

## **National Agriculture Education Accreditation Council**



## **Quality Assurance & Accreditation Awareness Seminar at The University of Lahore**

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The University of Lahore (UOL) founded in 1999 by Mr. M. A. Raoof under the auspices of the Ibadat Educational Trust. The University of Lahore has created its name in the field of higher education and is regarded as one of the premier private sector general university in Pakistan with diverse disciplines ranging from Medicine & Dentistry and Engineering to the Arts and Social Sciences. The UOL has more than 35,000 enrolled students, seven campuses, 11 Faculties and 35 Departments.

Dr. Shahnai Basharat, HoD, Human Nutrition & Dietetics and Dr. Rab Nawaz HoD Environmental Sciences, UOL received the guests. Held a meeting with Prof. Dr. Syed Amir Gilani, Dean and Prof. Dr. Ashfaq Ahmad, Associate Dean, Faculty of Allied Health Sciences, UOL in the office of Dean and discussed the itinerary of holding awareness seminar. Dr. Muhammad Nadeem, Assistant Professor, Human Nutrition & Dietetics (HND), UOL acted as stage secretary of the seminar. The Quality Assurance & Accreditation awareness seminar was started with the recitation of





few verses from the Holy Quran and Naat Sharif by female students. Prof. Dr. Syed Amir Gilani, Dean, Faculty of Allied Health Sciences, UOL formally welcomed the NAEAC team (Dr. Abdul Ghaffar, Secretary and Mr. Abdullah, IT Coordinator NAEAC). He also presented a brief overview of the university with emphasis on Environmental Sciences and HND.

Dr. Abdul Ghaffar, Secretary NAEAC illustrated in detail the process of accreditation and its role in regulating the agriculture education across the country. He also pointed out four major and three minor criteria considered in the accreditation process. The analysis of last 12 year accreditation data has shown that 51% of the agriculture degree programs have improved their rating. After disquisition of Secretary, a question answer session was held where each question was replied in length up to the satisfaction of the audience.

Students and faculty members of the department of Human Nutrition & Dietetics and Environmental Sciences attended the seminar. Prof. Dr. Mohammad Iqbal, Dean Faculty of Sciences thanked the guest speaker and assured that the institute will live up to the standards of NAEAC to augment the quality of education in relevant disciplines. At the end Dean Faculty of Sciences / Director ORIC and Dean Allied Health Sciences presented a shield to Secretary NAEAC.



