



INNOVATION CAMP

INJAZ Pakistan, in association with Aga Khan Economic Planning Board of Pakistan, organized yet another Innovation Camp on 20th December 2016. 75 students came together from different regions with new ideas for design and delivery of their business plans. Eight new business ideas which can be further implemented were generated.



ALUMNI INTERVIEW

INTERVIEW OF MOHAMMAD JUNAID

Sole Proprietor, Owner of CAPS Cooperation and INJAZ Pakistan Alumni

1. PLEASE TELL US BRIEFLY ABOUT YOUR INJAZ EXPERIENCE

- I learnt important things about running a business during my training with INJAZ Pakistan. I didn't know or understand how a business is established, or any other important factors that can play a significant role. INJAZ has helped me with this immensely.

2. WHAT DO YOU DO AT THE MOMENT?

- I am running my own business - CAPS Cooperation. CAPS stands for Computer Accessories Purchasing and Selling, which was started with a seed fund of PKR 10,000 given to me by INJAZ Pakistan. I am now making a profit of about PKR 10,000 per month. I resigned from my job at a manufacturing company to focus solely on my business.

3. WHAT MOTIVATED YOU TO FOCUS ONLY ON YOUR BUSINESS AND LEAVE YOUR JOB?

- I have learnt quite a bit about my business in the past two years. Today I have inventory worth 200,000 PKR in a business which started from a small fund. I have progressed quite a bit from where I started and feel that I am ready to focus completely on my setup. I left a stable income because I believed in myself.

4. WHAT IS YOUR VISION FOR THE FUTURE?

- I am planning to focus all my energy on growing my business and progressing in this field. INJAZ has helped me immensely throughout this journey, and I am ready to take it forward.

MOHAMMAD JUNAID

OUR SUPERHERO OF THE MONTH

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INJAZ PAKISTAN WORK-READINESS PROGRAM



INJAZ Pakistan collaborated with Iqra University to conduct 37 sessions of Head Start program, targeting around 1400 students, and helping them apply for career opportunities. The program helped the young audience in drafting their resumes and cover letters, understanding the art of interviews and learning how to excel at internships. 13 senior volunteers, working at managerial levels in the corporate sector, volunteered for the sessions and shared their practical experience. INJAZ Pakistan is indebted to all volunteers for taking their precious time to be a source of value for students.



REACHING OUT TO THE AREAS OF INTERIOR SINDH

This month, INJAZ Pakistan joined hands with Escribir College of Advanced Studies in Sukkur to develop career oriented skills of 100 Chartered Accountancy students. The Entrepreneurship Master Class, Innovation Camp, and Head Start created a measurable impact. With this, INJAZ aims to equip the students with tools that will help them in securing better jobs and explore Entrepreneurship opportunities.

NATIONWIDE VOLUNTEER TRAINING DRIVE

INJAZ Pakistan joined hands with ACCA Pakistan in running a nationwide volunteer training campaign to deliver Work Readiness programs. More than 150 professionals across the country representing approximately 50 different companies were trained across 6 cities of Pakistan! Marriott, KPMG, Honda, Siemens, and Ford were some of the prestigious organizations present among the training sessions. These volunteers will now go out and train more than 800 ACCA members and affiliates in the Steer Your Career program.



EVENTS IN JANUARY

INJAZ Pakistan collaborates with Citi Bank, to impact more than 250 students under the banner of Superheroes Project where 17 Citi employees volunteered. We plan to further collaborate with NOWPDP, KVTC, DIL, Hunar, Keman, and Aman Tech to reach out to 800 youth by March, 2017.

INJAZ will also be forming partnerships with International Hull Prize, Enclude Solutions, State Bank of Pakistan, and National Incubation Center in the next month.

Stay tuned for more!

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