

LGU NEWSLETTER

14 August at LGU
One Nation.
One Voice.



Pakistan: Our Pride, Our Promise

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Pakistan: United by Our Diversity, Strengthened by Our Shared Values

Lahore Garrison University celebrated Independence Day with patriotic spirit, bringing together students, faculty, and staff to honour Pakistan's freedom and the sacrifices behind it. The celebrations reflected national pride, unity, and a shared commitment to Pakistan's future.





MINORITY RIGHTS DAY

Diversity in faith, unity in action

At LGU, voices from diverse faiths came together in a powerful conversation on harmony, respect, and belonging.

Lahore Garrison University marked Minorities Day 2026 with “Hum Ek Hain”, a thought-provoking panel talk held on 11 August at Jinnah Auditorium under the theme Interfaith Harmony, Inclusivity & Respect for Religious Diversity, aligned with SDG 10: Reduced Inequalities. Distinguished representatives from Muslim, Sikh, Christian, and Hindu communities came together to promote dialogue, mutual respect, and peaceful coexistence, reflecting LGU’s commitment to nurturing inclusive and responsible citizens.





Jujar Singh
Influencer

"Always focus on the positive. Spread positivity and make sure that your actions never harm anyone."



Sardar Sukhpal Singh

"Humility makes society better. We should see everyone as being above us and never allow arrogance to divide us."



Ravi Shankar - student

"I believe in harmony among all religions, with mutual respect and peaceful coexistence."



Pandit Amar Nath Randhawa

"There is nothing wrong with any religion. It is political interests that often create divisions between people of different faiths."



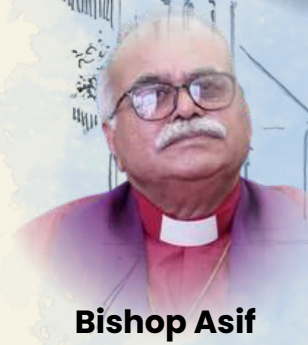
Maulana Syed Abdul Khabeer Azad

"We must care for and protect our religious minorities. This is what our religion teaches us."



Pastor Shahzad Saddique

"Our differences should unite us, not divide us. Let us promote respect, kindness, inclusion, and harmony among all."



Bishop Asif John

"We should not try to fix society by cutting here and there. We must cut the roots of the evils that harm our society. That is how we can make it better."



Youm-e-Istehsal Kashmir

Lahore Garrison University commemorated Youm-e-Istehsal Kashmir on August 5, 2026, with a minute of silence for martyrs, followed by a solidarity walk with Deans, HoDs, faculty, and students. The event ended with a group photo, symbolizing LGU's solidarity with Kashmir. The Directorate of Students Affairs & Counselling thanked all departments for their participation.

**LGU
Stands
with
Kashmir**





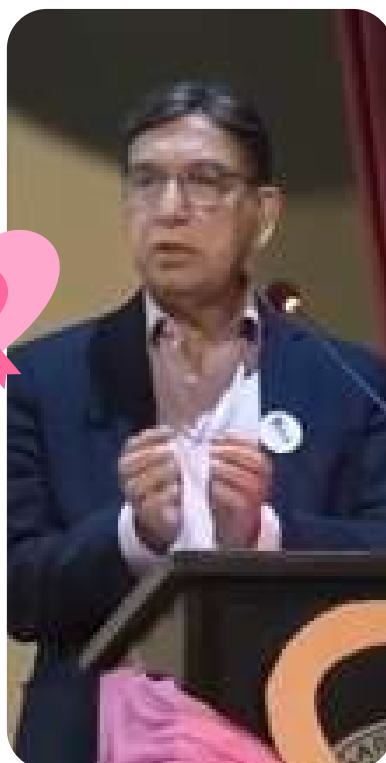
Breast Cancer Research Awareness Day

Beyond Awareness. Towards Action, Research & Care.



The Pakistan Institute of Living and Learning (PILL) and Lahore Garrison University hosted Breast Cancer Research Awareness Day on August 20, 2026, gathering academicians, healthcare professionals, and researchers to enhance awareness and prevention efforts. Keynote speakers Prof. Dr. Nashi Khan and Prof. Dr. Nusrat Hussain led a panel discussion on advancing breast cancer research and care, featuring Major General Muhammad Khalil Dar and other experts. A scientific session emphasized the importance of research, early detection, and advocacy in promoting effective prevention and compassionate care.





LGU Operationalizes Rainwater Harvesting & Groundwater Recharge System

“Every drop saved today strengthens tomorrow’s water security.”
— VC LGU

Lahore Garrison University has implemented a Rainwater Harvesting and Groundwater Recharge System to improve water management and sustainability. This system collects rainwater through filtration pits into a main well, where it is naturally filtered before being directed into a 200-foot-deep bore to recharge the groundwater table, highlighting LGU's dedication to water conservation and a greener campus.

Special thanks to Col Fakhir, Subedar Pervez Sahib, and their dedicated team for their tireless efforts to make the initiative operational.



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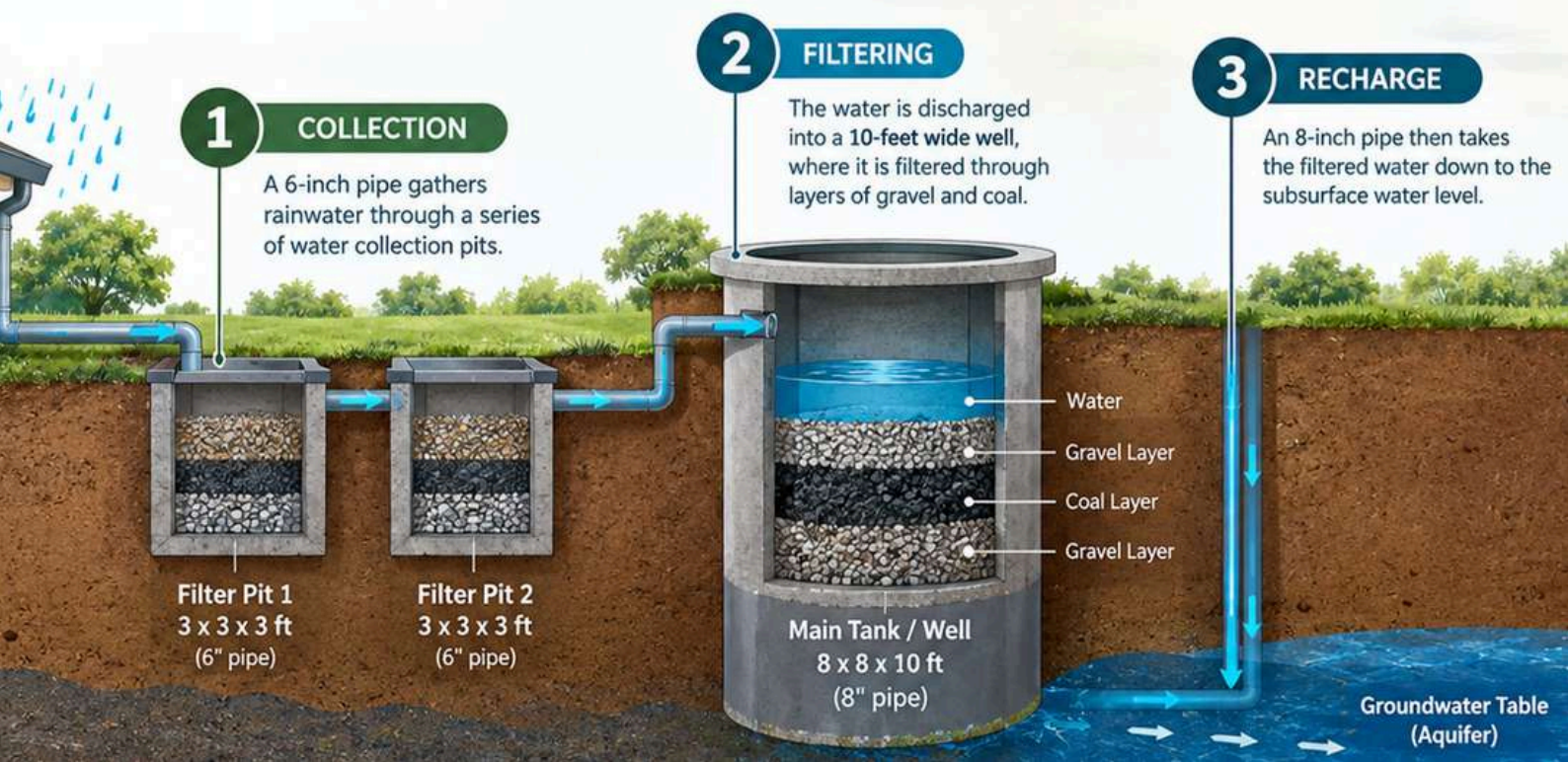
A 6-inch pipe gathers rainwater through a series of water collection pits.

FILTERING

The water is discharged into a 10-feet wide well, where it is filtered through layers of gravel and coal.

RECHARGE

An 8-inch pipe then takes the filtered water down to the subsurface water level.



Taking Health Beyond Campus

LGU took free health, nutrition, and psychological services to the community through its first SDG-3 field camp at Thether Village.

Lahore Garrison University's SDG Society, with the LGU Bio Serve Society, held a One-Day Free Nutrition Assessment Camp for women in Jahman on August 22, 2026. Under SDG 3: Good Health and Well-being, the camp offered health screenings, BMI, BMD, and BIA assessments, nutrition guidance, and women's health awareness sessions. Participants received psychological counseling, and the initiative included education data collection and gender equality activities, demonstrating LGU's dedication to impactful community action and health awareness for underserved women.



LGU WELCOMES SOS CHILDREN FOR A DAY OF LEARNING, JOY AND INSPIRATION

On August 5, 2026, Lahore Garrison University (LGU) warmly welcomed 45 children and 10 staff members from SOS Children's Village for a joyful day of learning, exploration and discovery. Welcomed by the Vice Chancellor, the children explored campus facilities, enjoyed lunch and refreshments, and received souvenirs, creating cherished memories of their visit.







Prof. Dr. Arif Jawaid leads an FDP on AI integration, prompt optimization and AI-powered academic writing, highlighting LGU's contribution to AI-enabled education.

LGU COLLABORATES ON AI WITH FOUNDATION UNIVERSITY ISLAMABAD



Lahore Garrison University (LGU) is promoting academic leadership through faculty development. On August 10, 2026, Prof. Dr. Arif Jawaid led a workshop for Foundation University Islamabad on "Integrating AI at the Workplace," covering AI's role in academia, including AI Collaborative Methodology and Prompt Optimization, aligned with Outcome-Based Education. Participants critically engaged with AI tools for academic integration, showcasing LGU's commitment to AI innovation and faculty expertise beyond the university.



Beyond Publications: LGU Lecture Focuses on Turning Research into Real-World Solutions

Dr. Umer Hassan highlights pathways for translating research discoveries into innovation, commercialization, and social impact.





Dr. Shabana Naveed Secures Research Innovation Fund Grant

Rs. 780,225
Awarded to
Advance
Research &
Innovation



Dr. Shabana Naveed, an Associate Professor in the Department of Management Sciences, Lahore Garrison University, received a grant of Rs. 780,225 for her project "From Alerts to Action," which addresses Lahore's smog problem. The research focuses on stakeholder coordination in response to environmental alerts and how collaboration affects air pollution management. This grant highlights LGU's commitment to evidence-based research aimed at improving responses to the smog crisis and promoting sustainable development.





RESEARCH EXCELLENCE RECOGNITION AT LGU

Honorees included:

**Ms. Adeela Hayat
(ORIC)**

**Dr. Muhammad Umar
(Management
Sciences)**

**Dr. Noureen Naeem
(Nutrition)**

**Dr. Sundas Munir
(Criminology)**

**Dr. Khushbu Khalid
(Information
Technology)**

**Dr. Maria Tariq
(Computer Science)**



Lahore Garrison University awarded exceptional faculty with performance bonuses at the ORIC event, celebrating achievements in research and innovation. The Vice Chancellor emphasized LGU's commitment to impactful research and encouraged faculty to align research with industry needs. Congratulations to the awardees

LGU Hosts FDP for a School Serving Underserved Communities



**Sharing Knowledge,
Advancing LGU's
Commitment to Quality
Education**

Lahore Garrison University's SDG Team organized a Faculty Development Programme for Dubai International School teachers on August 19, 2026. Centered on SDG 4 (Quality Education) and SDG 17 (Partnerships), the event featured collaborative learning, expert sessions, and a campus tour led by Ms. Nimra Habib. This initiative strengthened institutional collaboration and underscored LGU's dedication to quality education through partnerships.



LGU FACULTY COLLABS WITH LAHORE GARRISON EDUCATION SYSTEM FOR TEACHER TRAINING

Lahore Garrison University faculty held **professional training sessions** for Lahore Garrison Education System teachers, emphasizing student well-being, effective communication, and psychological support.



Dr. Shamshad Bashir, Associate Professor, led a session on Counselling Skills for Teachers, focusing on effective communication and supportive interactions with students.



Dr. Mohsina Mirza, a Consultant Clinical Psychologist and Associate Professor, led a session on identifying early signs of childhood psychological disorders to assist teachers in recognizing emotional and behavioral concerns.



Ms. Saira Maqsood and **Ms. Ariba Tahir**, Senior Lecturers, conducted a workshop on Psychological First Aid, introducing practical ways to provide immediate emotional support to students in distress.

LGU RECOGNIZES FACULTY AT SUBJECT-BASED FDP CERTIFICATE CEREMONY

Lahore Garrison University hosted a Certificate Award Ceremony for its Subject-Based Faculty Development Programme on 25 August 2026, recognizing faculty for their dedication to professional growth. Organized by Dr. Umer Iqbal, A/Dean of the Faculty of Computer Sciences, the event honored faculty from Computer Science, Software Engineering, and Artificial Intelligence Departments who completed the programme, reflecting LGU's commitment to enhancing teaching quality and academic standards.



2nd International Collaborative Workshop

LGU-Melbourne: Reimagining Education in the AI Era

Lahore Garrison University (LGU) held the 2nd International Collaborative Workshop with the University of Melbourne, focusing on “Reimagining Teaching and Curriculum in the Era of AI and Entrepreneurship.” Led by Dr. Aman Ullah, it emphasized entrepreneurial mindset, critical thinking, flipped classroom, and experiential learning. Acknowledgments were made to key coordinators, showcasing LGU's commitment to global engagement, faculty development, and integrating AI into education for future readiness.

Waqas Ahmad

Alumni of the Year

Waqas, a 2017 graduate and former GEARS member, supports LGU's young innovators post-graduation. He traveled from Lahore to Islamabad at 2:00 AM during the 2026 National Engineering and Robotics Contest to assist with robot repairs and uplift team morale. In recognition of his mentorship, Lahore Garrison University named him Alumni of the Year.





LGU Faculty Promote Reading Culture Through Book Review Session



Lahore Garrison University (LGU) hosted a Book Review Session on August 24, 2026, focusing on leadership, management, ethics, innovation, and personal development. Organized by the Departments of Social Sciences and Management Sciences under Prof. Dr. Rizwana Bashir, the event featured discussions on various books, including *Deep Work* and *Leading without Authority*. It promoted critical engagement with modern ideas and highlighted the value of reading for professional growth. The Vice Chancellor commended the initiative for enhancing intellectual exchange and fostering a learning culture among faculty.

LGU SDG PRIORITIES





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