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UNIVERSITY OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY MULTAN
FIRST PUBLIC SECTOR ENGINEERING UNIVERSITY IN SOUTH PUNJAB

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SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

17 PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS

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Evidence Report: Events and Activities

Muhammad Nawaz Sharif University of Engineering & Technology, Multan

Overview of Activities

Initiatives supporting Partnerships for the Goals (SDG 17)

MNSUET Multan entered into the following partnership agreement and held the following orientation session with an external partner in support of SDG 17 (Partnerships for the Goals). Details and supporting material are given on the following pages.

Activity	Date	Type
Memorandum of Understanding between MNS-UET and Punjab Small Industries Corporation (PSIC)	29 October 2025	University–industry partnership (MoU)
Fulbright Orientation (USEFP)	27 November 2025	Orientation session (external partner)

Memorandum of Understanding between MNS-UET and Punjab Small Industries Corporation (PSIC)

29 October 2025

Date signed: October 29, 2025

Parties: Muhammad Nawaz Sharif University of Engineering & Technology, Multan (MNS-UET) and Punjab Small Industries Corporation (PSIC)

Signed by: Prof. Dr. Engr. Tahir Sultan, Vice Chancellor, MNS-UET, and Ms. Ammarah Manzoor, Regional Director, PSIC

Witnesses: Prof. Dr. Asim Umer, Registrar, MNS-UET, and Mr. Muhammad Sarmad, Assistant Director, PSIC

Focal persons: Engr. Mina Arshad, In-charge, Industrial Liaison Office, MNS-UET, and Ms. Ammarah Manzoor, Regional Director, PSIC, Multan Regional Office

Validity: Three years from the date of signature, automatically renewed for similar periods unless terminated by six months' written notice

About the Partnership

The MoU establishes a framework for cooperation between the University and PSIC, a public sector organization under the Government of Punjab that promotes small and medium enterprises (SMEs), to jointly carry out capacity-building activities in the field of engineering and associated sciences.

Scope of Cooperation

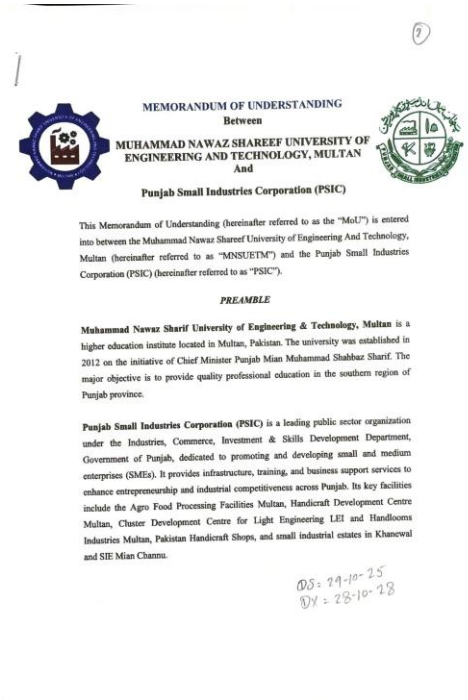
- Developing and strengthening university–industry interaction
- Technical guidance and sharing of knowledge about process innovations and cost-effective analytical and industrial methods
- Training on CNC and other advanced machinery at the Cluster Development Centre for Light Engineering Industries, Industrial Estate, Multan
- Internships of up to six weeks, with training as per industry policies
- Joint research and development, supporting faculty and research students
- Study tours facilitated by PSIC to explore the current scenario of technical education
- Supporting industry in resolving design and technical problems through faculty and research students

SDG Alignment

SDG 17 (Partnerships for the Goals). The MoU builds a formal partnership between the University and a public sector industrial organization.

MoU with PSIC: Signed Copy

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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
Between
MUHAMMAD NAWAZ SHAREEF UNIVERSITY OF ENGINEERING AND TECHNOLOGY, MULTAN
And
Punjab Small Industries Corporation (PSIC)

This Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter referred to as the "MoU") is entered into between the Muhammad Nawaz Shareef University of Engineering And Technology, Multan (hereinafter referred to as "MNSUETM") and the Punjab Small Industries Corporation (PSIC) (hereinafter referred to as "PSIC").

PREAMBLE

Muhammad Nawaz Sharif University of Engineering & Technology, Multan is a higher education institute located in Multan, Pakistan. The university was established in 2012 on the initiative of Chief Minister Punjab Mian Muhammad Shahbaz Sharif. The major objective is to provide quality professional education in the southern region of Punjab province.

Punjab Small Industries Corporation (PSIC) is a leading public sector organization under the Industries, Commerce, Investment & Skills Development Department, Government of Punjab, dedicated to promoting and developing small and medium enterprises (SMEs). It provides infrastructure, training, and business support services to enhance entrepreneurship and industrial competitiveness across Punjab. Its key facilities include the Agro Food Processing Facilities Multan, Handicraft Development Centre Multan, Cluster Development Centre for Light Engineering LEI and Handlooms Industries Multan, Pakistan Handicraft Shops, and small industrial estates in Khanewal and SIE Mian Channu.

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COOPERATION FRAMEWORK

This agreement is to jointly carry out activities in order to achieve overall national objectives related to Capacity Building of the stakeholders in the field of engineering and associated sciences. This MoU is based on the wishes of both parties to share the strength of each party with the other for good cause of promoting scientific knowledge to community.

***Article-1:* Purpose**

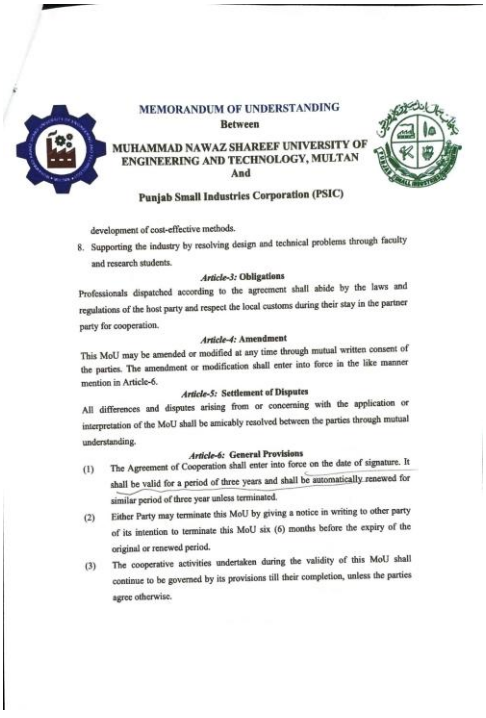
The purpose of this Agreement is to establish a framework for cooperation between the Parties, within their respective competencies and subject to their respective rules and regulations.

***Article-2:* Scope**

Both parties agree to join hands on the following terms in accordance with mutual interest of their organizations.

1. Developing and strengthening University- Industry interaction.
2. Providing technical guidance and sharing knowledge about process innovations.
3. Providing and sharing knowledge for analytical and industrial cost-effective methodological developments.
4. Imparting training on CNC and other advanced machinery available at Cluster Development Centre for Light Engineering Industries at the Industrial Estate, Multan.
5. Providing internships for the maximum duration of six weeks and imparting training as per industry policies.
6. Joint efforts for research and development (R&D) by supporting the faculty and research students to build their research and management skills.
7. The PSIC will assist the university in making visits for study tours to explore current scenario of the technical education and to share knowledge and expertise for

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development of cost-effective methods.

8. Supporting the industry by resolving design and technical problems through faculty and research students.

***Article-3:* Obligations**

Professionals dispatched according to the agreement shall abide by the laws and regulations of the host party and respect the local customs during their stay in the partner party for cooperation.

***Article-4:* Amendment**

This MoU may be amended or modified at any time through mutual written consent of the parties. The amendment or modification shall enter into force in the like manner mention in Article-6.

***Article-5:* Settlement of Disputes**

All differences and disputes arising from or concerning with the application or interpretation of the MoU shall be amicably resolved between the parties through mutual understanding.

***Article-6:* General Provisions**

(1) The Agreement of Cooperation shall enter into force on the date of signature. It shall be valid for a period of three years and shall be automatically renewed for similar period of three year unless terminated.

(2) Either Party may terminate this MoU by giving a notice in writing to other party of its intention to terminate this MoU six (6) months before the expiry of the original or renewed period.

(3) The cooperative activities undertaken during the validity of this MoU shall continue to be governed by its provisions till their completion, unless the parties agree otherwise.

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Article-7: MISCELLANEOUS

For coordination and implementation of activities under this MoU, the focal persons shall be:

For MNSUET:	For PSIC:
Engr. Mina Arshad	**Ammarah Manzoor**
In-charge, Industrial Liaison Office Muhammad Nawaz Shareef University of Engineering and Technology, Multan,	Regional Director, Punjab Small Industries Corporation (PSIC) Multan Regional Office, Multan

Either Party may, by written notice, designate additional representatives or replace the focal person(s).

***Article-8:* Approval**

In agreement with the above terms of participation, the authorized representatives of Muhammad Nawaz Shareef University of Engineering and Technology, Multan, Pakistan and PSIC, hereby affix signatures.

On Behalf of Muhammad Nawaz Shareef University of Engineering and Technology, Multan, (MNS-UET)	On Behalf of Punjab Small Industries Corporation (PSIC)
Prof. Dr. Engr. Tahir Sultan	**Ms. Ammarah Manzoor**
Vice chancellor MNS-UET, Multan.	**Regional Director (PSIC)**
Prof. Dr. Asim Uner	**Muhammad Sarmad**
Registrar (MNS-UET)	**Assistant Director (PSIC)**
Witness	**Witness**

Dated: 29-10-2025

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Fulbright Orientation

27 November 2025



Fulbright Orientation poster.

Date: November 27, 2025
Time: 01:30 PM
Venue: GCT Hall, MNS-UET Multan
Targeted audience: Faculty and students
Partner: USEFP (www.usefp.org)

About the Session

An orientation session on the Fulbright programme for MNS-UET faculty and students, held in partnership with USEFP.

SDG Alignment

SDG 17 (Partnerships for the Goals), together with SDG 4 (Quality Education), as shown on the poster.