



Institute of  
Business Administration  
Karachi

*Leadership and Ideas for Tomorrow*

## **NOTIFICATION**

### **PUBLICATION AND RESEARCH COMMITTEE OF CENTRE FOR BUSINESS AND ECONOMICS RESEARCH**

The CBER activities will be managed by 2 Publication and Research Committees (PRC), one for Faculty of Business Administration and one for Faculty of Computer Science. The PRC's will be headed by the Director Research and will comprise distinguished academicians and practitioners from the fields of Business and Computer Science.

The Terms of Reference for these 2 Publication and Research Committees are suggested as follows.

- To assist in developing the research culture at IBA.
- To provide input to the development of IBA research priorities.
- Responsible directly or indirectly for all core and contract research activities at IBA
- Assisting in searching for good researchers in the relevant field of business
- Assisting in reviewing and assessing the Faculty's request for financial support for research projects.
- Establishing collaborative research projects with international and national institutions of repute,
- Assist in generation of external research fund for the research activities at the Centre.
- Soliciting research ideas and funding from the industry and corporate sectors for core and contract research,
- Establishing collaborative research projects with international and national institutions of repute,
- Assist in development, negotiation and implementation of contract research proposals
- Responsible for smooth running and ensuring good quality of core and contract research of IBA.
- Organizing research seminars workshops/conferences,
- Supervise the initiative of the Working Papers/ Policy Paper series;
- Regularly publishing and updating the quality of IBA Business Review,
- To assist in publishing IBA research in the high quality outlets.
- Develop a team for the dissemination of research through conferences and seminars

A sub-committee of the RPC will be formed to act as the Research Evaluation Committee (REC) to separately evaluate research proposals submitted by the Faculty of BA and Faculty of CS. The basic TOR's of the REC are as follows:

- To review and approve research proposals from full time faculty members for the purpose of allocating research units.
- To manage and make recommendations regarding any issues pertaining to allocation of research units that may arise from time to time.

Each REC will have a total of 5 members, with 2 member's common to both, 2 member's from concerned Faculty, and 1 member to be chosen from outside IBA, as a Specialist, based on the research to be evaluated.

The composition of the 2 Research and Publication Committees is suggested as follows.

**Research and Publication Committee-Faculty of Business Administration:**

- Dr. Qazi Masood Ahmed (Chairperson and Convener)
- Prof. Dr. Mahnaz Fatima
- Dr. Muhammad Shahid Qureshi (Management Department)
- Dr. Zeenat Ismail
- Associate Dean Business (Ex-officio)
- Associate Dean Computer (Ex-officio)
- Editor of IBA Business Review (Ex-officio)

**Research and Publication Committee-Faculty of Computer Science:**

- Dr. Qazi Masood Ahmed (Chairperson and Convener)
- Dr Ahmed Ali Shah
- Dr Waseem A. Khan
- Dr Nasir Touheed
- Associate Dean Business (Ex-officio)
- Associate Dean Computer (Ex-officio)
- Editor of IBA Business Review (Ex-officio)



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