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KARACHI CAMPUS

**BS SOCIAL SCIENCES
MS SOCIAL SCIENCES
PHD SOCIAL SCIENCES**

About SZABIST

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Shaheed Zulfikar Ali Bhutto Institute of Science and Technology (SZABIST) is highly ranked and fully chartered institute of Pakistan established through a Legislative Act of Sindh Assembly (Sindh Act No. XI of 1995). It is approved and recognized by the Higher Education Commission (HEC) Pakistan as a degree awarding institution. All the programs offered at SZABIST are consistent with the guidelines laid by HEC and other regulatory bodies, for example, National Business Education Accreditation Council (NBEAC), National Computing Education Accreditation Council (NCEAC), National Accreditation Council for Teacher Education (NACTE), and Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC).

HEC & CIEC Ranking

SZABIST is ranked as one of the most reputed universities by Higher Education Commission (HEC) and Chartered Inspection and Evaluation Committee (CIEC) Sindh. All programs of SZABIST are conducted under strict compliance of the relevant regulator bodies such as NBEAC, NCEAC, NACTE, PEC and KHDA Dubai. Since 2012, the SZABIST-QEC has been awarded more than 91% in the quantitative assessment by Quality Assurance Agency (QAA) HEC, Pakistan.

International Linkages

SZABIST is a registered member of the following international and national associations:

International Association of Universities (IAU), Paris; Association of Commonwealth Universities (ACU), London; The Association to Advance Collegiate School of Business (AACSB), Singapore; Asia University Federation (AUF), Seoul; Asia-Pacific Quality Network (APQN), People's Republic of China; Association of Quality Assurance Agencies of the Islamic World (AQAAIW), Malaysia; The Talloires Network, USA; The Chartered Institute of Logistics and Transport (CILT), UK; Management Association of Pakistan (MAP), Karachi; Marketing Association of Pakistan (MAP), Karachi; Human Resource Development Network (HRDN), Islamabad.

Research

SZABIST strongly encourages critical thinking and has set rigorous research standards for our students at both undergraduate as well as post graduate levels. SZABIST publishes research journals in various disciplines, including Social Sciences (i.e. the Journal of Independent Studies and Research (JISR-MSSE)). Department also frequently holds conferences, seminars and workshops both at national and international levels.

Mission of Social Sciences

The discipline of Social Sciences equips students with experience and required skill sets to study, analyze and improve the socio, cultural, psychological, economic, political, philosophical, geographical, historical, legal, and communicative facets of a society. Thus we are committed to flourish this unique multidisciplinary area by developing younger generation with emphasis in various fields of specialization to work as intellectuals, researchers, thinkers, policy makers and writers for the progress of the society as a whole.

Program Details of BS (Social Sciences)

Duration of Program	4 years
No. of Semesters	8
No. of Courses	48
Total No. of Credit Hours	144

BS (Social Sciences) Majors: International Relations, Economics, Psychology and Sociology.

Program Details of MS (Social Sciences)

Duration of Program	2 years
No. of Semesters	3/4 Regular
No. of Courses	10 (without Thesis), 8 Courses + Thesis (6 Credits)
Total No. of Credit Hours	30

MS SS (International Relations, Economics, Psychology and Sociology)

Program Details of PhD (Social Sciences)

Duration of Program	3 years
No. of Semesters	2 Regular (Course Work)
No. of Courses	6 Courses + Dissertation
Total No. of Credit Hours	Course work: 18 Credits; Dissertation: 30 Credits

PhD SS (International Relations, Economics, Psychology and Sociology)



Admission Schedule

<https://www.instagram.com/szabistofficial/>

Admission Requirements

BS (Social Sciences)

For admission in the BS (Social Sciences) programs, the candidate must have completed O-Levels (minimum 8 subjects including 5 compulsory subjects; English, Urdu, Maths, Islamiat & Pakistan Studies) and A-levels (minimum 3 Subjects)/12th Grade/Intermediate with minimum 50% marks or equivalent from a recognized institution. Inter Board Committee of Chairmen (IBCC) equivalency is required for O & A Levels/IB Diploma/High School Diploma or equivalent. General Paper (A Levels) will not be counted.

MS SS (International Relations, Economics, Psychology and Sociology)

For admission in the MS SS (International Relations, Economics, Psychology & Sociology) program, the candidates must possess 16 years of relevant education with minimum 2nd Division/2.00 CGPA from a university recognized by HEC.

GAT (General)/HAT relevant is mandatory for MS students with minimum 50% score.

Last Degree verification from Higher Education Commission (HEC) is required.

PhD SS (International Relations, Economics, Psychology and Sociology)

For admission in the PhD SS Program, the candidate must have a 17.5 years of education in a relevant field with minimum 60% marks/CGPA 3.00 from an HEC recognized institution.

GRE/GAT (Subject) with minimum 60% score is mandatory.

Last Degree verification from Higher Education Commission (HEC) is required.



Fee Structure*

BS (Social Sciences) (06 Courses)

Application Processing Fee	: Rs. 1,500 (Pakistani nationals)/ US \$ 45 (Foreign nationals)
Admission Fee	: Rs. 20,000 (Pakistani nationals)/ US \$ 500 (Foreign nationals)
Security Deposit (refundable)	: Rs. 10,000 (Pakistani nationals)/ US \$ 330 (Foreign nationals)
Students Activity Charges	: Rs. 1000 per semester (Pakistani nationals)/ US \$ 30 (Foreign nationals)
Tuition Fee	: Rs. 115,200 per semester for Pakistani nationals; US \$ 2,610 per semester (Foreign nationals). (full load of six courses per semester)
Tuition Fee (per semester) after 5% Subsidy	: PkR 109,440 / US\$ 2,480

MS in International Relations, Economics, Psychology and Sociology (04 Courses)

Application Processing Fee	: Rs. 1,500 (Pakistani nationals)/ US \$ 45 (Foreign nationals)
Admission Fee	: Rs. 20,000 (Pakistani nationals)/ US \$ 500 (Foreign nationals)
Security Deposit (refundable)	: Rs. 10,000 (Pakistani nationals)/ US \$ 330 (Foreign nationals)
Student Activity Charges	: Rs. 1000 per semester for Pakistani nationals; US \$ 30 per semester for foreign nationals.
Tuition Fee	: Rs. 88,800 per semester for Pakistani nationals; US \$ 2,040 per semester for Foreign nationals (full load of four courses per semester)
Tuition Fee (per semester) after 5% Subsidy	: PkR 84,360 / US\$ 1,940

PhD in International Relations, Economics, Psychology and Sociology (04 Courses)

Application Processing Fee	: Rs. 1, 500 (Pakistani nationals)/ US \$ 45 (Foreign nationals).
Admission Fee	: Rs. 20, 000 (Pakistani nationals)/ US \$ 500 (Foreign nationals)
Security Deposit (refundable)	: Rs. 10,000 (Pakistani nationals)/ US \$ 330 Foreign nationals)
Student Activity Charges:	Rs. 1000 per semester (Pakistani nationals) US \$ 30 (Foreign nationals)
Tuition Fee	: Rs. 72,900 per semester for Pakistani nationals; US \$ 1,665 per semester for Foreign nationals (full load of three courses per semester)

*SZABIST reserves the right to revise the fees/withdraw of scholarships without any prior notice.

Admissions Start	: April 19, 2021
Last date to apply	: June 10, 2021
Oral Test & Interview	: June 21 - July 10, 2021
Orientation	: September 2-4, 2021

APPLY ONLINE:

Log on to: <http://admissions.szabist.edu.pk>

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PhD Faculty

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Post doc (University of Ljubljana), (2010)
Ph.D Sociology, (2005)

Dr. Muhammad Ali

Assistant Professor
PhD (University of Karachi) International Relations

Dr. Mehak Ejaz

Assistant Professor
PhD (University of Sheffield) Economics

Dr. Mudassar Aziz

Assistant Professor
PhD (Hanyang University, Seoul, South Korea)
Educational Psychology

Dr. Erum

Assistant Professor
PhD (University of Karachi) Clinical Psychology

Dr. Naheed P. Malbari

Assistant Professor
PhD (SZABIST) Sociology

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PhD (University of Karachi) Psychology

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PhD (University of Karachi) International Relations

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Dr Muhammad Ramzan

Assistant Professor
PhD (University of Sindh) International Relations

Dr. Bela Nawaz

Assistant Professor
PhD (University of Karachi) Sociology

Facilities and Student Body

All our academic programs are conducted by PhD and postgraduate degree holders who have years of experience in the academic, research or the corporate world. Our excellence in teaching is supplemented with well-equipped classrooms that have latest audiovisual aids and are Internet enabled. SZABIST provides modern libraries, which include digital libraries and journals; SZABIST publishes its well-reputed, refereed journals, the Journals of Independent Studies (JISR) in Computing, Management, Social Sciences and Economics. SZABIST has a fully Wi-Fi enabled campus, a campus radio (ZABFM 106.6), online course management system (ZABDESK) and state-of-the-art media production facilities. Our students body is extremely dynamic, and has represented us globally and won numerous prestigious awards and scholarships including Fulbright and Rhodes Scholarships. SZABIST supports its students in internships and placements through its Executive Development Center (EDC).

