



DEPARTMENT OF RELIGIOUS STUDIES (I)

Heartiest welcome to the first newsletter 2019 of the Department of Religious Studies (I). After the denationalization of Forman Christian College in 2003, department of Religious Studies jointly served intermediate and undergraduate students for six years. Later on when Forman Christian College was awarded with the status of chartered University, intermediate section was given a separate identity. There are four faculty members in this department and all are highly motivated, qualified and equipped with modern teaching approaches. They always strive to meet the challenges of changing world by making the good understanding of beauty in diversity and by following the college motto 'By love serve one other.



Sinclair Hall FCC

Message from HOD

It gives me an immense pleasure to present to the worthy readers the very first edition of the newsletter (2018-2019) of the department of Religious Studies (I). In this newsletter we are going to present our readers an account of academic engagements besides service to community in broad spectrum. Our prime mission is to make Forman Christian College one of the most glorious educational institutions in the subcontinent. We always strive to inculcate the values of tolerance, forbearance and religious harmony among the future of the nation. As we teach the students during the most important formative phase of their lives. We want to make our students role model for others by following the core values of the Forman Christian College in their practical lives. We also seek to install in our students a passion for better understanding of religion. We keep our utmost efforts to make our students ethically motivated responsible citizens.

Brief Introduction of faculty

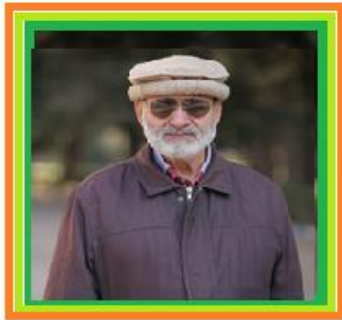
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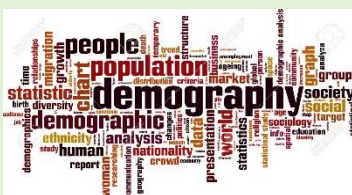
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Board Results



Like previous years this year our department also achieved 100% result in BISE 2018 final result. We feel pleasure in sharing that more than 50 % of our students achieved A+ in final exam this thing reflects hard work ,dedication and good teaching methodology of entire faculty of the department

Internet and governance

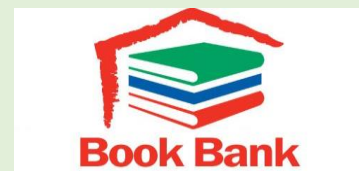


This year there was a one-day workshop on Internet and Good Governance organized by Intermediate Guidance Office (IGO). All the faculty members of the department participated in this workshop and learnt a lot about the importance of internet in the changing world and we all are thank full to IGO for providing such a wonderful opportunity to learn from internationally recognized resource person.

Advising Hours



All the faculty members of the department have reserved three hours in a week for student's advising regarding their studies at college .A number of students come to meet the faculty members in order to share their academic problems .All the faculty members did their best to resolve the students issues.



As there is a book bank at college level which provides free books to the needy students.

Our department donated many books to the book bank last year and made their contribution in this charity program.

Pre Board Examination



Like previous years this year per board examination was held at departmental level .Pre Board Examination was high time to show inter departmental co-operation .I feel pleasure in sharing this that our department fully co-operated with other departments for the smooth conduct of pre board examination and same was the response of other departments when we requested them for co-operation at the time of Islamic Education paper

Teaching Load

All the faculty members of the department have equal teaching load.

Departmental Meetings



Each month at least one departmental meeting is held regularly. Agenda and date of the meeting is circulated well in time among all the members of department so that they may come with full preparation to share their point of views on given agenda. Whenever the worthy vice rector had a meeting with HODs a special meeting is called in order to share the important points of meeting with respected faculty members of the department.

It is worth mentioning that all members are present in all the departmental meetings.

A hard copy of agenda and minutes is submitted to honorable vice rector for his record each month.

Research and Development Forum

This forum was developed with the mission to provide a platform to enrich the scholarly activities of both intermediate and university faculty.

I am pleased to share that intermediate faculty fully participated in all programs of R&D forum. This was a good show of mutual co-operation between college and university faculty. Sometimes there is a lecture by renowned scholar from other universities. At that time the presence of entire college and university faculty casts good effect of harmony and mutual co-operation.

Self-Evaluation and Head Evaluation



All the faculty members submit their self-evaluation

and their evaluation by their Head of Department is also submitted to the Respected vice rector by the end of November each year.

Faculty and staff hand book



This year faculty and staff hand books were given to each head of department so that all the faculty and staff members may get firsthand knowledge about the policies of the organization regarding their job responsibilities.

Achievements and Awards



Muhammad Asghar (HOD)

Achieved outstanding teacher award in 2017.

He got Academic Teaching Excellence Course (English as the Medium of Instruction) delivered by British Council in Lahore in 2017.

HE was the member of reception committee on Annual Sports 2019.

He is an active member of Learning Group at the platform of CLT.

He served as Sub Examiner in BISE Lahore. He was the advisor Jahangir House (Sports). He delivered lectures as guest speaker to the university students of 400 level courses (seniors).

He also delivered lecture to M. Phil students at Minhaj University as guest speaker. He delivered a lecture on Monasticism and Religion at the platform of R & D forum.



Muhammad Zaman Nazi

Professor Zaman Nazi has been serving at Farman Christian College since 2003. He has teaching experience more than 30 years.

Publications: Islamic thoughts in modern perspective -- August 2010
Interfaith relations (A case study)—Feb 2009

Causes of downfall of Ummah in the opinions of Muslim thinkers
Quranic concept of Rise and fall of Nations --- July 2006

Causes of Downfall of Ummah in the light of Hadith--- July 2006

The Islamic education --- 6th Edition 2014

A comprehensive key book of short questions and answers and MCQS for 1st year students.



Ijaz Ahmad

He has experience of 15 years in different institutions.
Remained Advisor for different sections.
Departmental examination Head
Compiled notes of 1st year Islamic Education
Sub examiner at Bise Lahore.
Paper setter of LCWU.



Rahat Shahid

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Her M.Phil. in Islamic Studies. Is in process..
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