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#### Meet our alumni

Here is something for you to enjoy throughout the year - the success stories of our alumni. AKU-EB's alumni are known for their conceptual understanding of subjects as well as the soft skill set they bring to the universities such as critical thinking, leadership and communication.

We find this out and more through an annual alumni survey.

AKU-EB was able to reach 81.5 per cent of its HSSC candidates graduating in 2012. Of these, 86 per cent candidates had gained admissions into colleges /universities among which 3.32 per cent gained admissions abroad.

- Admissions in 180 top institutions in Pakistan
- Candidates studying in 48 top universities abroad
- 6.7% of the candidates received scholarships by universities abroad

Some of the international placements include:

United States: University of Houston; University of Texas; Mount Holyoke College; Philadelphia University; Loyola University, Chicago; DePaul University, Chicago;

Canada: University of Toronto; University of Alberta; University of Regina; University of Windsor; Memorial University; Carleton University; Simon Fraser University; International College of Manitoba

Australia: Charles Sturt University; University of Western Sydney; University of Ballarat at AMI Melbourne China: Liaoning University of Engineering & Technology; Shenyang Aerospace University; University of International Business and Economics; China Medical University; Jiangsu University of Science and Technology; Chang'an University; Chongqing Medical University

**UK/Scotland:** University of Huddersfield; Hertfordshire University, University of Highlands and Islands, Scotland and more.

Check out a more comprehensive list of colleges/universities on our website:

#### http://examinationboard.aku.edu

We also celebrate the contributions of parents. Without their advice, encouragement and support our alumni wouldn't be where they are today - let's hear what they have to say.





#### Aleena Khan

AKU-EB Alumnus University of Toronto - Canada

"Studying at UOT is like a dream come true. Study pattern here is just like AKU-EB. Everything is conceptual and there are no short cuts. We have to do a lot of research and write essay assignments with a word limit and we can't plagiarize."

#### Mr & Mrs Khurram Khan

Parents

"The best return on our investment in Aleena's education is her overall grooming as a confident, conceptually sound and skilled individual. We encourage other parents to make a similar investment and opt for qualifications that stimulate the thinking process and uplift the general standards of morality in the society."

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**Aleena Khan** Criminology University of Toronto - Canada





#### Haris Bin Yousuf

AKU-EB Alumnus

NED University of Engineering & Technology - Karachi

"Since childhood, I was fascinated by my father's role as a chemical engineer. Today, I am studying the discipline myself at NED University. I am enjoying the independent learning here due to the similar learning experience provided by AKU-EB for four years. I am proud to be among the top three in my class currently."

#### **Mrs Muhammad Yousuf**

Mother

"Conceptual learning taught Haris how to explore new ideas in depth. Our investment in this type of quality education has paid off in the form of his transformation and success. We highly recommend AKU-EB to other parents, too so they can see the difference if their child is on the right track or not."

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Haris Bin Yousuf Chemical Engineering NED University of Engineering & Technology - Karachi





#### Hafsa Jawed

AKU-EB Alumnus

Dow University of Health Sciences - Karachi

"Life at Dow is challenging. But I find myself fitting in the demands of busy schedules in the medical environment. The hardworking seniors and the charm of successful doctors serve as a motivation. I have become a part of this institute where we joke around in medical terms and observe each other's hands to see whose veins are good enough for an IV puncture."

#### Mr Jawed Aba Ali

Father

"Transparent examinations make students work harder to achieve success rather than using unfair means. I believe my investment in Hafsa's education with AKU-EB was worth it as she is well prepared to face the challenges of life."

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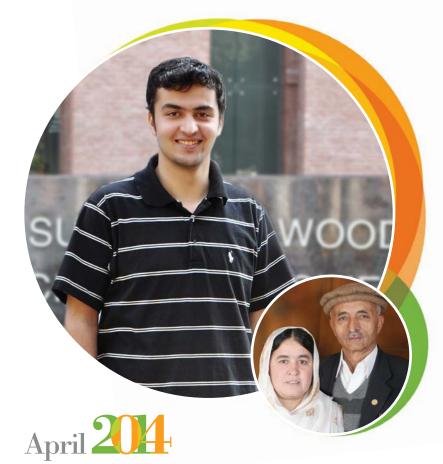
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Hafsa Jawed
MBBS
Dow University of
Health Sciences - Karachi





#### **Nasir Abbas**

AKU-EB Alumnus

Lahore University of Management Sciences (LUMS) - Lahore

"Inspiration and attitude of curiosity have brought me where I am today. Studies here are very competitive; it takes strong interpersonal, communication and thinking skills to be successful at LUMS. And I'm managing it well due to my learning experience with AKU-EB which opened up my mind and helped me think logically."

#### Mr & Mrs Ghulam Abbas

Parents

"We never compromised on our children's education even when we had to grow vegetables in our yard and sell them to generate funds for fees. I feel proud today that we chose a transparent examinations system for Nasir and his siblings which has built an ethical foundation of learning in them."

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Nasir Abbas Management Sciences Lahore University of Management Sciences (LUMS) - Lahore

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#### Nafees Anwer Ali

AKU-EB Alumnus Institute of Space Technology - Islamabad

"Space always fascinated me. I used to day dream about flying since childhood. Now studying at IST is a dream come true. I am also proud to be among the top 50 participants across the country for the National Science Talent Contest and meet Pakistan's renowned scientists."

#### Ms Mumtaz Anwer

Mother

"I appreciate AKU-EB for providing my daughter a strong foundation of learning in the most crucial years of her education. Depth of knowledge and understanding is what quality education is all about. Parents should focus more on their children's overall development instead of just marks gained through rote learning."

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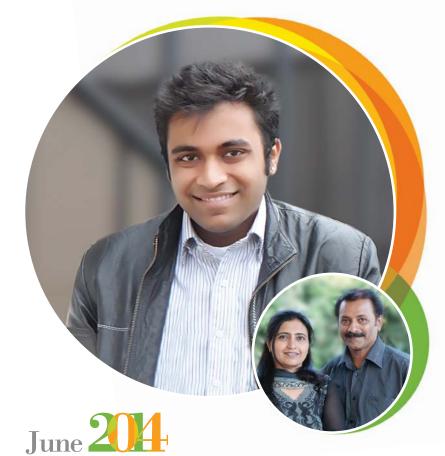
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Nafees Anwer Ali Aerospace Engineering Institute of Space Technology - Islamabad

Photo courtesy: Ayesha Malik





#### Rahim Hirani

AKU-EB Alumnus Hampshire College, USA

"I was prepared enough to appear in a series of tough tests required by Hampshire College, and finally won a scholarship of \$160,000 for four years to study Science. I also received the special Non Satis Scire (To know is not enough) Scholarship of \$10,000 a year in recognition of my academic and extra-curricular achievements. I intend to become a cardiologist and do social work upon my return to Pakistan."

#### Mr & Mrs Barkat Ali

**Parents** 

"Good education means more than just good marks; it is what makes a successful human being. We never compromised on Rahim's education. We wanted him to have a strong base of conceptual learning so he is able to solve problems in his life and those facing Pakistan for which we chose AKU-EB."

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**Rahim Hirani** B.S. in Science Hampshire College, USA

Photo Courtesy: Aamir Inayat





#### Khadeja Anum Bhatti

AKU-EB Ålumnus

National University of Science & Technology - Islamabad

"Public Administration is an interesting field which will prepare me to pursue CSS and eventually become a bureaucrat. The competitive exams, application and understanding based learning have helped me stand where I am today. Besides studies, I like to blog about unusual happenings, and engage in management and organization activities at the university."

#### Mr & Mrs Dr Mansoor Bhatti

**Parents** 

"Pakistan needs people with civic sense, integrity, fairness, compassion and leadership qualities. If only the examination systems across Pakistan are as thoughtful and transparent as AKU-EB's, the current scenario will automatically begin to change with children exploring and trusting their own capabilities rather than relying on unfair means."

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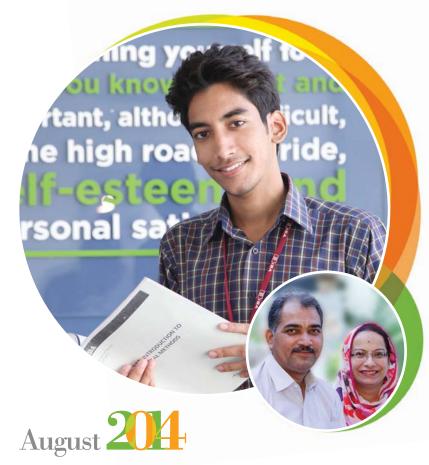
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Khadeja Anum Bhatti Public Administration National University of Science & Technology - Islamabad

 $Photo\ courtesy:\ Wasim\ Abbas\ Toorie$ 





#### Sameer Kayani

AKU-EB Alumnus

Institute of Business Administration - Karachi

"I was overwhelmed with joy when I got admitted to IBA with a 50% scholarship. The academic environment here is very dynamic and competitive. I am also interested in exploring Actuarial Sciences and Risk Management and plan to participate in dramatics, community welfare, public speaking and arts societies in the next few years."

#### Mr & Mrs Shabbir Kayani

Parents

"The world is changing so fast. Our youth will fall way behind the rest of the world with the rote learned outdated information. We appreciate that AKU-EB understands this need and revises its syllabuses to prepare students for the advancing world. We're happy that Sameer never had to take any extra tuition or entry test prep classes because he used resources outside of textbooks to master the concepts."

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Sameer Kayani Bi-Major B.S. in Economics & Mathematics Institute of Business Administration - Karachi





#### Zohaira Rehman

AKU-EB Alumnus King Edwards Medical University - Lahore

"I am honored to have served as a cultural ambassador for Pakistan through the Youth Exchange Study program. King Edwards is highly competitive. It takes broad perspectives, deep conceptual understanding and a lot of hard work to excel here. After graduation, I aim to help end healthcare disparities in the poor regions of Pakistan."

#### Mr & Mrs Fazal-ur-Rehman

**Parents** 

"Education is beneficial when it produces good global citizens with leadership skills and ethical values. We chose AKU-EB for all of our children because we wanted them to be in safe hands, enhance their sense of fairness, integrity and responsibility. We wanted them to learn independently, think critically and solve problems creatively."

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**Zohaira Rehman**MBBS
King Edwards Medical University - Lahore

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#### Saman Naeem

AKU-EB Alumnus Indus Valley School of Art & Architecture - Karachi

"Being a pre-med student, I was expected to study medicine but I decided to pursue an alternative field of study - one that allowed my passion and creative juices to flow. Thanks to AKU-EB which gave me confidence to choose my own direction."

#### Mr & Mrs M. Naeem Moti

Parents

"We chose AKU-EB for all of our children because of conceptual learning which will stay with them for life. Besides, it focused not just on careers but also on the character. Saman excelled in entry tests and easily obtained admission at IVS. She was well-prepared to fulfill the demands of higher education through hard work and self-motivation."

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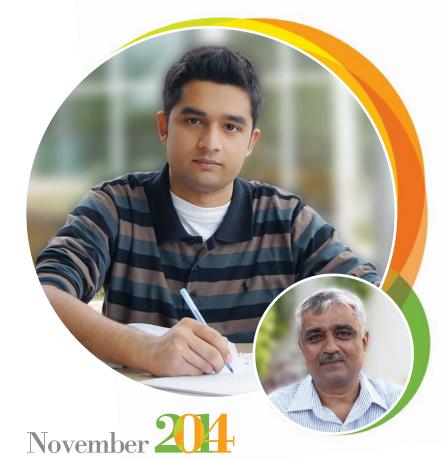
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Saman Naeem Textile Design Indus Valley School of Art & Architecture - Karachi





#### Kareem Khalid Iqbal

AKU-EB Alumnus University of Texas - USA

"I want to become a Certified Public Accountant. Studying Accounting in high school was a great opportunity which built a foundation of basic concepts in me. Those concepts are now helping me here in understanding the subject at an advanced level."

#### Mr Khalid Iqbal

Father

"AKU-EB's conceptual learning method is helping Kareem adjust easily with studies abroad. We could save money all our lives but the future of our children could be saved only once. I advise other parents to think about it and give a gift of quality education to their children so that they can learn to think critically and make informed decisions for happier lives."

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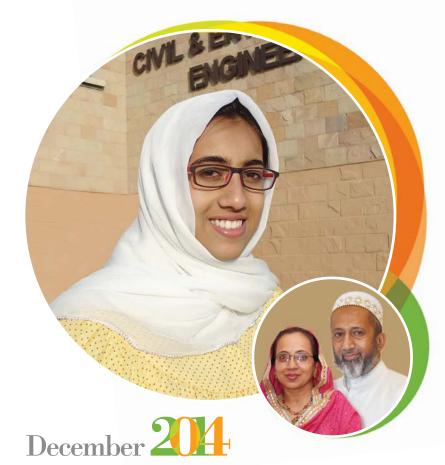


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Kareem Khalid Iqbal Accounting University of Texas - USA

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#### **Tasneem Marzban**

AKU-EB Alumnus

National University of Science & Technology - Islamabad

"The practical sense of reality helps build a sound career. Having realized the path towards a goal is an achievement in itself. And I wouldn't have attained such intellectually coherent way of thinking had I not studied with AKU-EB. I want to become a Structural Engineer with inspiration from my father who is a Geologist."

#### Mr & Mrs Joozer Marzban

Parents

"Transparency ensures merit. It builds confidence in children that they will get the reward of their hard work. Our decision to choose AKU-EB was the best gift we could ever give to Tasneem. Conceptual understanding and critical thinking improved her decision making about every aspect of life. She was well prepared for higher studies knowing what she wanted from life."

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**Tasneem Marzban**Civil Engineering
National University of Science &
Technology - Islamabad

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