

# Newsletter

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The KM-LRC is a dynamic learning hub that supports creativity, collaboration, and independent study. Beyond its rich collection, the library regularly hosts learning activities for students and staff and offers comfortable seating, quiet study zones, group discussion areas, and digital resources to meet diverse learning and research needs.



## Session with PU Interns

A farewell meeting was held at KM-LRC to formally conclude the internship program of Punjab University (PU) students. The session provided an opportunity to reflect on their learning experiences and acknowledge their contributions. Interns highlighted the valuable exposure gained in library operations, user services, digital resources, and information management, appreciating the guidance, hands-on training, and professional environment that strengthened both their theoretical and practical skills. The meeting included a feedback session, with constructive suggestions to enhance future internships. The farewell concluded with words of appreciation, encouragement, and best wishes for their academic and professional endeavors.



# International Literacy Day on 8th September

As part of the celebrations for International Literacy Day on 8th September, KM-LRC organized a Word-Making Activity for students. The task was based on creating as many meaningful words as possible using the letters of a given eight-letter word.

The activity aimed to enhance vocabulary, improve spelling skills, and promote creative thinking among participants while highlighting the importance of literacy. Students actively took part with enthusiasm, showcasing their language skills and competitive spirit.

This engaging activity not only encouraged learning in a fun way but also reinforced the significance of literacy as a foundation for education and personal growth.



# **Book cover making competition**

The KM-LRC Library organized a Book Cover-Making Competition, which attracted enthusiastic participation from students across various academic programs. The activity provided a creative platform for students to express originality and appreciation for books through artistic design.



Certificates of appreciation were awarded to the top four participants, and selected book covers are currently on display at the University Main Library, inspiring the wider academic community.

# **Pakistan Bar Council Accreditation Visit to KM Learning Resource Center (KM-LRC)**

The Pakistan Bar Council (PBC) conducted an accreditation visit to the KM Learning Resource Center (KM-LRC) as part of its formal evaluation of academic and library standards. The visiting committee assessed the library's physical infrastructure, availability of legal and reference resources, digital access facilities, and designated study areas to determine compliance with the accreditation criteria. In addition, the committee reviewed the range of library services and academic support provided to students and faculty. The visit underscored KM-LRC's adherence to quality standards and its ongoing commitment to supporting legal education and scholarly activities.



# Book Fair 2025

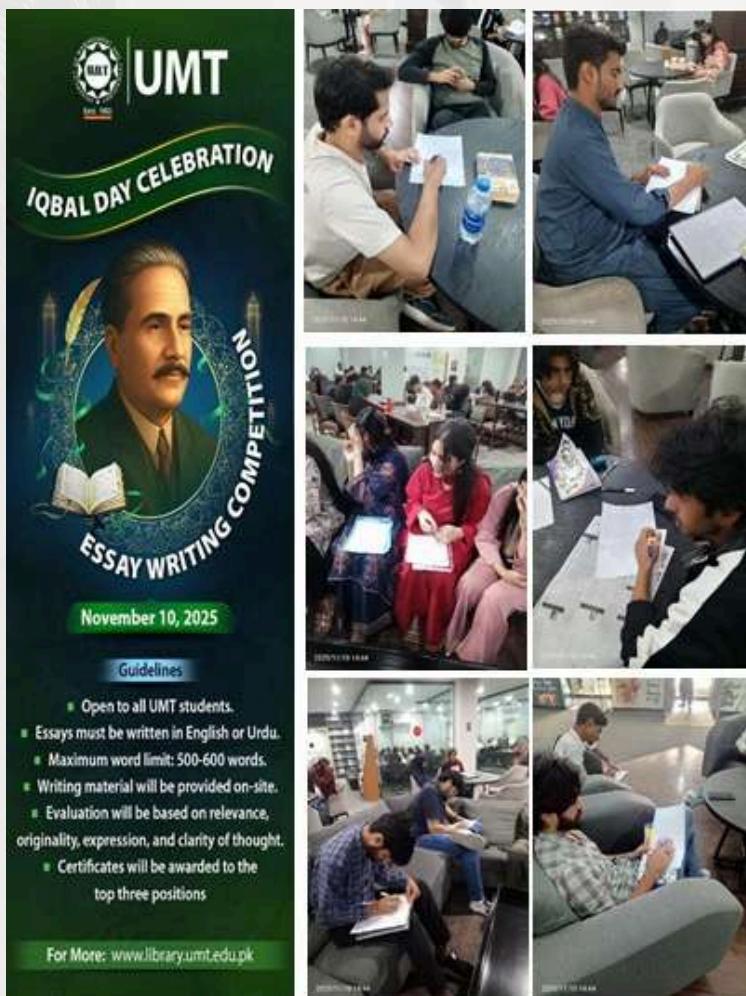
The KM-LRC Library successfully hosted the UMT Book Fair 2025, an initiative aimed at nurturing a culture of reading and promoting literary engagement across the university. The event attracted enthusiastic participation from students and faculty from various disciplines, creating an enriching environment for book exploration and learning.



To encourage sustained reading, faculty-recommended books were purchased for students. The book fair not only stimulated interest in reading but also highlighted the KM-LRC Library's vital role as a dynamic hub for academic growth and personal enrichment.

# Essay Writing Competition

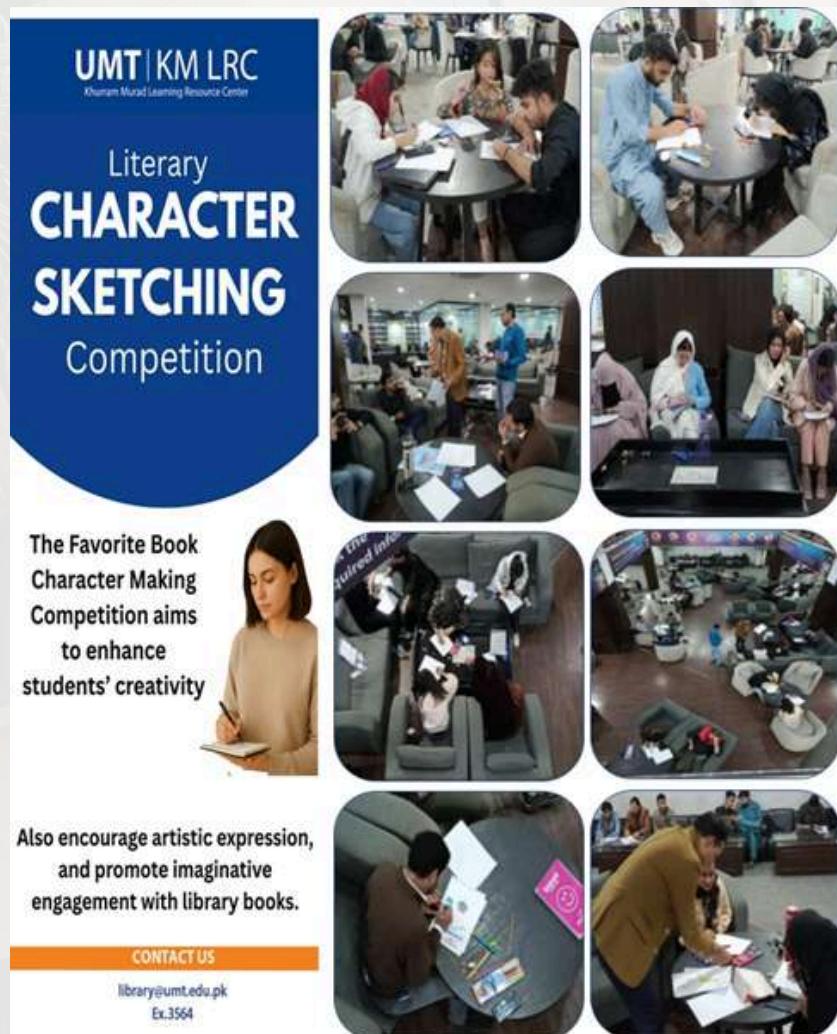
The KM-LRC Library organized an Essay Writing Competition to commemorate Iqbal Day, which received enthusiastic participation from students across various academic programs. The activity encouraged critical thinking and appreciation of literature through reflective writing on the life and contributions of Dr. Allama Muhammad Iqbal.



Certificates of appreciation were awarded to the top three participants, and selected essays are currently on display at the University Main Library, inspiring the wider academic community.

# Literary Character Sketching Competition

The KM-LRC Library organized a Literary Character Sketching Competition, attracting enthusiastic participation from students across various academic programs. The event encouraged creativity and a deeper appreciation of books and literature.



Students creatively illustrated their favorite literary characters, showcasing artistic talent and strong engagement with library initiatives. Certificates were awarded to the top four participants, and selected artworks are currently on display at the University Main Library.

# **Library Orientation Session for Newly Enrolled Students**

The library team successfully conducted eighteen (18) orientation sessions for newly enrolled students, aimed at introducing them to library resources, services, and facilities. The sessions provided a comprehensive overview of library policies, print and electronic collections, digital databases, and available study spaces. Students were also guided on the effective use of the library catalog and online resources to support their academic and research needs. Overall, the orientation program contributed to promoting information literacy and ensuring a smooth academic transition for new students.



# **IT Skills Enhancement Session for Staff**

The purpose of this session is to enhance basic IT skills required for daily library operations, improve efficiency in workflows, and strengthen user support for digital and e-resources. The session is designed at a basic level and will include demonstrations and hands-on guidance relevant to our routine work.



## Quiz Competition

The KM-LRC Library organized a Quiz Competition to commemorate Quaid-e-Azam Day, which witnessed enthusiastic participation from students across various academic programs. The activity focused on the life and contributions of Quaid-e-Azam Muhammad Ali Jinnah, fostering knowledge, critical thinking, and engagement with national history. Certificates of appreciation were awarded to the top three participants in recognition of their outstanding performance. The students' work is currently displayed at the University Main Library, inspiring the wider academic community.

