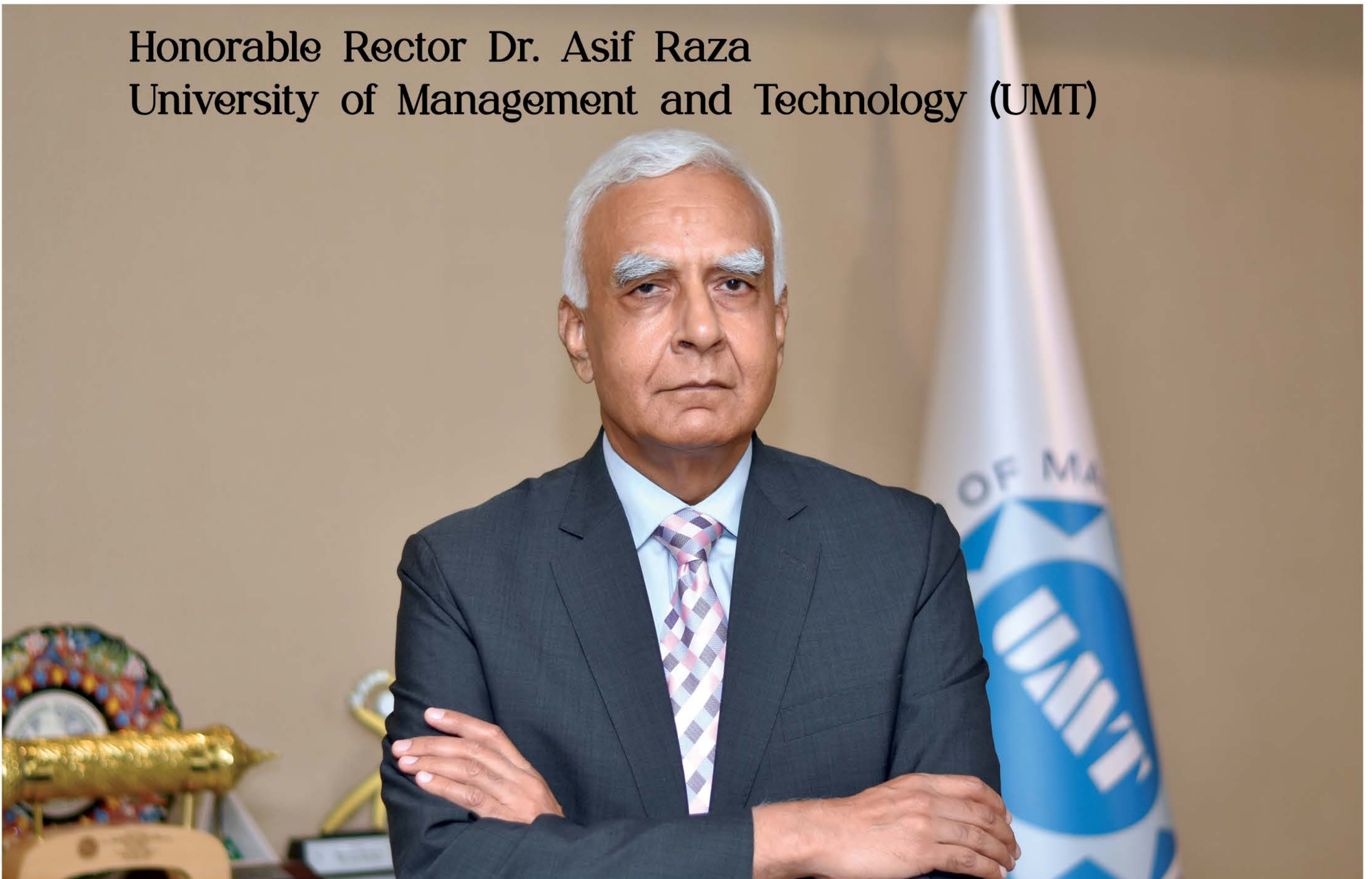


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KRSS Recap

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Honorable Rector Dr. Asif Raza
University of Management and Technology (UMT)



“CREATE AN IMPACT WHERE YOU ARE”

In our ongoing quest for knowledge creation, it is crucial to reflect on the impact we can create right where we are. Research productivity is not simply a metric; it is a testament to our collective commitment to pushing the boundaries of knowledge and effecting positive change in our immediate environment. Each of us, regardless of our discipline or roles, plays a pivotal role in shaping the intellectual landscape of UMT. It is through our combined efforts that we can amplify our impact and contribute meaningfully to the global academic community. I urge you to embrace the challenge of research productivity with enthusiasm, dedication, and a collaborative spirit. Together, we have the potential to make significant strides in our respective fields and contribute to the broader tapestry of knowledge that defines our institution. Thank you for unwavering dedication and commitment to excellence. Let us continue to push the boundaries through research, innovation, and collaboration.

Director's Message



Muhammad Rafiq Awan

FOSTERING UMT'S RESEARCH

The University of Management and Technology (UMT) has immense potential to elevate the landscape of university research through several strategic initiatives. Firstly, by fostering interdisciplinary collaboration among faculty members and research centers, UMT can capitalize on diverse perspectives and expertise, leading to groundbreaking discoveries and innovative solutions to complex societal challenges. Additionally, investing in state-of-the-art research facilities and cutting-edge technologies will empower researchers to conduct high-impact studies across various disciplines, ranging from advanced materials science to artificial intelligence and beyond. Moreover, establishing partnerships with industry leaders and government agencies can provide access to funding opportunities, resources, and real-world data, enhancing the relevance and applicability of UMT's research endeavors. Furthermore, prioritizing mentorship and professional development programs for graduate students and early-career researchers will cultivate a vibrant academic community and nurture the next generation of scholars. By embracing these strategies, UMT can emerge as a beacon of excellence in university research, driving forward the frontiers of knowledge and making meaningful contributions to society.

Editorial Team



Shanawer Rafique
(Editor)



Safia Iqbal Wattoo
(Co-Editor)



Muhammad Saad
(Language Editor)



Muhammad Abdullah
(Graphic Designer)

KRSS arranged a two-day workshop titled “Qualitative Research and Data Analysis”. Dr. Rab Nawaz Lodhi conducted this workshop in January, 2024.



Mr. Shanawer Rafique (Senior Officer-Metadata Editor) conducted a training on “Reference and Literature Management using Mendeley”.



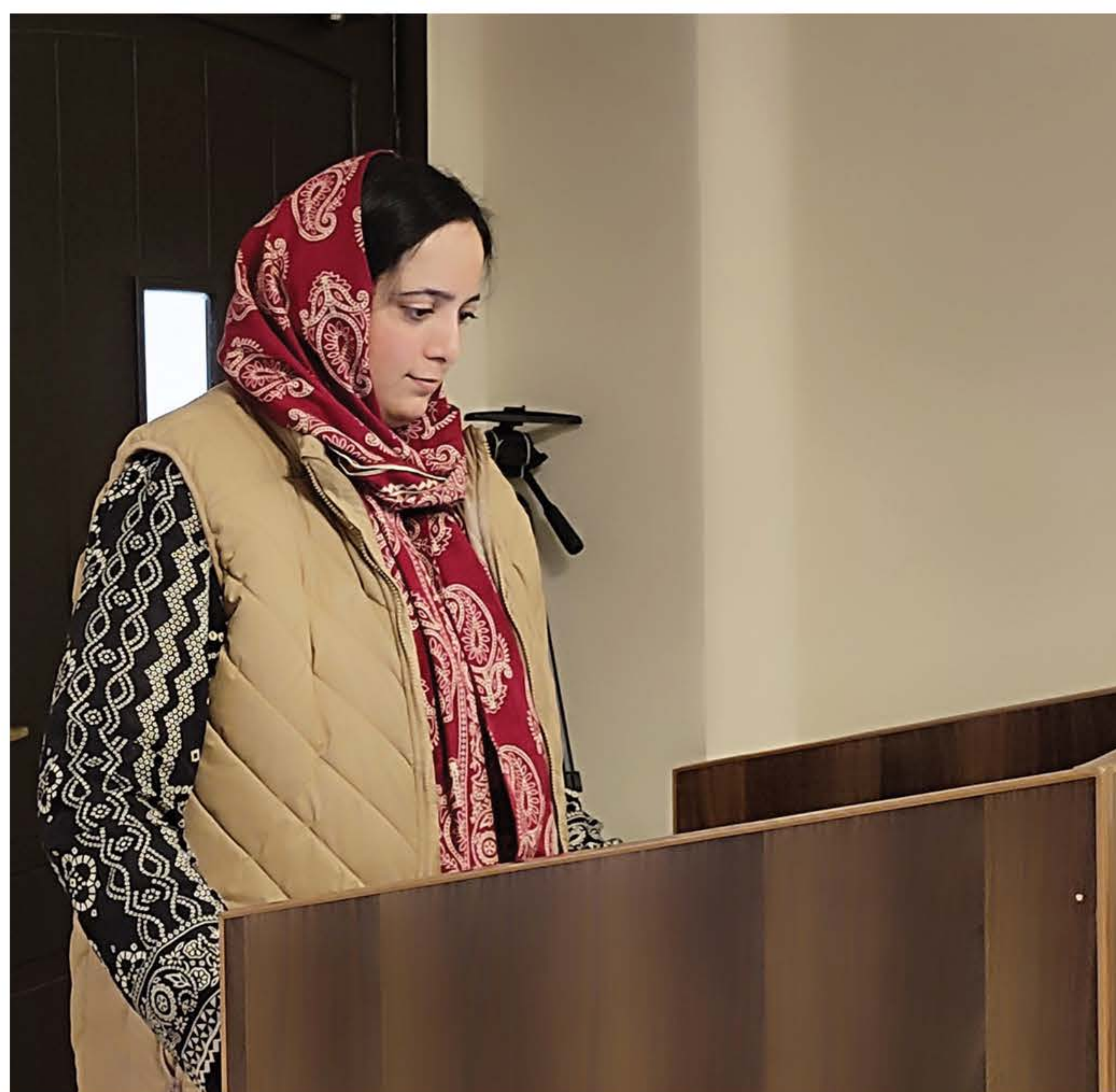
KRSS arranged a training on “Interpreting NVivo Coding and Developing the Write Up for Qualitative Research”. It was conducted by Dr. Yaar Muhammad Khan.



Safia Iqbal (Research Associate) hosted the Faculty Development Program (FDP) Graduation Ceremony (2023). This event was organized by Center for Teaching and Learning (CTL).



Asma Amanatullah and Tayyaba Noreen (Senior Officers Publications) conducted a workshop related to the process of HEC accreditation, its errors and omissions.



The Department of Knowledge and Research Support Services participated in UMT's Annual Career Fair 2024.





Aqsa Sattar is the highly Scopus-cited team member of KRSS and her total Scopus-based citations are 275 among which 110 are for the year 2023.



Mehar Tahir Farid published a research article titled "Unleashing the Potential of Industry 4.0: Analyzing Pakistan's Tourism in the Global Arena" in the Journal of Excellence in Social Sciences, 3(2), 40-55



Ayesha Latif published a research article titled "Energy Consumption and Trade Liberalization: Investigating Performance of Economic Growth for French Economy" in the Journal of Asian Development Studies, 13(1), 402-411



Zarmin Tariq published two research articles in HEC-recognized journals. 1. "Experiential avoidance, thought suppression, meta-cognition, and bodychecking among women during pregnancy and postpartum: Buffering effect of self-compassion" in International Journal of Gynecology & Obstetrics, 165(3), 1-9. 2. "Health Anxiety, Fear of COVID-19, Nosophobia, and Health Protective Behaviors among Healthcare Professionals" in the Journal of Innovations in Clinical Neuroscience, 21(1-3), 31-35



Syeda Saira Iqbal published 2 research articles in HEC recognized journals. 1. "Efficient treatment of tannery wastewater through aeration, coagulation, and algal pond" in the Journal of Water Environment Research, 95(12), Articlee10952. 2. "Detection of DNA Damage in Fish using Comet Assay" in the Journal of Current Trends in OMICS, 4(1), 1-16

Ms. Syeda Ume Laila Naqvi received the research publication award in the 25th UMT convocation.



Ms. Zarmin Tariq presented an article titled “Development of an Indigenous Scale of Anger in the International Conference on Mental Well Being at PU (Lahore).



Ms. Sadaf Lal Din presented an article titled "Impact of Socio-moral Climate on Role-based Performance and Workplace Deviance at 4th International Conference, Kinnaird College, (Lahore).



KRSS Work Anniversaries

Congratulations everyone on your service anniversary. Wishing you all a happy and successful journey ahead. Thank you for your enthusiastic efforts and the contributions you have made.



Muhammad Saad
(9 years of service)

Asma Amanatullah
(2 years of service)

Reamsha Khan
(2 years of service)

Ramna Zia
(1 year of service)

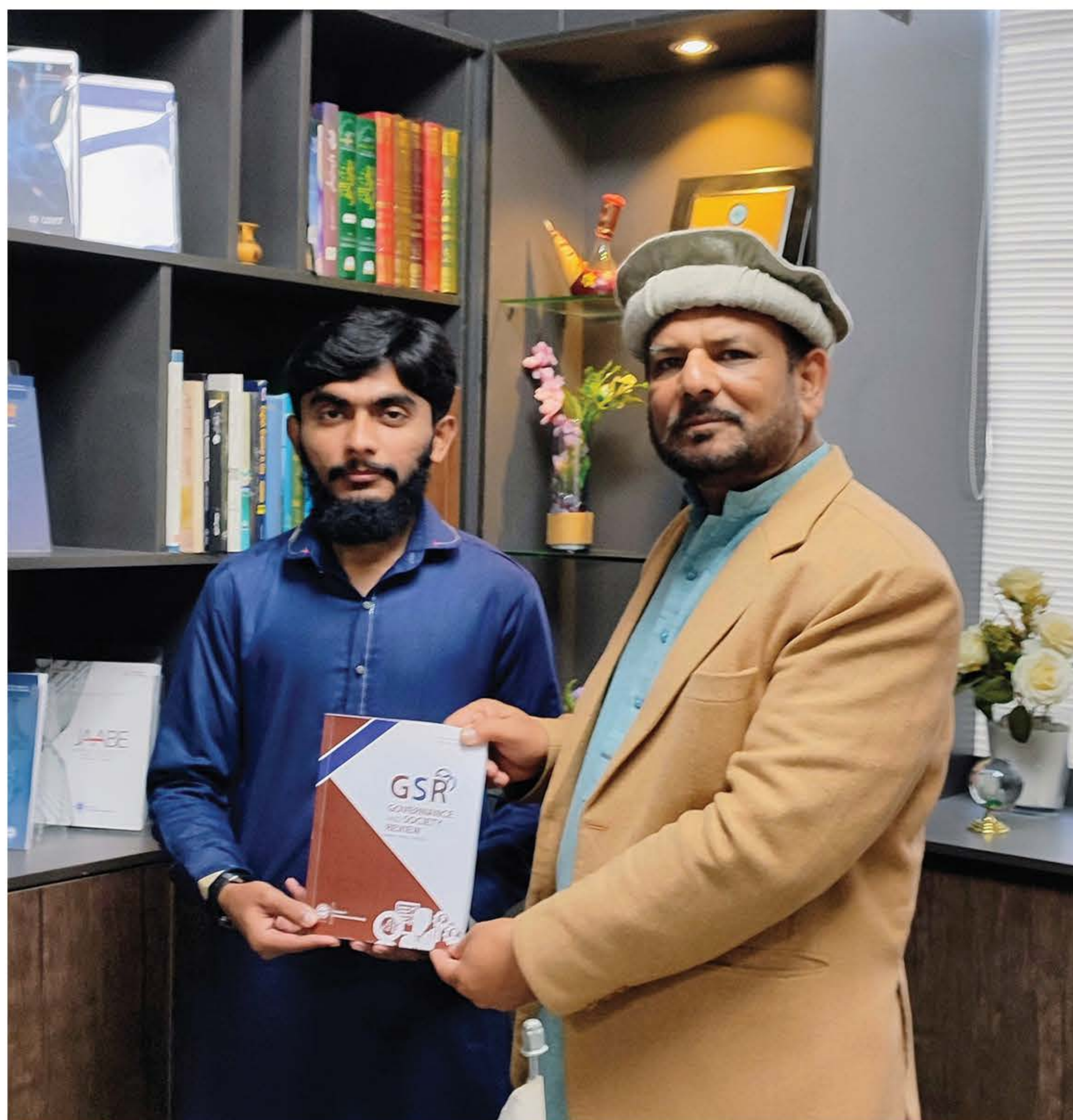
Shahzaib Chaudhry
(1 year of service)

Section in-charges

Ms. Safia Iqbal and Mr. Mehar Tahir Farid has been assigned the role of section in-charges by the director KRSS.

Welcome on Board

Director KRSS and the whole team warmly welcome new team members joining the Department of Knowledge and Research Support Services (KRSS).



Talha Shafiq

Welcome
TO THE TEAM



Fatima Riaz



Ayesha Latif

Islamic Banking and Finance Review (IBFR)

Profile of Editor-in-Chief

Dr. Mohammad Ayaz is the Chief Editor of an HEC recognized journal, that is, Islamic Banking and Finance Review (IBFR).

Dr. Ayaz is PhD in Islamic Banking and Finance. Currently, he offers his services as Associate Professor at HSM, UMT. He has done LL.M in Corporate Law and LL.B (Hons) Shariah and Law from International Islamic University Islamabad. Dr. Ayaz has vast experience of teaching different subjects of law and Islamic banking and finance. His areas of research are corporate governance principles and practices in Islamic financial institutions (IFIs), Islamic Microfinance, Microtakaful, and corporate governance in IFIs, Shariah governance and Islamic microfinance.



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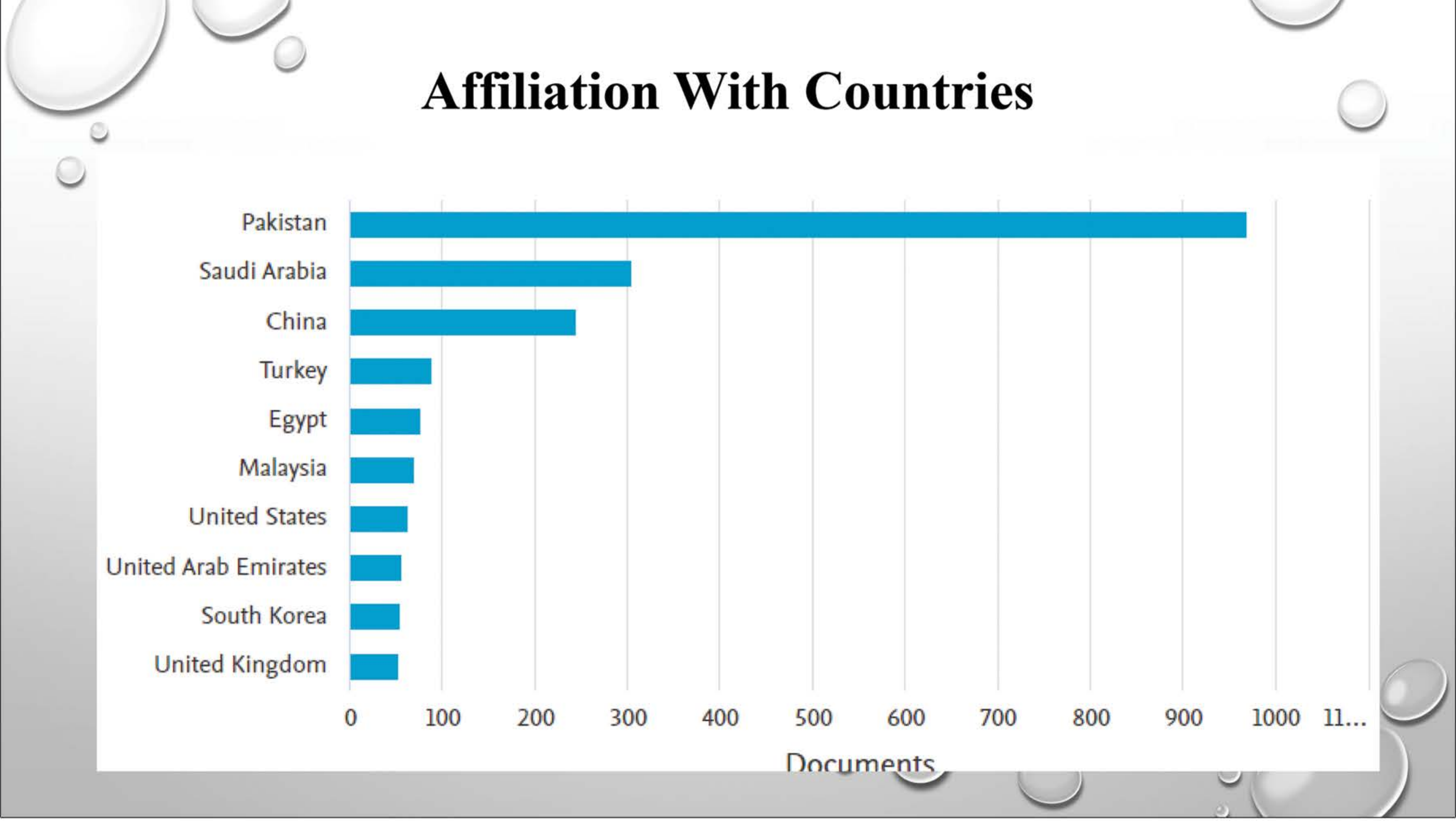
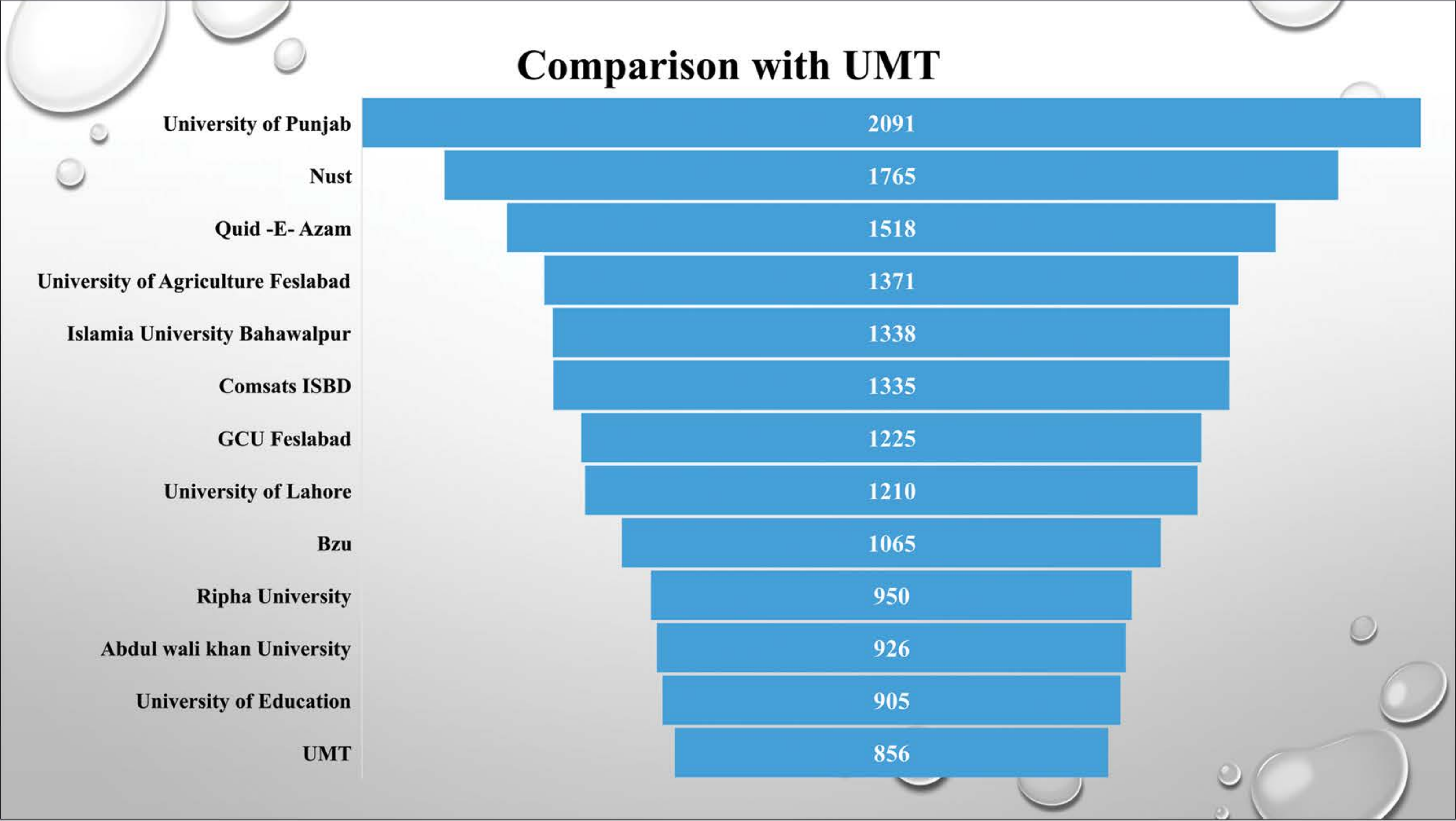
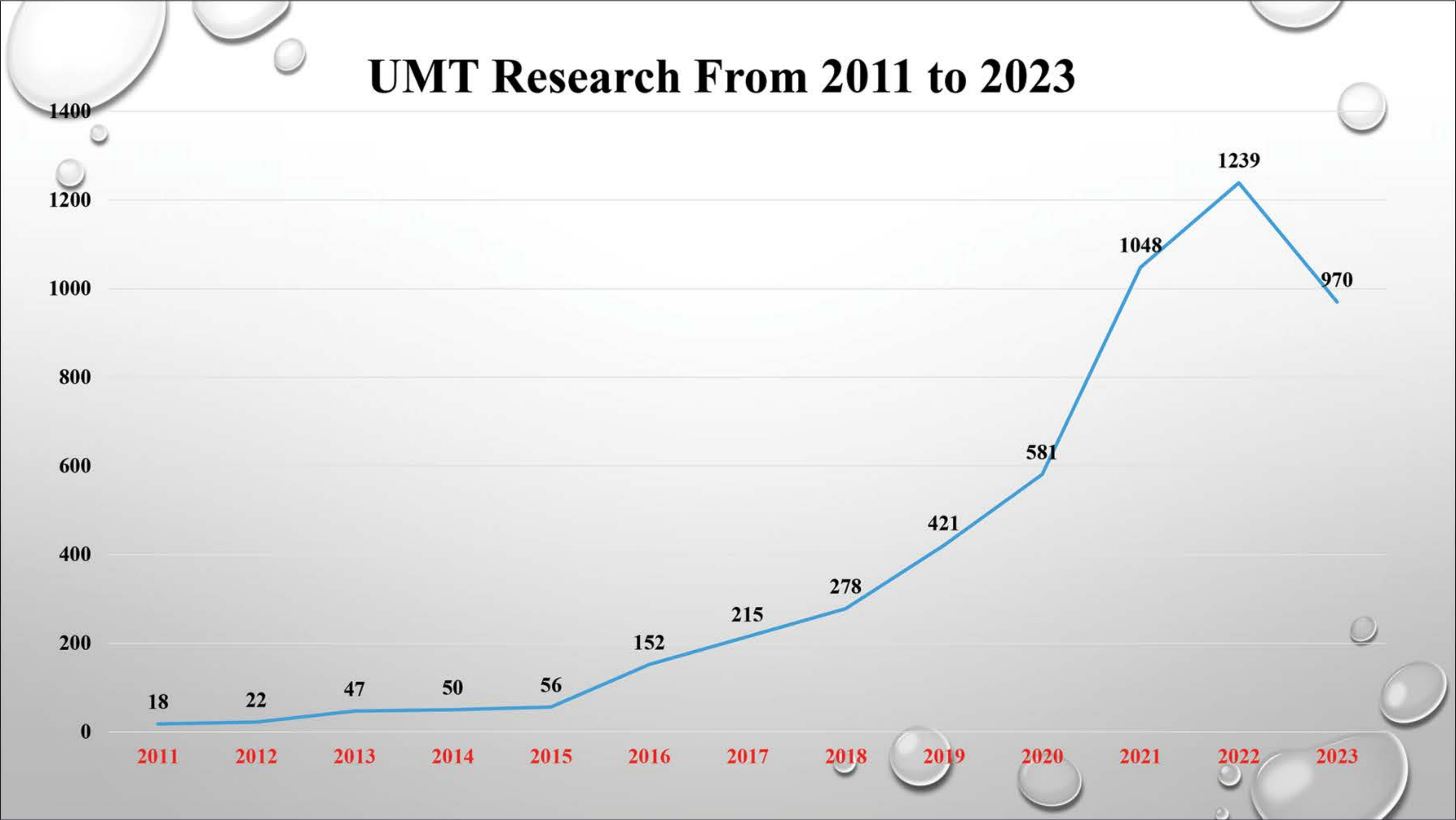
UMT Journals, a leading open-access publisher based in Pakistan, is committed to advancing and promoting scholarly research and knowledge dissemination across a wide range of disciplines. UMT Journals, a home of excellence recognizes the transformative power of knowledge and research in shaping the future.



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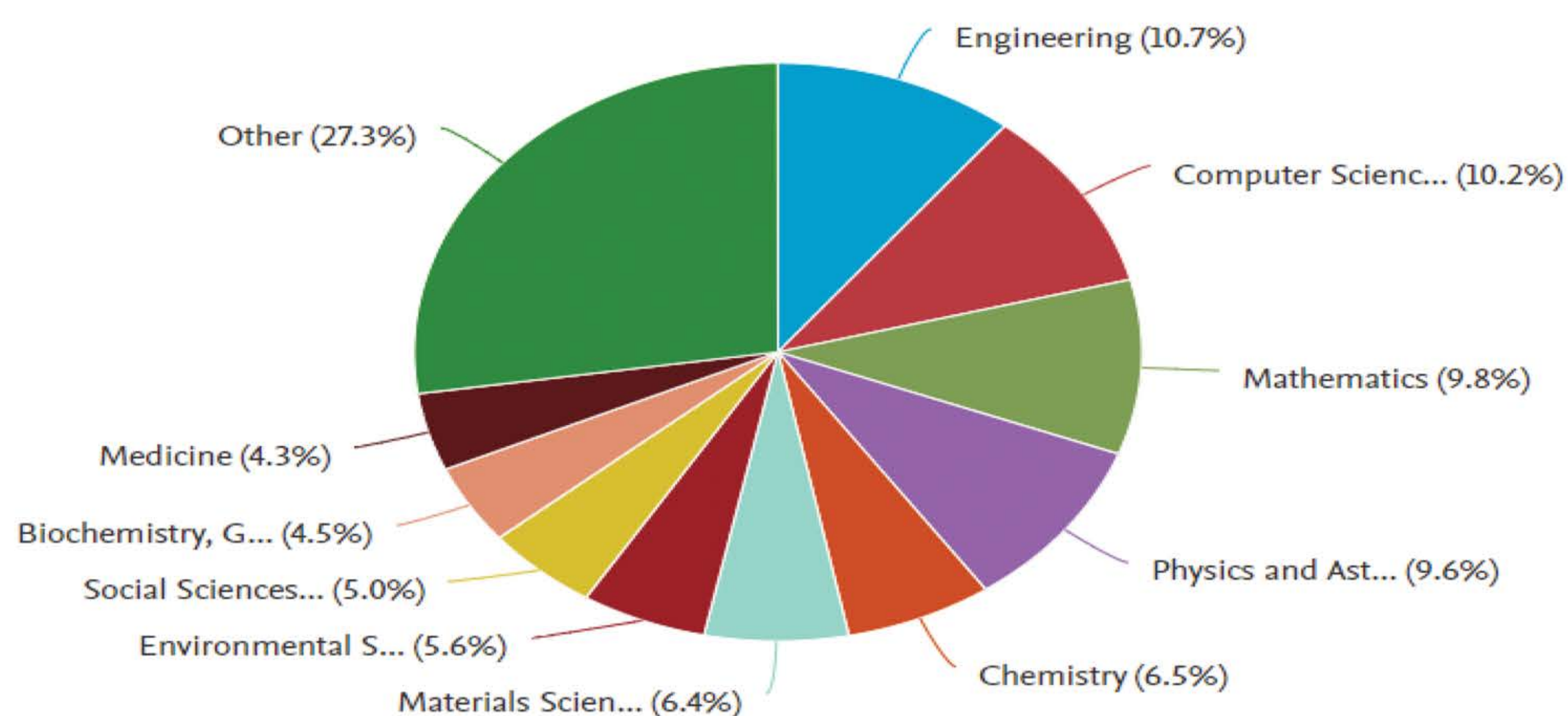
For submissions, please visit the UMT Journals' website (<https://journals.umat.edu.pk/>) and find the right fit for your research by checking the journal's aim and scope. We will get back to you during happy submission hours.

UMT Research Output 2023

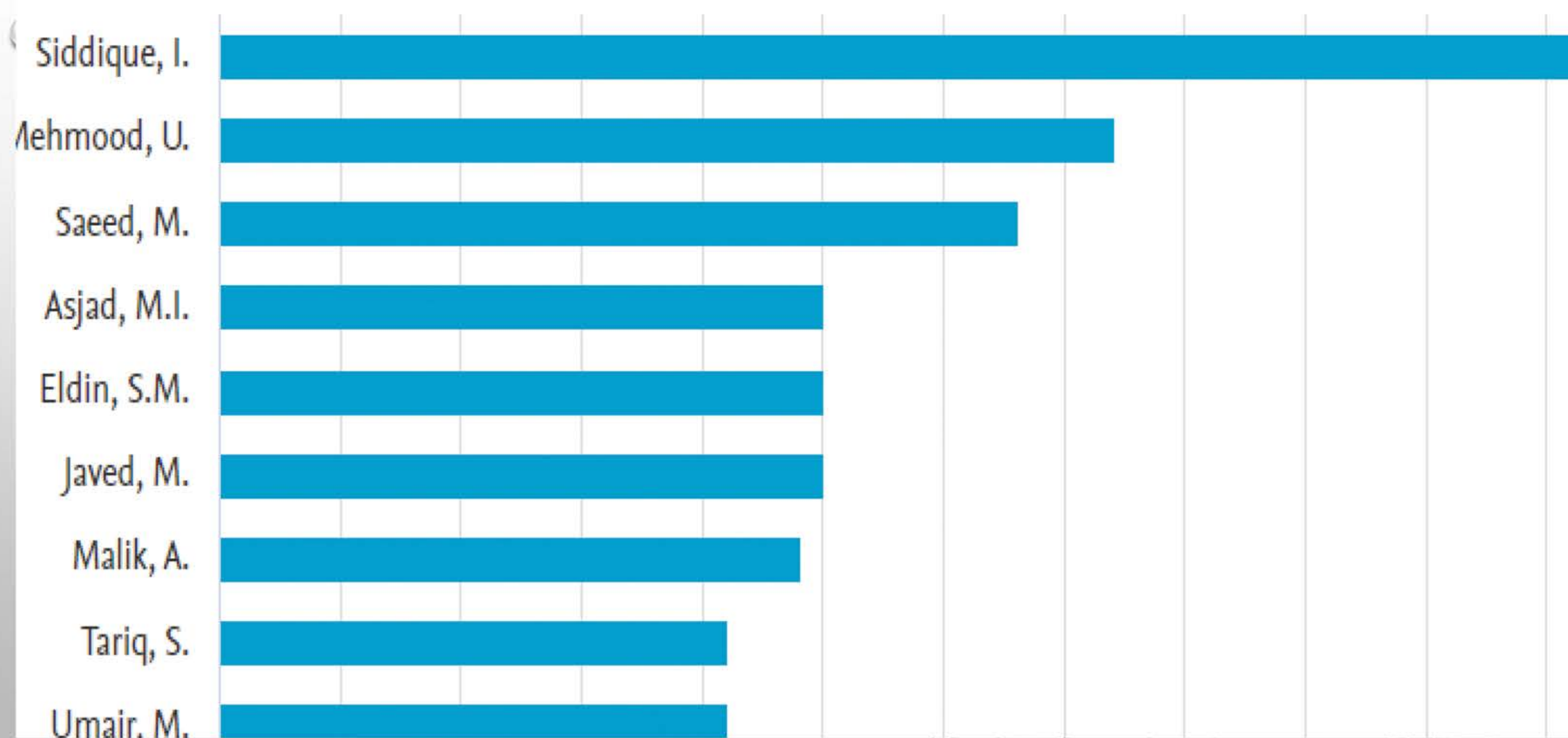


UMT Research Output 2023

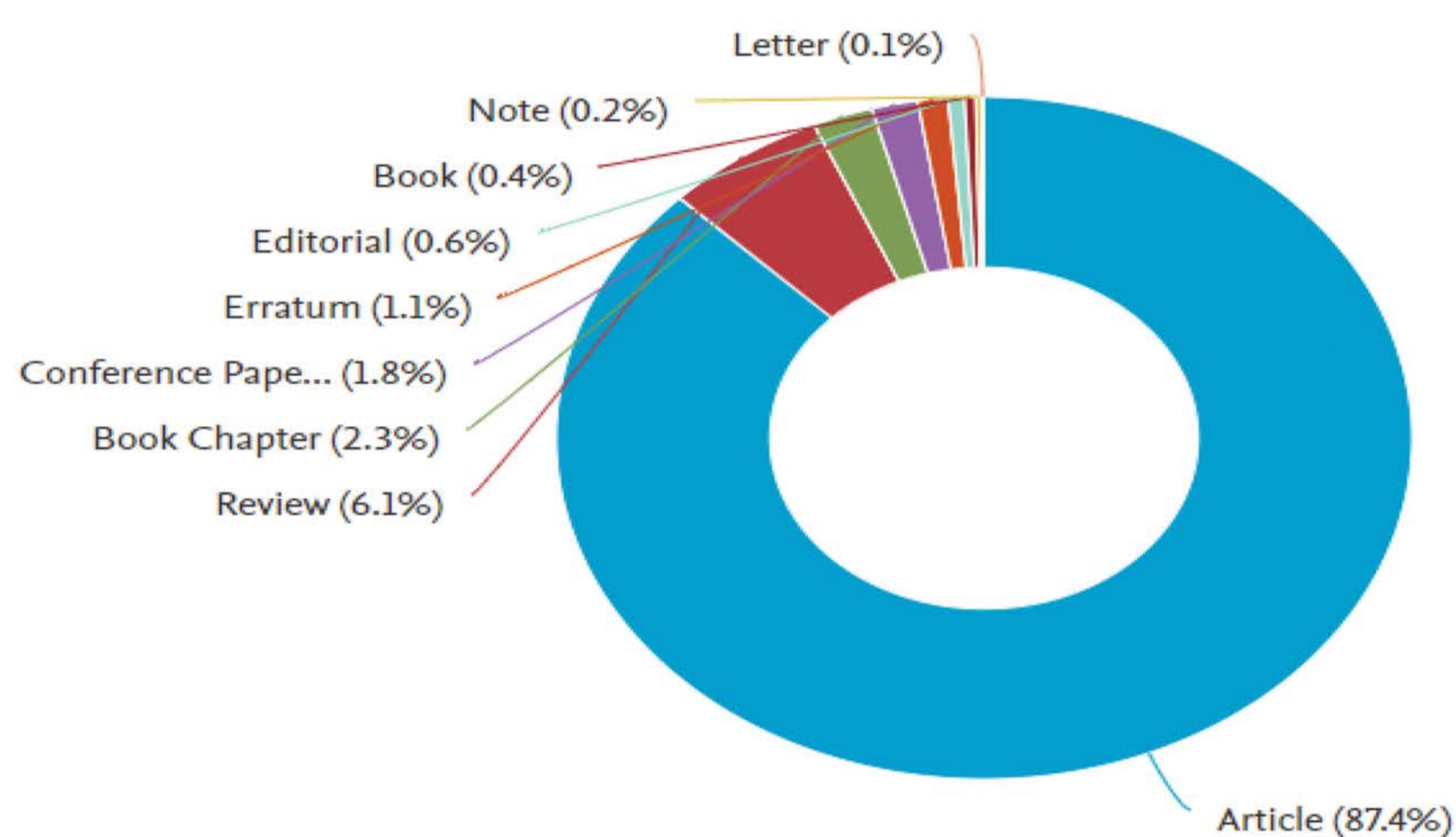
Research By Subject Area



Top UMT Authors



Type of Publications





Ramadan Kareem is a sacred time cherished by Muslims worldwide, and it is marked by blessings and holiness. It's a month where Muslims immerse themselves in prayer, reflection, and acts of charity. The fast from dawn till sunset fosters a deep sense of empathy and gratitude, emphasizing the importance of self-discipline and spiritual growth. Through fasting and increased devotion, individuals seek purification of the soul, drawing closer to Allah and strengthening their bond with Him. Ramadan is a time of forgiveness, mercy, and renewal, where hearts are opened to compassion, and communities unite in worship and solidarity. Its essence lies in the transformative power of faith, inspiring believers to strive for righteousness and embody the values of compassion, humility, and generosity. Truly, Ramadan Kareem embodies a time of profound blessings and illuminating hearts with the light of faith and devotion.



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