

# BPIC 2025 NEWSLETTER

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## Participant Spotlight

Congratulations to all 24 shortlisted teams who qualified for the Balochistan Policy Innovation Challenge (BPIC) 2025 after competitive screening through forms and interviews. Their dedication, research skills, and commitment to policy innovation showcased the remarkable talent emerging from Balochistan's youth.

## EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

### \* BPIC 2025 Closing & Winners Showcase

A special recap session was held where the winning teams presented their award-winning policy ideas.

### \* Policy Writing Workshops

CRPPSS successfully conducted follow-up trainings for students seeking to strengthen their policy drafting skills.

### \* Youth Leadership & Governance Series

A series of mentorship sessions took place at Mountain View Tech Park, engaging students in governance and leadership discussions.



## BPIC 2025 Highlights

# Empowering Youth Voices for Sustainable Policy Solutions

The Balochistan Policy Innovation Challenge (BPIC) 2025, organized by the Center for Research Policy Development Peace and Strategic Studies (CRPPSS) in collaboration with DHA Quetta and Mountain View Technologies Park, was held from 29–31 October 2025. This three-day event created a dynamic platform for university students to design practical, research-driven policy proposals addressing Balochistan's pressing issues.

Grounded in the belief that youth must be central to public dialogue, BPIC 2025 fostered collaboration between academia, civil society, and government stakeholders bringing fresh perspectives to longstanding regional challenges. Participants worked across three main policy modules: 1) AI in Education & Human Capital Development 2) Environment & Climate Resilience 3) Sustainable Development & Resource Management. From over a hundred applications, 24 teams were selected after screening and interviews.

## Message From CRPPSS Leadership

We are proud of the dedication, discipline, and creativity displayed by every participant of BPIC 2025. Over the three days, students demonstrated exceptional teamwork, research skills, and a true commitment to policy innovation. Their contributions reaffirm that Balochistan's youth are ready to lead the province toward a more sustainable future.



Policy Experts

## Experts Brought Policy to Life

During BPIC 2025, distinguished speakers transformed complex policy topics into engaging and practical learning sessions.

Lectures and workshops led by Mr. Dawood Nangyal, Dr. Hidayatullah Khan, Dr. Waheed Noor, Wali Khilji,

and Dr. Muhammad Aadil Siddique helped students understand governance, AI in education, sustainability, and regional development challenges. Their expertise guided students in refining their final proposals.



**“When young people understand the system, they become capable of improving it.”**  
—BPIC Speakers

## BPIC Week in Pictures



- Students participating in BPIC's opening ceremony
- Teams attending workshops and technical sessions



Group discussions and collaborative policy drafting



- Judges evaluating presentations during the competition
- Winners receiving shields and cash prizes



Participants networking and engaging in icebreaking activities



DAY 3

## BPIC 2025 Competition Day Highlights

On 31st October, final presentations were evaluated across two rounds by highly respected judges.

**Winners:**

- **AI in Education:** Digital Defenders (Haseebullah & Abdul Rehman) From BUIITEMS.
- **Sustainable Development:** Team G2 (Muhammad Rizwan & Hassam ud Din) From UOB.
- **Environment & Climate Resilience:** The Earth Healers (Hashir Ali & Sabeen Raza) From BUIITEMS.
- **Best Policy Award:** The Earth Healers

**Each module winner received 30,000 PKR, while the Best Policy Award included 10,000 PKR. The closing ceremony, graced by CEO Raheel Javed, celebrated the participants' dedication and outstanding achievements.**

## Get Involved!

CRPPSS continues to support youth voices in policymaking. Students interested in future policy competitions, research programs, or leadership opportunities may visit the CRPPSS office at Mountain View Tech Park for updates on upcoming initiatives.

