



SDG-4 QUALITY EDUCATION

Sustainable Development Goal 4 (SDG 4) aims to ensure inclusive and quality education for all and promote lifelong learning. It recognizes the importance of education in achieving all the other sustainable development goals and targets to be achieved by 2030.

The key targets of SDG 4 include:

Ensuring that all children have access to free, equitable, and quality primary and secondary education: This means that every child, regardless of their background, should have the opportunity to receive a quality education from primary to secondary level.

Ensuring equal access to quality early childhood development (ECD), care, and pre-primary education: Early childhood education plays a crucial role in shaping a child's development and future learning outcomes. SDG 4 aims to ensure that all children have access to quality early childhood education and care.

Ensuring that all youth and adults have access to quality lifelong learning opportunities: Lifelong learning helps individuals develop new skills, adapt to changing job markets, and become active participants in society. SDG 4 promotes access to lifelong learning for all, including out-of-school youth and adults.

Eliminating gender disparities in education and ensuring equal access to all levels of education for vulnerable groups: SDG 4 emphasizes the importance of gender equality in education and aims to eliminate disparities in educational opportunities for vulnerable groups, including girls, children with disabilities, refugees, and indigenous populations.

Improving the quality of education and learning outcomes: SDG 4 calls for an emphasis on improving the quality of education, including learning outcomes, teaching practices, and infrastructure. It promotes the use of inclusive and participatory teaching approaches and incorporating relevant skills for sustainable development.

Expanding access to higher education and vocational training:

SDG 4 recognizes the importance of providing access to tertiary education and vocational training to empower individuals with the skills needed for decent work and economic growth.

Increasing the number of qualified teachers and improving their training and working conditions: Quality education requires well-trained and motivated teachers. SDG 4 promotes the recruitment, training, and retention of qualified teachers and improving their working conditions.

By focusing on these targets, COMSATS University aims to ensure that every individual has access to quality education and opportunities for lifelong learning, contributing to the achievement of a sustainable future for all.

Comsats University Islamabad has a well-equipped library that is accessible to the entire community, including non-students. The availability of library resources to a wider audience can be a valuable asset to the community and promote lifelong learning.

The issuance of temporary library cards for non-students is a common practice at CUI. These cards allow individuals who are not formally enrolled at the university to access the library's resources, including books, research materials, and academic databases. In this way, CUI extends the benefits of the university's library to the broader community.

CUI has been working on the development of skills of youth. Under the Prime Minister's Skills Development Programme, CUI launched free courses. This program encourages females, minorities, disabled, and rural communities to attend the free courses.

COMSATS University Islamabad conducted a training session on Entrepreneurship "Achieving Success with the right mindset". A successful Entrepreneur & motivational speaker "Raja Rakeel Zahoor" shared his experiences about how to become a successful entrepreneur.

Faculty members at CUI are uploading their lectures regularly for global access, and CUI organizes the Frontier Information Technology (FIT) conference annually, which brings together experts and researchers from around the world to share the latest developments in Information and Communication Technology. Conferences like FIT are important for the exchange of knowledge and networking opportunities in the field of IT.



As per COMSATS University Islamabad Act, 2018, the university shall be open to all persons of either gender and of whatever religion, race, creed, class, color, or domicile, and no person shall be denied the privileges of the university on the grounds of religion, race, caste, creed, class, color or domicile. Therefore, the university has a clear policy to ensure that all students have access to the facilities and activities, regardless of ethnicity, religion, disability, immigration status, or gender. In this regard, COMSATS University offers scholarships to disabled, needy, and Afghan refugees.

CUI Faculty Development Academy has developed Signature Courses to cultivate skills that are needed to become successful in meeting academic rigor expected in academic settings. FDA also offers customized self-paced courses for its faculty and for community.

- Creating Blue Chip Professor
- Leader SHIFT Decoding and Reinventing Leadership

- Teaching in Innovative Spaces
- Big Data and FinTech, from Technology to Performance
- Zoom Fatigue to Zoom Vroom
- EQ-AQ Management
- Learn, Engage, Accelerate and Disrupt
- Knowing the Unknowns
- Personal Branding-Stand out in the Crowd
- Anthropological Perspectives
- Ethnographic Thinking
- Green Supply Chain Management



Seminar - How to be an Entrepreneur

Department of Management Sciences and Eventix Society arranged a seminar on “How to be an Entrepreneur” on December 8, 2022. Mr. Ahmed, CEO of Mughlia Baithak, Wah Cantt, an alumni of CUI Wah Campus and a successful entrepreneur was a resource person of the seminar. The purpose of the event was to share important steps and techniques with students on “How to be an Entrepreneur”.

The speaker discussed his experience and addressed the entrepreneur's abilities to develop and organize his limited resources, take initiative to handle uncertainties in order to make a successful entrepreneur.

The experience of the resource person was very helpful for the students for their future professional endeavours. Students/faculty members from all departments of the University attended the seminar with interest. At the end the fruitful question answer session was also held to clear the fear of market conditions and misperceptions among students regarding becoming an entrepreneur. The speaker motivated them to think and move forward with their own start-up ideas. The event was concluded by presenting a university souvenir to the guest speaker by the Head Management Sciences Department with a vote of thanks.

Seminar - How to be an Entrepreneur



Business Incubation Center (BIC-ORIC), CUI organized a seminar on Entrepreneurship “Achieving Success with the right mindset”

A successful Entrepreneur & motivational speaker "**Raja Rakeel Zahoor**" is invited to share his experiences about

- How to become a successful entrepreneur with the right perspective about success.
- How to be consistent and set up achievable goals
- How to overcome emotions while taking business decisions.

Mr . Raja Rakeel Zahoor started his businesses by working in-home service/solutions to local communities in Canada and now he is the Founder and CEO of multi-million dollar companies, was the resource person.

Achieving Success with The Right Mindset
A talk by the man who has walked the walk
A Successful entrepreneur with the right perspective about success.

RAJA RAKEEL ZAHOOR
 Founder CEO of multimillion dollar companies
 An Entrepreneur
 Motivational Speaker

11th October, 2022
 10.00 A.M - 11.30 A.M

Venue: EE Seminar Hall
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orientation Session as well as first training session on “Entrepreneurs” of Student Startups Batch-10, held on 25th October, 2022

An orientation session as well as first training session of Student Startups batch-10 was held on 25th October, 2022, at BIC ground floor hall from 10:00 am to 1200 hrs. Wherein Dr. Munawar Naz Khokhar delivered a talk to startups on “Entrepreneurs”