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وفاقی جامعہ اُردو برائے فنون سائنسز و ٹیکنالوجی

کری ماڈل ویلج، اسلام آباد

(Quality Enhancement Cell)

طلباء متوجہ ہوں

بعد از منظوری مجاز اتھارٹی، جمیع طلباء و طالبات کو مطلع کیا جاتا ہے کہ زکوٰۃ فاؤنڈیشن آف امریکہ، پاکستان (ZFA) کی جانب سے جامعہ ہذٰا کے طلباء و طالبات کو اسکالرشپ کی سہولت دی جارہی ہے لہٰذا جو طلباء و طالبات مذکورہ اسکالرشپ کی سہولت سے مستفید ہونا چاہتے ہیں وہ مورخہ 16 اکتوبر 2026ء تک منسلکہ فارم بمعہ مکمل دستاویزات دفتر QEC میں جمع کروادیں۔

نوٹ: ZFA اسکالر شپ کے لئے منسلکہ فارم جمع کروانے کے سلسلے میں اہلیت (SUMMERY OF KEY ELIGIBILITY & SELECTION CRITERIA) کی تفصیلات بھی منسلک کی جارہی ہیں لہٰذ فارم پُر کرتے وقت منسلکہ اہلیت کا لازمی خیال رکھا جائے۔

ڈپٹی ڈائریکٹر QEC

نقل:

1۔ ذاتی معتمد برائے شیخ الجامعہ

2۔ شعبہ جات تدریسی

3۔ ایم آئی ایس سیل (درج بالا نوٹیفکیشن کو جامعہ ہذا کی ویب سائٹ پر اپ لوڈ کرنے کی ہدایت کی جاتی ہے)

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ZAKAT FOUNDATION OF AMERICA

SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM FOR ACADEMIC CONTINUITY AND PRACTICAL-LIFE READINESS

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Academic Year: 2026–2027

Confidential – For ZFA Scholarship Program Use

Important Information for Applicants

1. Submission of this application does **not** guarantee a scholarship.
2. Meeting the minimum eligibility requirements does not automatically result in selection.
3. Applications recommended by a university are subject to independent verification and final selection by Zakat Foundation of America (ZFA).
4. Scholarships are subject to the availability of funds and the approved number of scholarships for the relevant academic cycle.
5. Scholarships are normally provided for **one academic year comprising two semesters.**
6. Scholarship payments are made directly to the university and are not paid in cash to students.
7. Applicants receiving any other formal scholarship, educational financial assistance, merit-based fee waiver, or university fee discount are not eligible for this scholarship.
8. Applicants must provide accurate and complete information. Information may be verified by ZFA through the university and other reasonable verification methods.

SECTION 1. APPLICATION INFORMATION

Application Reference No.: _____

Date of Application: _____

University: _____

University Application / Student ID No.: _____

How was the application submitted?

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☐ Through Partner University

☐ Directly to ZFA, where permitted

University recommendation status:

☐ To be completed by university

☐ Recommended

☐ Not recommended

University recommendation does not constitute scholarship approval.

SECTION 2. APPLICANT INFORMATION

2.1 Personal Information

Particular	Information
Full Name	_____
Father's Name	_____
CNIC No.	_____
Date of Birth	_____
Gender	☐ Male ☐ Female
Marital Status	☐ Single ☐ Married
Mobile No.	_____
Alternate Contact No.	_____
Email Address	_____

2.2 Current Address

Current Residential Address:

_____

_____

City/District: _____

Province: _____

Residence:

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☐ Urban
☐ Rural

2.3 Permanent Address

☐ Same as current address

If different:

_____

_____

_____

SECTION 3. ACADEMIC INFORMATION

3.1 Current Degree

Degree Level:

☐ Bachelor's
☐ Master's / Postgraduate

Degree Title:

_____

Major / Field of Study:

_____

University / Campus:

_____

Department:

_____

Program Duration: _____ years

Current Semester: _____

Current Academic Year: _____

Expected Date of Completion: _____

3.2 Program Type

☐ Regular / Full-Time
☐ Evening
☐ Weekend

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Is the program conducted primarily on campus?

☐ Yes

☐ No

3.3 Admission / Enrollment Status

☐ Currently enrolled

☐ Newly admitted and enrolled for the academic year

Date of admission/enrollment: _____

Student registration/enrollment number: _____

SECTION 4. ACADEMIC PERFORMANCE

4.1 Academic Record

Current / Cumulative CGPA: _____ / 4.00

University-certified equivalent, if different: _____

Most Recent Semester CGPA / Result: _____

Percentage, if applicable: _____ %

4.2 Previous Academic Record

Previous Degree / Qualification:

Institution:

Year Completed: _____

CGPA / Percentage: _____

4.3 Academic Standing

Are you currently on academic probation?

☐ No

☐ Yes

If yes, briefly explain:

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Was the probation or any academic restriction related to disciplinary action or misconduct?

☐ No
☐ Yes

If yes, provide details:

SECTION 5. FIELD OF STUDY

5.1 Field Category

Please identify the category that best describes your current degree:

☐ Accounting / Finance
☐ Computer Science / Information Technology
☐ Engineering / Technical Studies
☐ Pharmacy
☐ Nursing
☐ Paramedical / Allied Health
☐ Architecture
☐ Law
☐ Agriculture
☐ Business / Management
☐ Other professional / technical field

If "Other", specify:

5.2 Program Relevance

Briefly explain the professional, technical, or employment relevance of your degree/program:

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ZFA may determine the eligibility of fields that do not clearly fall within the established categories.

SECTION 6. SCHOLARSHIP / FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE STATUS

6.1 Other Educational Financial Assistance

Are you currently receiving, or have you been approved to receive, **any scholarship or financial assistance for your education** from another source?

☐ No
☐ Yes

If yes:

Name of organization/institution:

Approximate amount/value:
PKR _____

Type of assistance:

☐ Scholarship
☐ Tuition support
☐ Fee waiver / discount
☐ Educational grant
☐ Other financial assistance

Duration: _____

6.2 University Fee Waiver / Discount

Are you receiving any university-provided:

☐ Merit scholarship
☐ Need-based scholarship
☐ Tuition fee waiver
☐ Tuition fee discount
☐ Other educational financial assistance

☐ No
☐ Yes

If yes, provide details:

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6.3 Previous ZFA Scholarship

Have you previously received a scholarship from ZFA under this or another scholarship program?

☐ No
☐ Yes

If yes:

Year: _____

Program: _____

University: _____

Previous receipt of a ZFA scholarship does not guarantee renewal or future selection.

SECTION 7. TUITION AND SCHOLARSHIP REQUIREMENT

7.1 Current Academic Year Fees

Approximate tuition fee for the academic year:
PKR _____

Approximate fee for first semester:
PKR _____

Approximate fee for second semester:
PKR _____

7.2 Other Mandatory Academic Fees

Approximate amount of mandatory examination, registration, laboratory, or other academic fees for the academic year:

PKR _____

7.3 Scholarship Requested

Degree Level:

☐ Bachelor's
☐ Master's / Postgraduate

Maximum scholarship amounts applicable under the program:

- Bachelor's: **PKR 157,320 maximum per academic year**

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- Master's/Postgraduate: **PKR 197,340 maximum per academic year**

Note: The final scholarship amount may be lower than the maximum amount depending on the approved scholarship, eligible university charges, and program budget.

7.4 Payment Arrangement

I understand that any approved scholarship will be paid **directly to the university** and will not be provided to me in cash.

☐ I understand and agree.

SECTION 8. PREVIOUS / CURRENT UNIVERSITY STATUS

8.1 Have you changed universities during your current degree program?

☐ No
☐ Yes

If yes:

Previous university: _____

Current university: _____

Reason for change:

8.2 If selected, are you willing to remain enrolled at the approved university and comply with ZFA scholarship requirements?

☐ Yes
☐ No

SECTION 9. ACADEMIC CONTINUATION

I understand that the scholarship covers **one academic year consisting of two semesters.**

I understand that continuation to the second semester is subject to:

- continued enrollment;
- satisfactory academic continuation;
- maintaining a minimum CGPA of **3.00/4.00 or university-certified equivalent;** and
- compliance with applicable scholarship requirements.

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☐ I understand and agree.

I further understand that receiving a scholarship for one academic year does **not** create an automatic entitlement to a scholarship in a subsequent year. Any future scholarship support is subject to a new application and selection process.

☐ I understand and agree.

SECTION 10. ACADEMIC / PERSONAL CIRCUMSTANCES

Is there any significant circumstance that has affected your academic progress or ability to continue your education?

☐ No
☐ Yes

If yes, briefly explain:

Examples may include significant academic interruption, family circumstances, disability, serious financial disruption, or other material circumstances.

SECTION 11. DOCUMENTS SUBMITTED

Please tick the documents submitted with the application.

Applicant Identification

☐ Copy of CNIC

Academic / Enrollment

☐ University admission/enrollment proof
☐ Student ID / registration proof
☐ Latest transcript / academic result
☐ Fee structure / university fee information

Scholarship / Financial Assistance

☐ Scholarship/financial assistance declaration
☐ Supporting evidence, where applicable

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Other

☐ Other supporting document: _____

Documents pending, if any:

_____

ZFA may request additional documents or information where required for verification.

_____

SECTION 12. APPLICANT DECLARATION

I hereby declare that:

1. The information provided in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge.
2. I am a Pakistani citizen.
3. I am currently enrolled in the academic program stated in this application.
4. I have disclosed all scholarships, fee waivers, discounts, grants, and other educational financial assistance currently available to me.
5. I understand that receiving any other formal educational scholarship or financial assistance may make me ineligible for the ZFA scholarship.
6. I authorize ZFA to verify the information provided in this application with my university and, where reasonably necessary, through other appropriate sources.
7. I understand that university recommendation does not guarantee ZFA scholarship approval.
8. I understand that eligibility does not guarantee selection.
9. I understand that any approved scholarship will be paid directly to the university.
10. I understand that providing false, misleading, or materially incomplete information may result in disqualification or withdrawal of scholarship support.
11. I understand that the scholarship is normally awarded for one academic year and that future scholarship support requires a new application and selection process.

Applicant Name:

_____

CNIC No.:

_____

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Applicant Signature / Thumb Impression:

_____

Date: _____

_____

SECTION 13. UNIVERSITY RECOMMENDATION

To be completed by the designated university focal person.

13.1 Enrollment Confirmation

The university confirms that the applicant:

☐ Is currently enrolled
☐ Has been admitted and enrolled for the stated academic year

Student Registration No.: _____

Program: _____

Current Semester/Year: _____

13.2 Academic Confirmation

Cumulative CGPA / Equivalent: _____

Most Recent Semester Result: _____

☐ Meets the minimum academic requirement
☐ Does not meet the minimum academic requirement

13.3 Program Mode

☐ Regular / Full-Time
☐ Evening
☐ Weekend
☐ Other: _____

13.4 Other Scholarship / Financial Assistance

According to university records:

☐ No known scholarship/fee waiver/financial assistance
☐ Yes – details attached/provided

13.5 University Recommendation

University's preliminary recommendation:

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☐ Recommended for ZFA consideration

☐ Not recommended

Brief basis for recommendation:

_____

_____

Important: This recommendation is preliminary and does not constitute ZFA scholarship approval.

University Focal Person:

_____

Designation:

_____

Contact:

_____

Signature / Official Stamp:

_____

Date: _____

_____

SECTION 14. ZFA INITIAL ELIGIBILITY SCREENING

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Eligibility Requirement	Status
Pakistani citizen	☐ Yes ☐ No
Enrolled at ZFA partner university	☐ Yes ☐ No
Eligible degree level	☐ Yes ☐ No
Eligible field of study	☐ Yes ☐ No
Regular/evening/weekend eligible mode	☐ Yes ☐ No
Minimum CGPA / academic requirement met	☐ Yes ☐ No

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Eligibility Requirement	Status
No disqualifying disciplinary issue	☐ Yes ☐ No
No other educational scholarship/financial assistance	☐ Yes ☐ No
Required documents available	☐ Yes ☐ No
Other eligibility requirements met	☐ Yes ☐ No

Initial Screening Outcome

☐ **Eligible for Socio-Economic Assessment**

☐ **Further clarification/documentation required**

☐ **Not eligible**

Reason / remarks:

_____

_____

Reviewed by: _____

Designation: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

_____

SECTION 15. INTERNAL PROCESSING RECORD

Socio-Economic Assessment Required:

☐ Yes

☐ No

Socio-Economic Assessment Reference No.: _____

Financial Need Score: _____ / 100

Academic / Beneficiary Assessment Reference: _____

Final Selection Status:

☐ Selected

☐ Waitlisted

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☐ Not Selected

☐ Pending Approval

Final Approval Reference: _____

Remarks:

_____

_____

_____

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Application Status: _____

Date Received: _____

Date Screened: _____

Date Assessed: _____

Date Final Decision: _____

Processed By: _____

Verified By: _____

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Summary of Key Eligibility & Selection Criteria

The ZFA Scholarship Program is designed to support **Pakistani students with demonstrated financial need and satisfactory academic performance** who are actively enrolled in eligible Bachelors or Masters/postgraduate programs at ZFA partner universities.

General eligibility criteria include:

- Applicant must be a **Pakistani citizen.**
- Applicant must be **actively enrolled** in an eligible degree program at a ZFA partner university at the time of application.
- Priority is given to **regular, full-time, on-campus students;** recognized evening/weekend programs may also be considered.
- **Distance-learning and external/private candidates are normally not eligible.**
- Applicants may be from any year/semester of their degree, provided they remain enrolled during the scholarship period.
- Applicants must have a **minimum cumulative GPA/CGPA of 3.00 out of 4.00** or an officially certified equivalent, and minimum GPA of 3.00 in the last semester if they are not the first semester students.
- Applicants should demonstrate **genuine financial need,** assessed on the basis of their overall household financial circumstances rather than income alone.
- Students **already receiving another formal scholarship,** tuition waiver, financial assistance, or educational sponsorship are **not eligible.**
- Applicants must remain in **good academic and disciplinary standing** and provide accurate and complete information.

Eligible degree levels and fields:

The program covers eligible **Bachelors/Undergraduate** programs such as B.S., B.Sc., B.Sc. (Hons.) and equivalent professional degrees, as well as **Masters/Postgraduate** programs such as M.Sc., M.Phil. and equivalent professional degrees.

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Priority will be given to fields having clear **technical, professional, employment, entrepreneurial, or livelihood relevance**, including:

Accounting & Finance, Computer Science, Information Technology, Engineering, Pharmacy, Nursing, Paramedical & Allied Health, Architecture, Law, Agriculture/Applied Agriculture, Business & Management with clear professional application, and other technical or market-relevant disciplines approved by ZFA. **MBBS and Dentistry are not supported**, while fields with limited demonstrated employment/livelihood relevance will not normally be prioritized.

ZFA Verification and Final Selection Process:

Following receipt of the university's recommended applicants, ZFA will independently undertake the required eligibility verification and socio-economic assessment. This may include review of academic and enrollment records, supporting documents, financial information, communication with the applicant/university, and additional verification were considered necessary.

Eligible applicants will subsequently be assessed through ZFA's standardized selection mechanism, which considers:

- **Financial Need – 50 points**
- **Academic Merit – 40 points**
- **Program/Field Relevance – 10 points**

for a total of 100 points. Final selection will be based on the outcomes of the assessment conducted by ZFA on the above-mentioned parameters. University recommendation is an important part of the application process but does not carry additional points or create a university-specific scholarship entitlement.

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