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<u>MoU Signing between National Commission for Human Rights (NCHR)</u> <u>&ORIC-CUST, Islamabad</u>

A delegation from ORIC-CUST visited to National Commission for Human Right office (F-5 Sector, Islamabad on Friday, 30th August,2024 to sign an MoU. CUST & NCHR collectively referred as **"Parties"** and each individually as the **"Party".** Both parties agreed to collaborate in promoting human rights education within the university setting.

The primary objective of this MoU is to facilitate the propagation of human rights education among the diverse student body across various departments of CUST.

The agreement aims to:

- Create awareness and stimulate interest in the field of human rights among students.
- Encourage research, discussions, and activities related to fundamental human rights principles within the academic curriculum.
- Support initiatives aimed at empowering marginalized groups through knowledge dissemination on their rights, including women, children, and minorities.
- Encourage the establishment of forums, discussions, and activities that contribute to enhancing a culture of human rights awareness within CUST.



Both parties agreed to undertake various collaborative activities:

- Jointly organize seminars, talks, and workshops on human rights issues relevant to the academic curriculum.
- Encourage and facilitate essay competitions, debates, and art competitions related to human rights among students.
- Develop and distribute educational materials, pamphlets, and resources within the legal and cultural guidelines for enhancing human rights literacy.
- Any additional activities mutually agreed upon by both parties within the scope of this MoU.
- Specific activities based on this MoU will be planned through consultation between NCHR and CUST representatives.