

UMT Milestone Achievements 1990-2024

The Vision; Why ILM was established?

Dr Hasan Sohaib Murad after returning from USA with an MBA degree joined M.D. Dawood Hercules's team. While working there he realized that the managers and other staff members are lacking professional skills in executing the assigned tasks and had certain capacity issues. This was the moment when he thought to establish a training and development institute to bridge this gap.

Dr Hasan discussed this idea with Mr Hussain Dawood, he appreciated the idea and agreed to support this project but later due to some other priorities he decided to hold this project. However, Prof Khurshid Ahmad, a mentor of Dr Hasan motivated him to move on with the proposed plan and then formal planning for an Institute was commenced. Mr Khurram Murad named the project as Institute of Leadership and Management (ILM).

Planning and paper work was started on June 16, 1990 at 119 Umer Block, Allama Iqbal Town, Lahore with Dr Hasan as its founding Director. Following members of the ILM Board of Governors and the Chairman were selected thereafter:

Prof Khurshid Ahmad	Chairman
Dr Rafiq Ahmad	Member
Dr Ejaz Shafi Gillani	Member
Prof A G Saeed	Member
Mr S M A Ashraf	Member
Mr A Z Faruqi	Member
Mr Khurram Murad	Member
Dr Hasan Sohaib Murad	Secretary

Seed Money

This project was initiated with a seed money of Rs.200, 000/- loaned by Prof. Khurshid Ahmad.

Mr Abid Shirwani was the first hiring as Management Counsellor.

December 23, 1990

ILM Project was formally made public by Mian Muhammad Azhar, Governor Punjab at Avari Lahore.

January 1991

In the first phase short market driven training programs were offered for the professionals working at different management levels in public and private sector.

March 1991

Punjab Technical Education Board has given approval of IT/ Computer based diploma programs.

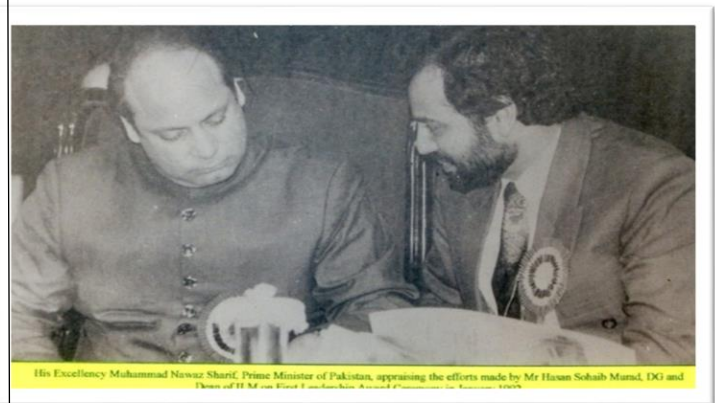
March 1991

Six new Professional Diploma Programs of 6 months duration were offered and response was encouraging:

- ✚ Diploma in Sales and Marketing
- ✚ Diploma in Finance
- ✚ Diploma in Export Marketing and Management
- ✚ Diploma in IT/ Computer Science
- ✚ Diploma in Travel and Tourism
- ✚ Diploma in Secretarial Services

January 22, 1992

First Distinguished Award Ceremony held in Alhamra and the Chief Guest was Mian Muhammad Nawaz Sharif, PM Pakistan.

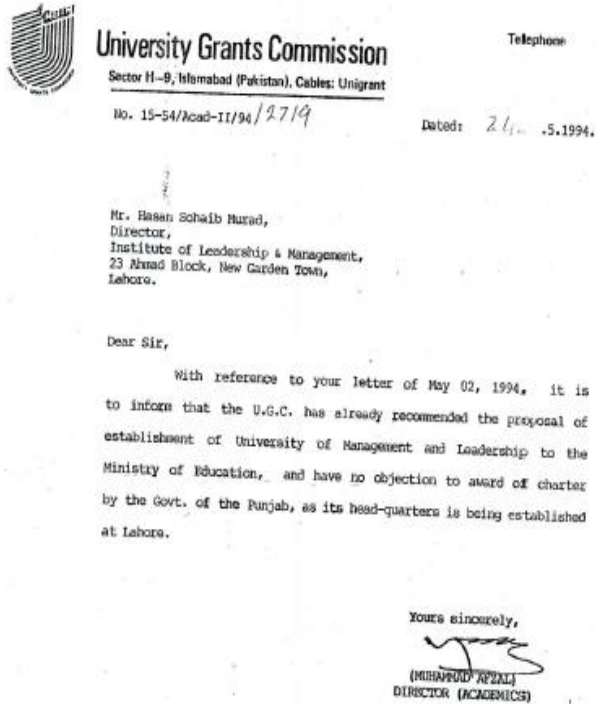


April 1992

Launched MBA Professional and MBA Executive Programs.

May 24, 1994

NOC given by the University Grants Commission (UCG) for the establishment of a New University.



April 1995

A three members team from the Oxford University – UK conducted a 2-days Training Program in PC Lahore. This program was organized by ILM.

June 1995

Collaboration with Hamdard University-Karachi was approved for all Degree Programs offered by ILM.

September 21-23, 1995

First International Business Conference at Alhamra was organized. Participants from 28 countries participated with 223 international delegates. The President of Pakistan, Sardar Farooq Ahmad Leghari and OIC Secretary General were the Chief Guest and Guest of Honor respectively.

September 27, 1997

First ILM/Hamdard Convocation was held at Alhamra. Sardar Farooq Ahmad Leghari, President of Pakistan was the Chief Guest.

November 1997

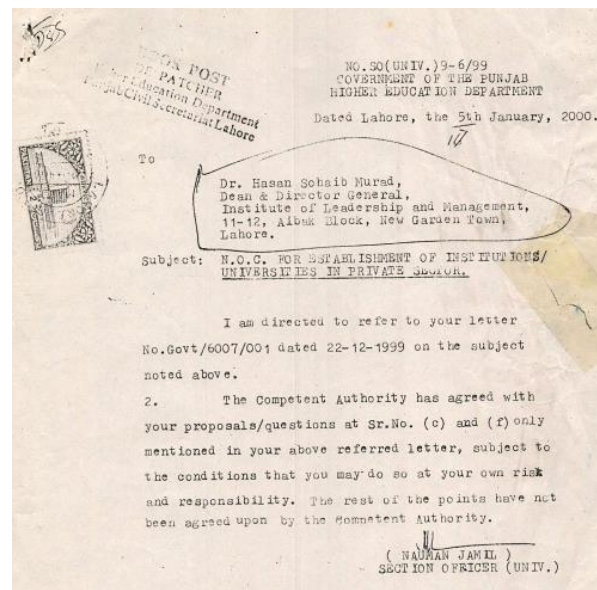
First Leadership Program was held at PC Lahore with four parallel sessions on important national and international issues. Governor Punjab, Mr Shahid Hamid inaugurated this prestigious event.

Fall 1998

2nd ILM Convocation held at Alhamra Lahore. Chief Guest was Mr Rafiq Ahmad Tarar, the President of Pakistan.

January 5, 2000

NOC granted by Government of the Punjab for establishing a University



2000-2001

20 Acre of land was purchased in Johar Town for UMT Campus.

June 2001

IMT Charter was approved by the Punjab Government.

December 2002

Centre for Management Development established to offer corporate training programs.

November 25, 2003

Ground Breaking Ceremony of UMT campus was held by Dr A Q Khan.

June 2004	UMT Charter was awarded by the Punjab Government and Dr Hasan Sohaib Murad was appointed as the First Rector of UMT.
April 9, 2005	First UMT Convocation held at Alhamra Lahore.
April 2007	All UMT departments were advised to move to the newly purpose built campus in Johar Town.
Summer 2008	Two mega Projects launched: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ILM Colleges • The Knowledge School Network
July 2009	UMT Admissions Roadshows were conducted at Dubai and Jeddah. Dr Abdul Rashid Kausar conducted these roadshows.
June 2011	Rector UMT, Dr Hasan Sohaib Murad was appointed as Chairman NBEAC –HEC for four years tenure.
February 2012	Establishment of UMT Sub Campus Sialkot.
April 2013	UMT School of Business and Economics receives full SAQS accreditation for a period of 5 years by AMDISA.
	UMT School of Business and Economics accredited by NBEAC for four years.
February 2014	Institute of Knowledge and Leadership (IKL) – was launched at The Knowledge City, Dubai.
2016	UMT-SBE was recognized among top eight business schools in Pakistan and top three in Punjab by NBEAC.
	International Business Conference and Expo held at Expo Center Lahore in October 2016.
	UMT has been ranked among the top 4 Universities of Pakistan by Nature Index Table 2016.
2017	Launching of CPEC Center at UMT with Dr Haroon as its First Director.

	<p>UMT Quality Enhancement Cell (QEC) was awarded 'W' Category (92.5% score) by HEC QAA for the fifth time in a row.</p> <p>Dr Muhammad Aslam was appointed as second Rector of UMT on May 22, 2017.</p> <p>NBEAC Reaccreditation approved for School of Business and Economics.</p> <p>UMT Bureau Office was established at Ankara, Turkey.</p>
2018	<p>The sad demise of Dr Hasan Sohaib Murad, Chairman UMT and ILM Trust on September 10 while coming back from the Pak China boarder.</p> <p>Mr Ibrahim Hasan Murad nominated as the First President of UMT and ILM Trust.</p> <p>Dr Ahmad Murad nominated as 3rd Chairman of UMT, ILM Trust.</p>
2019	<p>UMT ranked among top 500 universities in QS Asia University Rankings 2019.</p> <p>UMT-SBE recognized among top 5 business schools of Pakistan by NBEAC.</p>
2020	<p>UMT got a landmark achievement by having student enrollment as high as 25000.</p> <p>60 Plus International Linkages with top class universities across the planet.</p> <p>96% Student Satisfaction Ratio.</p> <p>UMT Scores 100% in online classes (Readiness Dashboard by HEC).</p> <p>Newsweek Asia's ranked UMT as Leading Business Schools of Asia.</p>

2021

UMT wins Times Higher Education Awards Asia 2020 in the Workplace of the Year category.

UMT ranked among top 600 universities in the world for societal impact by the Times Higher Education Ranking.

UMT successfully managed the Covid 19 issues with online commencement of classes' to ensure timely execution and completion of all programs.

UMT achieved a significant growth in UI Green Metric world Ranking 2021 as it has progressed from 620 to 512 position globally.

Times Higher Education Impact Rankings 2021. More than 1115 institutions from across the world participated in the third edition. UMT's overall performance is (601-800).

UMT PhD faculty strength crosses 250.

Dr Asif Raza was appointed as the 3rd Rector of UMT in October 2021.

Accomplishment of 100 PhD graduates in multiple disciplines.

UMT shortlisted by Times Higher Education Awards Asia 2021 for leading and learning strategy of the year.

UMT emerges as a leading publisher of HEC recognized Journals as per HEC Journal Recognition System.

2022

UMT has made its position in Times Higher Education World University Rankings (501-600) by Subject.

2023

UMT was placed at #1 position among Private Sector Universities of Pakistan and 116th among leading Universities of Asia as per the Times Higher Education Asia Ranking 2023.

UMT has secured the 1st position among all the private Universities of Pakistan in Times Higher Education World University Rankings (WUR) 2023 edition.

Dr Arif Alvi, President of the Pakistan visited UMT to deliver his keynote address.

Muhammad bin Abdul Karim Issa, General Secretary, Muslim World League visited UMT and delivered keynote address.

Rupees 10 Billion Scholarships have been awarded to over 28000 students (1990-2023)

School of Business and Economics (SBE) has been re-named as Dr Hasan Murad School of Management.

UMT signed an MOU with NACTA (National Counter Terrorism Authority) Pakistan in a special event in Islamabad to mark the International Day of Peace.

Dr Hasan Murad School of Management Reaccredited by NBEAC till 2028 for a term of five years.

MoU has been signed between University of Management and Technology (UMT) and Organisation of Islamic Cooperation (OIC) for awarding Scholarships to all member states of OIC on January 16, 2024 at OIC General Secretariat, Jeddah - KSA.

SAQS Re-accreditation has been approved for Dr Hasan Murad School of Management till 2028.