Commencement of Classes - Batch 1

Presidential Initiative for Artificial Intelligence & Computing

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8,896
Students in Karachi

5,480	1,918	1,498
Artificial Intelligence	**Cloud Native**	**Blockchain**

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17,529

STUDENTS PARTICIPATED
IN THE ENTRANCE EXAMS

10,884

Artificial Intelligence

3,906

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STUDENTS WILL ATTEND
CLASSES FROM APRIL 13, 2019

5,480

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Locations of Classes

PIAIC has partnered with the Sindh Boy Scouts, Adamjee Institute of Management Sciences, and Saylani Welfare Trust to hold classes in the auditoriums at their respective facilities.

1. [Sindh Boy Scouts Auditorium](#)
2. [Sir Adamjee Institute of Management Sciences](#)
3. [Saylani Head Office Bahadurabad](#)
4. [Saylani Gulshan Campus](#)

Schedule of Classes

Artificial Intelligence

Name	Campus	Day	Time	First Class Date
Sindh Boy Scouts Association	Main Campus	Sunday	9 AM to 12 PM	14th April 2019
Sindh Boy Scouts Association	Main Campus	Sunday	6:45 PM to 9:45 PM	14th April 2019
Sir Adamjee Institute of Management Sciences	FB Area Campus	Sunday	12:15 PM to 3:15 PM	21st April 2019
Sir Adamjee Institute of Management Sciences	FB Area Campus	Sunday	3:30 PM to 6:30 PM	21st April 2019
Sir Adamjee Institute of Management Sciences	FB Area Campus	Saturday	5:15 PM to 8:15 PM	20th April 2019
Saylani Welfare	Head Office Campus	Sunday	9 AM to 12 PM	14th April 2019
Saylani Welfare	Head Office Campus	Sunday	12:15 PM to 3:15 PM	14th April 2019
Saylani Welfare	Head Office Campus	Sunday	6:45 PM to 9:45 PM	14th April 2019
Saylani Welfare	Head Office Campus	Saturday	3:30 PM to 6:30 PM	13th April 2019
Saylani Welfare	Head Office Campus	Saturday	6:45 PM to 9:45 PM	13th April 2019
Saylani Welfare	Gulshan Campus	Sunday	9 AM to 12 PM	14th April 2019
Saylani Welfare	Gulshan Campus	Sunday	12:15 PM to 3:15 PM	14th April 2019
Saylani Welfare	Gulshan Campus	Sunday	3:30 PM to 6:30 PM	14th April 2019
Saylani Welfare	Gulshan Campus	Sunday	6:45 PM to 9:45 PM	14th April 2019
Saylani Welfare	Gulshan Campus	Saturday	9 AM to 12 PM	13th April 2019
Saylani Welfare	Gulshan Campus	Saturday	12:15 PM to 3:15 PM	13th April 2019
Saylani Welfare	Gulshan Campus	Saturday	6:45 PM 9:45 PM	13th April 2019

Cloud Native

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Sindh Boy Scouts Association	Main Campus	Sunday	12:15 PM to 3:15 PM	14th April 2019
Sir Adamjee Institute of Management Sciences	FB Area Campus	Sunday	6:45 PM to 9:45 PM	21st April 2019
Sir Adamjee Institute of Management Sciences	FB Area Campus	Saturday	2 PM to 5 PM	20th April 2019
Saylani Welfare	Head Office Campus	Sunday	3:30 PM to 6:30 PM	14th April 2019
Saylani Welfare	Gulshan Campus	Saturday	3:30 PM to 6:30 PM	13th April 2019

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Presidential Initiative for Artificial Intelligence and Computing

In December 2018, the Honorable President of Pakistan, Dr. Arif Alvi, launched the Presidential Initiative for Artificial Intelligence and Computing. The mission of PIAIC is to reshape Pakistan by revolutionizing education, research, and business by adopting latest, cutting-edge technologies. Experts are calling this the 4th industrial revolution. Pakistan will become a global hub for AI, data science, cloud native computing, edge computing, blockchain, augmented reality, and internet of things.

For more information about PIAIC, to view our programs, please visit our website at www.piaic.org. You may also watch the PIAIC intro video here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=sqtc7s1KZEg.

In the first phase, PIAIC will start classes in Karachi. Over the course of the year, classes will also begin in Lahore, Islamabad, Quetta, and Peshawar. Important updates are always reflected on our official website (www.piaic.org). You may also join our facebook group to stay up to date on all announcements and may also ask any questions related to PIAIC (www.facebook.com/groups/piaic).
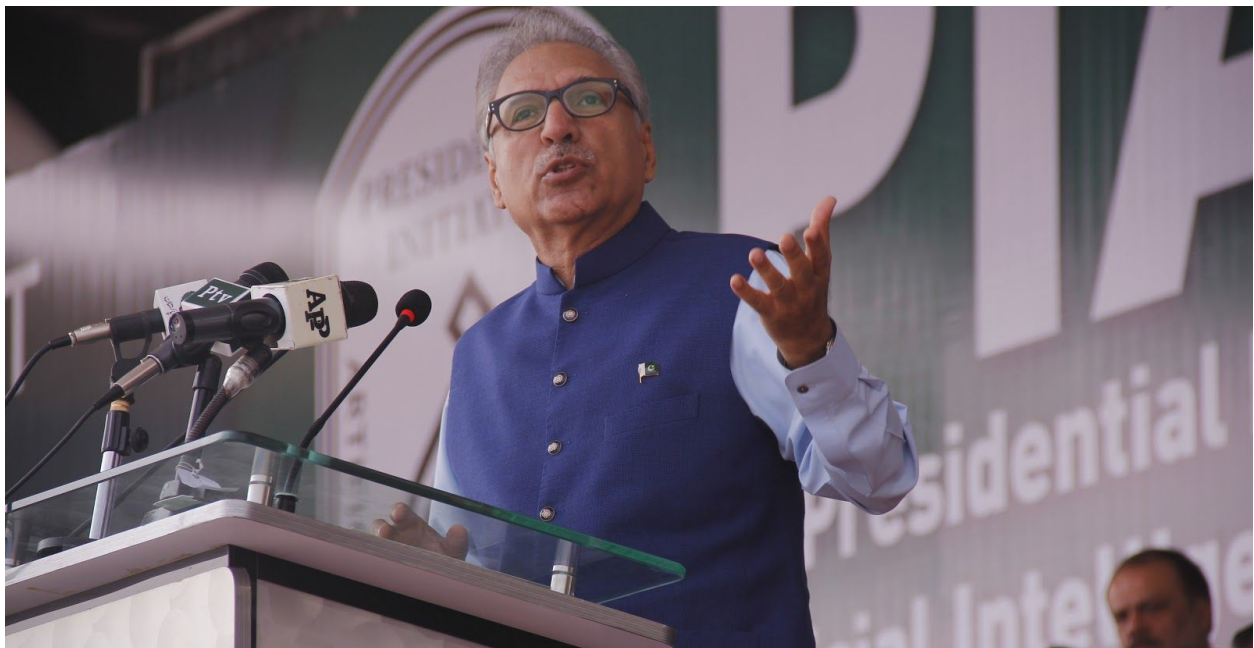
Appendix A: Entrance Exams at Abdul Sattar Edhi Hockey Stadium - Karachi

The PIAIC entrance exams were held across 2 days (January 20th & 27th, 2018).

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STUDENTS PARTICIPATED IN THE ENTRANCE EXAMS

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Artificial Intelligence

Top Score

Tanazzah Rehman

3,906

Cloud Native

Top Score

Mirza Anas Baig

2,739

Blockchain

Top Score

Abdur Rahman Khan

Appendix B: About the Test

The PIAIC entrance test was composed of 30 questions distributed into three sections:

1. English & Comprehension (5 Questions)
2. Math & IQ (22 Questions)
3. General Knowledge (3 Questions)

The English & Comprehension section tests the students ability to read, analyze, and comprehend the information contained within a passage of text. Students will be asked MCQ based questions to measure the student's ability to understand key points from written text.

The Math & IQ section tests the student's logic and intelligence quotient. Students will be asked MCQ based questions to measure the student's intelligence in the areas of pattern recognition, logical reasoning, and basic mathematics.

The General Knowledge section tests the student's knowledge of the history of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan. These MCQ based questions measure the student's knowledge of historical figures and events.

Appendix C: Merit Ranking List

Results have been tabulated and the official merit ranking list is published along with this official release from the PIAIC. PIAIC intends to offer seats to the maximum number of students as per the availability of seats in our classrooms and the exam scores and ranking of the students.

To find your PIAIC entrance exam merit ranking, please open the sheet for which you have applied for. From your screen you may find your Roll Number and name and see your ranking in the entrance exam.

Admission into PIAIC classes will be given only on the basis of merit ranking. PIAIC will communicate with students via email in the next few weeks to notify them about their selection into the program. This email will contain instructions on the enrollment procedure as well. The selection will be dependent on the number of seats available and and the merit ranking of the candidate. The merit ranking is being announced below, the number of seats available will be announced in the coming weeks and months in phases and batches.

Artificial Intelligence

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1fHIkX4svrLa5xoLxfr3cfHDAcVuW4NPKzP5aUIgOsIE/edit?usp=sharing

Cloud Native

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1Z43Td1e9sQyqULfmmTum2-do6L7YZolAFj9A7iQHVuM/edit?usp=sharing

Blockchain

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/13jVKjtOhdEphqTyUW2ZSYSWbJTClDgqYhdeP5QmjyAc/edit?usp=sharing

PLEASE NOTE: THESE LISTS INDICATE THE MERIT RANKING OF ALL STUDENTS WHO HAVE PARTICIPATED IN THE EXAM. THIS DOES NOT GUARANTEE ADMISSION INTO THE PROGRAM. ONLY THE TOP RANKING STUDENTS WILL BE ADMITTED INTO THE PROGRAM, SOLELY ON THE BASIS OF THE MERIT RANKING LIST. STUDENTS WILL BE NOTIFIED OF THE SELECTION BASED ON THE MERIT RANKING LIST VIA EMAIL IN THE UPCOMING WEEKS FOLLOWING THIS ANNOUNCEMENT.

Appendix D: Selection Process

Round One

Students selected in round one of admissions were given the first priority for selection of onsite or online participation in order of merit for each of the three programs.

> *Artificial Intelligence*
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>> Top 4,400 students selected
>> Merit rank 1 - 4,400
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>> https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/143lCMq1ngjBKUZ3vah-F2Gd6lsdwbywfhgmNELr8qGU/edit?usp=sharing
>>
>> Because extra seats were left over for females in the Artificial Intelligence program, the following are the roll numbers of female students have been accepted into the program, on the basis of merit.
>>
>> 41 additional female students based on merit list
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>> https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1Y12QcsTXAu_i0Y6cpAXs9rRV-q7b7iy3FhKfllBTgUM/edit?usp=sharing
>
> *Cloud Native*
>
>> Top 1,600 students selected
>> Merit rank 1 - 1,600
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>> https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1DKbD1Ay8Iezn3tS4TRskVJIjgU0yJJw3ip8NqTZedFE/edit?usp=sharing
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>> Because extra seats were left over for females in the Cloud Native Computing program, the following are the roll numbers of female students have been accepted into the program, on the basis of merit.
>>
>> 125 additional female students based on merit list
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>> https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1ml2sLF-aaIs0w2GdJf4g41qXdX3p37wDgtvTeBaahXw/edit?usp=sharing

Blockchain

Top 1,200 students selected
Merit rank 1 - 1,200

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1dDkUjmNx8R_tClVok4nl5PqEmetazs_xTtrZ95fsEdA/edit?usp=sharing

Round Two

Students selected in round two of admissions were given the second priority, after round one admissions had closed, for selection of onsite or online participation in order of merit for each of the three programs.

Artificial Intelligence

Merit Rank: 4401 - 6919
Please note that students selected below this rank are females due to extra seats available in the women only sections.

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1Eir1DhiRNksA6QK-H9tRrA9xftw7QB02Lbn_DVtcMoo/edit?usp=sharing

Cloud Native

Merit Rank: 1601 - 2486
Please note that students selected below this rank are females due to extra seats available in the women only sections.

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/15wfw8JtFk1zDozLMrN71dbUDX8pxPBkFX3WBg7fXMSA/edit?usp=sharing

Blockchain

Merit Rank: 1201 - 2057

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1vUgcXA6aWeFZ9fIzcn5AwUwb5-0chT4Pw4vxou7lHrE/edit?usp=sharing

Round Three

Artificial Intelligence

Merit Rank: 6920 - 8361

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1ckco7IrRVmbmLM6URTcsxVQRTZgf8J4K-NYyGbF7ZC0/edit#gid=0

Cloud Native

Merit Rank: 2487 - 2950

https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/13m8BpG5cpHOYpaunErLk36uB85-ZgWAudShMo1FZMQY/edit#gid=0

Blockchain

No students were selected for admissions into the Blockchain program in round three.

Pakistanis will be leading the world in the future.

Dr. Arif Alvi

President of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan

I will not rest until, Insha'Allah, this project and the project of Naya Pakistan is successful.

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