



Report on Induction Program: Academic Year 2025-26

M.A. Urdu (M48)

As per the guidelines of University Grants Commission – Distance Education Bureau (UGC-DEB), an induction programme was organized by the School of Humanities and Social Sciences through ZOOM platform for the students admitted to the Postgraduate Degree MA Urdu (M48) programme for the academic year 2025-26. The induction programme was organized on 8th October 2025 in two sessions, the first session was held from 11:30 AM to 1:00 PM while the second session was held from 2:30 PM to 4:00 PM.

The induction program began with the opening remarks of Professor Nagarjun Wadekar, Director, School of Humanities and Social Sciences. First, he provided detailed information on the aims and objectives of the university. He also introduced the School of Humanities and Social Sciences and made the students aware of the salient features of the school. Professor Nagarjun Wadekar, while highlighting the importance and usefulness of distance education system, provided detailed information to the students regarding the program and curriculum structure regarding MA Urdu and NEP2020. In the first session, MA Urdu Program Coordinator Dr. Rashid Ashraf Khan presented a detailed overview of the seven courses of the first semester of MA Urdu M48 through slides. In which he discussed the books included in each course and the units included in it in a very objective manner. The research methodology of the last course of the first semester was also presented to the students in a reasoned manner. In the first session of the induction program, an introduction was given to the 7 courses of the second semester of MA Urdu. Along with this, the importance and uniqueness of the 22 books included in the courses and the units included in it were clearly presented to the students. In the second semester, special emphasis was placed on the field project. Satisfactory answers were also given to the questions of the students regarding the field project. The second session of the induction program started after noon. In this session, a comprehensive review of 22 books of the 7 courses of the third semester of MA Urdu was presented to the students. The students were specially informed about the research project included in the third semester. Regarding the research project, students were informed about all the stages of the project from the topics to its submission. Similarly, detailed light was also shed on the 20 books of the 6 courses of the fourth semester and the units included in them. Special attention of the students was drawn to the 6-credit research project included in the fourth semester.

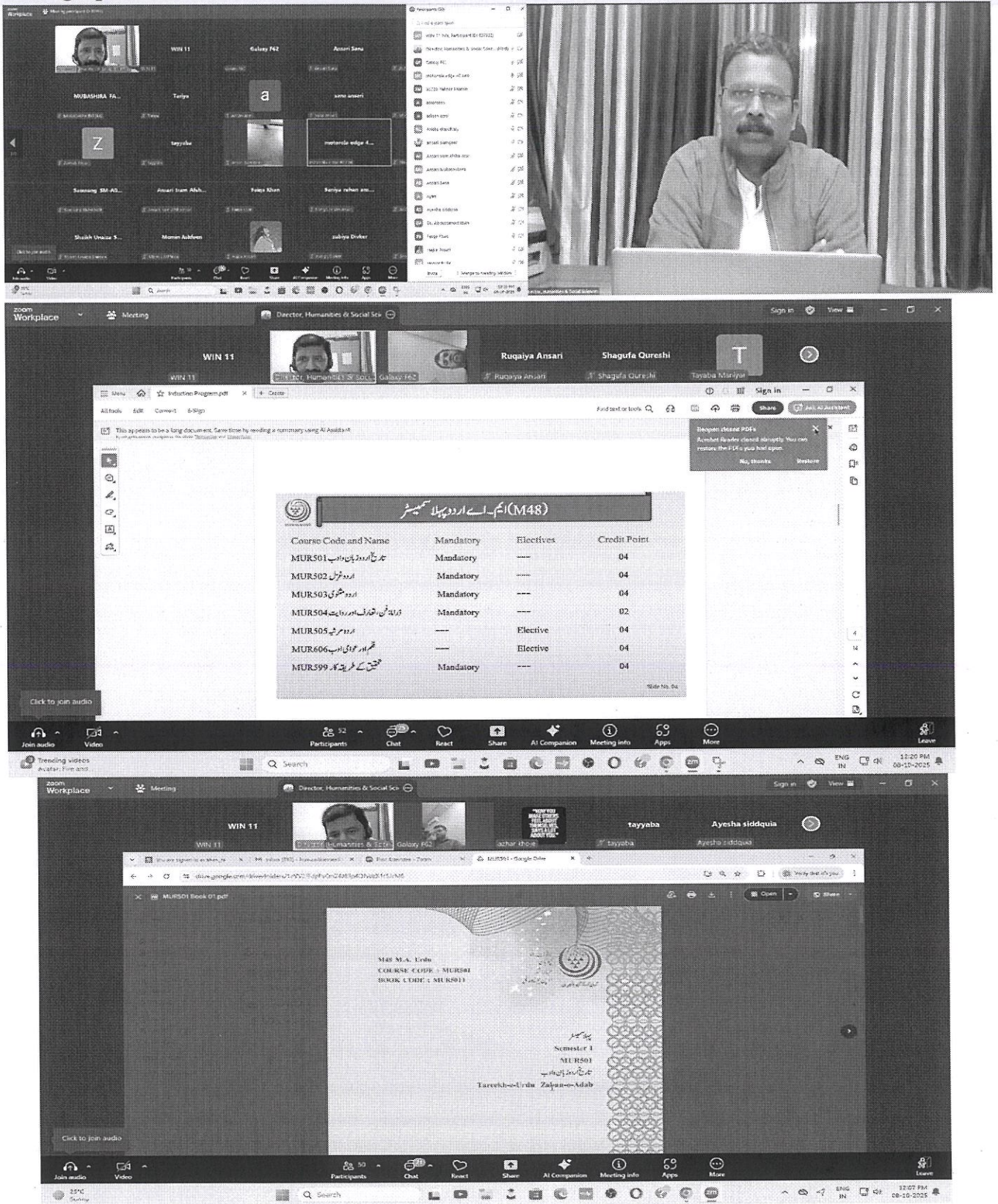
After completing the program, the students asked their questions related to the course content, syllabus, cyber security course and future career scope. All these questions were resolved in a very reasoned manner. Most of the students who entered the program participated in both these sessions. Finally, the audience was thanked and the induction program ended with the consent of the Director. Administrative Assistant Mr. Gulab Ghatal provided invaluable support in making this program a success.

Enclosed: YouTube Link and Photographs.

YouTube Links:

1. Induction Program: <https://www.youtube.com/live/fSvRipNOtNo?si=LxyUjw7JEUJTk9ob>
2. Follow-up Orientation Session: <https://youtu.be/UjZgL7b-inw?si=70Yaulfecst32ws5>

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