

PRESS RELEASE**UBL funds Student Scholarship Program at Bahauddin Zakariya University, Multan**

A Student Scholarship Program agreement was signed recently between UBL and Bahauddin Zakariya University, Multan whereby UBL agreed to provide Master Degree Scholarship to 50 deserving students of the university. Seen in the picture are Mr. Wajahat Husain, President & CEO, UBL (left) and Prof. Dr. Tahir Amin, Vice Chancellor, BZU, Multan (right).

United Bank Limited (UBL), Pakistan's Best Bank 2016, recently commenced its Student Scholarship Program at the Bahauddin Zakariya University (BZU), Multan. BZU, established in 1975, is the largest and foremost educational institution in southern Punjab and plays a significant role in developing indigenous human resources through its highly productive achievements, both in sciences and humanities.

The University's Student Scholarship Program assists disadvantaged students through scholarships. UBL, as part of its long established sustainability agenda of supporting higher education, has partnered with BZU in this program. The Bank will provide 50 Masters' Degree Scholarships to students for the 2016-17 academic year.

Mr. Wajahat Husain, President & CEO, UBL and Prof. Dr. Tahir Amin, Vice Chancellor, BZU signed the agreement at BZU in Multan, on behalf of their respective organizations. Senior executives from the Bank and distinguished faculty members from the University were also present at the event.

Mr. Wajahat Husain, on the occasion, said "It is an honour for UBL to partner with BZU in their Student Scholarship Program. As a Progressive and Innovative bank, we have always supported higher education in Pakistan. This partnership between the two institutions is an important part of the Bank's attempt to carry forward the spirit of UBL as a responsible Corporate Citizen."

About UBL

United Bank Limited (UBL) is one of Pakistan's largest banks in the private sector. The bank operates a network of over 1,350 branches across Pakistan and 18 branches overseas. It was declared Pakistan's Best Bank 2016 at the first Pakistan Banking Awards and the bank's entity ratings were also recently upgraded to AAA/A-1+. The Bank maintains its leadership in branchless banking through UBL Omni which has an agent network of over 40,000 Dukaans across Pakistan. With a customer base of over 4 million, it leads the banking and financial services sector in Pakistan. Customers across the world have 24/7 access to the bank via UBL's world class Internet Banking.