



PROFORMA FOR QUALITY ENHANCEMENT CELL'S WEBSITE

All the Teaching Departments/ Institutes/ Centers of the University of Karachi are requested to provide the following information to the Quality Enhancement Cell for uploading it on its website.

A. Name of the Department/ Institute/ Center :- Applied Economics Research Centre (AERC).

B. Mission of the Departments/ Institute/ Center:- _____

C. Mission Statement of the Programme

1. BS: _____ N.A. _____

2. MS: M.A.S/ M.S leading to Ph.D Programme. _____

3. Ph.D.: The Ph.D programme is under process and it will start shortly.

D. Objectives of the Programme

1. BS: _____ N.A. _____

2. MS: (i) The AERC is a leading research and teaching institute in the country. _____

(ii) To provide applied/ advanced postmasters training in Economics. _____

(iii) To conduct seminar, group discussions, lectures to bring together different stakeholders.

(iv) To undertake in-house research on pertinent economic issues.

3. Ph.D: (i) To provide Ph.D students for the betterment of Pakistan Economy to create additional capacity for advance level research and training in the long-run. _____

E. The outcomes of programme i.e. the attributes the student will acquire after successful completion of the courses of studies and research degrees

1. BS: _____ N.A. _____

2. MS: (i) A major component of the degree is training in a specific field where students are able to apply the theory and quantitative techniques acquired in the programme to write a thesis.

(ii) Over 400 students have successfully completed their MAS/ M.Phil programme, and have been serving at important positions including State Bank of Pakistan, Chambers of Commerce & Industries, Universities, Planning Commission, Ministry of Finance, International organizations and the private sectors.

3. Ph.D: _____

F. Semester wise Courses (syllabus) for MAS/MS:-.

First Quarter	Second Quarter
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Microeconomics-I 2. Macroeconomics-I 3. Econometrics-I 4. Mathematics for Economists 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Microeconomics-I 2. Macroeconomics-II 3. Econometrics-II 4. Development Economics
Third Quarter	Fourth quarter: (Any 2 courses as Optional)*
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. General Equilibrium & Welfare Economics 2. Issues in Pakistan Economy 3. Applied Econometrics & Computer Applications 4. Research Methodology 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Agriculture Economics 2. Finance 3. Industrial Economics 4. Islamic Economics 5. International Trade 6. Public Finance 7. Project Evaluation 8. Urban Economics 9. Monetary Economics 10. Environmental Economics 11. Economics of Human Resource 12. Microfinance 13. Portfolio Management & Investment Analysis 14. Any other

Note:- * Subject to the availability of faculty.

G. Names, qualifications and designations of the faculty members