



# INTERNSHIP AT COMSTECH PABIC ICCBS (HEJ) 15 DEC 25 – 15 JAN 26



## RECOGNITION CEREMONY



**COMSTECH-PABIC-ICCBS Winter Internship Programme concludes**

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The five-week COMSTECH-PABIC-ICCBS Winter Internship Program for Youth 2025 concluded on January 15, 2026 after successfully providing hands-on laboratory training to undergraduate and postgraduate students. The programme was initiated by the Pakistan Biotechnology Information Center (PABIC) under the project titled "Dissemination of Information, Raising Awareness and Capacity Building about the Application of Modern Biotechnology in OIC Member and Observer States (Sponsored by the OIC-COMSTECH)".

The programme was jointly organized by OIC-COMSTECH (the Ministerial Standing Committee on Scientific and Technological Cooperation of the Organisation of Islamic Cooperation), ICCBS (International Center for Chemical and Biological Sciences), and PABIC (Pakistan Biotechnology Information Center), Karachi Chapter.

Under the Project Entitled "Dissemination of Information, Raising Awareness and Capacity Building about the Application of Modern Biotechnology in OIC Member and Observer States (Sponsored by the OIC-COMSTECH)".

**CERTIFICATE OF PARTICIPATION**

This is to certify that Mr. / Ms. **Mudabir Khan** has participated in the "COMSTECH-PABIC-ICCBS Winter Internship Program for Youth- 2025", during December 15, 2025 to January 14, 2026 at the Research Laboratories of the International Center for Chemical and Biological Sciences, HEJ Research Institute of Chemistry, and Dr. Panjwani Center for Molecular Medicine Drug Research, University of Karachi.

**Prof. Dr. M. Raza Shah** T.I. Director, ICCBS

**Prof. Dr. M. Iqbal Choudhary** Mustafa (PBBR) Prime Laureate, M.S., S.I., T.I. Coordinator General OIC-COMSTECH, Honorary Advisor ICCBS

**ACTIVITIES AT THE ICCBS**

**PABIC-ICCBS Winter Internship Program for Youth 2025**

**KARACHI** - The one-month PABIC-ICCBS Winter Internship Program for Youth 2025 commenced on December 15, 2025 at various laboratories of the International Center for Chemical and Biological Sciences (ICCBS), University of Karachi. The internship program, designed for final-year M.Sc. and M.S. students from public and private sector universities across Pakistan, is being offered in various disciplines including Plant Biotechnology, Molecular Biology, Drug Discovery, Genomics, and Computational Chemistry and Bioinformatics. The internship program is an initiative of PABIC under the project titled "Dissemination of Information, Raising Awareness and Capacity Building about the Application of Modern Biotechnology in OIC Member States." The project is funded by OIC-COMSTECH and aims to promote multidisciplinary research while enhancing awareness and appreciation of modern science at both the local and OIC levels.

**KARACHI** - As many as 34 BS/MS student participated in the month-long PABIC-ICCBS COMSTECH Winter Internship Program for Youth 2025 and received training in various laboratories of the International Center for Chemical and Biological Sciences (ICCBS), University of Karachi.

The Internship Program has concluded successfully after providing hands-on laboratory training to undergraduate and postgraduate students. The program, funded by OIC-COMSTECH, aimed to promote multidisciplinary research while enhancing awareness and appreciation of modern sciences at both the local and OIC levels. The internship was initiated by the Pakistan Biotechnology Information Center (PABIC) under the project titled "Dissemination of Information, Raising Awareness and Capacity Building about the Application of Modern

It is worth mentioning that over 250 applications were received for the internship program, out of which more than 35 candidates were selected and placed in various laboratories at ICCBS. At the conclusion of the program, successful candidates will be awarded certificates.



## BEST INTERNEE SPEECH

My Name is Mudabir Khan, I've Done a one-month internship at COMSTECH-PABIC-ICCBS(HEJ) Winter Internship Program in the drug discovery domain. During this period, I gained hands-on experience with advanced analytical techniques and contributed to research in drug discovery. With the guidance & Suggestion of **Dr. Anjum Ayub(TSCY)** and the moral support of **Dr. Nuzhat Arshad**, Chairperson, Chemistry Department, NED, I was selected for this opportunity and able to Represent NED at international platform. In recognition of my performance, I was Recognized as Best Intern, invited to deliver a speech before international scientists, and featured in the ICCBS newsletter, COMSTECH Islamabad news, and in Pakistan's biggest News platform "The Nation".