among others. Research from faculty is published in prestigious publications all around the world, and their work also informs policymaking at national and regional levels.

Making the LUMS experience accessible to bright students across the country regardless of their financial circumstances is a top commitment. As part of its National Outreach Programme (NOP), the University reaches out to over a hundred cities across Pakistan, attracting talent from underserved segments of society. As a result, the University is home to scholars from diverse backgrounds and unique perspectives, offering an experience that expands horizons and encourages collaborations.

LUMS has also ushered in a new era of learning in the region by offering interactive online learning models. Cloud classrooms coupled with personalised feedback from both the students and teachers shape the interactive model and enhance learning. LUMSx, a platform for open learning, allows faculty to reach students and teachers across the world. Massive open online courses (MOOCs), webinars, and podcasts also offer creative ways for knowledge generation and dissemination to a global audience.

The well-being of its community members remains a major priority at LUMS. Several health and safety initiatives are in place, including virtual therapy and online tutorials, and these provide constant and systematised support to students, staff and faculty. COVID-friendly study spaces as well as outdoor classrooms are also available.

LUMS continues to uphold high academic standards and its students, faculty and alumni are helping build a more sustainable and equitable society.



## NOT-FOR-PROFIT STATUS

LUMS is a federally chartered university and is approved as a not-for-profit organisation under Section 2 (36) of Income Tax Ordinance, 2001 in terms of provisions of Clause 63 of Part IV of Second Schedule to the Ordinance. Any individual or organisation making donations to LUMS is entitled to a tax credit under Section 61 of Income Tax Ordinance, 2001. Moreover, the University has been granted exemption from the levy of income tax under Section 159 of the Ordinance, thus, tax is not deductible on payments made to the University.

# PIN YOUR HOME ON THE MAP



JAMMU  
&  
KASHMIR



# OPENING AVENUES TO EDUCATION

Focused on providing talented students a world-class education, one in three students at the University is on some form of financial aid. Annually, nearly 40% of the student body receives support, based on an applicant's academic performance and assessed financial need.

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**PKR 3  
Billion**  
disbursed to  
NOP students  
since 2001

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**PKR 7.8  
Billion**  
disbursed  
in financial aid  
since inception

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## The National Outreach Programme

The National Outreach Programme (NOP) is an embodiment of LUMS' core principles of diversity and accessibility. The Programme is the global winner of the Platinum Award by the Council for Advancement and Support of Education 2021 for 'Best Practices in Diversity, Equity and Inclusion'. The NOP is a unique initiative making quality education accessible to those belonging to underserved areas across Pakistan. To date, 1,311 students have been recruited from 138 cities, towns and villages.

The Programme offers up to 140% scholarship, which covers tuition, books, living stipends, and lodging. The impact of the scholarship on the scholars and their communities is far-reaching; many of them become the first to graduate in their families and are able to avail worthwhile academic and professional opportunities.

Since its inception in 2001, 851 NOP students have graduated; 52 of them have received scholarships in top universities worldwide while others are at good positions in international companies. Remarkably, many NOP graduates have been inspired to launch local enterprises that create sustainable social impact in their communities, creating a multiplier effect across the country.



# MAKE A DONATION

Donating towards LUMS Financial Aid and the National Outreach Programme (NOP) will help Pakistan's most talented students bring their dreams to life. You can choose to donate once annually or create a named endowment that can provide financial assistance to many students over the fund's lifetime.

Donations will go towards awarding scholarships disbursed through various means. The NOP scholarship consists of a complete tuition fee waiver and additional stipends for hostel accommodation, reading materials, and a living allowance. Graduate programme scholarships are awarded as interest-free loans, and undergraduate programme financial aid scholars receive a combination of up to 70% support including waivers and interest-free loans.

Admission to all programmes is purely on merit and independent of students' ability to pay the fees. Each academic year, all aid is reassessed based on performance, financial need, available resources, and general university policies. Students are required to start paying their LUMS interest-free loans six months after graduation, completing all payments within three to five years.

## Annual Donation

Category	Annual Requirement	
	PKR	USD**
Undergraduate National Outreach Programme	1.2 Million	7,270
Graduate Programme Scholarship (MBA)*	1 Million	6,060
Graduate Programme Scholarship (Excluding MBA)*	0.85 Million	5,150
Undergraduate Financial Aid Scholarship*	0.55 Million	3,330

## Endowed Gift

Category	One-time Endowment	
	PKR	USD**
Undergraduate National Outreach Programme Scholarship (Perpetual)	34 Million	206,060

\* Scholarships will be awarded in the form of either interest-free loans or a combination of tuition fee waivers and loans

\*\* Exchange rates are subject to change

## **Donate to LUMS today!**



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### **Pakistan-based Donations**

#### **Credit card or inter-bank funds transfer**

<https://pay.lums.edu.pk/donations/>

#### **Cheque**

Send a cheque in favour of "Lahore University of Management Sciences" to the Office of Advancement, LUMS, DHA, Lahore Cantt. 54792, Lahore

### **US-based Donations**

#### **PayPal**

<https://pay.lums.edu.pk/donations/>

#### **Cheque**

Send a cheque in the name of "Friends of LUMS – USA Association" to Idris Kothari, Friends of LUMS - USA Association, 15491 Bohlman Road, Saratoga, CA. 95070

For details about wire transfer or further information, please write to us at [giving@lums.edu.pk](mailto:giving@lums.edu.pk)





# GETTING TO KNOW LAHORE

With a blend of great food, quality educational institutions, parks and plenty of activities, Lahore is the cultural capital of Pakistan.

The city is known for its historical monuments and its countless poets, scholars, writers, intellectuals and scientists. Standing tall in the heart of the city are the grand Lahore Fort, the magnificent Badshahi Mosque, Minar-e-Pakistan and the Sheesh Mahal - a UNESCO recognised world heritage site. Lahore is also the centre of higher education in the country and is home to some of the oldest educational institutions.

Lahore offers a harmonious blend of tradition and modernism. There are vibrant malls offering brands from across the world, an efficient public transport system that takes you to all parts of the city, and international food franchises that offer a wide variety of food choices.





# OUR SCHOOLS

Through rigorous programming and an emphasis on research and scholarship, the five schools at LUMS provide students with a rich educational environment.

Faculty work closely with students, who are at the centre of the learning experience and curate and customise their educational trajectory. They can choose from a variety of degrees at the undergraduate, graduate and doctoral levels and can pick courses from different schools and departments. This allows each student to develop a holistic approach towards their field of study and this transdisciplinary approach is key to innovation and discovery at LUMS.







# SULEMAN DAWOOD SCHOOL OF BUSINESS (SDSB)

Within a span of 35 years, SDSB has transformed into an internationally acclaimed business school. As Pakistan's first and only business school to have earned the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business (AACSB) international accreditation, SDSB offers its students leading edge business and management education. According to QS World University Rankings, SDSB is ranked at number one in Pakistan for Business and Management Studies. Its Accounting and Finance programme has a global ranking of 201-250 and is the first to be ranked in this subject area in the country. SDSB is the only school from Pakistan to be ranked in the QS Global MBA Rankings and its MBA is ranked among the top 30 MBA programmes in Asia and top 201+ in the world.

SDSB is the pioneer of the case method of learning in Pakistan, and adds blended and experiential learning to its pedagogy. The School is also a Harvard Publishing Content Partner and has one of the largest collections of indigenous business case studies in South Asia.

Cutting-edge research is a hallmark of the School, and faculty members have extensive business and consultancy experience. Students are able to engage with senior executives from the private and public sectors, as well as entrepreneurs. This provides them with a practical perspective on contemporary business topics as well as networking opportunities with potential employers.

In addition to its flagship MBA, the Executive MBA and a PhD in Management, SDSB also offers MS programmes to address the needs of specialised sectors in the region. To promote gender diversity, the School offers a 50% tuition fee waiver to all women admitted to its graduate programmes.

SDSB produces highly skilled graduates who can lead, transform and create long lasting impact in business and society.





# MUSHTAQ AHMAD GURMANI SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES (MGSHSS)

MGSHSS is reshaping the way social sciences and humanities are taught in Pakistan.

The School offers a comprehensive liberal arts curriculum with 365 courses at the undergraduate level. It consists of two departments: Economics, and Humanities and Social Sciences. The Department of Economics at MGSHSS is one of the most established in Pakistan, with 30 faculty members who hold PhDs. The School has also recently initiated a partnership with the University of East Anglia for a joint PhD programme.

The innovative curriculum at MGSHSS provides a broad foundation of knowledge to its students as they delve into works on politics, scientific reasoning, sociology, economics, culture, religion, art, literature, and aesthetics. Equipped with a diverse set of transferable skills, students are able to overcome challenges in a rapidly changing world, whether they have to work in the public sector, the private sector, for non-governmental organisations, or in academia.

The international reputation of the School continues to grow and gain recognition through its research. Its faculty members have authored 40 academic publications and five books this year. They have published in internationally acclaimed presses such as Hurst, Cambridge, Fordham, and McGill. Their work is also published in the highest rated journals in their respective fields, including *World Development*, *Modern Asian Studies*, *Bioscope*, *Journal of Postcolonial Writing*, *Oxford Review of Economic Policy*, *Feminist Economics*, and *Resource and Energy Economics*. Several alumni have distinguished themselves in a variety of fields and have been recognised at the annual Vice Chancellor's Alumni Achievement Awards. The work done at MGSHSS continues to push the boundaries of scholarship and is helping create a comprehensive understanding of South Asia and its complexities.





# SYED BABAR ALI SCHOOL OF SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING (SBASSE)

Adopting the 'no-boundaries' philosophy, SBASSE is making significant strides in the experimentation of teaching and learning, while celebrating the novelty of research.

Housed in a purpose-built complex with state-of-the-art laboratories, SBASSE faculty and students conduct groundbreaking research and develop solutions to the most complex local and global problems. The curriculum is designed to encourage cross-disciplinary collaborations between the various disciplines at SBASSE, as well as those offered by other schools at LUMS.

According to the QS World University Rankings 2021, subjects at SBASSE have been highly ranked; these include Computer Science and Information Systems at 251, Engineering Electrical and Electronics at 351, Engineering and Technology at 382, and Physics and Astronomy at 501.

The recently identified seven research streams at SBASSE highlight deeply entrenched issues of the 21<sup>st</sup> century. Many of these directions have culminated in dedicated research centres such as the Centre for Water Informatics and Technology, the LUMS Energy Institute and the Technology for People Initiative.

The School's faculty have won international awards for their research, and have produced around 300 articles, all published in international venues of prestigious ranking. Most recently, the World Bank and the Higher Education Commission Pakistan, awarded the School a PKR 12 million Rapid Research Grant to study how humans respond to the COVID-19 infection. Also, the prestigious Facebook Research Award 2020 was awarded to two faculty members for their research on 'Countering Deepfake Misinformation Among Low Digital-literacy Populations'.

SBASSE offers four-year undergraduate Bachelor of Science degrees in basic sciences as well as Computer Science, Electrical Engineering, Mathematics, and Chemical Engineering. It also offers a joint major in Economics and Mathematics. In addition to its undergraduate programmes, the School has robust MS and PhD programmes in various disciplines—all designed to train an ambitious group of scientists and researchers.



SHAIKH AHMAD HASSAN  
SCHOOL OF LAW



# SHAIKH AHMAD HASSAN SCHOOL OF LAW (SAHSOL)

SAHSOL is the pioneer of the 5-year BA-LL.B in Pakistan, and combines the richness of a liberal arts education with a solid professional training in law. The Pakistan Bar Council and the Higher Education Commission Pakistan recognise the programme as a qualifying law degree. The two-year BA phase of the degree is interdisciplinary in nature and students are exposed to a wide range of disciplines at other schools at LUMS. The LL.B phase spans over three years and students undertake fundamental and specialised courses in law.

SAHSOL has a rich tradition of scholarly and intellectual exchange. The Socratic Method employed at the School engages students in dynamic discussions that enhance their critical thinking and analytical reasoning skills. In addition to learning in the classroom, real-world training is an important component of this degree. Law majors have multiple opportunities to undertake legal internships, contribute to the *LUMS Law Journal*, and engage in pro bono work through the Street Law Programme; an initiative that targets high school students from middle and lower income backgrounds to inform them about the law and the legal system of Pakistan.

Students also have the opportunity to assist faculty in their research. SAHSOL's research active faculty have published books with international publishers and have had their work included in major law reviews and journals.

The School's faculty have engaged in projects with the American Bar Association, launched the Pakistani Feminist Judgements Project, which encourages the re-writing of legal opinions of the Supreme Court of Pakistan from a feminist perspective, and were also instrumental in the Lahore High Court's historic judgement to end the 'Two Finger Test' in rape case investigations in Punjab.

Graduates from SAHSOL have gained recognition as leaders in the corporate sector, partners in top law firms, as well as advocates for a range of public interest causes. They have also excelled in the Central Superior Services (CSS) exams achieving top positions. Many graduates have gone on to pursue higher education at top universities around the world, receiving prestigious scholarships.

The School also hosts the Centre for Chinese Legal Studies, a joint collaboration with Wuhan University in China.





# SYED AHSAN ALI AND SYED MARATIB ALI SCHOOL OF EDUCATION (SOE)

Through its comprehensive programmes, SOE produces strategic leaders, policy researchers, and reflective practitioners who are geared towards directing a vibrant education reform agenda for Pakistan.

The School offers a minor in education, an MPhil in Education Leadership and Management and a weekend-based Executive MPhil in Education Leadership and Management. The programmes feature extensive field engagement and operate at the nexus of research, policy and practice.

MPhil candidates participate in the Practicum Programme, a mandatory, intensive semester-long 'residency' rooted in field-based research during which students are placed in one of the 46 educational organisations that have partnered with the School. SOE is also developing a course on learning issues with the University of Toronto and the University of London. The School also helps students reach their full potential through the numerous individual interviews, advising sessions and networking events conducted by the SOE Career Placement Programme.

Faculty at the School actively engage at the national level. They are part of government education task forces, boards of public-private partnerships, and autonomous bodies in the government. They also lead policy roundtables with multiple stakeholders on issues of national importance.

The Office for Partnerships is a vital component at SOE. It not only facilitates students to access practitioners in the education sector but also plays a focal role for faculty to make relevant connections with organisations to further their research interests.

With graduates that are well-equipped to diagnose and solve real-world problems in public and private schools, SOE is well on its way to create sustainable and much needed change in classrooms across Pakistan.










# LIFE AT LUMS

There is always something happening at LUMS; from lively discussions between students and faculty, to student-led events.

LUMS is home to 55 student societies catering to a wide range of interests and extracurricular activities. These societies offer students a place to express themselves, learn new skills, and meet like-minded people. They also provide students with the opportunity to represent the country at international forums. Many of our student delegations have made a mark at prestigious competitions such as Model United Nations, and the Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition. The University also offers various sports activities and programmes to keep its community members physically and mentally fit.

Additionally, the Pedagogical Partnership Programme offered at LUMS is the first of its kind in South Asia and provides students with paid partnerships. These involve active collaboration with faculty and staff to design courses, offer feedback on teaching, engage in research and work directly with service units on campus.

The inclusive environment at LUMS fosters a strong sense of community in its members, which makes for a dynamic university experience. No matter where students come from, or where they are headed, at LUMS they will find a home and a community that will encourage, support and inspire.

 <b>Safety and Security</b>	 <b>Student Counselling</b>	 <b>Health and Wellness Centre</b>	 <b>Diversity and Tolerance</b>	 <b>Academic Advising</b>
LUMS provides round the clock security services to ensure that students on campus are safe.	Counselling and Psychological Services promotes student mental health and well-being.	A 24/7 on-campus facility caters to all first aid medical situations.	The Office of Accessibility and Inclusion provides an equal opportunity environment.	The Office of Academic Advising and Student Success partners with all Schools' advising systems to improve student support.





# THE CAMPUS

With its modern campus, spread over 100 acres, LUMS is where you lay the groundwork for life-long connections and friendships.

From physical to mental health, well-being is a priority at the University. The Syed Maratib Ali Sports Complex and the Coca-Cola Aquatic Centre offer state-of-the-art sports facilities that help students maintain an active lifestyle.

The Counselling and Psychological Services has therapists on board, working under the supervision of a licensed clinical psychologist, to meet the mental health demands of the community. In addition, the Health and Wellness Centre on campus is equipped to provide emergency medical services to all.

The dining experience at LUMS is carefully curated to cater to all kinds of taste buds. The campus aims to serve delicious meals at reasonable prices. From organic fruits



at the LUMS Store, and Pakistani food and barbeque, to Chinese cuisine and salads, everything is available on campus.

The seven male and five females hostels at the University offer a friendly and secure environment to all students, and are furnished with a wide range of amenities including Wi-Fi, TV lounges, game rooms, laundry rooms, kitchens and dining rooms. A dedicated staff member is also available to help students at all times.

Students can also access a wide range of print collections and online services including subscriptions to print and online journals, as well as e-libraries, at the Gad and Birgit Rausing Library at LUMS.

Furthermore, the new custom-built LUMS Daycare Centre offers separate areas specially designed for infants, pre-school children and school-going children, in addition to an outdoor play area and other facilities. The Daycare offers a homegrown curriculum designed by the LUMS School of Education students with activities that are aimed to enhance social, motor and creative skills.

# STATE-OF-THE-ART FACILITIES



Students conduct cutting-edge research in the labs



The library at LUMS has a wide range of collections and online services



A twin sharing room in one of the 12 hostels on campus





The Dining Centre offers a diverse variety of meals and snacks



Gyms for both men and women are among the many facilities at LUMS



International standard aquatic centre with a 25 meters FINA certified swimming pool



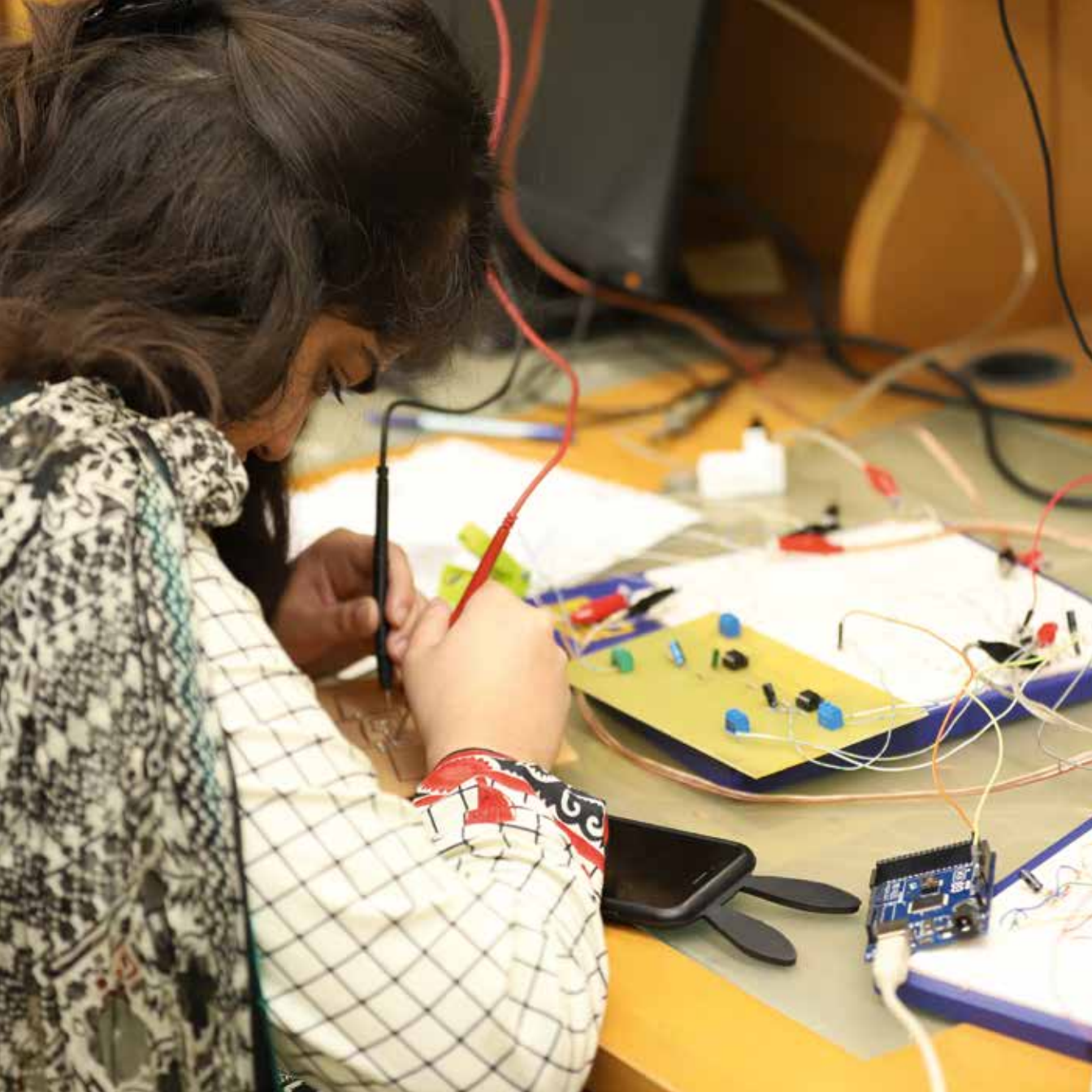
The tennis courts are frequented by students, faculty and staff



Inside the new Daycare Centre, housed in a purpose-built structure



The LUMS Store offers a variety of grocery items, organic food, fresh fruits and vegetables, books, stationery, and a range of LUMS souvenirs



# RESEARCH AND INNOVATION

Faculty at LUMS conduct multidisciplinary research to expand human knowledge and address global challenges. Working side-by-side with students, they advance scholarship in the realm of climate change, digital literacy, poverty, the energy sector and many other fields.

In addition to being published in prestigious journals, our faculty collaborate with high-ranking think tanks, policymakers, government committees, and leading research institutes around the world. Their research has received numerous awards and is supported by grants from organisations such as Facebook, Google, The World Bank and UNHCR - The UN Refugee Agency.

Some notable projects by our faculty have explored the industry readiness of battery electric vehicles, affordable housing for low-income households, development of an international refugee curriculum and design for teaching computational thinking and STEM. LUMS faculty have also been doing their part in studying COVID-19 and its transmission to support worldwide efforts to understand the virus, prevent its spread and help those affected.

Research by LUMS faculty members is published in top-ranked academic journals. The University's inclusion in the Times Higher Education (THE) Asia University Rankings is a testament to this, as THE considers reaching 1,000 publications count as part of their criteria.

Books, edited volumes and case studies by faculty members are also used across mainstream academics and for trainings at national institutions.







# CENTRES AT LUMS

Exciting discoveries are made and new scholarship is created at the Centres at LUMS through a synergistic relationship between theory and practice.

The **LUMS Learning Institute** transforms learning and teaching practices by utilising modern technologies and innovative teaching tools. It also connects students with faculty to establish valuable pedagogical partnerships. The Centre has been instrumental in developing LUMSx - the new digital platform for open courses, encouraging interinstitutional collaboration, and national and regional partnerships.


The **LUMS Energy Institute** works with the energy and power sector of Pakistan. It provides interdisciplinary research and shares capacity building practices, which support power and energy planning, renewable energy technologies, and grid modernisation.

The **Rausing Executive Development Centre** imparts executive education with the aim to enable managers to progress into leaders, following both case-based teaching and hybrid pedagogies. The Centre is recognised for its transformative learning experiences impacting individual and organisational performances.

The **Gurmani Centre for Languages and Literature** was established in 2010 for the advancement of South Asian languages and literature. The Centre achieves this aim through language teaching, research and publications, as well as cultural programming.

The **National Centre in Big Data and Cloud Computing** partners with 11 universities working on big data across areas of agriculture, industry, energy, health, multimedia and local languages. The Centre also hosts Pakistan's open data portal and focuses on human resource development in the specialised field of big data and cloud computing and its practical applications.

The **Centre for Water Informatics and Technology** conducts research and works closely with industry and the government on developing technologies to improve irrigation efficiency and introduce sustainable agricultural practices.



The **National Incubation Centre Lahore** has a focus on contributing to Pakistan's economic development by promoting innovation and entrepreneurship in high impact areas. It inspires and facilitates problem-solvers in agriculture, education, environment, financial inclusion, healthcare, and applications utilising artificial intelligence and machine learning.

The **Centre for Continuing Education Studies** offers courses that develop the professional expertise of students, professionals and non-traditional learners. Its courses are designed and delivered by highly acclaimed industry experts and academics.

The **Saida Waheed Gender Initiative** leverages research, teaching, and praxis related to gender at LUMS. It encourages research and resource development supporting pedagogy in the area of gender studies. The initiative hosts events that bring together scholars, students, and members of the broader community.

The **Centre for Chinese Legal Studies** promotes the teaching of Chinese laws in Pakistan. It aims to become a regional hub for shared legal resources between Pakistan and China. Academics, students, and legal and business professionals in both countries are facilitated to exchange knowledge and build capacity and legal expertise through the Centre.

The **Centre for Business and Society** is a platform for debates, policy discussions, student engagement and events to engender positive societal impact. This impact is created by providing a critical forum for discussion on focus areas vital to Pakistan's social and economic sustainability.

The **Mahbub ul Haq Research Centre** supports interdisciplinary research, scholarship and teaching on issues of human development, social exclusion and inequality across South Asia.

The **Technology for People Initiative** was established to explore and enhance sustainable, innovative and low-cost technology. It aims to make government institutions in Pakistan as informed, inclusive and responsive as possible to achieve good governance.



## Goals

- Develop a broad shared culture of partnership at LUMS
- Legitimizing existing partnerships that "count" as partnerships
- Lift these partnerships to what we want them to be
- Make space for new partnerships to develop & flourish



Second cohort of Vice Chancellor's Alumni Achievement Award winners recognised at the Alumni Homecoming



## 25 YEARS OF FRIENDSHIP

Class of MBA 1994 celebrates its 25-Year Reunion

# A POWERFUL NETWORK OF ALUMNI

LUMS' alumni are its proud ambassadors spread across the world. They provide the University valuable support by sponsoring scholarships, as well as participating in networking events and mentorship programmes. These dynamic individuals are leaders in diverse industries, making their alma mater proud.

Total alumni

15,578

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International alumni chapters

7

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Local alumni chapters

19

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Alumni in Fortune 500 companies

471

Alumni spread across

57

countries

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Alumni entrepreneurs

321

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Alumni CEOs

452

Alumni working in the government sector or at a policymaking level

376

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Alumni teaching at international universities

48



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