First International Conference on

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2006



CALL FOR PAPERS

To be held on **April 3 – 5, 2006**

At
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The Institute of Statistics, being the premier institution of higher education in Statistics & Operations Research in Pakistan is promoting, imparting and acquiring the traditional as well as nontraditional knowledge & research through conferences, teaching and learning.

We have planned to hold the 'First International Conference on Statistics & Operations Research' from April 3 – 5, 2006.

The Conference aims at reinforcing scientific and technological collaboration between the foreign and Pakistani scholars at a very high level, in a move to develop sustainable scientifically-based strategies for the management and preservation of state-of-art areas of Statistics, Applied & Mathematical Statistics, Operations Research, Actuarial Sciences, Risk Management and Biostatistics. Exchange of ideas, expertise, experiences and know-how between researchers, end-users and policy makers.

The Conference will provide a useful opportunity to the participants to share knowledge of their latest researches in different fields of Statistics & Operations Research with its broad scope, and to develop future collaborations across disciplines and borders.

Research Scholars from all over the world are invited to participate and present papers on theoretical, methodological, and applied contributions that advance the knowledge of Statistics, Probability, Biostatistics, Actuarial Sciences and Operations Research.

The holding of an International Conference involves so much financial aspects. The Organizing Committee is trying its best. I am confident that the Institute of Statistics, at University of the Punjab, would meet this challenge and organize this event successfully.

I welcome all the statisticians to the historical city of Lahore which is a cultural hub of Pakistan. I wish you success with your deliberations.

Conference Topics:

- 1. Biostatistics
- 2. Applied Statistics
- 3. Probability and Inference
- 4. Operations Research and Management
- 5. Regression Analysis
- 6. Time Series Analysis
- 7. Sampling and Sampling Distribution
- 8. Multivariate and Experimental Designs
- 9. Statistical Applications in Management
- 10. Total Quality Management
- 11. Statistical Quality Control
- 12. Marketing Research
- 13. Order Statistics
- 14. Applications of Computer Science in Statistics
- 15. Simulation
- 16. Econometrics

The Participants are requested to send the attached preliminary registration and abstract(s) of their paper(s) to the Conference Secretariat before January 20, 2005.

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Multimedia/Overhead projectors will be available for authors at each meeting. Authors wishing to use other equipments should contact the Conference Secretariat well in advance.

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- Paper should not be more than fifteen pages.

Please submit 5 hard copies of the paper along with a soft copy on CD-ROM or through email. Floppy disk will not be accepted due to their unreliability.

Submission of 100-150 words Abstract	January 20, 2005
Notification of Acceptance of Abstract	January 31, 2005
Last date of submission of full papers	February 25, 2006
Feedback to authors and selection of papers	March 06, 2006
Final paper drafting due (one of the authors must register and attend the conference)	March 20, 2006
Registration Deadline	March 22, 2006