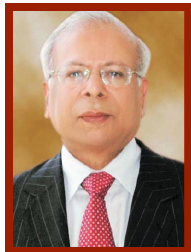




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Message from the Dean & Director



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m o d e s t c o n t r i b u t i o n w o u l d c u m u l a t e t o m a k e a b i g d i f f e r e n c e i n t h e i n c u l c a t i o n o f n e w c u l t u r e , v a l u e s , e t h i c s a n d s t a n d a r d s . I w o u l d l i k e t o c o n g r a t u l a t e t h e a l u m n i t e a m o n t h e n e w s l e t t e r a n d l o o k f o r w a r d t o y o u r e - e n g a g i n g w i t h t h e a l m a - m a t e r t h r o u g h t h i s p u b l i c a t i o n .

IBA Royalty Comes To Dubai



The IBA Alumni Chapter in UAE is the flagship chapter in terms of activity and events. The young and energetic office bearers have been working very hard to organize the upcoming grand event of the year—The UAE IBA Alumni Dinner. The event will take place on the 19th of December, 2010, with

our ex-prime minister and IBA alumnus, His Excellency Mr. Shaukat Aziz as the key-note speaker. Also attending the event will be significant supporters of IBA like Mr. Arif Naqvi and Mr. Irfan Mustafa. Dean & Director of IBA, Dr. Ishrat Husain, will also grace the occasion and share his vision for IBA's future. The event will be held at the Godolphin Ballroom at Emirates Towers Hotel

and over 200 IBA alumni based in the UAE are expected to attend. A special tribute to the Late Dr. I. A. Mukhtar will also be featured at the event, presented by his son Mr. Saqib Mukhtar. The evening is planned to be a major milestone in the development of IBA as a global brand and a world class business institute. For more details, please contact the [IBA Alumni UAE Chapter](#).

UAE Chapter Launch in July 2010



Own a Building

Remember how you always wanted one place on campus, where you and your friends could hang out, study in groups, play games, listen to music and have good food? Or when you wished there was a well-equipped stage and proper seating so that you and your band could put on the best show under a

starry night? Or just a place where you could retreat after a long class lecture? Well, now, you can make all of that possible for the IBA stu-

ents of today! For the first time, this most-awaited campus facility has been designed and construction begins in 2011. The alumni have shown keen interest in supporting this development project. Who else could understand the importance of such a project,

other than the proud alumni. Therefore, the Student Centre will be aptly named after the alumni who turn this dream into reality! Your contribution will be anxiously awaited & the Donor Wall of the Student Centre will feature your name—a tangible reminder of your support to the alma-mater!

For details, [contact us](#). To donate now, [Click Here!](#)



**We would like to congratulate the
Graduating Class of 2010!
We welcome you all to the IBA Alumni Family!**



Dear Graduates,

Please keep us posted by updating your online profiles at www.alumni.iba.edu.pk This will help us keep in touch with you and sending across relevant information and offers as they come by.

All the best!

Reunion of The 0's

Attention alumni!

Are you a graduate of 1960, 70, 80, 90, 2000 or 2010? If yes, then mark your calendars for the 21st of January, 2011 for an Alumni Annual Reunion at your very own IBA Main campus!

This unique tradition of the 10-year class reunion for the alumni started last year with an overwhelming response from the alumni. Alumni from all eras (meaning 1959, 69, 79, 89, 99, 2009) got together with their old friends, enjoyed musical performances, and rekindled their memories by touring the campus, meeting faculty members and having a great time. This unique reunion helped the alumni to not only

meet their own batch mates but also a diversified crowd of alumni, ranging from the most senior to recent graduates, at the same time allowing us to give special attention to these batches.

This year, we invite all of you who graduated in the 0's to celebrate your decade by attending this Reunion

Dinner organized specifically for you. The event will be an evening of socializing, entertainment, great food and, of course, reminiscing about the old times!

Don't want to wait for

your turn to attend the Re-union? No worries! You can request the IBA Alumni department to organize a re-union especially for your class.

If you want to arrange an exclusive reunion for your class, please write to sfaisal@iba.edu.pk



Helping us Build IBA's Future



Zafar Masud (1993 alumni) is a seasoned banking professional. Currently, Zafar is Chairman of FI Management Company (FIMC) which has acquired Crosby Markets Pakistan. As an alumnus and supporter of IBA, he has been kind enough to share his thoughts about his

alma-mater.

"I walked out of IBA 18 years ago armed with an MBA degree which helped open doors to all the top organizations in Pakistan despite tight job market . Since then, I have achieved many mile-

stones in my professional career, and that is all owing to what IBA endowed me with; a strong sense of discipline and hard work, a great ambition and the desire to excel, learn to work and operate in all sorts of environment/ people, and connections to a wide network of professionals, especially the IBA alumni who are committed to help and guide others from their alma mater. The contribution I made to the new building is a small fraction compared to the amount IBA has given to me! I am honored to be part of such a great institution which has played an integral part in expanding my mind, developing my career, and above all, shaping my future."

Jab We Met...Celebrating your story



We have all spent the best years of our lives at IBA, developing relationships that last forever; friends, co-workers, and even rivals. But many, over the years, have become more than just that.—life partners! Now, for the first time, the IBA is hosting a very unique Alumni Reunion event, exclusively for couples who are both IBA alumni! This is aptly planned to be held on the eve of Valentine's Day, 2011! (February 13th)

So, if you qualify, register yourself and your partner, for a night of romantic reminiscence, at a place that will take you back to when it all began!

If you have any suggestions or ideas about the event or want to refer an alumni couple, please write to alumni@iba.edu.pk

IBA has a need-blind admission policy. Last year, 367 scholarships were awarded. This year also students are looking up to the alumni for support with their education at IBA.

To make a donation, [Click here](#)

(Partial Scholarships are also welcome)

Our Alumni—Our Pride



Shireen Naqvi's (1992 alumna) experience as CEO at School of Leadership (SoL), Senior Management Consultant and Facilitator at Navitus includes consulting with local and multinational corporations, NGOs and educational institutions across Pakistan and abroad. Areas of focus are personal social development, building team spirit and visionary leadership. She organizes and leads the annual Young Leaders Conference (YLC) since 2002. As trustee of the School of Leadership Foundation, she facilitates entrepreneurship projects for the differently-abled.

Ayesha Aziz (1991 alumna), Managing Director of Pak Brunei Investment Company, is one of the most accomplished leaders of the corporate world. She attributes her success to an inherently driven nature, a quest for self development and a strong sense of pride in her work. Her previous successful assignments include Pak Oman Investment Company and ANZ Grindlays Bank. She has successfully managed high profile investments in the regional banking, telecommunication and the energy sector in Pakistan.



Expanding the legacy-Canada Chapter

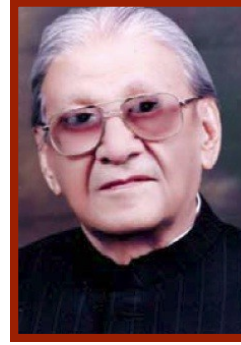
 The IBA Alumni Canada Chapter was launched on the 23rd of October 2010 in Toronto Canada with over 150 alumni attending the event. The session started with a special video message from Dr. Ishrat Husain for Canadian alum, which was well-received and a source of encouragement for the attendees. The alumni expressed appreciation of Dr. Ishrat's personal message and showed enthusiasm in participating future initiatives.

The chapter plans to reach out to further alumni in other major cities in of Canada in 2011. The launch generated a lot of allegiance in the alumni and an enthusiastic group of volunteers were quickly identified to work on pillars defined in the presentation. The pillars are: Leadership Excellence, Community Integration, Chapter Development, and Causes and Fund-raising. Planning for initiatives under each pillar for 2011 is already underway despite the busy schedules – a sign of true dedication!

To get in touch with the volunteers of the Canada Chapter, Please visit the Canada Chapter [Web-page](#)



Ode to a legend



IBA feels a profound sense of sorrow at the sad demise of Dr.I.A. Mukhtar. He was the Institute's first Dean & Director. It was as a result of his vision and policies that the IBA grew to be an excellent business school in a

very short time. Dr.I.A. Mukhtar took his B.A (Hons) Degree in Economics from The Saint Stephen's College in Delhi and an MA Degree from the Muslim University in Aligarh, where he received the gold medal for his performance. In appreciation to the extraordinary contribution made by Dr. I.A. Mukhtar to the development and growth of the IBA, The Board of Governors of the IBA made him Professor Emeritus and also conferred upon him the Honorary Doctor of Laws (Honoris Causa). The President of Pakistan also conferred upon him, the Civil Award of Sitara-e-Imtiaz. His Contributions have made IBA the institution it is today. The late Dr. Mukhtar is survived by his wife, three sons and two daughters. The "Baba-e-IBA" shall always be remembered.

To read his last interview for the IBA Alumni dept., [Click Here](#)

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Wishing you a happy and prosperous New year 2011.

- The Alumni Team