



# STUDENT LIFE

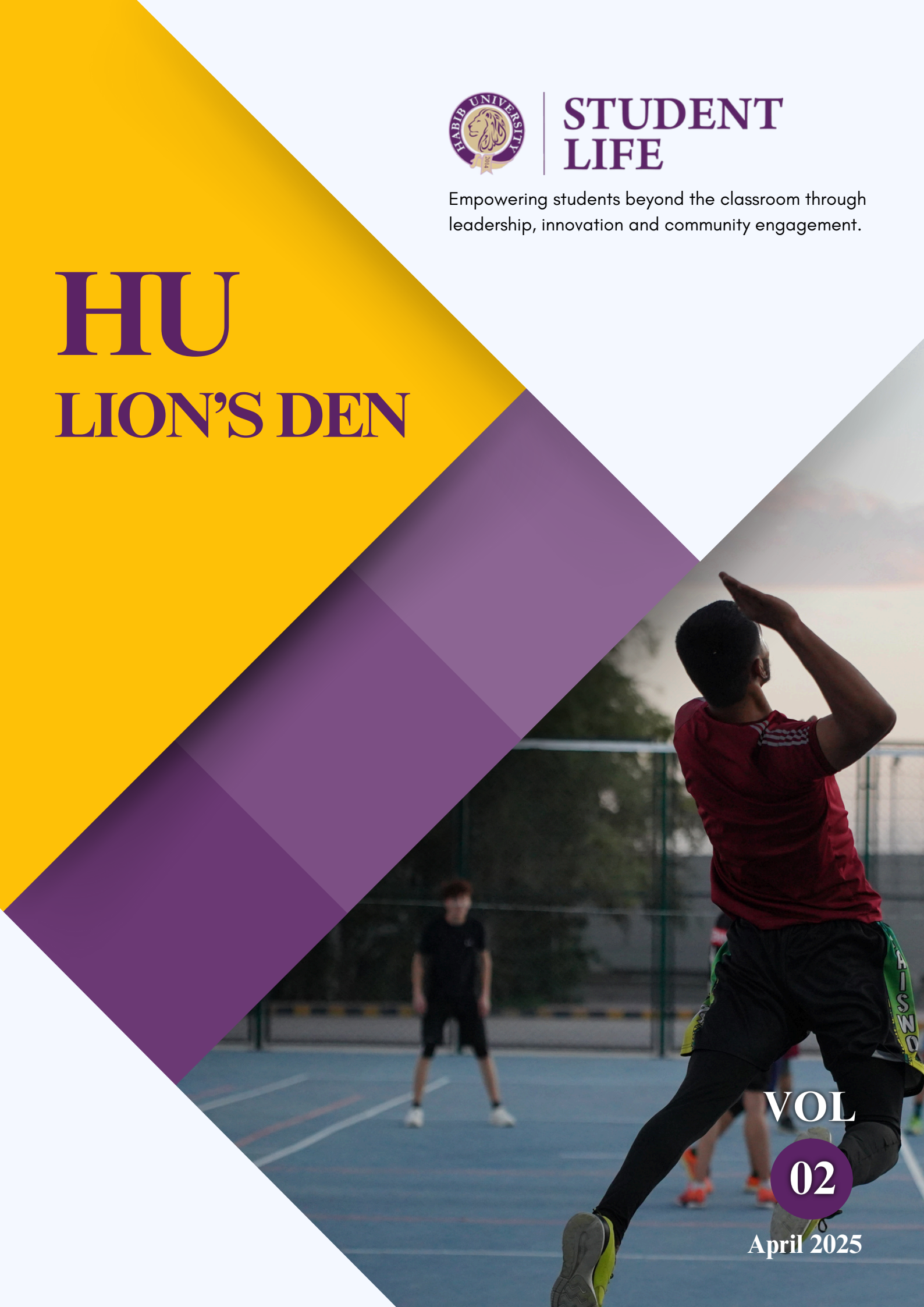
Empowering students beyond the classroom through leadership, innovation and community engagement.

# HU LION'S DEN

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## Welcome to the HU Lion's Den!

There's something electric in the air — ideas turning into impact, events lighting up campus and students stepping into leadership like never before. This edition celebrates that momentum.

Inside, you'll find stories of courage, creativity and community — from dynamic events to rising stars and wellness wins. As we approach the end of the semester, let this be your nudge to dive deeper, connect wider and finish strong.

OSL is here for your growth, your goals and your glow-up. Let's keep the Lion spirit alive!





## *Message from the Parting HUSG Government*

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When a tenure ends — it leaves behind echoes, consequences, and yes, sometimes a bit of a mess to clean up. It's more than wrapping up a term — it feels like the end of an era. Things change. Some for better, some not so much. And if we're being honest, this past year had a fair share of both.

Most of you already know what kind of HUSG as organization we walked into. It wasn't exactly thriving. Trust was low, interest even lower. Many had stopped expecting anything meaningful from it. We entered during a time of great disappointment — and we didn't walk in promising miracles. We walked in with one goal: to make it real again. To rebuild something that had lost its shape, its purpose — and most of all, its trust.

So we did what needed to be done. We focused on foundations: the Student Bill of Rights, cabinet bylaws, the constitution, and the HUSG's Participation and Representation Policy. It wasn't glamorous work — it was groundwork. Quiet, careful, and often thankless. But necessary.

We didn't just want to run HUSG — we wanted to fix it. Not for applause, but so that it wouldn't collapse again like it had before. Whether or not we succeeded — we'll leave that up to the record. Our only message to the student community — we want to say: ***you must do better.***

Better at holding your representatives accountable. Better at showing up — not just when things go wrong, but when things need building. Student governments don't fail in isolation — they fall when no one's watching, when no one's asking questions, and when everyone assumes someone else will step up. We tried to change that. We lit a small fire. Now, it's on you to keep it burning. Challenge those in power. Question decisions. Speak up — and more importantly, follow up.

At the end we wanna say, ***we did what we could, with what we had, it wasn't perfect — but we left it better than we found it.*** And that's something to be proud of.

# MEET THE CLUBS OF HABIB UNIVERSITY

*– Your Gateway to a  
Vibrant Student Life*





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## *Dream Stage*



Discover and refine your artistic talents through theatre workshops, acting classes, scriptwriting, and production design.

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## *Multiverse Club*



Immerse yourself in a community of fandom enthusiasts celebrating superheroes, anime, sitcoms, and more. Join events like HUCON!

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## *Moseequi & Raqs Club*



Explore the world of music and dance across genres, celebrating cultural diversity through performances, workshops, and events.

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## *Habib Feminist Collective*



Promote inclusivity, equality and social justice on campus through discussions and actions that empower all students.

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Make a difference by volunteering and raising funds for causes in health, education, and social services, benefitting communities both inside and outside Pakistan.



## *Serve Club*

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Take action to preserve the environment through initiatives aimed at creating a sustainable future for our campus and beyond.



## *Sustainability Club*

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Develop leadership potential and strategic thinking through engaging events like the Emerge Conference.



## *Young Leaders Club*

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Collaborate with like-minded innovators to cultivate entrepreneurial ambitions and turn ideas into reality within a dynamic community.



## *Entrepreneurship Society*

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## ***Habib Debate Union***



Sharpen your public speaking and critical thinking skills by participating in competitions and representing the University at prestigious events.

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## ***Araish -e- Khayal***



Deepen your appreciation for Urdu literature by joining discussions, workshops, and mushaira events.

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## ***Arts and Cultural Club***



Express creativity and explore diverse cultural perspectives on art, showcasing your work in a supportive community.

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## ***Philosophy Club***

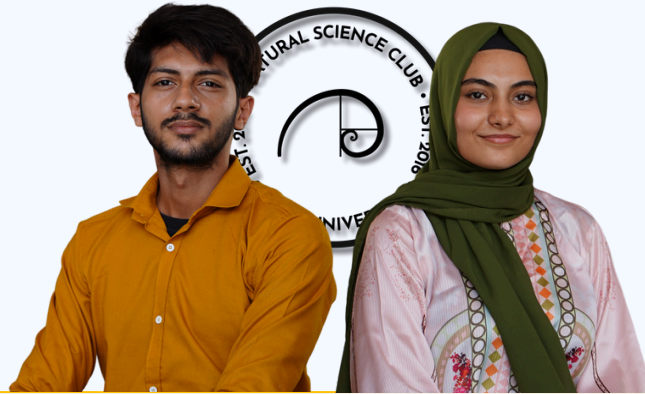


Engage in insightful discussions on life, ethics, and critical thinking in a space that encourages open, inclusive, and thought-provoking conversations.



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Join a community of science enthusiasts exploring groundbreaking discoveries and collaborating on research projects.



## *Natural Science Club*

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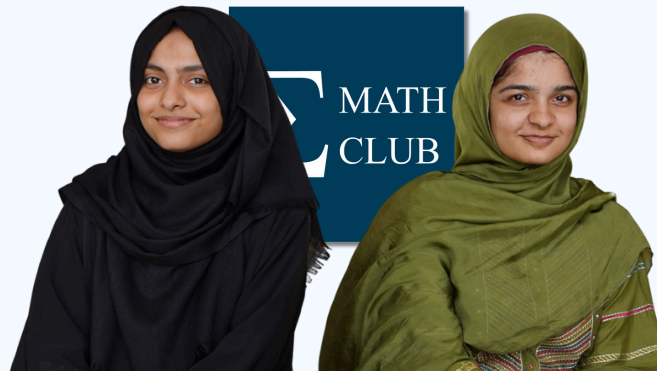
Enhance your coding skills, collaborate on projects, and network with industry professionals.



## *Computer Science & Engineering Club*

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Engage with fellow math enthusiasts through fun-filled events and challenges that inspire problem-solving.



## *Math Club*

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Join a community of passionate gamers in eSports, Dungeons & Dragons, CounterStrike, and other popular games.



## *Gaming Club*

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## ***Sports & Recreational Club***



Compete in tournaments and excel in inter-university competitions to showcase your athletic skills.

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## **Official Chapters of External Organizations**

### ***Brain.Hack Chapter***

Engage in activities related to Computer Science and technology, including coding competitions and tech talks.

### ***HU Artificial Intelligence Chapter (HUAIC)***

Explore AI through workshops, industry visits, and talks, catering to both beginners and experts.

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### ***Women in Science and Engineering Chapter (WiSE)***

Support women in STEM by participating in large-scale events and initiatives that empower girls in science and engineering.

### ***IEEE (Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers) Chapter***

Join the world's largest technical professional organization with workshops, networking events, and projects in electrical engineering and technology.

# COMMUNITY & CAMPUS LIFE

*– Where Connections,  
Culture, and Memories Thrive*







## ***Community Iftar*** **– A Night of Togetherness**

In a heartwarming gesture of unity, the Office of Student Life hosted a Community Iftar in collaboration with the Alumni Office. Students, faculty, staff, and alumni came together to break their fast, celebrate shared values, and reflect on the spiritual essence of Ramadan. The evening was filled with warmth, reflection, and community spirit.

## ***Sangeet Night*** **– A Celebration of Joy**

Color, culture and rhythm came alive at Sangeet Night! A dazzling evening filled with dance performances, vibrant outfits and desi beats brought the campus together in celebration of South Asian traditions and community joy.



## ***Ice Cream Social*** **– A Sweet Welcome During NECHE Visit**

To make our guests feel at home during the NECHE accreditation visit, the Student Life team organized an Ice Cream Social. Students mingled with the visitors, shared their HU experiences, and cooled down with some delicious treats — an event that was both strategic and sweet!



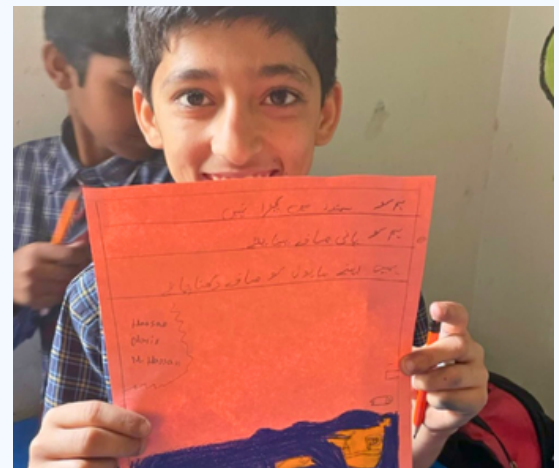
# Club Highlights

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## *Sustainability Club* – Climate Awareness at Local Schools

Taking their mission beyond campus, the Sustainability Club visited underprivileged schools to conduct climate change awareness sessions. Through interactive discussions and creative activities, they inspired young minds to care for the environment and think green.



## *Arts & Cultural Club* – Eid Card Making

Creativity met celebration in a wholesome Eid card-making session hosted by the Arts and Cultural Club. Students crafted beautiful handmade cards to exchange with friends, bringing back the charm of handwritten greetings and cultural tradition.





# Grad Events

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## *Grad Iftar* – A Toast to the Journey

Graduating students came together for a serene evening of reflection and celebration during the Grad Iftar. With heartfelt conversations and shared memories, the event honored the Class of 2025's resilience, growth, and accomplishments.



## *Grad Manito Reveal* – One Last Surprise

The graduating batch's version of Manito ended on a high note with the big reveal. It was a nostalgic and meaningful way for students to connect, laugh, and enjoy one last bonding moment before stepping into the next chapter of life.





# STUDENT LIFE & GAVEL CEREMONY 2025

– *Honoring Vision, Commitment,  
and New Beginnings*



# Passing the Gavel

## A Evening of Recognition & Renewal

The 2025 Gavel Ceremony was a heartfelt celebration of student leadership, marking a graceful transition between the outgoing and incoming student government. The event brought together faculty, staff and students to reflect on a year of achievements, service and growth. It honored individuals who demonstrated unwavering dedication, resilience, and creativity while uplifting the student experience at Habib University.

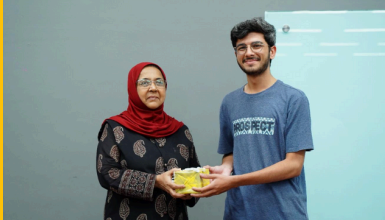


The ceremony opened with acknowledgments of the outgoing HUSG team's commitment, followed by award presentations that highlighted exceptional contributions across various student leadership roles and organizations. Laughter, nostalgia and a sense of shared purpose filled the room as students embraced one another, marking the close of a chapter and the start of a new one.

# Celebrating Excellence in Leadership

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Student clubs were also celebrated for their meaningful contributions throughout the academic year:



Syed Muslim Hussain  
**Natural Science Club**



Raahim Hashmi  
**Math Club**



Anas Bin Yousuf  
**SerVe Club**



Hammad Bin Zahoor  
**Multiverse Club**



Hazala Khan  
**Sports & Recreation Society**



Muhammad Abdullah  
**Natural Science Club**

Five HUSG members and best Vice-Chair were honored for their distinguished and service across key areas:



Muhammad Areeb Kazmi  
**Yohsin & Academic Affairs Cabinet**



Manal Hasan  
**Best Vice- Chair**



Alyzeh Miqdad  
**Communications Cabinet**



Erum Naushad  
**Events Cabinet**



Nehal Naeem Haji  
**Academic Affairs Cabinet**



Hafsa Ehsan  
**Graduation Committee**



# WELLNESS CORNER

– *Your Space for Balance,  
Care, and Growth*



# FINALS WEEK SURVIVAL GUIDE

## ***Stress Less, Study Smart***

Here's some good news: the semester is almost over! And the not-so-great news? Finals are around the corner. Whether you're taking exams, wrapping up projects, or just trying to stay afloat, here are some practical tips to help you manage stress and make the most of your studying.

### REFRAME SELF-TALK: CHANGE THE NARRATIVE



How you speak to yourself matters. A small shift in self-talk can reduce pressure and increase motivation.

### FUEL YOUR BODY

Support your energy and focus with basic wellness strategies:



Sleep 7–9 hours consistently

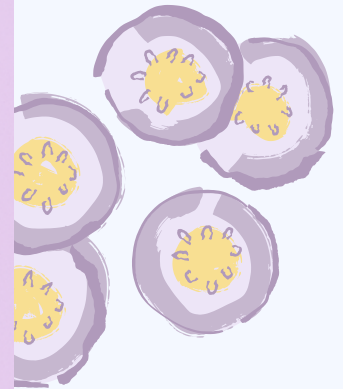


Take short breaks & healthy snacks



Eat balanced meals regularly

Stay hydrated (water > coffee)



### STUDY SMARTER With Proven Techniques



Use time-blocking methods:

- Schedule deep work sessions
- Note expectations
- Limit distractions with apps like Headspace or Forest



### REACH OUT IF YOU NEED SUPPORT

Don't isolate during finals. Connect with:

- Friends
- Family
- Counselors
- Faculty



You don't have to carry the stress alone.



**We are here to help!**

***Progress is more important than perfection.***

Take care of yourself — you've got this!

# STUDENT ACHIEVEMENTS

– *HU Lions, Rising High!*





# Harvard WorldMUN 2025

## Habib Debate Union's Stellar Representation

We are proud to celebrate Mahrukh Usmani (Social Development & Policy, Class of 2026) for receiving the Outstanding Diplomacy Award in the DISEC Committee at Harvard WorldMUN 2025, held in Manila, Philippines. She was part of a seven-member delegation from Habib University that engaged in high-level diplomacy, negotiation, and policy debate at one of the world's most prestigious Model United Nations conferences.

The delegation was led by Muhammad Umer Irfan Sharfuddin and included students from both the Social Development & Policy and Computer Science programs. This achievement reflects Habib University's ongoing commitment to global exposure and academic excellence.



## HEC Cricket Team Representation

### Taimur's Commitment to Sports & Academics

We're proud of Taimur, a member of HU Community who represented the HEC Cricket Team while maintaining strong academic performance. His dedication to both fields makes him a role model for fellow students. Taimur shares that cricket has taught him teamwork, discipline, and perseverance—qualities that have strengthened his academic journey. His success story is a powerful reminder that passion and performance can go hand in hand, inspiring others to pursue excellence both inside and outside the classroom.



# STAY CONNECTED!

*Stay in the loop with everything  
happening in Student Life!*



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Follow us on Instagram and reach out via email at [life@habib.edu.pk](mailto:life@habib.edu.pk) for any queries or support. We're here for you!



## **Share Your Achievements with Us!**

Scan the QR code and let us celebrate your accomplishments together!