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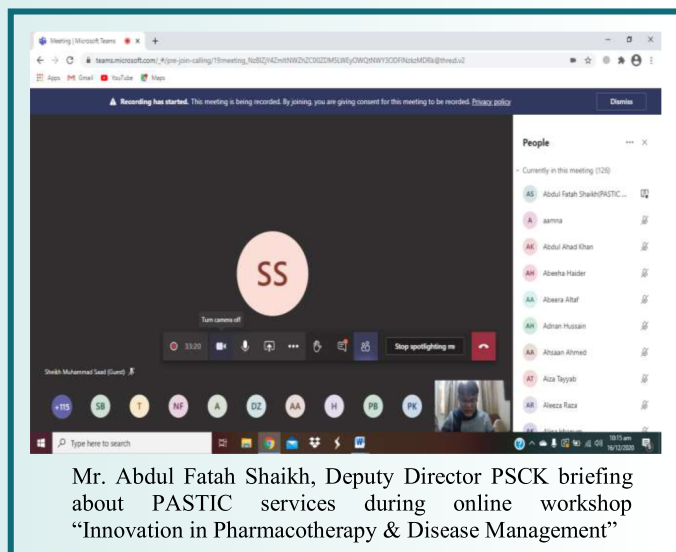
December 2020

Workshops

Online workshop on "INNOVATION IN PHARMACOTHERAPY & DISEASE MANAGEMENT" AT JINNAH SINDH MEDICAL UNIVERSITY KARACHI

PASTIC Sub-Centre Karachi in collaboration with Jinnah Sindh Medical University, organized an online workshop on "Innovation in Pharmacotherapy & Disease Management" on December 16, 2020 at Jinnah Sindh Medical University, Karachi. Total 126 participants of medical sciences participated in the workshop.

Glimpses of the online workshop:-



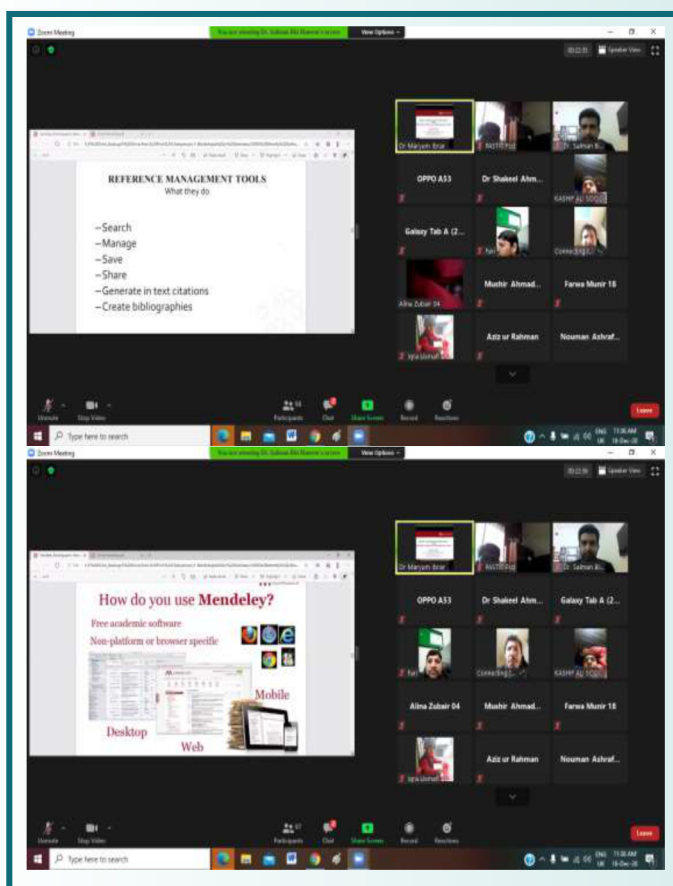
Mr. Abdul Fatah Shaikh, Deputy Director PSCK briefing about PASTIC services during online workshop "Innovation in Pharmacotherapy & Disease Management"

The session was started with the recitation from the Holy Quran, followed by welcome addresses by Prof. Dr. Kiran Rafiq and Prof. Dr. Huma Ali from Faculty of Pharmacy, Jinnah Sindh Medical University, Karachi. Opening remarks were given by Prof. Dr. Tariq Rafi, Vice-chancellor, Jinnah Sindh Medical University. Mr. Abdul Fatah Shaikh, Deputy Director (STI), PASTIC Sub-Centre Karachi, delivered detailed presentation about PASTIC services. At the end of the session, closing remarks were delivered by Prof. Dr. Humaira Ansar, Professor Faculty of Pharmacy, Jinnah Sindh Medical University, Karachi.

Online Workshop on "MANAGEMENT by using MENDELEY - REFERENCE MANAGEMENT SOFTWARE" AT ISLAMIA UNIVERSITY OF BAHAWALPUR

PASTIC Sub-Centre Faisalabad organized an online Workshop on "Management by Using Mendeley - Reference Management Software" on December 18, 2020 at the Islamia University of Bahawalpur. Total 98 participants participated in the workshop.

Glimpses of the online workshop:-



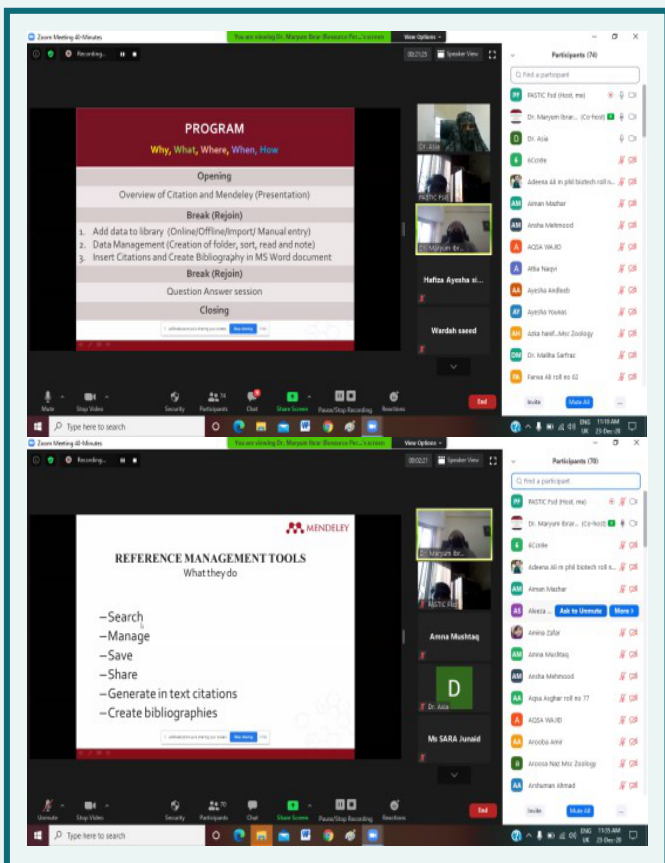
The session was started with the recitation from the Holy Quran, followed by welcome address by Prof. Dr. Robina Bhatti, Chairperson Department of Library Science IUB. Concluding remarks were delivered by Prof. Dr. Athar Mehboob, Vice Chancellor, IUB during the session. The presentation/training on the workshop was delivered by the Resource Person, Dr. Maryam Ibrar Shinwari,

Senior Scientific Information Officer PASTIC Islamabad. The participants and scientists appreciated.

Online workshop on "Management by using Mendeley-Reference Management Software" AT WOMEN UNIVERSITY of MULTAN

PASTIC Sub-Centre Faisalabad organized an online Workshop on "Management by using *Mendeley* - Reference Management Software" on December 23, 2020 at Women University of Multan. Total 74 participants participated in the workshop.

Glimpses of the online workshop:-



The session was started with the recitation from the Holy Quran, followed by welcome address by Mr. Muhammad Hasnain, Deputy Director PASTIC Faisalabad. Concluding remarks were delivered by Prof. Dr. Asia, Chairperson Department of Zoology, WUM. The presentation/training on workshop was delivered by the Resource Person, Dr. Maryam Ibrar Shinwari, Senior Scientific Information Officer, PASTIC Islamabad.

Launching of China – Pakistan “CPEC Science Communication Network”

“CPEC Science Communication Network” is launched on December 3rd 2020 during the 5th Academic Forum on China-Pakistan Scientific, Technological and Economic Cooperation under Belt and Road Initiative jointly by the Beijing Technology and Business University (BTBU), Beijing Science and Technology Association (BAST), Beijing Academy of Science and Technology (BJAST) in collaboration with Pakistan Science Foundation (PSF), and Pakistan Scientific & Technological Information Center (PASTIC). The Launching Ceremony was chaired by Dr. Di Yuna, Executive Director, Pakistan Study Center of Science & Technology and Economy at BTBU.



Launching Ceremony “CPEC Science Communication Network” Beijing, China

A Team from Pakistan Science Foundation (PSF), Pakistan Scientific & Technological Information Center (PASTIC) and Pakistan Museum of Natural History (PMNH) comprising of Dr. Ahsan Feroz, Director IL (PSF), Prof. Dr. Akram Shaikh, Director General (PASTIC), Dr. Lal Shah, Director General (PMNH), Dr. Saima Tanveer, Acting Director (PASTIC) and Mr. Saifullah Zaim, Principal System Analyst (PASTIC) also participated online in the 5th Academic Forum on China-Pakistan Scientific, Technological and Economic Cooperation under Belt and Road Initiative and the launching ceremony of “CPEC Science Communication Network”.



Online participation of PSF/PASTIC team in the Launching Ceremony of "CPEC Science Communication Network" Beijing, China

PASTIC TEAM PARTICIPATED IN THE BAST CHINA ONLINE WEBINAR ON INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION OF SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL ORGANIZATION

PASTIC team comprising of DG PASTIC Prof. Dr. Muhammad Akram Shaikh, Acting Director (PASTIC) Dr. Saima Tanveer, Principal System Analyst Mr. Saifullah Azim and Senior Scientific Officer Dr. Maryam Ibrar Participated in the Online Webinar on International Cooperation of Scientific and Technological Organization on December 16, 2020. The webinar was organized by Beijing Association for Science and Technology (BAST), China to host an online conversation joined by their old and new friends from international scientific and technological organizations to discuss possible ways to enhance future cooperation on science, technology and innovation under new conditions and challenges. During the session DG PASTIC along with other participants shared proposal of online workshops to meet new challenges of STI for BAST working plan of 2021.



PASTIC team participating BAST China Online Webinar on International Cooperation of Scientific and Technological Organization

INTERVIEWS OF STFS 5TH BATCH CONDUCTED AT PASTIC NATIONAL CENTRE ISLAMABAD, ALONG WITH PASTIC SUB-CENTRES FAISALABAD, LAHORE, PESHAWAR AND KARACHI

Interviews of PSF Project "Science Talent Farming Scheme (STFS)" 5th Batch were conducted at PASTIC National Centre Islamabad (December 09-10, 2020) along with PASTIC Sub-Centres Faisalabad (December 21-22, 2020), Lahore (December 15-16, 2020), Peshawar (December 14-15, 2020) and Karachi on (December 28-29, 2020).



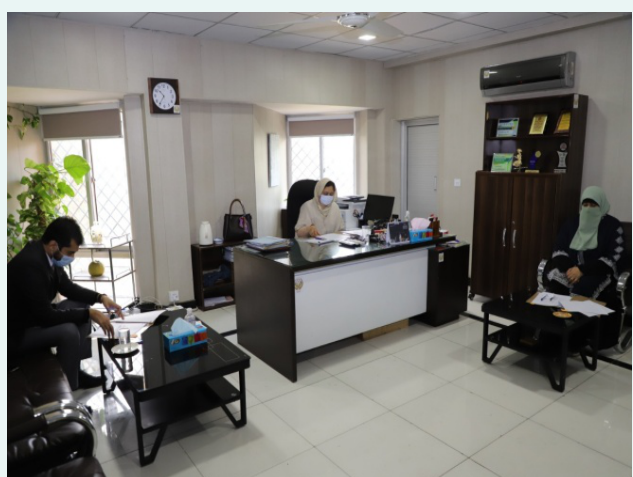
Prof. Dr. Muhammad Akram Shaikh, Director General PASTIC, taking interviews of STFS 5th Batch on December 28-29, 2020 at PASTIC Sub-Centre Karachi



Dr. Ahsan Feroz, Project Director STFS and Mr. Abdul Rauf SSIO, Pakistan Science Foundation Islamabad, taking interviews of STFS 5th Batch on December 28-29, 2020 at PASTIC Sub-Centre Karachi



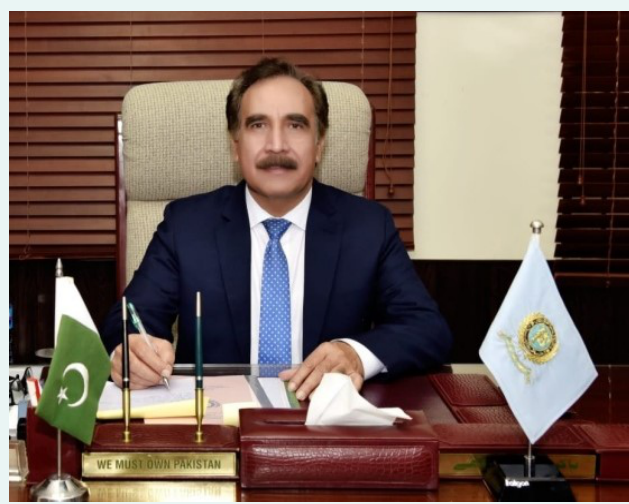
Dr. Raja Razi-ul-Hasnain, Secretary Pakistan Science Foundation Islamabad, supervising the interviews of STFS 5th Batch held on December 21-22, 2020 at PASTIC Sub-Centre Faisalabad.



Dr. Saima Tanveer Additional Director (STI) PASTIC, taking interviews of STFS 5th Batch on December 9-10, 2020 at PASTIC National Centre, Islamabad

Visit of CHAIRMAN Pakistan Science Foundation to PASTIC National Centre, Islamabad

Dr. Shahid Mehmood Baig, S.I. after joining as the Chairman Pakistan Science Foundation paid a courtesy visit to PASTIC National Centre Islamabad on December 29, 2020. He was accompanied with Director Research PSF, Dr. Mirza Habib Ali and Secretary PSF, Dr. Raja Razi ul Hasnain.



The honorable guests were received at PASTIC by Acting Director PASTIC, Dr. Saima Huma Tanveer and were taken for a round of PASTIC various Sections/Services including PASTIC National Science Reference Library, IT Lab, PASTIC Reprographic Section (Printing Press), Abstracting and Indexing Service, Technology Information Service and Bibliographic and Document Supply Service etc. The Chairman appreciated the developments made by PASTIC with the passage of time.





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