



## 7th British Council Counsellors' Symposium at Beaconhouse National University, Lahore

16 February 2017

For Career Advisors, Student Counsellors, Student Advisors, Educational Leaders,  
Educational Managers, Educational Consultants and Teachers

Speakers and trainers are representatives from International Offices of leading UK institutions, professional career counsellors, entrepreneurs and leading academics. The event will be packed with productive and exciting opportunities for professional development through interactive sharing of knowledge on a variety of topics focussing on counselling, career guidance and education.

Symposium will provide participants with an opportunity to develop professionally and gain knowledge essential to their field. They will be able to develop professional networks with their colleagues from across the region and internationally.

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Programme printed overleaf

## British Council Counsellors' Symposium 2017 - Programme

**Thursday, 16 February 2017**

Time	Session
08:15 to 08:45	<b>Registrations and seating in hall</b>
09:00 to 09:05	<b>Welcome note by host institution</b>
09:05 to 09:10	<b>Welcome note by British Council</b>
09:10 to 10:30	Panel discussion <b>'Student counselling in Pakistan - expectations and limitations'</b> Moderator: Saman Imtiaz, British Council Panellists: Syed Abidi, Education Consultant Zeeshan Riaz, Education Counsellor Fehmida Saad, Education Counsellor
10:30 to 10:45	<b>Tea break</b>
10:45 to 11:45	Plenary session <b>'Core skills and competencies for effective student counselling'</b> by Zeeshan Riaz, Country Representative, University of Warwick
11:45 to 12:45	Plenary session <b>'Subject selection and what to expect from higher education in the UK'</b> by Dan Herman, International Officer, University of Manchester
12:45 to 13:30	<b>Lunch</b>
13:30 to 14:30	Parallel session A <b>'Digital research skills for effective counselling'</b> by Sannan Wastani, Digital Manager, British Council
	Parallel session B <b>'Counselling post graduate and research students'</b> by Zaeem Yaqoob Khan, Director Student Affairs and External Relations, BNU
	Parallel session C <b>'Active student engagement in the counselling process'</b> by Fehmida Saad, General Manager, Aspire Consulting
14:30 to 15:00	<b>Tea break</b>
15:00 to 16:00	Finale - Plenary session <b>'Career Counsellors for the 21st Century - Facts and Myths'</b> by Syed Abidi, Chief Executive, Falcon Education and Consultancy Services (Pvt) Ltd.
16:00 to 17:00	<b>Group photograph, certificate ceremony and feedback form collection</b>

### Registration Details:

Registration fee is PKR 10,000/- per participant  
 Group discount for a group of five people registering together is PKR 7,000/- per participant

### Mode of Payment:

Pay order or Bank Draft payable to **British Council** in PKR

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