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BUITMS Convocation

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Mission Statement

Our mission at Balochistan University of Information Technology and Management Sciences is to develop a program of studies that is based on the philosophy of intellectual excitement and cutting-edge research in stimulating environment that will prepare this generation and the generations to come to tackle with assurance the unique challenges and opportunities of their age and help them rise to the challenges of the 21st Century through application of System and Management Sciences to the daily affairs of life. Balochistan University of Information Technology and Management Sciences is an institution that is provincial in implementation but national, regional and global in its outlook. BUITMS endeavours to deliver competitive and high quality education in Systems and Management Sciences available only in the finest institutions of the world. Our strategy is to continue making special efforts to develop the curriculum, select the faculty, and provide very conducive learning environments and facilities to embark upon the cutting-edge research. BUITMS is an equal opportunity institution, open to all persons of either sex who are qualified and meet the criteria to pursue the programs offered without any discrimination of religion, race, creed, colour and geographical origin or physical impairment.



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BALUCHISTAN UNIVERSITY OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY & MANAGEMENT SCIENCES

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Foreword

The Balochistan University of Information Technology and Management Sciences was granted charter on 18th July 2002. The purpose of this foreword is to highlight the University's history and objectives

In March 2001, General Pervez Musharraf, President Islamic Republic of Pakistan announced the establishment of an IT University in Balochistan, which was originally provided in the Government of Pakistan's National IT Policy and Action Plan 2000. The Balochistan Government, on the advice of the Federal Ministry of Science & Technology, provided a two-storey building for this first Public Sector University of its kind and the Departmental Development Working Party of the Federal Ministry of Science and Technology approved PC-I for its first phase at a total cost of Rs. 39.670 million on 29th April 2002. The Balochistan Provincial Cabinet approved the Charter/Ordinance of Balochistan University of Information Technology and Management Sciences on 18th July 2002. The work for the functioning of the university was undertaken in September 2002, when Dr. Muhammad Abbas Choudhary as the first Vice Chancellor took over his responsibilities.

Justice (R) Amir ul Mulik Mengal, the then Governor of Balochistan/Chancellor inaugurated the University on October 5, 2002. All the enrolled 90 students in the first batch, their parents, newly appointed academic and administrative staff and distinguished guests were present on the occasion. Class work started on October 14 2002 in the acquired building which was named later on as the City Campus. The Chiltan Campus was acquired with the facilitation of Governor Balochistan/Chancellor of the University Lt.Gen. Abdul Qadir. Honorable Mr. Owais Ahmad Ghani Governor of Balochistan / Chancellor of the University approached the Federal Government for acquisition of Bolan Textile Mills for BUITMS to which the Federal Govt. responded positively and handed over BTM to BUITMS on June 11, 2004. This premises now houses Takatoo Campus of the university.

BUITMS follows the philosophy of merit, hard work, intellectual rigor and character building and offers a congenial atmosphere for technical / professional learning. The University is committed to develop and sustain an environment conducive to excellence in learning, teaching, research and dissemination of knowledge and wisdom through formal and informal techniques. To achieve this objective, the university has developed strong links with institutions of national and international repute and has inducted foreign qualified, highly experienced, sincere and devoted academicians to impart quality education so as to develop top class human resources groomed in moral, social and religious upbringing for the bright future of Pakistan and the betterment of humanity at large.

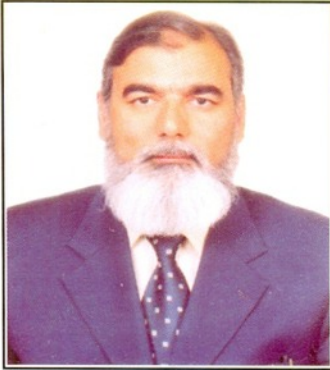


Our First Convocation was held on April 28, 2006 at Expo Center, Takatu Campus. Degrees were awarded to the first batch of graduates in MS(Computer Science), Master of Business Administration, and MS(Biotechnology & Informatics). Most of the graduates have been absorbed in various organizations in the market . This reflects the credibility and acceptability of academic standards of this University.

Now after 4 years in the making, BUIITMS has six faculties spread over three campuses and offer Bachelors, Masters and selected Doctorate Programs. The student population has grown to around three thousand and teaching staff is approaching 200. The foundations of a great institution have been laid.



Introduction by the Vice Chancellor



**Dr. Muhammad Abbas Choudhary,
the Vice-Chancellor of BUITMS**

Balochistan University of Information Technology and Management Sciences is grown only a little over four years old yet we have been successful in creating BUITMS brand in higher education. When one is looking for a quality education institution in Balochistan he finds and chooses BUITMS. Our name has won respect not only in the province of Balochistan but also nationally and internationally as we have students from all over Pakistan and international students from Bangladesh, Jordan, Iran and Afghanistan.

BUITMS has developed a very careful development strategy based on intake of students on merit, acquiring the services of the reputed faculty, creating top class academic and research facilities, and winning over the support of the community and the society we serve. We believe students are our fundamental asset that is why we have grown from initial intake of 90 students in 2002 to 3000 students in 2006. These students are being imparted quality education in 29 degree programs at BS, MS and PhD levels in six faculties spread over three campuses. With three campuses laid over 538 acres, and development projects including but not limited to academic building, students hostels, staff residences, transportation fleet, play grounds, Expo Center, research centers and laboratories, libraries, medical facilities, electricity, gas, and water supply and sanitation systems, valuing over 800 million are under way. A human resources development project component valuing at 220 million rupees for preparing 40 PhD faculty members in the elite universities of the world is being executed.

Excellence in education and research can not be achieved in isolation. The system of innovation and invention is a big collaborative enterprise. We have established collaborative academic and research programs with industry and elite universities of the world for example, The University of Glasgow



UK, the University of Minnesota USA and the University of Adelaide Australia to name a few. Many more collaborative arrangements are in the making. Focused research in High Performance Computing, Network Security, Renewable Energy, Engineering Services, Management, Biotechnology and Informatics is being conducted. We believe in pampering the talent and supporting the youth in whatever ways possible. Every third student at our campus enjoys merit, need based, corporate or Work N Study scholarship. No person in Balochistan will be left alone if he/she is willing and capable to pursue higher education. BUITMS is an equal opportunity institution and large number of girls constitute a significant part of our student body.

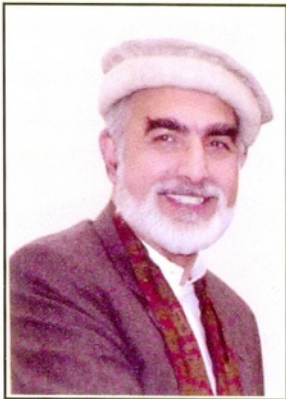
Our success - while all this development work is happening, not even a single day of productivity has been lost as first batch of MS degree (equivalent to M. Phil.) candidates graduated in April this year and this second batch of BS degree (4 Years Bachelors Degree) candidates are graduating today. How we did it? With the grace of Almighty ALLAH, support of our Chancellors, guidance of our dedicated Syndicate members, support from the Higher Education Commission and Pakistan Planning Commission and hard work of our faculty and staff alike and acceptance of the community kept us afloat through thick and thin. The foundations of a great academic institution of higher learning – a research University have been laid.



Message from the Chancellor

Honorable Mr. Owais Ahmad Ghani

Governor Balochistan & Chancellor of BUITMS



On the eve of the 2nd Convocation of the Balochistan University of Information Technology & Management Sciences, I extend my heart-felt felicitation to the Vice Chancellor, to the learned faculty members and to the students, especially those who are going to receive their degrees on this auspicious occasion. It is, no doubt, a commendable achievement that within a short span of about 4 years, the university has equipped the second batch of graduates for the challenges of practical life.

I am personally committed to provide all out support and encouragement to such educational institutions which offer the promise of providing quality education and thereby extending the boundaries of knowledge. We must keep up with the far-reaching changes that are taking place around us. The university is the best centre to provide knowledge, insight and guidance to face the challenges of the changing global scenario. If we are supportive to the expanding knowledge needs of the society, we are expected to push forward to the front of the intellectually demanding world of today. It is gratifying to note that the Balochistan University of Information Technology & Management Sciences is keeping up with the expectations we had from this institution some four years back. The university is focusing on exposing the students to the perspectives of the international society, through the approaches of in-depth learning, meaningful research and integrating the students' community into academic network available abroad. The university has established linkage for research collaboration and students/faculty exchange programs with some of the renowned universities in USA, UK and Australia.

I appreciate the pace at which this university has taken strides to emerge as a reputed seat of learning not only in the province but in the overall academic circles in the country. The expansion of physical facilities is still going on at a rapid pace, but it is the faculty and the students who utilize the facilities to the best possible limits and earn fame as capable and constructive units of the new emerging society. The state of the art laboratories, modern electronically equipped classrooms and highly conducive atmosphere serve to enhance the zeal for achieving academic excellence among the staff and the students. The holding of the 2nd Convocation in such a short period is indicative that the set-up is geared to continue rolling out top class products. The young men and women passing



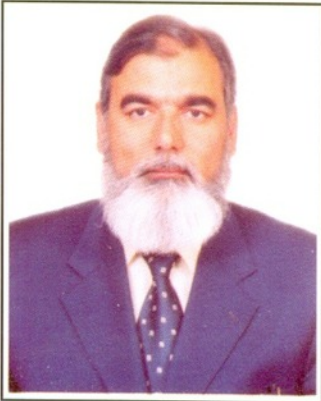
out today must pledge to put all their knowledge and talents in seeking a name of respect and honor not only for themselves but for their motherland as well, as they owe this debt to the government and to the institution as well as to the province and the country at large that they repay it with their high class dedicated services to their fellow citizens.

I congratulate the Vice Chancellor, Dr. Muhammad Abbas Choudhary, his very able management team and the learned faculty members on their achievement in the form of producing knowledgeable and competent builders for the future. I also congratulate the passing out graduates and wish them ever greater success in life.

Pakistan Paindabad!



Message from the Vice Chancellor



Dr. Muhammad Abbas Choudhary

Vice Chancellor of BUITMS

We have every reason to celebrate this day – the second convocation of Balochistan University of Information Technology & management Sciences. At the outset, I wish to extend my deepest pleasure to congratulate the passing out students and their parents and loved ones for this achievement they will remember forever.

We are also here to pay tribute to our Chancellor HE Owais Ahmad Ghani and his predecessors for helping us in the Herculean achievement of establishing and running the first IT University of the country in Balochistan which will go a long way in preparing the human resources for the province, the country and the region.

We are entering a new phase of development of this institution. We must keep up with profound changes that are taking place around us. We as a University have to remain the center of excellence in teaching and research, knowledge creation and knowledge utilization. Our faculty, students and researchers must realize that they have to lead the socio economic and societal development and act as focal point of wisdom. We have to realize what our strengths and capitalize on them, we have to identify the knowledge gaps in our areas of expertise and strive to fill them, and we have to lead the nation in 21st century. There is no excuse for not achieving best results in our areas of responsibilities; we have to find ways to acquire and manage resources as best as possible within the limitations we have and the obstacles we come across. The world around us is becoming intellectually demanding more and more every going day and we have to meet these demands and face these challenges with courage and success.

Certainly we must encourage the development of skills. These include the skills of information sciences and technology and multicultural skills that assure success in an internalized society. We must continue to expose students to new perspectives. Involving students in a meaningful research and integrating the community into academic experiences of our students are promising approaches to help mould tomorrow's leaders. Research opportunities provide students with experience in dealing with real-life situations in business organizations and communities.



Order of Proceedings

Second Convocation of BUIITMS is being held to award Degrees to BS(CS), BS(CE), BS(BA) and MBA(Regular) & MBA(Executive), pass out graduates of this university.

Program of the Convocation Thursday Nov 30, 2006

09:30 AM Guests to be seated
10:00 AM Arrival of the Chief Guest

The Chief Guest will be received by the Chancellor, the Vice Chancellor, Members of the Syndicate, Deans of the Faculties, the Registrar, the Controller of Examinations and members of the Convocation Committee and his Excellency will be escorted to the Robing room. The teachers/officers of the university will then form a two line procession and walk into the Convocation Hall in reverse order of seniority, the Chief Guest, the Chancellor and the Vice Chancellor will follow at the end of the procession.

10:10 AM
Academic Procession enters the convocation Hall. As soon as the Procession enters the Hall, all shall rise from their seats and remain standing till the Chief Guest, the Chancellor, and Vice Chancellor take their seats on the dais.

10:14 AM National Anthem
10:18 AM The Vice Chancellor requests the Chancellor to declare the Convocation open.

The Vice Chancellor

"Honorable Chancellor! Sir, I request you to declare the Convocation open"

Chancellor "I declare the Convocation open"

10:19 AM Recitation from the Holy Quran
10:24 AM Welcome Address by the Vice Chancellor



Welcome Address by the Vice Chancellor

Dr. Muhammad Abbas Choudhary

Vice Chancellor of BUIITMS

Living 21st Century

In the name of ALLAH, the Most Beneficent, the Most Merciful



Mr. Prime Minister HE Shoukat Aziz, Mr. Chancellor HE Owais Ahmad Ghani, Members of BUIITMS Syndicate, Vice Chancellors, Parliamentarians, Ministers, Members of Faculty, Excellencies, Parents, Students, Ladies and Gentlemen:

Thanks to Almighty ALLAH that the journey we started on 5th of October 2002 exactly 4 years and 56 days ago has reached to its logical conclusion. Although we had our first convocation on 28th of April this year but that was for Masters Degree candidates who entered the University later but graduated earlier. This is the first breed of our 4 years undergraduate students who will graduate today. We are making history on this very pleasant morning.

I am thankful to you all for being with us, particularly Honorable Prime Minister Shoukat Aziz which is the testimony of how significant, valuable, dear and how sacred our government regards higher education. Mr. Prime Minister, we also have another significant distinction that this institution was announced by President Islamic Republic of Pakistan HE Pervez Musharraf - a gift to the people of Balochistan in February 2001 and it has yielding results.

The 4 years since inception of the University were full of activity. We did not lose a single day of productivity. The University which started in a small building has now three campuses Takatu, Jinnah and Chilton cumulatively about 538 acres of land and projects valuing over 800 million rupees are underway. We have traveled a distance from 90 students in three undergraduate programs to 2800 students in 29 BS, MS and PhD programs. The academic facilities i.e. class rooms, laboratories, libraries, hostels all being created in parallel to the teaching, learning and research, human resource development, international collaboration



with universities of repute like University of Glasgow in UK, University of Minnesota in USA and University of Adelaide in Australia, industrial liaison. The Expo Center in which we are sitting today did not exist last year; the two hostels with capacity for 700 students being constructed very quickly did not exist last year, OAG Engineering Research Center, Blue Chip Lab, CAD LAB, Engineering Drawing Hall, Textile Labs, Petroleum Labs, Seminar rooms, Center of Excellence in Renewable Energy, Research Farm, tissue culture facilities all was happening seamlessly. VC Residence and Guest House were still on papers, 3rd floor of the City Campus did not exist last year, and lawns were without grass.

This all happened with a team work our Chancellor Owais Ahmad Ghani and his predecessors our former Chancellors HE General Abdul Qadir and HE Amir Ul Mulk Mengal, Members of the Syndicate, Higher Education Commission, Planning Commission, provincial government Faculty and administration, parents and students, and our partners in media worked together. Mr. Prime Minister, a lot has happened but still this is a drop in the bucket. We have a long way to go. Higher Education Commission is helpful, Planning Commission is supportive, Provincial government is with us, and Chancellors office is our partner. You have seen we have to rebuild half a million square feet of academic system, we need your support.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I have deliberately chosen a theme **Living 21st Century** which directly relates to us all present in this gathering.

I congratulate the graduates passing out today, because this is a very special day in their life. Nobody forgets the day he graduated and the day he got married. This century can be full of surprises and we all hope it is us who will make or mar this century. The **Nature** has quoted, **James Martin** in his book, "**The Meaning of 21st Century: A Vital Blueprint for Ensuring our Survival**" a very alarming trend. I quote from Nature, "the past 50 years have probably seen more changes than the previous 500 years and those 500 witnessed more advances that the

previous 5,000. The current century will surely surpass the lot, with an onrush of scientific, technological, economic, social and political, all of a character and on the scale way beyond anything we have experienced to date. **James Martin** predicts a, "grand transition from a planet on a self destructive course to the planet that is intelligently managed". The intelligence will feed on itself becoming more intelligent until there is a chain reaction of Computer intelligence which we term singularity the theme coined by **Ray Kurzweil** in his recent book, "**The Singularity is near**". **James Martin agrees with Martin Rees, President Royal Society London** that humankind has only a 50/50 chance of surviving the century: we have the capacity for unimaginable human advancement, but if we fail to address the key issues, we might face disruption that could set us back by centuries – or even eliminate us altogether".

This was perhaps not shocking for me that James Martin donated US\$100 million to Oxford University to support establishment of a school, "to identify and find solutions to the biggest challenges facing humanity in the 21st century and to find the biggest opportunities".

Gentlemen: In today's globalized economy, knowledge is the most potent force and an engine that energizes societal progress and economic development. Knowledge economy, knowledge workers, knowledge base, knowledge factor, knowledge engineering are and will continue to be the name of the game during 21st century. I will not be astonished if I hear that some university has started offering exclusive BS MS and PhD in Knowledge Engineering. Knowledge Engineering as a discipline already exists. Technology is the direct progeny of the academic and research endeavor carried out at the institutions of higher learning. Knowledge is inexhaustible, non-linear – small bit of right information can make big difference and a decision based on small bit of wrong information can lead to dire consequence. Knowledge is playing ever greater role in the life and death of nations. Knowledge is inherently non-rival, and intangible but relational.

Knowledge mates with other knowledge and is more portable than any other



product because it can be compressed into symbols and abstractions and Ladies and Gentlemen, Knowledge is the oil of tomorrow's economy. This is the irony of today that 31 of the 57 OIC member countries are categorized as least developed despite the fact that 70 % of world's energy resources are located in OIC member countries while these countries produce only 5 % of the world GDP. GDP of Germany which has 1/15th of the population of the Muslim world has more GDP than the Muslim countries combined. The difference is knowledge. The corporations, the governments, the NGOs and international bodies are all running after knowledge based advantage. The October 7, 2006 issue of The Economist describes **"talent" as the world's most valuable commodity getting harder to find**. The magazine further reports that last year 2300 firms adopted some form of talent management technology and the status and size of Human Resources Departments have risen accordingly. Goldman Sachs has a University, Oracle has a University, United Nations has a University, and General Electric has a corporate University known as Harvard on the Hudson. McKenzie has a "people Committee" and Singapore Ministry of Manpower has an International Talent Division. There are now over 1600 corporate Universities around the globe working on the Crotonville University model. The intangible assets of the 500 S&P companies e.g. manpower and patents have grown from 20% to 70 %. The revenues of the professional service firms are galloping increased from 390 billion in 1990 to 911 billion in 2000. The point I am driving at is – it is the people with knowledge, people with knowledge, and again people with knowledge. You don't have to move out of Pakistan to capitalize on the global opportunities. The world outsourcing market which was 193 billion dollars in 2004 is projected to grow 260 billion by 2009. The shortfall for educated and trained individuals is not only in USA, UK or Australia, it is more acute in our competitors like India and China and Malaysia, and Indonesia.

Demographic projections are in our favor as well as go against us based on our own actions. By 2025 the number of people aged 15-64 is projected to fall by 7 percent in Germany, 9% in Italy, 14 percent in Japan. If we educate our youth we have an edge but if we don't we will assassinate ourselves because tomorrow's work is knowledge intensive even as basic work as agriculture. In his speech in



1943 at Harvard University **Winston Churchill** observed, “**Empires of Future are Empires of Mind**”. Mr. Prime Minister; we want this University to have 50,000 students by 2025 from all over Pakistan and all over the world. I am sure to realize our vision you are with us HEC is with us and Government of Pakistan is with us.

According to **Aldous Huxley’s “Brave New World”** those at the top of the bell curve are the most sought out commodities. I strongly suggest to our students and researchers to pursue knowledge – contribute to the knowledge in your own discipline IT, Management or whatever it may be or in the discipline you just like for hobby - wisdom, wealth and honor would automatically follow. Out of clutter, find simplicity; from discord, find harmony; and in the middle of difficulty, lies opportunity, said, **Albert Einstein**. Say thank you to those who have helped you and taken care of you while you needed it the most, value the relationship. **Diversity is strength** – do not be afraid of competition that comes with the diversity. One must bear in mind that, despite the value of knowledge and good virtues – knowledge becomes obsolete very quickly and new knowledge takes its place. **Plato’s “Republic”** or **Aristotle’s “Poetics”** ideas of **Marx, Kant** used to be words of wisdom at best, most of that knowledge has become obsolete and been replaced with the other knowledge. It was accepted for centuries that Jupiter had four moons – now it is 60.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Generally we don’t know and can not predict from where the most useful knowledge is going to come from. Mathematics is the most abstract form of knowledge. We teach and study mathematics, and we all use e-mail, however, it is less known that number theory in mathematics is the basis for e-mail applications. Similarly, I guess, you still remember Prime Numbers - Theory of Prime Numbers makes the foundation of encryption and the network security. OXYGEN was discovered by a minister, LAST THEORM who puzzled mathematicians for centuries was presented by a Lawyer, Benjamin Franklin, the painter, the politician invented bifocals and that lightening is a form of electricity.

**Ladies and Gentlemen:**

We know, world is round or circular. This is not a coincidence that the center of gravity of the world power system has traveled or migrated around in a circle, and followed the path of the knowledge and inquiry – to the nations which have created and exploited knowledge. Originally from ancient China to Ottoman Empire to industrializing Europe, have passed on to United States of America which is holding the lead but it seems this leadership role is again slipping to South East Asia, China. It was in AD1405, a fleet of 317 ships, manned by 27,000 sailors, commanded by Admiral Zheng He, a Chinese Muslim navigated and explored as far as coasts of Africa, Gulf of Aden and the Middle East and reaching as far as Jeddah, established naval basis for Chinese trade all across Indian Ocean. History is once again opening of the flood gates - FDI to China over 70 billion dollars during 2005. In a recent book, **“Three Billion New Capitalists: The great Shift of Wealth and Power to the East”**, the author **Clyde Prestowitz** quotes a Chinese friend, “We’ve had a couple of hundred bad years, but now we are back”.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

IT graduates would remember, we are living a world with more than **800 million PCs** on the planet, more than **500 billion computer chips**, billion nano transistors on a single chip, Earth Simulator that can perform **4 trillion calculations per second** yet another even more powerful computer at Lawrence Livermore Laboratory which can perform **136 trillion calculations per second**, **1.5 billion mobile phone** users world wide, and one billion Internet users. According to the Digital Planet the IT market has grown to 2.5 trillion dollars a year served by 750,000 companies around the globe. Biologically smarted children seem a very real possibility. The world where knowledge tools like, **real-time PCR and DNA analyzer** are available, semi-conductor industry earned 27.4 billion dollars in net profit during 2004. The market for digital camera is increasing by 120% every year, **demand for IT Security experts is increasing by 14 %** every year, and mobile phone market is growing at 20% per year while VOIP equipment market is growing at more than 40% a year. The space is being conquered in true sense. The importance of knowledge in the wealth creation has grown and now becoming exponential. According to one study for one dollar spent on R&D

NASA has contributed 10 dollars to the American GDP. You may dispute the numbers but you certainly can not dispute the trend. During 2004 IBM spent 5 billion dollars on R&D and IBM researchers headed by **Paul Horn patented 3,248 innovations about one in every 2.6 hours, 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year.** We are only witnessing the prologue of the knowledge economy and I am sure it is your age and you will be witnessing the epilogue of this knowledge game.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I must warn you, an old style institutions are becoming dysfunctional at increasing speed. And in the new world, ideas are judged by the quality of ideas and not by the stature of the person who presents, concept of hierarchy is dying and spirit of teamwork is flourishing; commitment to diversity had become a requirement; businesses are emphasizing on taking a longer view; best institutions compete ruthlessly for the best people and continuously measure themselves. Even the smartest of the businesses are grappling with globalization, must adapt to changing organization of knowledge and changing opportunities that changing world is bringing.

Time and space is a wonderful concept. The culture and character of the organizations is creating synchronization problems. **Alvin and Heidi Toffler** in their book **Revolutionary Wealth** brings a beautiful analogy of a highway where different vehicles are traveling at different speeds. They say, vehicles traveling at 100 miles per hour are the businesses; 90 miles per hour vehicles are civil society organizations; traveling at 60 mile per hour are the American family; traveling at 30 miles per hour are the labor unions; traveling at 25 miles per hour are the government bureaucracies and regulatory agencies; traveling at 10 miles an hour are the American School system; and traveling at 5 miles an hour are the Inter-governmental organizations and traveling at 3 miles per hour is the political structure in rich countries. Although; the analogy describes the American society, yet have similar applications to our situation.

The concept of time and space has also given rise to new vocabulary – twitched



speed, hurry sickness, time deepening, internet time, digital time, time famine I am sure everyone in this hall is stressed because of the time compression. KIT is keep in touch, visuals on TV change every 3-4 seconds.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Info-sphere is filled with phenomenal amounts of information. Right, wrong, true and false. The politicians, the military planners, the business executives have to make decisions about the things and situations they know less and less at speed faster and faster. There are a number of mind wrenches which politicians, businesses, and forces use. As such it is extremely important to use your mind and intellect before you believe what is truth and what is untrue. Who is friend and who is foe and tailor you strategy to win over friends.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

We are witnessing the creation of a brand new civilization. Spearheading the creation of this civilization are the knowledge intensive ways of creating wealth. Imagine this planet which Alvin Toffler calls is like the motherboard which contained traditional nation-state chips. This is Pakistan that is India, this is China that is Russia, and this is Ghana that is Korea. This motherboard is being altered at unprecedented speeds. The concept of nation state is dramatically changing and stand alone enclaves of wealth are mushrooming be it in China, India, Brazil, Austria, Germany, or USA. The culture of these states within states is universal. Corporations like Unilever whose 500 sub-companies operate in 75 countries or like Exxon whose 75 % revenues comes from countries other that USA. P&G, IBM, PB, Siemens are classical example of companies which are not national anymore. The United Nations describes 35,000 corporations as transnational. These companies have 150,000 affiliates around the world. Be not astonished when you learn that BUIITMS a very new university has agreements of academic and research collaboration with three American, two Britain, two Australian and two Asian universities. Imagine a China having 100 Singapore like city states. Orange country in California, Osaka in Japan, Lyon region in France, Ruhrgebiete in Germany are the classical examples of **technopolis** - transnational corporations working in close cooperation with city governments and hence having very little



influence or direction from the nation states. Similarly, the markets are not the national anymore which must be used in planning and forecasting. They are now sub, supra or transnational - global. This has very strong societal impact.

Another great business phenomenon on the planet is the cooperation of like minded people. Golfers, psychologists, computer scientists, artists, info-terrorist mujhideen, mullahs had collaborations and are communicating freely and forcefully. Self-organizing collaborative communities are emerging like never before, become a part of these collaborating communities for the good of yourselves and the good of the humanity. **Linux the flavor of UNIX was developed by Helsinki University Student Linus Torvalds.** Today, 160 government around the world use Linux. China, Japan, South Korea have considered to use Linux under common IT policy. Similarly, **Tim Berner a scientist at CERN who wrote the "Enquire" for his personal use which became the World Wide Web we use today.**

Dear Graduates:

Character, courage and industry and professionalism are the fundamental assets of any person. Do not undervalue your abilities, be positive and optimistic. **Thomas L Friedman**, the author of "**The World is Flat**" suggests that "small shall act big". One way small companies flourish in the flat world is by learning to act really big. And the key to being small and acting big is being quick to take advantage of all the tools for collaboration to reach farther, faster, wider and deeper. Best companies are the best collaborators – it creates and adds value and regularly monitor the health of your establishment".

I would end with a few versus from **Maya Angelo:**

**The rock cried out today, you may stand on me,
But do not hide your face – Across the wall of the world.
History despite its wrenching pain,
Can not be un-lived, and if faced with courage,
Need not be lived again.**



I once again thank you Mr. Prime Minister, Mr. Chancellor, Excellencies, Ladies and Gentlemen.

God Bless You and Pakistan Paindabad

10:40 AM Presentation and Conferment of Degrees



Faculty of Computer and Emerging Sciences

BS (Computer Science)

The Registrar:

" I request the Dean Faculty of Computer & Emerging Sciences to present candidates of BS(Computer Science) to the Vice Chancellor".

The Dean, Faculty of Computer and Emerging Sciences, will present the candidates to the Vice Chancellor (who will proceed before the dais in academic costumes) for conferment of the Degree of BS (Computer Science) in the following words:

Dean Faculty of Computer & Emerging Sciences:

"Sir, I present to you the candidates who have been examined and found qualified for the Degree of BS (Computer Science) and to which I pray, they may be admitted"

The Vice Chancellor will confer the Degree in the following words:

The Vice Chancellor:

"By virtue of the Authority vested in me as the Vice Chancellor of this University I admit you to the Degree of BS (Computer Science) and charge you that ever in your life and conversation you do prove yourselves worthy of the same."

The recipients of Degree will bow to the Vice Chancellor and return to their seats.



BS (Computer Engineering)

The Registrar:

" I request the Dean Faculty of Computer & Emerging Sciences to present candidates of BS (Computer Engineering) to the Vice Chancellor"

The Dean, Faculty of Computer and Emerging Sciences, will present the candidates to the Vice Chancellor (who will proceed before the dais in academic costumes) for conferment of the Degree of BS (Computer Engineering) in the following words:

Dean Faculty of Computer & Emerging Sciences:

"Sir, I present to you the candidates who have been examined and found qualified for the Degree of BS (Computer Engineering) to which I pray, they may be admitted"

The Vice Chancellor will confer the Degree in the following words;

The Vice Chancellor:

"By virtue of the Authority vested in me as the Vice Chancellor of this university I admit you to the Degree of BS (Computer Engineering) and charge you that ever in your life and conversation you do prove yourselves worthy of the same."

The recipients of Degree will bow to the Vice Chancellor and return to their seats.



Faculty of Management Sciences

BS (Business Administration) 4 - Year Program Academic Session 2002-2006

The Registrar:

"I request the Dean Faculty of Management Sciences to present candidates of BS (BA) 4 Year course to the Vice Chancellor"

The Dean, Faculty of Management Sciences, will present the candidates to the Vice Chancellor (who will proceed before the dais in academic costumes) for conferment of Degree of BS (Business Administration) in the following words:

Dean Faculty of Management Sciences:

"Sir, I present to you the candidates who have been examined and found qualified for the Degree of BS (Business Administration) to which I pray, they may be admitted."

The Vice Chancellor will confer the Degree in the following words;

The Vice Chancellor:

"By virtue of the Authority vested in me as the Vice Chancellor of this University I admit you to the Degree of BS (Business Administration) and charge you that ever in your life and conversation you do prove yourselves worthy of the same."

The recipients of Degree will bow to the Vice Chancellor and return to their seats.



Masters of Business Administration (Executive) & Regular

MBA Executive (2 - 1/2 Year Program)

MBA Regular (3 - Year Program)

Academic Session 2004 - 2006

The Registrar:

"I request the Dean Faculty of Management Sciences to present candidates of MBA (Executive) 2 ½ year and MBA (Regular) 3 year Programs to the Vice Chancellor"

The Dean, Faculty of Management Sciences, will present to the Vice Chancellor the candidates (who will proceed before the dais in academic costumes) for conferment of Degree of Master of Business Administration(Executive) and Master of Business Administration (Regular) 3 year Program in the following words:

Dean Faculty of Management Sciences:

"Sir, I present to you the candidates who have been examined and found qualified for the Degree of Master of Business Administration(Executive) 2 ½ and Master of Business Administration (Regular) 3 year programs to which I pray, they may be admitted."

The Vice Chancellor will confer the Degrees in the following words;

The Vice Chancellor:

"By virtue of the Authority vested in me as the Vice Chancellor of this University I admit you to the Degree of Master of Business Administration(Executive) 2 ½ year and Master of Business Administration (Regular) 3 - year Programs and charge you that ever in your life and conversation you do prove yourselves worthy of the same."

The recipients of Degree will bow to the Vice Chancellor and return to their seats.

Award of Gold Medals

10:50 AM

Award of Gold Medals

Year 2006

Controller of Examinations:

"The recipients of Gold Medals are requested to please assemble in front of the dais.

The Vice Chancellor:

"I request the Chief Guest to award Gold Medals to the first position holders:"

1. The Vice Chancellor; " Sir I present to you **Ms. Nida Iftikhar** who stood first by securing 89.28% marks with CGPA of 3.95 in BS(Computer Science) examination 2006 for the award of Gold Medal.
(The recipient will proceed to the dais in academic costume and remain standing till the medal has been awarded.)
The Chief Guest will award the Medal.
(The recipient will bow to the Chancellor and return to her seat.)
2. The Vice Chancellor; " Sir I present to you **Ms. Wajiha Iftikhar** who secured 82.22% marks with CGPA of 3.96 in BS (Computer - Engineering) for the award of Gold Medal.
(The recipient will proceed to the dais in academic costume and remain standing till the medal has been awarded.)
The Chief Guest will award the Medal.
(The recipient will bow to the Chancellor and return to her seat.)
3. The Vice Chancellor; "Sir I present to you **Ms. Sehrish Haroon** who secured 95% marks with CGPA of 3.97 in BS(BA) Examination 2006 for the award of Gold Medal.
(The recipient will proceed to the dais in academic costume and remain standing till the medal has been awarded.)



The Chief Guest will award the Medal.

(The recipient will bow to the Chancellor and return to his seat.)

4. The Vice Chancellor; " Sir I present to you **Mr. Muhammad Shakeel** who stood first by securing 65% marks in the Master of Business Administration (Executive) examination 2006 for the award of Gold Medal.

(The recipient will proceed to the dais in academic costume and remain standing till the medal has been awarded.)

The Chief Guest will award the Medal.

(The recipient will bow to the Chancellor and return to her seat.)



- 10:55 AM** Address by the Chancellor
- 11:10 AM** Address by the Chief Guest
- 11:25 AM** The Vice Chancellor will be requested to present the University shield to the Honorable Chancellor.
The Chancellor will be requested to present University shield to the Chief Guest
- 11:30 AM** Prayer (Duaa)



Prayer

We bow our heads in gratitude to Allah The Almighty for the blessings of the fruition of our endeavors and dedication in the pursuit of knowledge.

May Allah lead all of us on the path of righteousness and virtue and guide us on the way of utilizing our knowledge in our practical lives. May further honour and glory come to the recipients of degrees today and May they serve the nation and the country in true spirit of faithfulness.

O Allah! inspire these young men and young women with the earnest desire of expanding their knowledge further and give them the capability of contributing positively to their respective branches of study.

O Allah! change their minds and hearts according to the teachings of Islam and make them follow the path of truth with zeal and determination.

Ya Allah! inculcate in the minds of these young men and women the sense of gratitude to their parents, to their teachers and to the country, which nourished them physically, intellectually and spiritually.

O Allah! endow them with the qualities of humility, simplicity and patriotism and make them aware of their weaknesses, so that they may be able to shun their shortcomings.

O Allah! grant them success in every field they go to and make them beacons of light for the succeeding generations of students.

O Allah! we request thee to shower renown and repute on our University and grant her greater powers to continue spreading light and truth for all times to come.

'Ameen'



11:34 AM

The Vice Chancellor will request the Chancellor to declare the Convocation closed.

The Vice Chancellor:

" I request the Honorable Chancellor to declare the Convocation closed."

Chancellor:

" I declare th Convocation closed"

Controller of Examinations:

"We thank all the guests for joining us on this happy occasion. I cordially invite the guests to the tea reception. Ladies and Gentlemen please rise and remain at your seats until the convocation procession has left the hall."

11:35 AM Academic session leaves the Convocation Hall

11:40 AM Group Photo

11:45 AM Refreshments

12:05 PM Departure of the Chief Guest



Convocation Fall 2006

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BALOCHISTAN UNIVERSITY OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY & MANAGEMENT SCIENCES

List of Graduates



Fall 2002 BS(Computer Science)

| S.No | Enrollment No. | Student's Name | Father's Name | CGPA |
|------|----------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|------|
| 01 | 02F-BSCS-02 | Nida Iftikhar | Iftikhar Ahmed | 3.99 |
| 02 | 02F-BSCS-01 | Abdul Samad | Abdul Ghani | 3.92 |
| 03 | 02F-BSCS-27 | Mohammad Junaid | Javaid Akhtar Khan | 3.88 |
| 04 | 02F-BSCS-25 | Irfan Shafique | Muhammad Shafique | 3.86 |
| 05 | 02F-BSCS-11 | Abdullah Khan | Marjan Khan | 3.78 |
| 06 | 02F-BSCS-10 | Najia Seher | Ayaz Ahmed | 3.75 |
| 07 | 02F-BSCS-05 | Rahila Umer | Haji Muhammad Umer | 3.72 |
| 08 | 02F-BSCS-07 | Safa Anjum | Anjum Bashir | 3.61 |
| 09 | 02F-BSCS-20 | Hira Bashir | Bashir Ahmad | 3.57 |
| 10 | 02F-BSCS-16 | Sehar Bashir | Bashir Ahmad | 3.54 |
| 11 | 02F-BSCS-22 | Muhammad Ajmal | Muhammad Hassan | 3.47 |
| 12 | 02F-BSCS-18 | Somia Malik Khalid | Mehmood Malik | 3.39 |
| 13 | 02F-BSCS-03 | Sumbal Malik Khalid | Mehmood Malik | 3.38 |
| 14 | 02F-BSCS-08 | Muhammad Bilal | Abdul Rashid Jafar | 3.36 |
| 15 | 02F-BSCS-09 | Hafsa Khan | Lutful Baqi Khan | 3.29 |
| 16 | 02F-BSCS-23 | Aamir Shahzad Khokhar | Fazal-ur-Rehman Khokhar | 3.25 |
| 17 | 02F-BSCS-14 | Khurram Sharif | Mirza Mohammad Sharif | 3.21 |
| 18 | 02F-BSCS-21 | Lawang Khan | Mohammad Yaqoob | 3.2 |
| 19 | 02F-BSCS-15 | Mansoor Ahmad | Ayyaz Ahmad | 3.03 |
| 20 | 02F-BSCS-17 | Rehman Mehmood Butt | Sultan Mehmood Butt | 2.98 |
| 21 | 02F-BSCS-26 | Syed Saeed Ali Agha | Syed Atta Mohd Agha | 2.88 |
| 22 | 02F-BSCS-04 | Yasir Abbas Khan | Muhammad Asharaf | 2.74 |
| 23 | 02F-BSCS-19 | Sana Khalid | Haji Khalid Mahmood | 2.68 |
| 24 | 02F-BSCS-06 | Mehwish | Abdullah Jan | 2.37 |
| 25 | 02F-BSCS-13 | Taj Muhammad | Abdul Rehman | 2.37 |
| 26 | 02F-BSCS-12 | Waseem Shahzad | Haji Khalid Mahmood | 2.36 |



Fall 2002 BS (Computer Engineering)

| S.No | Enrollment No. | Student's Name | Father's Name | CGPA |
|------|----------------|---------------------|-----------------------|------|
| 01 | 02F-BSCE-08 | Wajiha Iftikhar | Iftikhar Ahmed | 3.96 |
| 02 | 02F-BSCE-10 | Hafsa Javed Dar | Javaid Rafique Darr | 3.9 |
| 03 | 02F-BSCE-18 | Usama Mir | Mir Ejaz Ahmed | 3.85 |
| 04 | 02F-BSCE-17 | M. Kamran Afsar | Muhammad Afsar | 3.76 |
| 05 | 02F-BSCE-09 | Shah Rukh Rayaz | Rayaz Ahmed | 3.49 |
| 06 | 02F-BSCE-20 | Usman Farooq | M. Farooq | 3.44 |
| 07 | 02F-BSCE-05 | Ahmed Hessaan Khan | Abdul Wahid Khan | 3.24 |
| 08 | 02F-BSCE-12 | Zain-ul-Sadiqeen | M.Salahouddin | 3.22 |
| 09 | 02F-BSCE-15 | Sanaullah Mir | Lt.Col. Shaista Mir | 3.05 |
| 10 | 02F-BSCE-11 | Haseeb Hayat | Muhammad Hayat | 2.85 |
| 11 | 02F-BSCE-03 | M. Faheem | Syed Shariq Raza Zadi | 2.71 |
| 12 | 02F-BSCE-14 | Irfan Khan | Mumtaz Khan | 2.63 |
| 13 | 02F-BSCE-19 | Syed Ali Raza Naqvi | Syed Abid Abbas Naqvi | 2.57 |
| 14 | 02F-BSCE-01 | Abdul Wahab | Mohammad Afzal | 2.51 |
| 15 | 02F-BSCE-02 | Mohammad Sohail | Mohammad Fahim | 2.37 |
| 16 | 02F-BSCE-04 | Sohail Salamat | Salamat Ali | 1.66 |
| 17 | 02F-BSCE-07 | Ali Nawaz Akhtar | Muhammad Nawaz | 1.51 |



Fall 2002 BS (Business Administration)

| S.No | Enrollment No. | Student's Name | Father's Name | CGPA |
|------|----------------|-------------------|---------------------|------|
| 01 | 02F-BSBA-02 | Sehrish Haroon | Haroon Rasheed Awan | 3.97 |
| 02 | 02F-BSBA-06 | Syed Fareed Ullah | Syed Hazrat Ali | 3.76 |
| 03 | 02F-BSBA-14 | Najeeb Ullah Khan | Abdullah Khan | 3.58 |
| 04 | 02F-BSBA-05 | Muhammad Hashir | Muhammad Ashraf | 3.56 |
| 05 | 02F-BSBA-12 | Sana Badar | Badar ud duja | 3.44 |
| 06 | 02F-BSBA-21 | Summera Zakir | Zakir ullah Khan | 3.35 |
| 07 | 02F-BSBA-22 | Nadia Asharaf | Asharaf Nizami | 3.26 |
| 08 | 02F-BSBA-17 | Rabia Hameed | Abdul Hameed | 3.22 |
| 09 | 02F-BSBA-13 | Sohaib Ali Baig | Shahid Ali Baig | 3.13 |
| 10 | 02F-BSBA-19 | Yaser Arafat | Habib ullah | 3.07 |
| 11 | 02F-BSBA-15 | Jamal Hassan | Syed Amir Khan | 2.95 |
| 12 | 02F-BSBA-11 | Adil Saleem Khan | M saleem Rana | 2.93 |
| 13 | 02F-BSBA-04 | Abdul Qahir | Haji Abdul Qadir | 2.92 |
| 14 | 02F-BSBA-16 | Imran Nawaz | Ch.Muhammad Nawaz | 2.81 |
| 15 | 02F-BSBA-09 | Mudassir Altaf | Altaf Hussain | 2.71 |
| 16 | 02F-BSBA-07 | Asad Ullah | Khalil-ur-Rehman | 2.55 |
| 17 | 02F-BSBA-08 | M. Anees Khan | Muhammad Youns | 2.37 |
| 18 | 02F-BSBA-20 | Noman Saleem | Muhammad Saleem | 2.34 |
| 19 | 02F-BSBA-23 | Shoaib Ahmed | Sheran | 2.1 |
| 20 | 02F-BSBA-10 | Hina Manzoor | Mian Manzoor Ahmed | 2.07 |



Master of Business Administration

| S.No | Enrollment No. | Student's Name | Father's Name | CGPA |
|------|----------------|------------------|------------------|------|
| 01 | 04S-MBA(E)-10 | Mohammad Shakeel | Mohammad Qayyum | 3.48 |
| 02. | 04S-MBA(E)-11 | Aneeta | Hari Kishan Dass | 3.01 |
| 03. | 03S-MBA-17 | Farhan Mughal | Muhammad Hameed | 2.11 |
| 04. | 04S-MBA-109 | Ajab Khan | Hayat Ullah Khan | 2.88 |

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