



# Newsletter

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### 1<sup>st</sup> Consortium Meeting

The First Consortium Meeting of GetInnovative4Impact was held on 15th May 2023. Dr. Inam ul Ahad was selected as the convenor of the meetings for the first year. The meeting started with the introduction and the details about the kick-off meeting were shared.



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### Kick-Off Meeting-GetInnovative4Impact

The kick-off meeting of GetInnovative4Impact was held at the University of Brescia (UNIBS), Brescia City, Italy from 2nd August 2023 to 4th August 2023. Prof. Dr. Analisa Pola and Dr. Marialaura of UNIBS organized the meeting. Teams of NEDUET and DCU attended the meeting physically, whereas, teams of UETT, BUET, UMP and UNIMAP joint the meeting via online.

Dr. Tariq Jamil convened the kick-off meeting. In the meeting, project partners presented the current scenario of the industry related to the digital transformation in Pakistan and Malaysia. Dr. Anis Fatima, Dr. Syed Amir Iqbal and Dr. Salman Hussain presented the case of Pakistan, whereas, Dr. Noorhafiza and Dr. Asnul Hadi Ahmed discussed the digital manufacturing aspects in Malaysia.

The detailed plan related to all the work packages, deliverables and tasks were discussed in detail. Dr. Inam ul Ahad discussed the issues and solutions to the project plan.

The UNIBS representative arranged the visit to the facilities in the Engineering Campus of the University.

A dinner was mutually arranged for the partners who were physically present in the UNIBS. On 4th August 2023, training of Project Management was also conducted by Dr. Muhammad Wasif.



## Preparing for Getinnovative4Impact

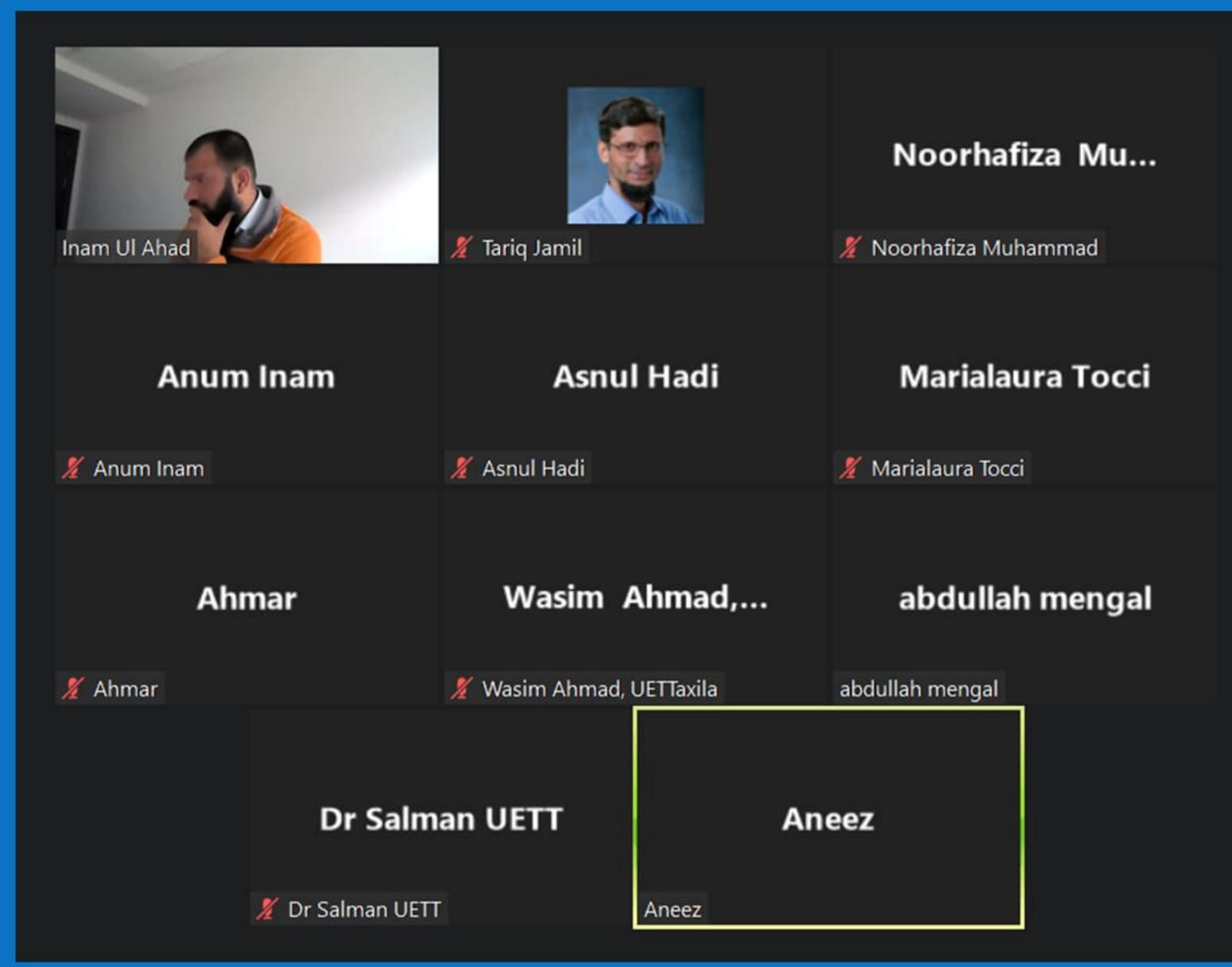
During the visit of Dr. Inam ul Ahad to Pakistan, in December 2022, Dr. Tariq Jamil and Dr. Muhammad Wasif had a meet-up with him. A discussion on acceptance and advancements in digital manufacturing was carried out. The core responsibilities of the partner were discussed in details.

# Professional Trainings Development Committee (PTDC)

During the 1<sup>st</sup> Consortium Meeting of the GetInnovate4Impact, a Professional Trainings Development Committee (PTDC) was formed, which held its three trainings during the reporting period.

Following are the dates of the PTDC meetings. The minutes of the meetings were issued to all the partners.

1st PTDC Meeting 15 May 2023 2nd PTDC Meeting 21 July 2023 3rd PTDC Meeting 28 July 2023



## DISSEMINATION ACTIVITIES AHEAD OF SEMINAR # 01

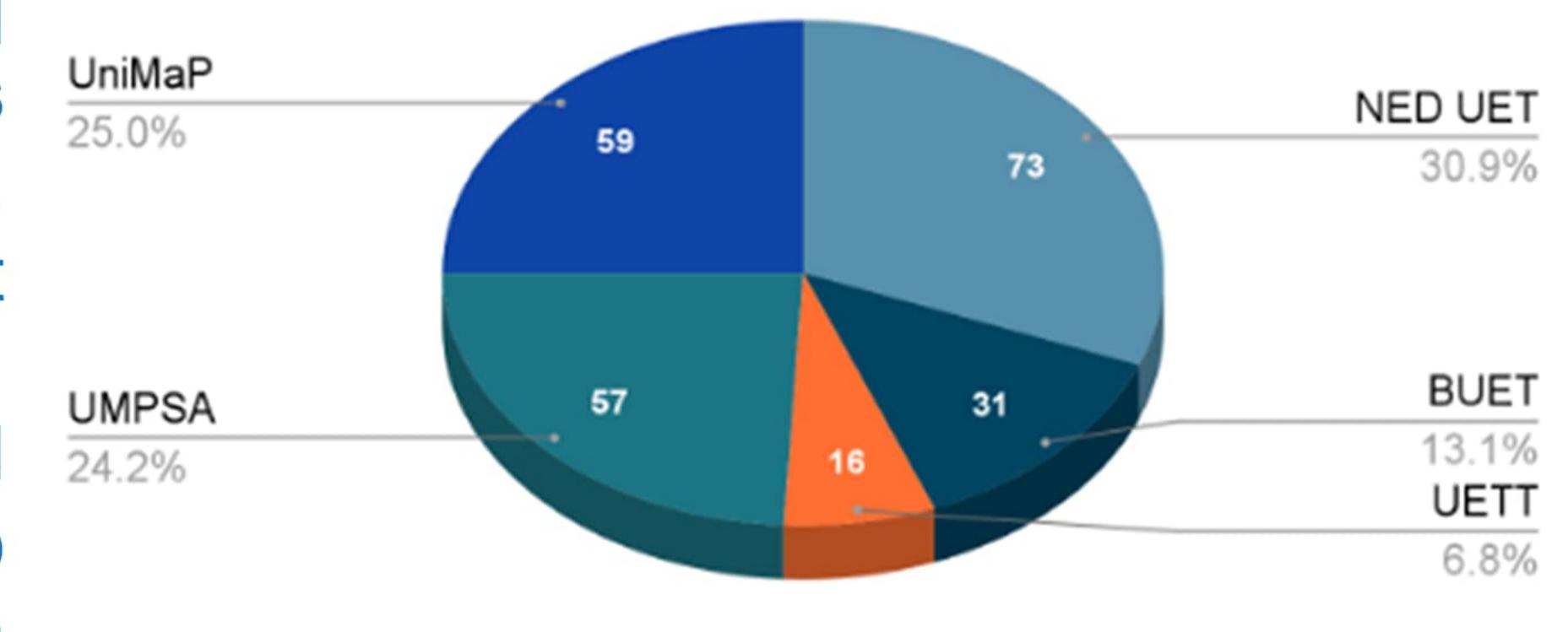
Under the supervision of Dr. Tariq Jamil, as Dr. Inam proposed Awarness seminar on digital manufacturing topics. The team GetInnovative4Impact set oneself and started

Flyers were designed and displayed at the departmental level and also disseminated using social media platform for maximum reach.

A QR code for registration was affixed to flyers so that attendees may register in advance of the session. These facts were utilized to estimate the amount of room needed in the seminar hall to accommodate every participant. All Pakistani and Malaysian higher education institutions have adopted this method.

Response of Participants Ahead of Seminar

Total 248 Responses





### Capacity Building Seminar on Digital Manufacturing

An online seminar was arranged by Dr. Tariq Jamil (Primary Coordinator Contact) of the project in NED University of Engineering and Technology in association with the Dublin City University of Ireland. The speakers delivered a knowledgeable online seminars on

- 1. Critical Raw Materials for a Resource Efficient Circular Economy
- 2. Recent Advancements in Laser-related Manufacturing Processes.

The seminar was arranged on 19th October 2023 from 1:00 pm to 2:00 pm and it was also broadcast live to the partner

University of Engineering and Technology (Taxila, Pakistan), Baluchistan University of Engineering and Technology (Khuzdar, Pakistan), Universiti Malaysia Perlis (Malaysia) and Universiti Malaysia Pahang (Malaysia).

Faculty members and students of undergraduate studies of all the five partner institution attended the seminar. At the end of the seminar, a question answer session was arranged, in which faculty members and students ask the questions, who were briefed by the resource persons. A total of 200 students and 10 faculty members participated in the seminar.









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### DISSEMINATION THROUGH SOCIAL MEDIA & WEBISTE

Project dissemination is an ongoing responsibility that must be executed via social media platforms and the project's website. Social media and the website are routinely updated in order to maintain communication with key stakeholders.

For the purpose of informing stakeholders about the initiatives, the website and social media accounts feature galleries of the seminars and workshops, as well as blog posts.

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