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IBA ALUMNI NEWSLETTER



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IBA ALUMNI EXCELLENCE AWARDS REGISTRATION LINK!

Registration Link: <https://forms.gle/LZtiYN1TkU3WRAGJA>

ALUMNI DISCOUNT PARTNER & BUSINESS DIRECTORY!

If you would like to feature your business to thousands of alumni, please fill out the forms for coverage:

Alumni Owned Business Directory: <https://alumni.iba.edu.pk/pdfs/iba-alumni-business-directory.pdf>

Alumni Owned Business Directory Registration Form: <https://forms.gle/LsQLYNEZER1bmajZ9>

Discount Partner Form: <https://forms.gle/pJ453v3nNGh5nyTJA>

STAY CONNECTED WITH US!

IBA regularly announces new interactive sessions, guest speakers, and programs that can help you upskill, network, and grow in your capacity! To ensure we can share the information in a timely and professional manner, the Alumni Affairs office would like to stay connected with you to invite you to these events and so much more!

Fill out the shared form so we will be able to inform you about the following:

- Corporate Connect Series/ guest speaker sessions.
- Industry-specific alumni reunions & meetups across the world
- Connection with upcoming alumni chapters around the globe
- Mentorship sessions for and run by the alumni.
- Support towards degree verification, faculty recommendations, or other personal requests for IBA matters.
- Upcoming events, ceremonies, and conferences hosted by IBA.
- Showcasing your startup and/or professional achievements and so much more!

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ALUMNI EVENTS



IBA Alumni of Chicago, IL – Eid Get-Together!



On June 14, 2025, IBA alumni based in Chicago, IL hosted a vibrant Eid get-together, drawing many graduates from across the Midwest along with their families. The event served as an excellent platform for networking, mentorship, community building, and informal counseling.

Senior alumnus [Samie Allam](#) warmly welcomed attendees, including the chief guest, Mr. [Tariq Karim](#) General of Pakistan in Chicago. Mr. Karim's presence added significant value, as he shared insights and guidance on various community-related matters. A key point of discussion was the idea of forming a federation of Pakistani alumni associations to foster stronger ties and provide better support for new arrivals.

The evening included engaging activities for children and raffle prizes for alumni. Guests enjoyed a Mediterranean BBQ and specialty beverages, thoughtfully prepared by [Jamal Din](#), who generously hosted the gathering at his residence.

The event concluded on a positive note, with plans underway to organize future initiatives through various alumni subcommittees. Appreciation is extended to all those who contributed to making the evening a success.

Reconnecting with IBA Alumni in Houston

In Houston, a group of distinguished IBA alumni came together for a warm and memorable lunch gathering at Mai Colachi Restaurant. The event offered a wonderful opportunity to reconnect, reflect on shared experiences, and explore ways to further strengthen the IBA community.

Special appreciation goes to [Mirza Khorasane](#), [Naeem Qurashi](#), [Shahid Hashmi](#), Niaz Faruqui, [Siraj Narsi](#), Qamber Muhammad, and many others whose presence and contributions made the afternoon truly special. Their hospitality and commitment to IBA's legacy were deeply appreciated.

Moments like these serve as a powerful reminder of the strength and potential of our alumni network.



IBA ALUMNI EXCELLENCE AWARDS!



SAVE THE DATE
FOR THE



IBA ALUMNI
EXCELLENCE
AWARDS

SEPTEMBER 9TH, 2025

Please note: Submitting the registration form does not guarantee attendance. Confirmations will be sent via official invitation cards.

Registration Link: <https://forms.gle/LZtiYN1TkU3WRAGJA>

MEET THE WINNERS!



UNVEILING THE IBA ALUMNI EXCELLENCE AWARD 2024 WINNERS



Tariq Kirmani



Muhammad Nassir Salim



Farrukh Sabzwari



Dr Muhammad Imran



Mohammad Taha



Tabarak Rehman



Azima Dhanjee



Hamza Abdul Rauf

IBA Karachi continues to be an island of excellence in Pakistan — a place where leaders are shaped and where alumni continue to set benchmarks in their respective fields.

We are honored to celebrate the outstanding accomplishments of our alumni at the IBA Alumni Excellence Awards 2024, which recognize individuals who exemplify leadership, innovation, service, and societal impact.

IBA DISINCTION AWARDS – Celebrating Excellence in Leadership and Enduring Support to IBA

Tariq Kirmani (Class of 1968) – Chairman, **Gas & Oil Pakistan Ltd.** and **Pakistan Refinery Limited**
He brings over five decades of distinguished leadership in the energy and corporate sectors. He has held senior roles at **Chevron**, led the transformation of **Pakistan State Oil** (PSO) as its MD & CEO, and served as Chairman & CEO of **Pakistan International Airlines**. He currently chairs both Gas & Oil Pakistan Ltd. and Pakistan Refinery Limited, and has served on several boards, including the IBA Selection Board for many years.

Nassir Salim (Class of 1986) – President & CEO, **HBL** Habib Bank Limited
He assumed the role of President & CEO of HBL in March 2024. With over 36 years of global and domestic banking experience, he has held senior positions at **American Express Bank**, **Citi**, and **ADIB - Abu Dhabi Islamic Bank**. Since joining HBL in 2017, he has led multiple strategic initiatives and continues to drive the bank's transformation.

IBA ALUMNI EXCELLENCE AWARDS 2024

Professional Excellence

Farrukh Sabzwari (Class of 1992) – CEO, **Pakistan Stock Exchange - PSX**
Acknowledged for his strategic leadership in Pakistan's capital markets and regulatory framework.

Syed Taha (Class of 1998) – Managing Director & CEO, **Pakistan State Oil**
Honored for leading Pakistan's largest energy company through innovation, growth, and sectoral transformation.

Philanthropic Excellence

Dr. Muhammad Imran , Ph.D. (Class of 1998) – Group Head, Islamic Banking, **Bank Alfalah Limited**
Recognized for his leadership in Islamic finance and continued support for philanthropic causes and community development.

Athletic Achievement

Tabarak Ur Rehman Chaudhry (Class of 2018) – Ultra-marathon Runner
Tabarak became the first person to run 1,000 miles across Pakistan, over 35 days. His journey raised over \$750,000 for **The Citizens Foundation**, supporting the education of more than 5,000 out-of-school children.

Advancing Diversity, Inclusion & Sustainability

Azima Dhanjee (Class of 2020) – Co-founder, **ConnectHear**



Connect Hear is a pioneering social enterprise that bridges the communication gap between the Deaf and hearing communities through sign language interpretation, education, and tech-based solutions.

Entrepreneurial Initiatives


Hamza Abdul Rauf (Class of 2020) – CEO, **Telemart**

Founder of Telemart, one of Pakistan's leading e-commerce and retail platforms. Hamza has built the country's largest BNPL and smartphone financing ecosystem and is driving digital inclusion by empowering over 1 million retailers nationwide.

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I'M PART OF AN IBA FAMILY

Celebrating Generations of IBA Alumni


Are you part of an IBA family?

Show your IBA pride by sharing a photo of you and your family members while they were at IBA - these could be images of your parents, siblings, cousins, spouses or children at IBA

Your pictures will be featured at the Grand Alumni Reunion in January 2026!!

Send your pictures to: alumni@iba.edu.pk
(Include names, graduating years & relationships to build out the family tree)

**Let's celebrate our legacy.
Let's grow the IBA Family Tree!**



This January, at our Grand Alumni Reunion, we are proud to introduce a heartfelt tribute to the legacy that runs through our corridors — The IBA Family Tree!

If you and your family members are proud IBA alumni, we invite you to be part of this visual celebration of IBA's multigenerational legacy.

How to Participate:

Send us photos of you and your family members (siblings, parents, children, spouses, cousins, etc.) who are IBA graduates. These will be featured in a special Family Tree Wall at the reunion!

Email to: alumni@iba.edu.pk/esheikh@iba.edu.pk

(Include names, graduation years, and relationship details)

Let's honor the legacy of families who have made IBA their home across generations. Be part of the tradition, be part of the tree.








MY IBA FAMILY - Celebrating Generations of Excellence



IMPORTANT ADVISORY FOR IBA ALUMNI

IBA Alumni are advised to remain vigilant when engaging in any communication or exchanges, especially with individuals claiming to be fellow alumni. Your privacy and safety remain a top priority.

SECURITY & COMMUNICATION GUIDELINES

-  **Do not share** sensitive or personal information (e.g., CNIC, financial details, passwords).
-  **Verify the identity** of anyone who contacts you, even if they claim to be from IBA or an alumnus.
-  **Avoid clicking** on suspicious links or downloading files from unknown sources.
-  **Be cautious** of unsolicited requests for donations, favors, or professional referrals.
-  **Report any suspicious activity** to the relevant IBA authorities or alumni coordinators.
-  **Respect others' privacy**—never share fellow alumni's personal information without consent.
-  **Use official channels** for alumni communications whenever possible.

Stay safe online—please review these important guidelines to protect your personal and professional information.



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HAIDER RAZA

MBA Class of 2010


has been appointed as
**GLOBAL MARKETING
MANAGER – CROP
NUTRITION**
Nouryon, Netherlands

On behalf of the IBA community,
we would like to congratulate him
on this achievement and wish
him the best of luck in his future
endeavors.

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SYED ADEEL ANWER

MBA Class of 2007


has been appointed as
**VICE PRESIDENT –
COMMERCIAL**
DHL EXPRESS PAKISTAN

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we would like to congratulate him
on this achievement and wish
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SYED M. SOHAIL

MBA Class of 1996

has been appointed as
**COO, OUTREACH
SERVICES**
**AGA KHAN UNIVERSITY
HOSPITAL**

On behalf of the IBA community,
we would like to congratulate him
on this achievement and wish
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ALUMNI EXPERIENCE

NIMRAH MOIN

Class of 2023

has been accepted to

The London School of Economics (LSE) for Msc in Gender, Development & Globalization

On behalf of the IBA community, we would like to congratulate her on this achievement and wish her the best of luck in her future endeavors.

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NOMAN ALI

MBA Class of 2007

CEO of Supply Chain Talks has won the Best Consultant of the Year Award

On behalf of the IBA community, we would like to congratulate him on this achievement and wish him the best of luck in his future endeavors.

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ALUMNI EXPERIENCE

Ahmed Hassaan Latki

MBA Class of 2021

Has been selected for the Master of Science in Business Analytics (MSBA) program at the Raymond A. Mason School of Business, William & Mary University, with an 80% scholarship.

On behalf of the IBA community, we would like to congratulate him on this achievement and wish him the best of luck in his future endeavors.

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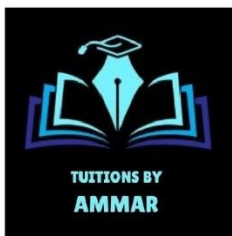
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Empowering Girls Through Affordable Online Schooling — Easy Taleem

Launched during the COVID lockdowns, Easy Taleem began as a grassroots response to the massive disruption in education across Pakistan.

What started as a few Zoom classes for struggling students has now grown into a bold vision: to build Pakistan's first quality-focused, low-cost online school for girls, designed specifically for underserved communities.

At just Rs. 25,000 per year for three subjects, our current program offers full O- and A-Level instruction — taught live by experienced faculty with LMS support, recordings, assessments, and academic counseling. What makes Easy Taleem stand out is not just the price — it's the intentional design of our platform, which blends academic rigor with accessibility and values-based learning. Every girl in our program learns with dignity, flexibility, and purpose — whether she's in Rajanpur, Turbat, Landi Kotal, or Lyari.

But we're just getting started.

Our August 2025 launch marks a major scale-up: we're onboarding girls from across Pakistan into our new online morning school — with set schedules, co-curricular sessions, performance-linked incentives, and long-term university prep support.

We believe that no talented girl should be forced to drop out due to safety concerns, affordability, or lack of local resources. And we know the IBA community shares this belief.

How the IBA Alumni Can Help:

- Share our story within your networks — schools, communities, employers, and NGOs.
- Refer deserving students who may benefit from our August 2025 program.

Let's together unlock the potential of thousands of Fatimas waiting to shine — because when one girl learns, a generation rises.

Learn more: <http://www.easytaleem.co>

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