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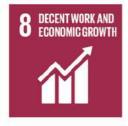




























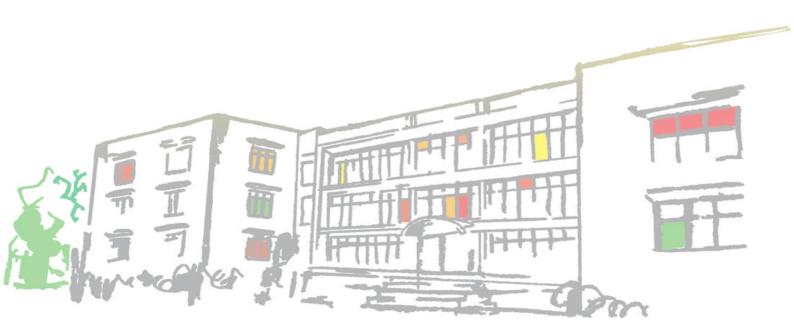






CECOS University stands out in the world of Academia by claiming the No#1 spot in KPK for top private universities in all aspects as declared by the Impact Ranking.

A reflection of unwavering commitment, dedication and excellence, this achievement serves as a testament to longstanding history of consistency in upholding its stellar reputation for 37 years. With a rich history and outstanding achievements, CECOS has set itself apart as an institution that consistently exceeds expectations and is a trailblazer with its impressive track record of excellence in Academia, truly deserving its title as the best private university in KPK.





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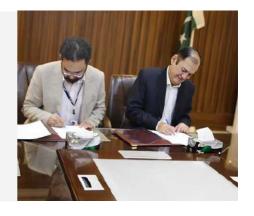


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Game Development by Horizon Games



CECOS University, Career Development Center in collaboration with Horizon Games organized an awareness session on Game Development.

Gaming is not limited to personal entertainment or hobby anymore, it has evolved into a multi-billion dollar international industry and a potential career opportunity for creative and Tech Savvy individuals.

After the session, interested students from Computer Science, Software Engineering and Management Sciences programs were interviewed for internship positions.



How to be a Good Freelancer by Tutor's Gateway

CECOS University, Career Development Center organized a session on "how to be a good freelancer" in collaboration with Tutor's Gateway.

During the session the trainer guided the students about how to start their freelancing careers and win clients on different freelancing platforms. The visiting team also highlighted the multiple course learning, freelancing and Internship opportunities available at their Summer Training Bootcamp 2022.







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Importance of Food hygiene safety practices, Dr. Hashim form KPK Halal Food



A training session was conducted on the "Importance of food safety and hygiene practices in the workplace." The session, led by Mr. Hisham Javed, Project Lead at Bureau Veritas Pakistan (Pvt) Ltd, aimed to raise awareness about food safety principles. It focused on ensuring the safety and quality of food through proper handling, storage, preparation, and cooking to prevent contamination, benefiting all participants in avoiding inconveniences.

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Ramadan Food Drive By CECOS University Students



During the holy month of Ramadan, CECOS students organized a remarkable Ramadan drive, distributing food to those in need. Their compassion and generosity touched various neighborhoods, homeless shelters, and charitable organizations. This act of kindness embodied Ramadan's values of empathy, solidarity, and giving back to society, making a meaningful impact on the lives of many fasting and in need. It highlighted the power of collective action in creating a more compassionate and inclusive society.





GOOD HEALTH & WELL BEINGS

"Living in the Testing Time" by Shaykh Mufti Tauqeer



CECOS University's Quran Society organized a seminar with guest speaker Shaykh Mufti Tauqeer, a visiting scholar from Dubai. The event delved into the theme "Living in the testing time," with Shaykh Mufti Tauqeer sharing insights. The university expressed gratitude to the students, faculty, and the organizing team for their presence and thanked Shaykh Mufti Tauqeer for the honor of hosting such a distinguished guest.

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Ramazan & our life by Qazi Fazal-e-Hakeem







CECOS University's Quran Society organized a session titled 'Ramazan & our life,' featuring Qazi Fazal-e-Hakeem, an esteemed figure in education, psychology, and Islamic theology. The session emphasized that Ramadan extends beyond abstaining from food and water; it entails a holistic approach to life. While desires and necessities add pleasure to life, neglecting responsibilities can lead to adversity in both this world and the Hereafter.





Stress Management by Dr. Eimaan Sumayyah



CECOS University's Career Development Center held the fifth session of its training series for final semester students, focusing on Stress Management. Dr. Eimaan Sumayyah led the session, teaching students valuable techniques and strategies to mitigate stress and anxiety. The training aimed to improve academic performance and foster personal growth among the participants.



Drug Abuse Awareness in Academic Institutions" by Dr. Fazal Subhan



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In this session, the audience learnt about the terms: drug use, drug misuse, and the development of addiction to drugs. The faculty was briefed about the causes of drug abuse, particularly in academic institutions; the effects of drug abuse on the drug taker; and the common signs and symptoms of drug users. In the final segment of this talk, there was an overview of the commonly abused drugs with special reference to Pakistan.



Endless Quest for Happiness by Dr. Nosheen Iffat Zohra



The Centre for Professional Development (CPD) conducted a training session titled "Endless Quest for Happiness," featuring Dr. Nosheen Iffat Zohra, a Ph.D. holder in Clinical Psychology from the University of Peshawar. Dr. Zohra, an Assistant Professor, shed light on the elements of a happy life and how to connect happiness with one's current circumstances. She offered insights on achieving happiness, even in challenging times, and provided guidance on addressing students' mental health issues, psychological challenges, and coping with depression. The lecture garnered significant interest from the audience and concluded with a productive question-and-answer session.



Health Safety and Fire Prevention Lab, Mr. Umair



CECOS University hosted an informative session led by expert Muhammad Umair, focusing on health, safety, and fire prevention. The session raised awareness among students and staff about maintaining a secure and healthy campus environment. It covered emergency response procedures, fire safety, risk assessment, and personal well-being. Emphasizing preventive measures and safety protocols, the session equipped participants with valuable skills, contributing to a safer campus. CECOS University's commitment to well-being and security was evident in this initiative.

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Good Posture maintenance by Dr. Kashmala Zeb



CECOS University hosted a session on posture maintenance led by Dr. Kashmala Zeb, focusing on the significance of good posture for overall health. Dr. Zeb, an expert in musculoskeletal health, shared practical tips on improving posture and ergonomics in various settings. Participants learned about spinal alignment, exercise, and strategies to combat the effects of prolonged sitting. The session underscored CECOS University's commitment to well-being and healthier lifestyles for its students and staff.

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Faculty Sports Gala & Cultural Week



Every year CECOS University arranges a faculty sports gala which is one of the steps taken by CECOS University to ensure that the employees get a work-life balance which ultimately boosts their productivity & dedication towards the institute

The cultural week at CECOS University was a two-day event that consisted of a portrayal of Pashtun, Punjabi, Sindhi & other diverse cultures that are found in our homeland Pakistan.



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"Tools for Assessment and Evaluation" by Engr. Muhammad Irfan



The Centre for Professional Development (CPD) organized a training session on "Tools for Assessment and Evaluation," featuring Engr. Muhammad Irfan from the Department of Mechanical Engineering. During the session, he addressed the challenges faced by degree-holding students in the contemporary job market. Engr. Irfan emphasized the importance of technical and durable skills attainment for a successful career start. The audience showed strong interest, and the session concluded with an interactive question-and-answer segment.



Enhancing instructional Design with Educational Technology, Dr. Shehla



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HUNAR

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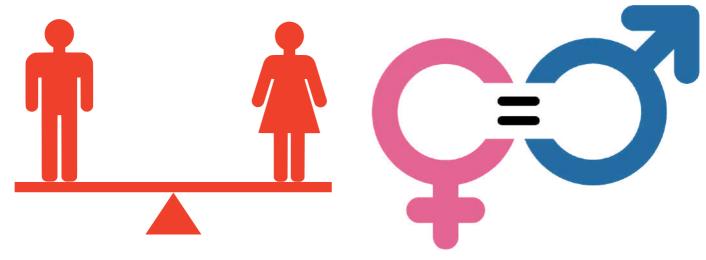
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Harassment & Family System Organized by YPDC-CECOS



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Annual Award Ceremony

CECOS University hosted its annual faculty award ceremony to recognize exceptional contributions by faculty members. Awards were presented in categories such as teaching excellence, research, service, and leadership. A total of 49 awards were distributed, which also included 3 Umrah and 2 Hajj passes, to honor their dedication and achievements at the university. The event celebrated the faculty's commitment to academic and professional excellence.







CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION

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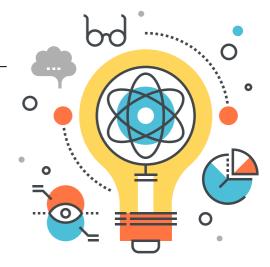
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SUSTAINABLE CITIES & COMMUNITIES



GLOBAL STUDENTS ENTREPRENEURSHIP AWARD(GSEA)

Mr. Abdullah Hidayatullah, a student of CECOS University and also the CEO of AsTechSolutions Secured the 2nd prize in the Semifinals of the Global Students Entrepreneurship award(GSEA) and also got qualified for the competition of Regional final that will be held in Lahore.



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Director General of Science and Technology (DOST) visited CECOS University

Mr. Sajid Hussain Shah, Director General of Science and Technology (DoST) along with Dr. Nadia Khan, Sector Specialist (DoST) visited CECOS University and had a fruitful interaction with the Top Management, PhD faculty and Head of Departments.

Several DoST initiatives were discussed and the faculty was also encouraged to apply for these projects so that cross exchange of ideas can take place.



PCATP Visited CECOS University



PCATP visiting team for Accreditation visited the Department of Architecture, CECOS University. Department Chairman Ar. Adnan Khan gave them a presentation on Department achievements, mission, vision and goal.

The team also visited the department, examined all the logistics, and showed their satisfaction with the existing infrastructure and spaces. The team also had separate sessions with academics and students.

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DSA GIKI Institute visited CECOS University

Dr. Muhammad Imran Khan, DSA GIKI Institute visited CECOS University. The two teams discussed the operations of the Student Affairs office and ways to enhance the quality of services offered.





Divisional Superintendent Railway Visited CECOS University



Engr. Nasir Khalily, Divisional Superintendent Pakistan Railway, Peshawar Cant, visited CECOS University of IT and Emerging Sciences along with his team to discuss potential collaborations with faculty members and students. Prof. Dr. Naseer Ahmad, VC CECOS University, highlighted the recent achievements and affiliations of CECOS University.

Engr. Nasir Khalily was genuinely impressed by the innovative initiatives of CECOS University. Through this lucrative collaboration, students and faculty members at CECOS University will work on real-world problems, thus enhancing the scope of their research and practice.

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Alumni Homecoming



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