

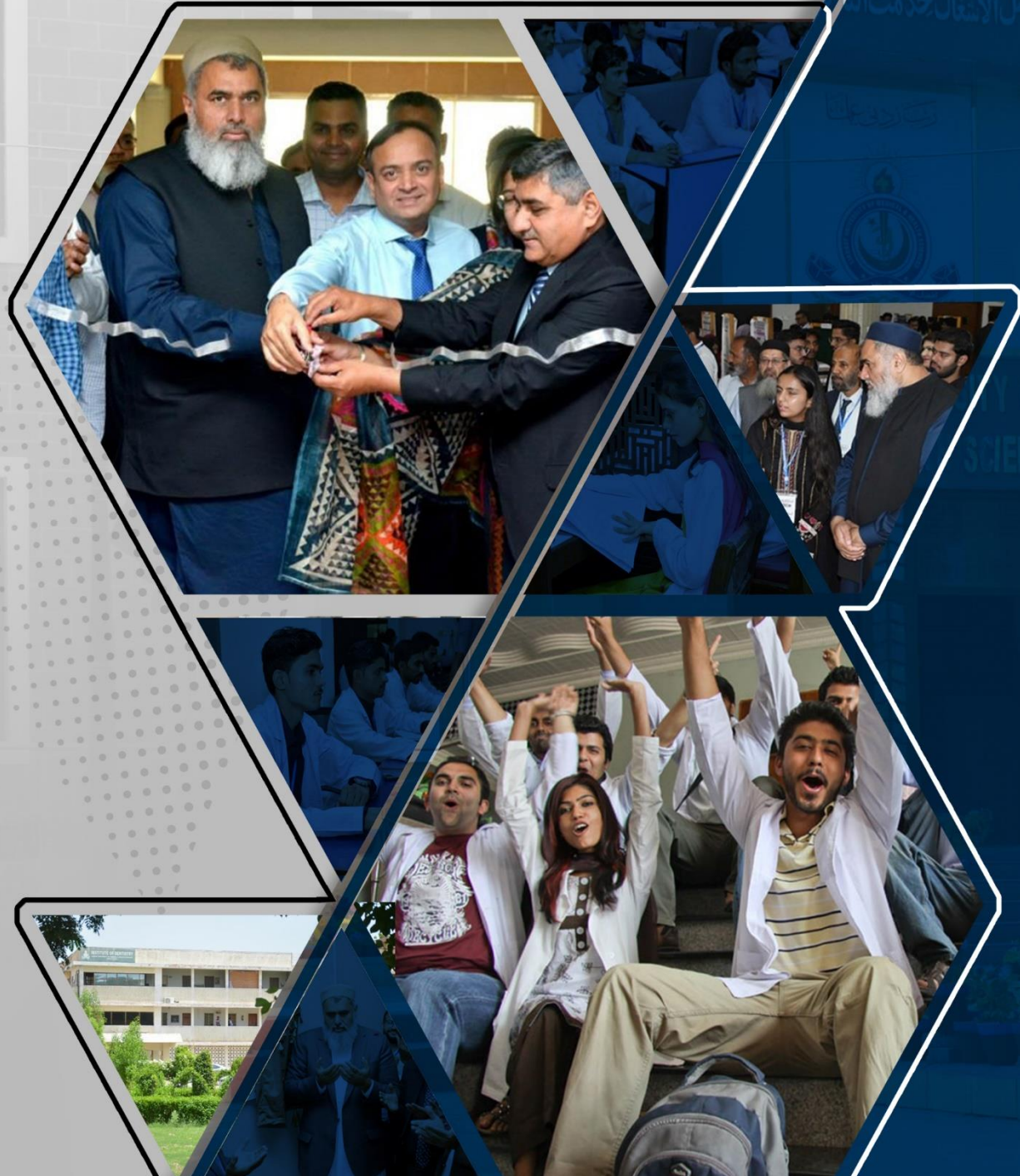


**LIAQUAT
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OF MEDICAL & HEALTH SCIENCES
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OVERALL REPORT

On SDG-8 Decent work and Economic Growth

Liaquat University of Medical and Health Sciences (LUMHS) contributes significantly to **Sustainable Development Goal 8 (SDG 8): Decent Work and Economic Growth** through the development of a **skilled and competent healthcare workforce**. The university plays a vital role in training doctors, nurses, technologists, researchers, and other allied health professionals equipped with modern knowledge and clinical expertise. By ensuring high-quality education, hands-on training, and research opportunities, LUMHS strengthens Pakistan's healthcare infrastructure and supports the national economy.

Graduates from LUMHS not only serve in hospitals, research institutions, and public health organizations across Pakistan but also contribute to the global workforce, particularly in regions facing healthcare professional shortages. This enhances the country's economic standing through foreign remittances and professional recognition abroad. Moreover, LUMHS collaborates with healthcare institutions, government bodies, and international partners to promote employment, entrepreneurship, and skill development initiatives in the health sector, thereby fostering sustainable economic growth and decent work opportunities in alignment with SDG 8.



LUMHS Participation in the “Skill Up Plus” Event on Promoting Green Skills

Event Title: *Skill Up Plus: Strengthening the TVET Sector through Promoting Green Skills*

Venue: Mövenpick Hotel, Karachi

Organized by: Rural Development Foundation (RDF) Sindh in collaboration with Sindh Technical Education and Vocational Training Authority (STEVTA) and Welt Hunger Hilfe (WHH)

Report:

Liaquat University of Medical and Health Sciences (LUMHS), Jamshoro, participated in the event hosted under the project “*Skill Up Plus: Strengthening the TVET Sector through Promoting Green Skills.*” The event, held at Mövenpick Hotel, Karachi, aimed to promote sustainable development by integrating green skills into technical and vocational education and training (TVET) programs across Sindh.

The event witnessed an excellent turnout, reflecting significant interest and engagement from academia, industry, and development organizations. A highlight of the event was the panel discussion, which drew considerable attention as experts and representatives from STEVTA, UNDP, NAVTTC, private industries, and trade associations shared valuable insights. The discussions centered on advancing green skills, sustainable employment opportunities, and institutional strategies to address the evolving demands of a green economy.

LUMHS’s participation demonstrated its continued commitment to sustainability, innovation, and collaboration with national and international partners. The university’s involvement in such initiatives aligns with the **United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)** — particularly **SDG 8 (Decent Work and Economic Growth)**, by contributing to the development of environmentally responsible and skilled human resources for Pakistan’s future workforce.





LUMHS produces graduates who are equipped to get decent work and play their role in economic growth. Along with academic knowledge, LUMHS provides skill workshops to excel in several skills to get better work opportunities.



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 پر پہلی بنیادی ٹیوٹوریل ہینڈ آؤٹ ورکشاپ میں حصہ لینے والے شاگردوں میں سرٹیفکیٹ تقسیم کر رہے ہیں۔

Certificate distribution of Skill development hands on workshop on tissue and molecular diagnosis

2. Job Creation: The university provides employment opportunities for faculty, staff, and other support personnel, contributing to economic stability and growth. The startups are supported by LUMHS by providing house job opportunities. House jobs are an early step in medical employment, giving graduates supervised professional work, helping them enter into the healthcare workforce. This facilitates productive employment and helps with transition from graduation to full professional practice.

4. Partnerships and Collaborations: The university partners with healthcare organizations, research institutions, and industries, promoting economic growth through knowledge sharing, capacity building, and resource mobilization.

5. Capacity Building: LUMHS enhances the skills and knowledge of healthcare professionals, contributing to improved productivity and efficiency in the healthcare sector.

By contributing to these areas, LUMHS supports SDG 8's objective of promoting sustained, inclusive, and sustainable economic growth, full and productive employment, and decent work for all.