1) Contribution Towards Policy Making at the Global Level

UPR faculty from Social Sciences contribute to the policies and operations of Local and International NGOs. Our senior faculty member Dr. Nighat Younas, Assistant Professor, has established the linkage with a UK-based NGO and Think Tank founded by the Diaspora from the AJK. The faculty thus has been contributing to the policy formation of the NGO Press for Peace Foundation (PFP) since its inception in 2006. The PFP, in partnership with UPR, has been working with the vulnerable children from the disadvantaged households of AJK; it has supported children, particularly girls of school age, to attend and pass their education through enrolment drives, scholarships, and psycho-social support.



2) University Leader Contribution Towards Policy Making at Different Levels

UPR leaders have been actively involved formation of Poverty Alleviation and Social Policy and related issues by conducting research, offering technical advice, and providing policy briefs. Our Vice-Chancellor has been part of the review Board of the Ministry of Poverty Alleviation and Social Safety since 2018, his contributions to the design of Social Safety Net for Marginalized and Socially excluded masses have been adopted as the guidelines for the executers of Social Protection and Safety Net Programs.

Similarly, the Vice Chancellor offers policy advice to Pakistan Bait ul Mall, Government of Pakistan to develop policies and programs for orphans, homeless, and street children. Under the leadership guidance, the university has developed a tracking mechanism for these children across Pakistan which is adopted as an implementation tool by the Department of Social Welfare and Zakat in all the provinces of the country. Our Vice-Chancellor has also helped design policies for the Bait ul Mall Department of the Government of Pakistan to reach out to the destitute, transgender, and people with disabilities. Our work is expanded to the welfare of children of prisoned families across Punjab in coordination with the Department of Prisons, Government of Pakistan.

3) University Faculty Contribution Towards Policy Making at Universities and Community Levels

A Society named FAROOG E ILM moment in the Faculty of Management, Humanities, and Social Sciences at the University is involved in helping needy students and contributing to policy for deserving students at the university and community. These statements are supported by the following newspaper cutting.



