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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



On behalf of executive committee of FIMA, the organizing committee of the 32nd FIMA council meeting and FIMA/IIMA annual scientific meeting 2015 (in conjunction with the 8th MUKISI National Meeting), I take this opportunity to welcome all the delegates and participants who are now getting ready to leave for Makassar, Indonesia.

As per the final program issued by the organizers of convention. Following plan will be followed.

1. Visit to Pesantren Darul Mukhlisin (Boarding Islamic tuition of Muslim University of Indonesia): at 13.00 on Tuesday, 11th August 2015, FIMA.

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FSV & POB ARRANGES EYE CHECK UP OF CHILDREN OF BLIND SCHOOL IN SIALKOT, PAKISTAN

True blindness is not the loss of sight, its loss of Vision! This dawned upon me the day I happened to visit a school for blind children in outskirts of Sialkot, a city located in central Punjab which is known for its excellence in the manufacture of world class sports goods. The medical students outnumbered the doctors, they were around 90 students who volunteered to visit the blind school. The team was headed by Dr. Intzar Butt, head of ophthalmology department at KMS Medical college and chair for FIMA save vision and director of prevention of blindness trust.

The purpose was to examine the students for any treatable blindness, interact with the students and motivate them, rather on the contrary, their self-confidence and courage turned out to be a motivation for the visiting medics. Who were excited to witness the par excellence talent and intelligence and learnt how skillfully the blind kids managed to live with their deficiencies.

After a brief introduction of the school by the vice principal we visited the classrooms to meet with the children. There were 48 students who were studying in different grades in the blind school. Here they are taught how to read and write Braille letters, as they have their textbooks converted into



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Braille letters. And it was fascinating to see how those children can read fluently by touching the dots of Braille with their fingertips. After class visits, we along with all those 48 little angels gathered in a room where the display of their talent, confidence and IQ made us feel that they are not 'Disabled' but 'Definitely abler than many'. The amazing part of our visit was seeing all of the students playing, running here and there without even tripling making us doubt that they couldn't see. Above all, when we tried to help any student opening gifts, they would bluntly refuse help saying 'No! We can do it ourselves'.

They asked us to take selfies with them in our mobiles. After that, a 7 year old cutie pie excitedly asked me to show pictures I had taken with them. I put the camera in front him. I can't see them,' he said his face flushing with joy,' but still I'm happy I've taken pictures!.' I couldn't hold back my tears. These little angels deserve the best in this

world and hereafter. The smile they had on their faces gave us a lesson to thank Allah Almighty for every blessing we have. Meanwhile, Dr. Intizar Butt and Dr. Shahid Dayal were screening the students. The medical students took detailed history and relevant notes and later documented all the findings and observations made by the consultants. 40 blind children were examined in detail with detailed history, anterior segment examination with handheld slit lamp, refraction and low vision aids and posterior segment examination with direct and indirect ophthalmoscope. Alhamdulillah about 10 children were improved with refraction and low vision aids. Few had congenital cataract and they were referred to Eye department of KSMC Sialkot for future treatment and management. The other predominant causes of blindness were Corneal scarring, microphthalmos, Retinitis pigmentosa, congenital glaucoma, optic nerve atrophy and retinal detachment.

Meeting with these epitomes of courage, love and confidence made my day. We were sent to motivate these students but the reverse happened!

I salute the team of FIMA Save vision & POB Trust for making life easier for them this way.



We were so happy to see them and I wish we could also help them see the colours of world around them.

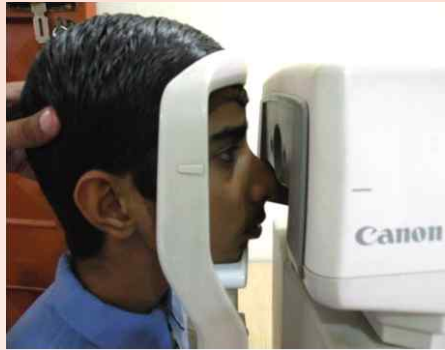
Iqra Zulfiqar

Final year student

Khawja Muhammad Safdar

Medical College Sialkot





INAUGURAL SESSION OF 14TH PIMA SINDH CONVENTION



Dr. Atta-ur-Rehman (Renowned Pakistani scientist and former Science and Technology Minister) receiving the souvenir from Dr Misbahul Aziz (ex PIMA President & Chairman PIMA Sindh Convention) in the inaugural session of 14th PIMA Sindh convention. he was the chief guest of inaugural session of the convention.

In his speech, he called the youth as Pakistan's real wealth and only by educating our children and boys, who were 54 percent of the country's entire population, Pakistan could emerge as world's leading economies.



A view of stage of PIMA Punjab, annual convention held in Sialkot, seated in the centre is PIMA Punjab President Professor Khubaib Shahid and Professor Suhail Akhtar, President PIMA.



Dr Muhammad Subhan has been elected as president PIMA KPK for next 2 years. The process of the election was carried out in the 14th biennial provincial convention held in Swat on 4-5 April 2015. Dr Muhammad Subhan did his MBBS from Khyber Medical College Peshawar in 1984



Dr. Azhar Qazi giving shields to Dr. Hafeez ur Rehman, Dr. Muhammad Afzal and Dr Abu Bakar Shahid.



Dr Tariq Ismail, newly elected President PIMA Punjab addressing the concluding session



A view of audience of PIMA Punjab convention 2015.



PAKISTAN ISLAMIC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION (SINDH) PIMA

Dr. Abdullah Khilji
has been elected as
President PIMA Sindh
For the session 2015-17.
he took the oath in
14th Biennial Provincial Convention
held on 22-23 March at Karachi.

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NDF (NATIONAL DOCTORS FORUM) BANGLADESH HOLDS IFTAR MAHFIL 2015



BOARD MEETING OF MUSLIM AID UK

President FIMA attended the board meeting of Muslim Aid UK, he is presently holding the office of Secretary and treasurer of its Pakistan

office. Muslim Aid UK has recently completed the PIMA-MA-UK Hospital in Mansehra, KPK. This is a very busy hospital now with

facilities for inpatients and outpatients serving the underprivileged community in the earthquake hit areas of Mansehra and Abbottabad.



A 'HEALTH DAY'

A 'Health Day' was arranged in Walsall in the month of May where we had 150+ patient consultations on a range of health issues.

BIMA's first weekend Leadership Camp was held in Sheffield. Some great discussions and ideas for future projects for BIMA were discussed.



CIRCUMCISION CAMP HELD IN BULAWAYO & VICTORIA FALLS

Islamic Medical Association of Zimbabwe in collaboration with Ministry of health managed 3 parallel free male circumcision

camps in Bulawayo, Hwange and Victoria falls on the 11th of April 2015 respectively. **A total of 250 benefitted from the programme.** The

organizers arranged these camps amicably and revived the sunnah.



THE 32nd FEDERATION OF ISLAMIC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION (FIMA) CONFERENCE
AND THE 8TH MUKISI NATIONAL MEETING
MAKASSAR INDONESIA, 11 - 16 AUGUST 2015

**TENTATIVE SCHEDULE OF THE 32nd FIMA COUNCIL MEETING AND
FIMA/IIMA ANNUAL SCIENTIFIC MEETING
11 – 16 AUGUST 2015**

TIME	SCHEDULE	VENUE
Tuesday, 11 August 2015		
08.00-11.00	Registration Executive Committee (Exco) FIMA	Lobby Clarion Hotel
08.00-12.00	Registration <i>Medical Student Program (MSP)</i>	Aula Aisya FK UMI
13.00-15.00	Delegations of Exco FIMA & MSP leading up to Pesantren Darul Mukhlisin UMI (Islamic Boarding of University)	
15.00-16.30	Ashar Prayer & Planting of Trees for Peace by Members of Exco FIMA & one of MSP Delegations	Pesantren Darul Mukhlisin Padang Lampe Kab. Pangkep
16.30-18.00	Delegations of Exco FIMA heading back to Makassar MSP Delegations starting the first day of <i>Student Camp</i> at Pesantren Darul Mukhlisin	
18.00-20.00	Magrib Prayer & Dinner	House of the Principal of UMI Foundation
20.00-selesai	<i>Executive Committee FIMA Meeting</i>	Menara UMI
Wednesday, 12 August 2015		
08.00-09.00	Registration of Members of <i>Council FIMA Meeting</i>	Room Chrysanth Clarion Hotel
09.00-22.00	<i>Council FIMA Meeting Day 1</i>	Room Chrysanth Clarion Hotel
08.00-finish	<i>Student Camp Program (MSP) Day 2</i>	Pesantren Darul Mukhlisin Padang Lampe Kab. Pangkep
08.00-13.00	<i>Workshop 1: Accreditation of Medical Colleges by LAM PTKES</i>	Room Azalea Clarion Hotel
10.00-12.00	Registration for <i>Ladies Program</i>	Lobby Clarion Hotel



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Thursday, 13 August 2015		
07.00-10.00	Delegations of MSP heading back to Makassar	
08.00-12.00	Registration (FOKI/MUKISI)	Clarion Hotel
08.00-12.00	<i>Council FIMA Meeting Day 2</i>	Room Chrysanth Clarion Hotel
12.00-13.00	Break (Dhuhur Prayer & Lunch)	
13.00-15.00	Hospital Visit	RS Ibnu Sina, RS
		Islam Faisal, RS Haji, RSIA St Khadija 1
	Studium General Medical Students (General Secretary of FIMA, IIMA Presidium, Chairman of FOKI)	Auditorium Al-Jibra, UMI
08.00-13.00	<i>Workshop 2 : Accreditation of Syariah Hospitals</i>	<i>Workshop 3 : Intermediate Nursing</i>
		Workshop 2 at Room Azalea and Workshop 3 at Room Tulip Hotel Clarion
19.00-23.00	<i>Opening Ceremony (Gala Dinner) For All the Delegations (FIMA, IHC, CIMCO, FOKI, MUKISI, MSP)</i>	6 th Floor <i>Swimming Pool</i> Clarion Hotel
Friday, 14 August 2015		
08.00-17.00	<i>Scientific Meeting Day I</i>	Sandeq Ball Room Clarion Hotel
08.00-17.00	<i>Ladies Program</i>	Tentative
14.00-22.30	<i>Annual Meeting IHC/MUKISI</i>	R. Chrysanth Clarion Hotel
19.30 -22.30	<i>Annual Meeting CIMCO/FOKI</i>	R. Azalea Clarion Hotel
Saturday, 15 August 2015		
08.00-17.00	<i>Scientific Meeting Day II</i>	Sandeq Ball Room Clarion Hotel
19.30 -22.30	<i>Annual Meeting</i>	
	- CIMCO/FOKI	Room Azalea Clarion Hotel
	- Rakernas MUKISI	Room Chrysanth Clarion Hotel
Sunday, 16 August 2015		
08.00-17.00	<i>City Tour</i>	Wakatobi Bantimurung



MEDICAL STUDENT PROGRAM



“Developing the Islamic Brotherhood in Medical Education Institutes for creating the Professional Character of Muslim Doctors”

■ Time and Place
11-13 August 2015
Boarding Islamic Tuition of Indonesian Muslim University
Campus of Indonesian Muslim University
Grand Clarion Hotel

■ Registration Fee
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DR. GHULAM MUSTAFA KHAN

DR. GHULAM MUSTAFA KHAN, ONE OF THE CO-FOUNDERS OF FIMA PASSES AWAY IN GREAT BRITAIN.

Dr Ghulam Mustafa Khan, son of Ghulam Mahboob Khan, was born on 14 August 1929 in a small village in Central India. He started his medical training at Usmania University, Hyderabad Deccan. In 1948 he moved with the whole extended family to Karachi and completed his MBBS at Dow Medical College.

In 1956 he came to the UK. For the next 14 years he moved around the country and abroad on short-term posts. This included 2 years in South Wales; a year back in Karachi; 2 years in Riyadh, Arabia; and a year in Woking, Surrey, where he served as the

Imam of the famous Shah Jahan Masjid.

In 1970 he moved to Guildford, Surrey. He started work as a GP in 1974 after moving to Edmonton, Enfield Borough, and London.

After receiving an invitation, he emigrated to Nigeria in 1979 with his family to engage in Da'wah and charitable medical work. He established an Islamic Health Centre in rural Central Nigeria which included a Masjid and numerous Madrassahs.

At the age of 70 he retired and returned to England in 1999. He lived in Ilford, London before moving to Walsall, West Midlands in 2002. He was involved in a car accident, shortly afterwards, which left

him disabled. He became quite frail towards the end but, still continued to keep the Ramadhan fasts in spite of the long hot days.

He passed away on 15 April 2015. He is survived by his wife, 2 sons and a daughter. Three of his sons and a daughter passed away before him.

Dr Khan was the founder-president of the Islamic Medical Association (IMA) of UK & Eire; a founding member of Federation of Islamic Medical Associations (FIMA); a role model for an honest and upright human being; a pioneer in the Halal meat cause and author of 2 books (Dhabh: Halal Slaughter and Personal Hygiene in Islam).

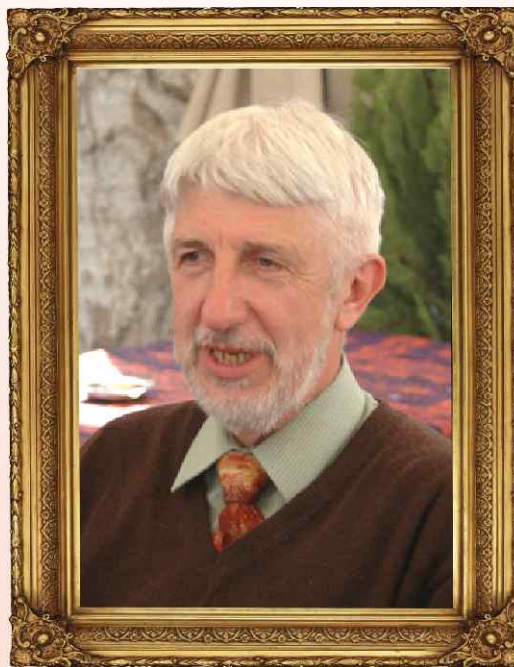
May he rest in Peace. Ameen

DR. UZER SKAKA

DR UZER SKAKA, PAST PRESIDENT OF BOSNIAN ISLAMIC MEDICAL ASSOCIATION PASSES AWAY.

It is really heartbreaking to note that our very dear and respected brother Dr Uzeir Skaka passed away on Friday May 29th 2015. The funeral prayers to worship were held on June 1st following the afternoon prayers in Sarajevo Bey's Mosque.

May Allah SWT bless his soul in the hereafter. Dr. Uzeir will be remembered as a very



devoted and kind Muslim physician. He was the founding president of BIMA. He was the organizer of FIMA council meeting held in Bosnia Herzegovina in 2003 and extended excellent hospitality.

Our hearts are filled with sorrow and grief and our prayers are for the departed soul.

May Allah give the bereaved family and BIMA fraternity courage to bear this irreparable loss. Ameen.



REMAINING MESSAGE OF THE PRESIDENT

Executive Committee together with delegations of Medical Students Program (MSP).

2. FIMA Pre-council executive committee meeting: at 20.00 on Tuesday, 11th

August 2015 at University of Muslim Indonesia (UMI).

3. FIMA Council Meeting: at 09.00-22.00 on Wednesday, 12th August 2015 and at 08.00-12.00 on Thursday, 13th August 2015 at Clarion Hotel.

4. Hospital Visit by all the delegations: at 13.00 on Thursday, 13 August 2015.

We have already received completed registration forms from the delegates, however those who took a late start are requested to immediately

enroll to the secretariat of the committee Dr. Berry E. Hasbi (email: berryeridahasbi@gmail.com or via organizing committee at info@fimaconferenceindonesia2015.com).

5. Gala Dinner will be held at 19.00 on Thursday, 13th August 2015, to be attended by all official FIMA council members and registered participants (delegates/spouse/students).

6. Scientific Meeting: 08.00-17.00 from 14 to 15 August 2015.

For further information, kindly contact any of the following to secure your reservation and share your travel arrangements and itinerary.

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See you all in Makassar very soon. Selamat Datang di Indonesia!

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