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MESSAGE FROM THE PATRON



Dear Readers,

The MBA 2014 year book is a collection of beautiful pictures and attention-grabbing remarks. It reflects comradery amongst the MBA 2014, indeed. It is for the first time that MBAs of LUMS took an initiative to compile a year book. Interestingly, SDSB faculty also pitched in to make it a memorable year book.

I congratulate MBA 2014 for taking this initiative and establishing the MBA Year Book Club. Hopefully, it will become a tradition for the MBA batches to come.

Enjoy reading!

Dr. Farrah Arif

Assistant Professor at
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Special Thanks to Ayesha Zafar Ali

for reposing her confidence in us
and supporting us through out the
endeavour



Greetings

FROM THE YEARBOOK TEAM

“A random variable is the numerical outcome of an experiment”

I am sure this would ring a bell for every one of us, transporting us to those early days of sheer terror, when it seemed we would be doing nothing but studying cases and readings, writing nothing but WACS, and talking nothing but the dreaded terms LPs and CPs for a long, long, time to come. We had all acquired 16 years of education, which included 4 years (oh how short and blissful they now appeared) of an undergraduate program, but all of a sudden it seemed as if we had dedicated two interminable years of our lives to unadulterated torture. Yet here we are, at the last stage of this obstacle race, strangely still alive. Some, perhaps, have enjoyed every moment, most of us have had our good times, and some (we hope very few) have hated it all, but for all of us, it has been a rollercoaster ride towards the next, and we wish, very fruitful, phase in our careers. We take this opportunity to wish a wonderful, successful, and most importantly, very happy life ahead, to the MBA Class of 2014!

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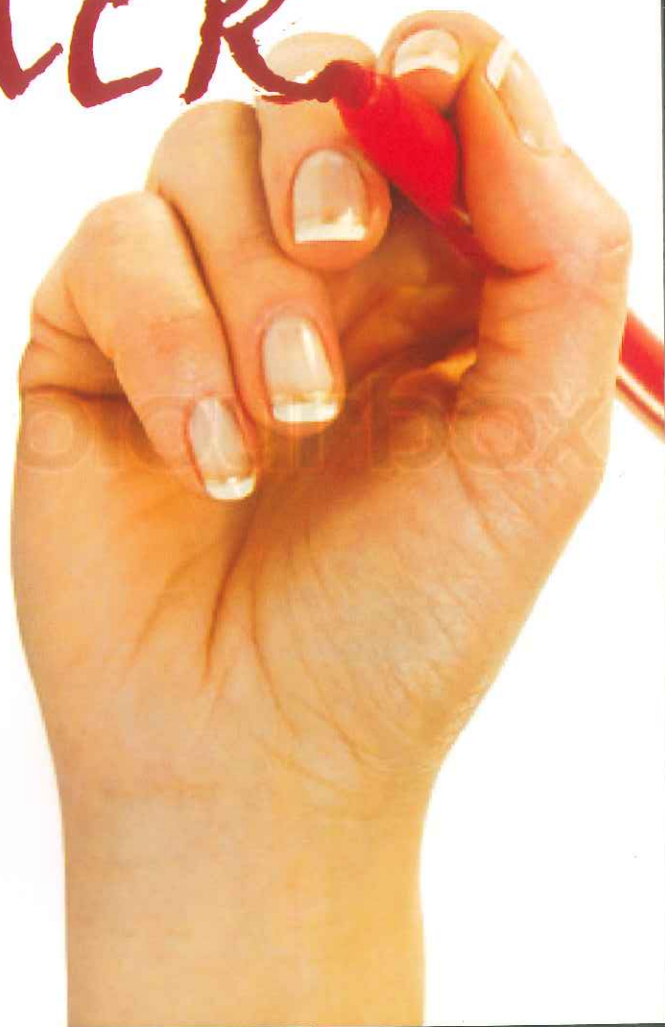
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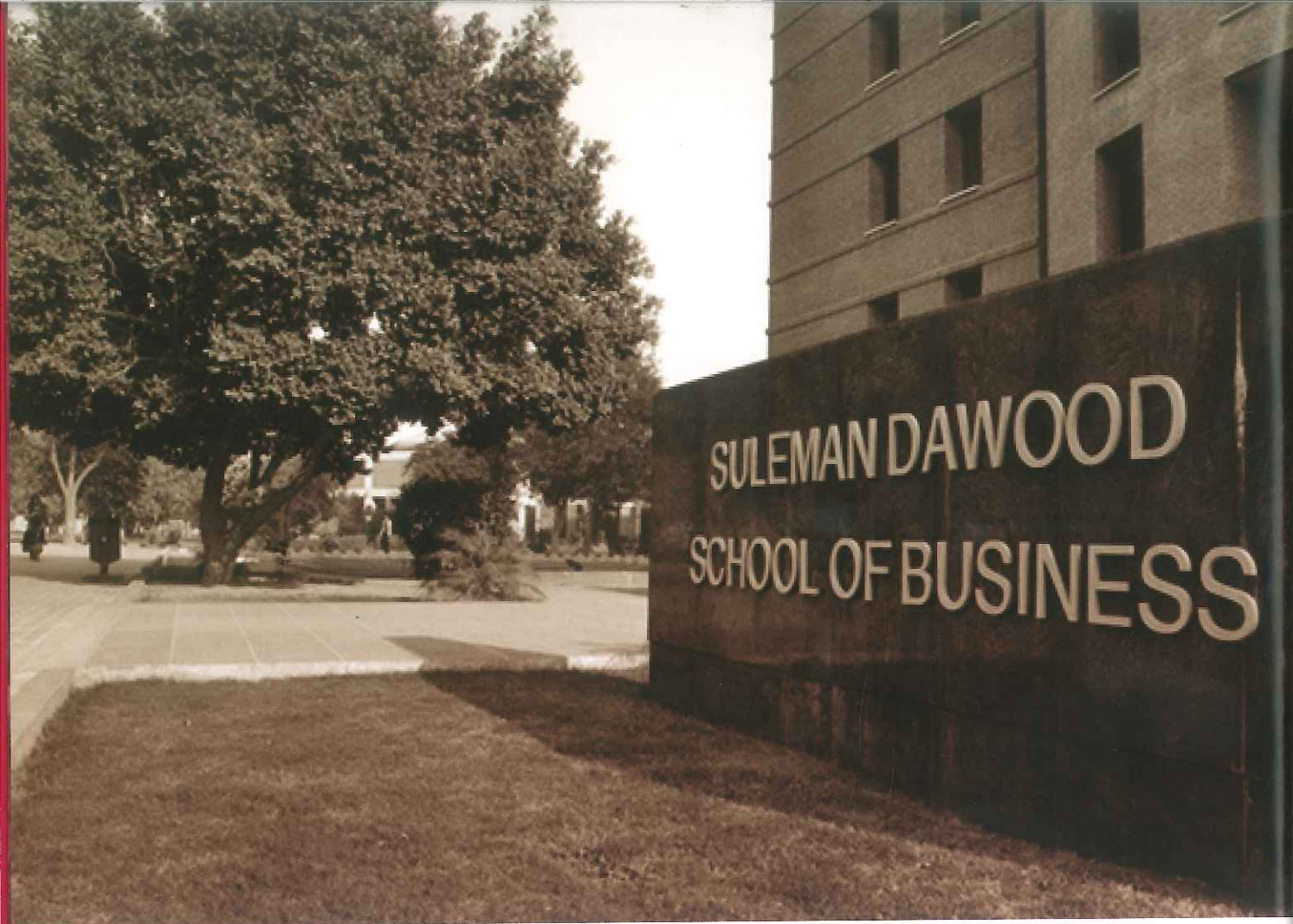




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Feedback





The very last CP Feed- back

Final thoughts on MBA 2014 from faculty



For the one last time 2014, here is what our faculty has to say about you and your future careers!

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It is always a moment of pride to see our students pass out with high spirit and the belief that they can conquer any challenge that they confront. The intention behind two years of rigor is to strengthen LUMS value and passion, and ambitions important for causes for self, family, community, and nation. At this moment of celebration, I exhort you not to lose sight of your roots, and what you owe to your country. I also urge you to be humble and keep up the quest for knowledge. Your class has always demanded the best teachers, the best facilities, and the best of everything. Retain your desire for never settling for anything short of the best, both for yourself and for others in your life but remember to contribute in the same spirit.

I wish you the very best in career, your personal lives and all your future endeavors.

May you be ambassador of your batch, your university, and your country wherever you go!.

Dr. Arif Nazir Butt
Dean, SDSB, LUMS

This is an auspicious occasion for the MBA Class of 2014. You are starting a new chapter in your life. There will be several opportunities in the future and you will be at a crossroads, making choices. In making choices, make sure you adhere to your principles and uphold to your values because character is of prime importance. Competence without character is dangerous, and character with competence will bring humility in you. The pursuit of excellence should continue forever.

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It is the journey that matters more than the destination. Stay in touch with your alma mater and try to give back to it. Best wishes, MBA 2014, for this life as well as the hereafter.



Dr. Ehsan-ul-Haque



I would like to thank all of you for making my two years interacting, debating and fighting (don't know how to translate the Urdu words 'Mar Peet') with you folks so much exhilaration and fun. No wonder I don't drink Mountain Dew. One session with you folks was enough dose for the day. In the process I hope you might have learned something worthwhile which will help you in times to come. Do remember that we expect you to become hugely successful human beings, business persons, and donors to LUMS and other important causes (in that sequence) as soon as possible. Keep us posted so that we keep on taking the credit for all your achievements.

Dr. Ehsan-ul-Haque

Dr. Jamshed Hassan



Wishing you all the success in the world and the here after.

Ameen

Dr. Jamshed H. Khan

Asad Alam



Hello All,

I would like to take this opportunity to congratulate you on completing your MBA from the best business school in Pakistan. This makes each and everyone of you (... YEs Moazzam even you!) a sort after contender for all employers.

We at LUMS challenged you academically and made demands, out of your comfort zone so that you become better at problem solving under pressure, a situation you will come across multiple times in your future endeavours. It is really important that you relish the highs of LUMS and be grateful for all the success that you have achieved. Similarly, you should view those "LPS" as valuable in your growth and learning.

Congratulations, once again & hav a bright future !

Cheers,

Asad Alam

Dr. Aamna Khalid



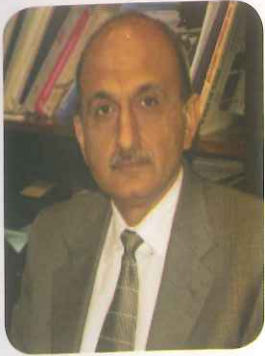
MBA 2014 - technically I should be writing something rhetorically accurate & appropriate to the academic CTMC world however, I'll refrain for delivering yet again another lecture (much to you dismay I'm sure) & simply acknowledge to all who wish to actively listen that MBA 2014 did me a great favor....

MBA 2014 - a class full of some of the most unique character made for me the teaching experience once again challenging and stimulating at a time when teaching was beginning to lose its charm. On the verge of losing interest in my profession you guys made me fall in love with my work all over again- so thank you for that!

I am sure you all will be successful in your professional endeavours - that goes without saying, high achievers that you are, - so my wish for you is simple that may you never get bored with/of your profession & enjoy all aspects of your work & appreciate the "high" that is achievement.

Aamna Khalid

Dr. Zahoor Hassan



MBA class of 2014 is the 27th batch of MBAs at LUMS that I had the privilege of teaching. Each of these classes had their own distinctive character and strengths. Class of 2014 exhibited a high degree of enthusiasm for learning. The manner in which this class handled the OM projects demonstrated a keen desire to engage with the real world and take on challenges. I have learnt from this class and hope that I have also been able to contribute to their development and learning.

It is my hope and prayer that all members of this class succeed in not only carving out successful careers for themselves but also bring prosperity and happiness to their respective families and the community at large.

Dr. Zahoor Hassam

Dr. Syed Mubashir Ali



Remember there is life beyond the corporate

corridors. Seek what you really want to do, and try to make a difference. Don't settle for anything, be something.

Dr. Mubashir Ali

Dr. Syed Zahid Ali



Class of 2014 was blend of forward and backward looking students. Those who did badly always accused their poor academic background. Those who barely passed either start seeking jobs in multinational or planned to do a PhD in Management sciences from an Ivy League.

There were very few who are realistic enough to admit that it was a mistake to be in the program at the first place.

Dr. Zahid Ali

Dr. Zafar Iqbal Querashi



TO EXCEL IN LIFE IS NOT CONFINED TO A SELECT FEW.

EVERY INDIVIDUAL HAS THE POTENTIAL TO ACHIEVE THIS GOAL.

The prescription to excel, however, is based on 3 Hs formula: **HARDWORK, HUMILITY** and **HONESTY**. If you practice these you will, doubtless, be able to scale any heights.

My Best Wishes to all of you in your future career pursuit.

From: ZIQ

Dr. Fazal Jawad



Keep the purpose of your life front and center as you decide how to spend your time, talent and resources.

Dr. Fazal Jawad Sayyed

Dr. Ghufran Ahmad

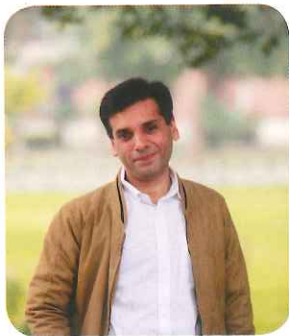


MBA 2014

FOLLOW YOUR DREAMS

Ghufran

Dr. Junaid Ashraf



MBA 2014: I remember them as being hard working, CP driven and very conscious about their grades! But all MBA batches are like this! However, I recently attended their musical performances and was impressed to see that they are not nerds like others that we produce every year! I am sure that this fierce sense of competitiveness and insecurity that we have instilled in them, they will serve the capitalists' interests well!

JUNAID

Ayesha Bhatti



"It was a pleasure teaching and interacting with you. You have worked hard and deserve every success. I wish you all the very best for the future"

Ayesha Bhatti

Khalid Mirza



To,

The MBA CLASS OF 2014

I will always remember you as the "Brady Bunch" of LUMS. My advice for what it is worth: Do not follow your dreams - they could be nightmares! Learn the art of the possible. Be realistic and stay close to the ground. the higher you fly, the harder the fall!

Khalid Mirza

Dr. Adnan Zahid



Best wishes for the most entertaining MBA class I have had the experience of teaching. Obviously, you were less entertaining compared to my batch :P. Have a successful career, but more importantly a happy life.

While we encouraged, talking without thinking, during you stay here, do not make this habit (Bohat bore kartay ho). It was a pleasure teaching you guys for half a semester because you were good!

Adnan Zahid

Dr. Saad Azmat



Teaching MBA 2014 was one of the best teaching experiences of my life. I feel a lot more wiser after teaching you guys.
Saad

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Kamran Rashid



"Nothing was more pleasurable (and challenging too :-) than discussing the ethical issues in the Islamic framework with the future business leaders of Pakistan. I have to admit that your interest in this area and your active engagement in class discussions despite the lack of direct incentive of CP marks was quite a surprise, and what a pleasant one! Wish you all careers that will make this world a better place for others, and earn you the pleasure of Allah Ta'ala."

Kamran Rashid

Dr. Arif Rana



As I looked at your classes eating plan I could not help recalling Ghalib's verse:

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خاک میں، کیا صورتیں ہوں گی کہ پہاں ہو گئیں

the translation with

"tashreeh" is as follows:

Ten to twenty years later you would be scattered (over the country and world) at different occupations, in different families, at different levels of power and financial success and most importantly at different levels of internal happiness. I wish the best for all of you, but I felt sorry when I remember that what you really needed to be "happy" and "prosperous" we (the faculty) did not even address during the MBA program; and if anything, we made you so busy in so many things, that we might have helped in your losing focus of what you really needed (to be happy).

Arif Rana

Dr. Farrah Arif



A group of intelligent & perseverant individuals! I not only enjoyed teaching you but also got impressed with your insightful CBMR projects.

Wish you all the best !

:)

Dr Farrah

Arif Ejaz



"Skill and knowledge will get you to a point, Positive Attitude will make you Soar!"

Mr. Arif Ijaz

Dr. Adeel Zaffar



"It was an enjoyable experience teaching your class. I hope you make us proud by making a difference in Pakistan".

Dr. Adeel Zaffar

Dr. Samina Quratulain



Beginnings are usually scary and endings are usually sad, but its everything in between.

that makes it all worth living

(Sandra Bullock "Hope Floats")

Good Luck

Samina Quratulain

Dr. Tanveer Shehzad



Excellent class. I wish them all a very birght future. Please remember to highlight social responsibility issues in firm agenda, wherever, you go.

Tanveer Shehzad

Dr. Shehryar Ahmed



MY VERY FIRST BATCH AT LUMS - SPECIAL, TOUGH, THRILLING AND OFCOURSE

MEMORABLE!

Dr Shehryar

Dr. Mohsin Bashir



It is always great to see 2nd Year with all the confidence in the world, ready to take on the big corporations with charm, wit and knowledge. 2014s are no different. Smart, we articulated and aggressive, just how we like our MBAs. I think the key strength of this particular batch, compared to source of their predecessors is that

they were not afraid to learn new things and, in the process, were willing to admit that they might not know everything under the sun. So that was my impression of the batch (or the 30 people taught).

And my message; it takes a much stronger manager to run a learning organization than it takes to run a leading organization. So always be stronger than your organization.

Best Wishes
Mohsin Bashir

Dr. Salman Khan



It was a great experience teaching class. The Class performance in terms of productive discussion while fiercely defending or negotiating respective position/ viewpoints was truly thrilling

Thanks

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empathy and generosity in them contrary to the usual overly ambitious persona of MBA batches, there is humility as well as ambition in equal measure in this group: a great asset indeed.

I wish you all the best for the future beta. I'm sure you'll do brilliantly.

Zehra Waheed

Dr. Abdur Rahman



MBA 2014; my first MBA teaching experience, and thus a special class for me. I am really enjoying to interact with this class who can relate things with organizational setting/ realities. At undergrad level, at times, the concern of instructor is "how to fill the class time". With this class, my major concern is "how to fill the contents in such a short time". MBA 2014 will remain special for me and I hope "we" will learn new things out of this HRM course.

M. Abdur Rahman

Dr. Naiman Jalil



Success consists of going from failure to failure without loss of enthusiasm. (Churchill)
Naiman

Luqman Awan



"It has been great experience to teach mba 2014. Every time I teach to mba students at sdsb, it simply reinforces my confidence on our young people, only piece of advice I can give to you is to think big and then work wholeheartedly to achieve that objective with conscious effort to remember all the stakeholders in your life.

All the best and stay connected"

Luqman Awan

Dear MBA 2014,

I enjoy my interaction with your batch. It has been a pleasant experience and it reminds me of Oscar Wilde's quote which describes best some of you.

"I am so clever that sometimes I don't understand a single word of what I am saying".

Anyhow, may your pockets be heavy and your heart be light. May good luck pursue you each morning and night.

Abdul Karim Khan

Dr. Zehra Waheed



MBA 2014 is a bright, young lot. As a group, I see unity,

Dr. Kamran Ali Chatha



It was a pleasure to teach your class the Operations Strategy course. This gave me an opportunity to interact with you and know the myriad of ways people can be different. I saw you all in the class. The studious students trying to find their place in the front rows, staring at fellow students and trying to assimilate as much information as they can. The shy ones trying to hide themselves behind others. The bold and the vocal ones, ever trying to steal a CP. And yes, the late comers, and the confused ones, who are blaming others for spoiling their learning experience. In fact, you all looked beautiful in your inherent roles. And, I could not have such a wonderful experience of teaching and learning in the absence of any one of you.

At this juncture, when we are about to part, that has to happen sooner or later, I wish you all the successes in your future lives. I wish you happiness and blessings.

Yours,
Dr. Kamran Ali Chatha

Waleed Iqbal



The year 2014 has to be a special one - the year of the lucky seven's (because $2+0+1+4=7$) (and $14/2=7$). I thank God Almighty for giving me yet another opportunity to at least try, in my own way, if nothing more, to be of value to my clients, students and country.

Best Wishes,
Waleed Iqbal

Dr. Rohail Ashraf



"It was for the first time that I was teaching MBA's here in Pakistan. I was told, students are very enthusiastic about their classes and, honestly, my experience with you guys was far more entertaining than what I expected! A mixed fun bag of solid argu-

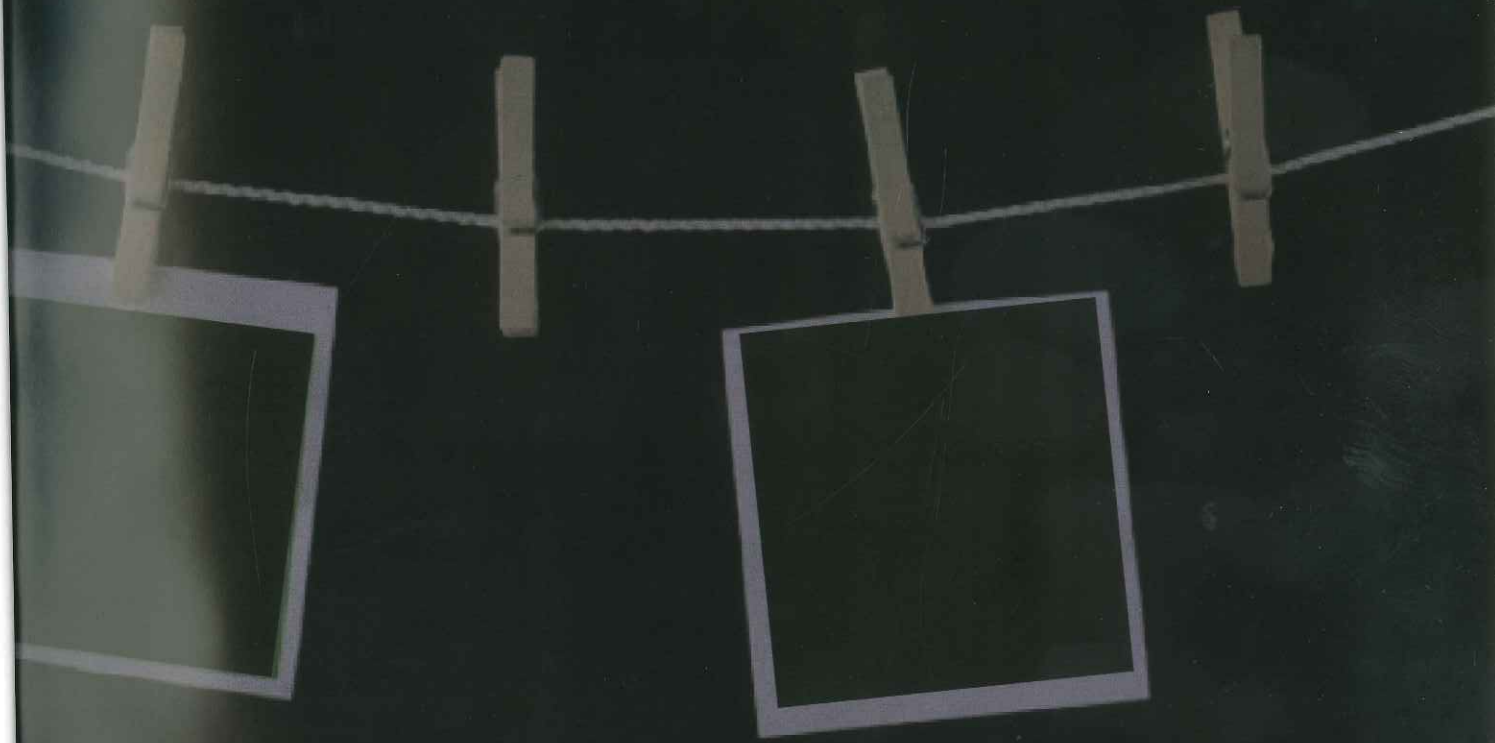
ments with confidence vs. just CPs with sneaky smiles (which does work .. sometimes!! :-)) As I always say .. Life is rarely fair ... at times you get more than what you deserve while on other occasions you have less!! All my prayers for the former situation for you guys! Just make sure you play your part 'fairly!'"

Best Regards,

Dr. Rohail Ashraf

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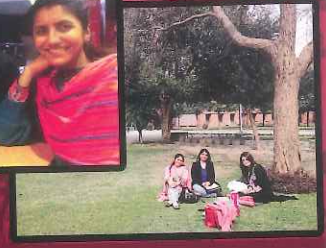


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Sneak Peak into
OUR Life



YUMNA ALI



So I came to LUMS, so uninterested in business education that it's unbelievable to see myself become a part of this year book! Bored at the sight of a university, I was a queen of procrastination for I couldn't comprehend why there was such a sense of urgency for something as trivial as parhai !! like really ..? Utterly void of a competitive streak I slept throughout the first semester while my fellow corporate pups were competing fiercely in the battle field of the LUMS MBA program. Nothing what so ever motivated me, I was told that this label of "LUMS MBA" would ensure my secure future, and my demand would go up by a hundred percent not only in the job market but also in the shaadi market but alas, I JUST couldn't be bothered. Forever ready to flee this MBA program what did ultimately ensure that I do stick around till the end was my father's kind request. He said "you may not need a label for yourself, but you have got to earn this degree for me". So then, for the sake of my dad, I woke up from my beauty sleep, got my brain out of its den, and decided to play the game one more time. It was hilarious to see the reaction of my fellows; those who believed that I was common, not competition and nothing but a useless twit, were pleasantly surprised to hear me speak in class and not sleep for a change. I don't know what the future holds for me or where would I be ranked in any of the world's social markets and I don't really know whether I am in your good or bad books but I would just like to say , in a Robert Downy Jr , tone " the truth is IM roll #1 ;-)



TESTIMONIALS

Yumna is love~ Faizan Faisal
"Bold and brave" HJ

"Dearest ball of fire, you are one of the few people who has the courage to live by her convictions and be herself even at her own detriment. Your deep reservoir of patience has served as my harbour in choppy waters. Love you!"

Aina Maria Waseem

"Smallest feet ever! And your CPs are delightful. Stay happy and fun, Yumna!" - Wali
"#TheBallOfFire #TheOneOfAKind #Bold&TrulyAmazing :)" Kanwel

To those who never understood you i think its their loss and not yours. You are really a great person, a loyal friend and great thinker" Arafah Khadija

"Yumna you are a fighter. You keep taking the hits and never back down. I stand impressed. Stay strong :)" S. Muneeb

"The fact of the matter is" that sings like a Nightingale! :P

The earliest CP I remember from LUMS came from her. "I'm a walking talking contradiction". Set the tone for the rest of the MBA.

What I love about you is that you do your own thing regardless of what others think about you! you stand up for what you feel is right! You are bold and blunt and honest!!

"An amazing friend, some one whose right there on my wave length, not to mention my partner in crime." Sat next to you a year...and the way you adapted to LUMS in second semester is remarkable...keep at your-new-self!

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SABA KHALID

Well.. i would say that LUMS MBA gave me the confidence to survive anywhere... i became aware of my abilities...i can now Inshallah achieve anything i want in life .. this is what the LUMS MBA made me believe..to believe in myself..to have faith... i remember in 1st semester when due to an injury incurred while running on lums jogging track , i couldnt walk for 4 months.. the toughest time of my life.. with all the pressure of studying while being away from home.. but i got over it..and made it through ..i can make through anything ...and Helllllo world ..here i come .. the sky is the limit :)

TESTIMONIALS

Very friendly

Dear Sabi. Hardwork and Sense of Humor are your two major strengths. you had been courteous. I wish you a peaceful life ahead.

A little worried most of the time but a nice person overall~Haaris

You could've been a rocket scientist but you did an MBA instead. - wali

"Saba, yes, apki CP bohot achi thi" - It was so easy to make her day :D

One of the most Innocent people in the batch :) - The batch certainly needed more like you :) [You better be able to guess who I am !]

One of the few girls in the batch you could always expect to have a meaningful conversation with. Don't let her sweetness fool you. Behind that smile lies the will of a cut-throat business person.

Okay..things are going to be okay..

Noone looks as good as u when u dress up. ~Rao



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MUHAMMAD HAARIS JALAL

It was the best of times, it was the worst of times...

All in all, it was the LUMS of times...

My experience in LUMS was a mixture of a lot of things. Truly was an experience that actually evolved with time. The long hours in the library and the sleepless nights in the reading room were just a fraction of the overall experiences.

But the thing that I enjoyed the most was getting to know the people of different backgrounds and becoming friends with most of them. The friends that I made during these two years, I learned a lot from each and every one of them. Friends like Farhan, Nayha, Arfah, Aina, Saba Gul, Humaira, Ali, Hasan Muneeb and Atique among others are really hard to find and I am really glad that I got to know them. The running around will truly be missed and the late practices were a great past time for each and everyone of us.

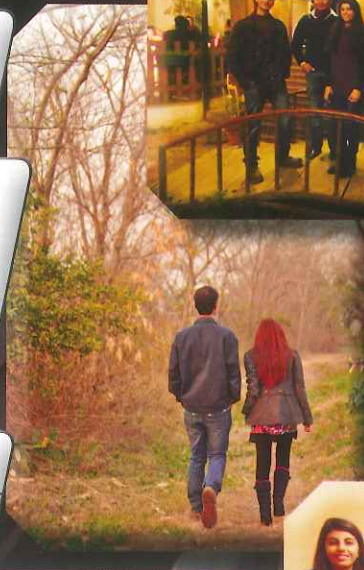
All in all, it was an experience worth remembering. If not all of it, then most of it.

Will miss you all.... Patvez



I am glad you got engaged before the MBA ended :P...most helpful friend, simple and honest, I am glad to have met you :) - Humaira

The nicest guy in our Whole Batch indeed! I appreciate your presence among us. :)



Harry!! You are the most dependable person in the batch! I know I can always rely on you! You are always there! You put a smile on every ones face! You're a support! - Neha

Supportive, caring person. Always ready to solve the problems of everyone. - Gul -

This guy keeps smiling. One day I'll figure out what he's up to. - Wali

Sir Galahad, one of that rare breed of Pakistani gentlemen. People like you restore my faith in humanity! Aina Maria Waseem

All the best moments I've spend with you have been outside of LUMS and combine that with the fact that you've been a amazing student just shows how wonderful you really are- Faizan

One of the few great friends I have been able to make in LUMS. You are so humble and loyal friend and you were so patient to listen to my annoying gossips. Seriously life at LUMS would have been boring if you were not there. - Arfah Khadija

A nice hearted person. Happy that he found his mate and best of luck to him for his future life. - Zaid

Most candid person in the batch - Adnan

Buddy your big heart and genuine nature are a rarity in this world. I am lucky to call you my friend :) P.s. Here is to hoping that we are still watching Anime 50 years from now :P S. Muneeb

You have to be the most positive and friendly person I have known in the entire MBA batch!! You exude so much happiness, it freaky at times but stay the same! =)

anime fanboy & chopstick ninja. It was hanging out with you. Will never forget the bit of you eating a fried egg with a knife. Brilliant, just brilliant. :P Anwar Sohail

While his youthful exuberance knows no bounds (:P), he is one you can count on when the chips are down. Thanks Harry! And I wish you all the best life has to offer. - Mamun

Most parents lamper with birth certificates to make their children seem younger than they really are. His parents used the opposite. And by several years, too. Anwar Sohail Muzammil

A nice hearted person. Happy that he found his mate and best of luck to him for his future life. - Zaid

ARSLAN ARSI

2 years back, I came to a place that was totally new for me. New city, new campus, new people- everything was strange and weird. I never thought that this place would give me best friends and awesome memories for the rest of my life. I wanted to graduate as soon as possible but I don't know there is something that is stopping me now.

I want to re-live SOP moments, WAC nights, laughter attacks, PDC memories, exchange semester fun, LP ka khoof, CP ki tension, DR k shughal, Late night movie scene, Hadi k jokes, Timmy ki cooking, Jaffar ka Jaafy, Hareem ka slow processor, Sana say serious talk, Zaid ka kingdom, Mahvish k rolay, Ansar or disco molvie, Waseem say Naseem, Adnan bhai ki level ki CP, Shanza ki imaginary LP, Aqeeda say Aqida, Bilal and the Dabu class... In short I don't want to leave this place.

Those two years that I thought would never end; I don't know how quickly they passed. It was indeed the best part of my life.

TESTIMONIALS

"From CP na milne ka ghussa to LP aane ki tension, From FM ke models to OM ki calculations, From dealing with adversity to managing diversity, From Hadi ki naak to Hadi ke hans, From exchange ke khuwab to its hisaab-kitaab, From Ni Hao to Xie Xie, From Sanya ke beaches to Xian ke museums, From job ki tension to Lums se azadi ki celebration. My partner in crime in everything I do" - Tim

Arsi Parsi Charsi: (Adj) is a state of madness; when we see 'wal-lets', bug ppl to death, make malang prayers, take stupid pics, sing like frogs and ve the time of our lives!- Makhdoom

Arsi! Thanks for making the last year hilarious/wacky/crazy! We shall be in touch even though all the craziness is over :) - Jaffar!

From SOP to China to Last Semester you acted like a brother to me - crazy, annoying, stupid, hate-able but one hell of a friend :D Thank you for being an anchor to me and listening to our girly issues! :P - Hareem

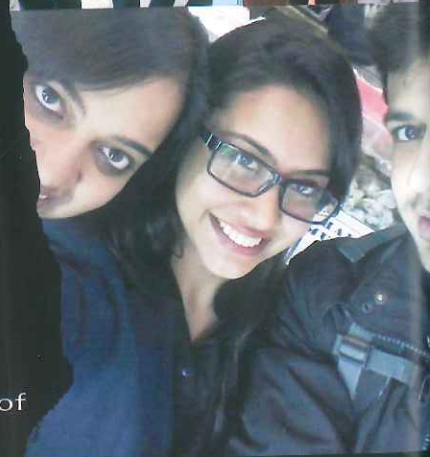
hmm it might be an overstatement but if I had another brother it would be definitely Arslan!! :D- Hammad Hadi

Crazy loud but totally amazing - -Mahvish

If i could change one thing in my life it could be the time i spend with Arslan as roommate. He left no stone un turned to make it miserable with his untimely jokes and un matching timings. Just Kidin. It was good :D- Zaid

I love you wit, honesty and humbleness- Faizan

Bhai, will always remember you standing up for us in the middle of the worst presentation in the history of FRA. - Aina



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MUHAMMAD BILAL



These two years of MBA life were a combination of countless khabas, aimless nighters, lot of rung (i am awesome at it), midnight crazy plans, listening to Rao's explanation of world phenomenon's (which is a good time pass), bearing classmate CPs, indulging in fake scholarly arguments, having a few moments of eureka where I actually learned something new and valuable, getting worried after missing CP in six to eight sessions, checking undergrad chicks (i was not alone in it) and concluding that quality of fair sex in Lums is on a constant decline, starting assignments after half of the allocated time had passed "punctuated equilibrium" is the word for it and feeling super happy on completing them on time, planning before start of every term that this time I will study regularly and then managing it to do for few days, putting room in order at the start of every term and committing that it will stay the same, discussing latest developments in the batch with gossip guys and most importantly cultivating some friendships that will outlive the knowledge that I have gained here.

TESTIMONIALS

Your sudden and rare outbursts of anger will never be forgotten. Gaali ka jo maza tere munh se hai woh kahin aur nahi. Oh and btw, tujhe pattay baantne nai aate. ~Zeeshan Shaukat

Thanks for the awesome kinoos Bilal Bhai, will surely miss rounds after rounds of kinoos. ~MHAB

The man who gave the batch the famous BI index. Yaaron ka yaar ~Rao
Analytical Bilal has impressed me always with his unproven theories. ~Zaid
He can't call a 'cat' a 'cat' - Rabia Roomie... Too co operative and it was a nice experience to stay with you

Today, the business world talks about Porter's five forces. In the future, Bilal's BI model will be used to analyze every case in the world. Why? "Dekho, there are several reasons for this....." ~Shehryar Sohail Muzammil



At first, we thought of them as myths, your forbidden oranges of Sargodha. Long had we lusted after the promise of your ripe...oranges. We waited and waited, the anticipation slowly fading and just when we were about to give up, they were right there, in front of us. And they would have been a sight to behold... AGAR SURREY HOYE NAA HOTE! KUTTEY! ~Taimoor Zia

Socrates of the batch - Taimoor

"Bilal Roomie" - That's what my phone calls him.

Aik aisa insan jisko room ganda he acha lagta hai :p - and the whole worlds colludes to help him :p

More than anything, the batch will remember you for the "Billu Moments" ;)





Humaira Farooq



LUMS MBA!!!...aaaahh, I never imagined that LUMS MBA would be so different from my bachelor's at LUMS. It has been like a rollercoaster ride with many ups and downs, happy, sad, depressed and angry moments, LP tensions, group dynamics, new people, weird people (:P), all kinds of people, best friends, misunderstandings, and what not! but I would just say that these two years were totally worth it; changed my life, gave me confidence, brought me closer to the 'real' world and gave me some of the most precious moments, people and memories of my life :)

The exchange program made the parhai part easier, and gave me the chance to fulfill my desire for traveling and explore new places; LUMS MBA has given me MUCH more than it has taken away from me in these two years, and I am going to miss it and all of you !! Best of Luck to everyone for their future life and I hope to remain in touch with everyone LUMS, I will still miss you even after 7 years, can never have enough of you :)

TESTIMONIALS:

One of my closest friends in LUMS. An amazing person and a wonderful friend. Had a great time this past couple of years with you and the gang... Thanks for everything..Haaris
 Humaira, often are the times I used to sit and wonder how a person like you exists in the LUMS MBA program. The nicest, sweetest, most helpful person in the batch. Always be happy and Allah bless you!~Aina Maria Waseem
 Very rarely I have found people who could tolerate me and be nice to me. Although you are more annoying than me in every aspect but still I have enjoyed quite a lot with you. And yes ofcourse you are Painduu..Thanks for being there bestiee :) - Umair
 She can go extra 100 miles to help you. Lucky to find another best friend :). Amazing Cook and it was a memorable time including small hardships and fights :p. Best of luck for your future endeavors and prosperous life ahead.
 MBA would have been boring without her. No wonder there were no birthday celebrations when she was on exchange.~Atique
 You brought everyone together from the start of the LUMS journey! Stay Happy humz! - Jaffar
 One of the nicest and sweetest person of the batch who is so humble and sensitive about other people. I have learned whole lot from you in last two years than any other person. I pray that God bless you with loads of happiness and success and may your all dreams come true. Ameen~Arfah Khadija
 Thank you Humaira for being you. You have made me a happier person. May Allah grant you all the blessing in the world (Amin!)~S. Muneer
 One of the most wonderful people I will ever know. Apart from her well known fear of cats (oops! :P) and yearning for meetha (brownies, cakes, tiramisu!), she's an absolute joy to be around! And her selfless support for friends like me will be one of the brighter memories that I will take forward from these last two years. :)
 Besides her fear of cats (:P) & love for meetha (macaroons, tiramisu etc), she's one of the most wonderful people I will ever know - Mamun
 Humie! LUMS wouldn't have been the same without you! You have been my partner in crime, my best friend, my tutor, my gossip partner, and most of all my support system at all! Thank you for always being there for me as a sister I could count on always! Always stay the same!~)
 I'm sure she's gotten a testimonial from literally EVERYONE in the batch. She's just that good a human being. On the other hand, she can do a mean older-sister-scolding if you land on her bad side. I doubt I'll get a spot on your yearbook page, but just wanted you to know that you have my respect and it will always be an honor to be your friend. - Zeeshan Sohail
 What's Humaira doing with the EMBA guys? Oh no, wait...wali

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RABIA ASIF

2 years of fast forward: Quickly sad and then almost at the same rate I have converted into a happy puppy. I studied to the point I felt drunk and said weird things, I danced to a point I felt I will fall but I was so at home, I laughed till everyone thought I will explode, I sometimes cried too but who cares about that. I literally lived in the reading room, I doodled on the DR walls, I sat in Jammin and craved for their fries almost daily, I felt at peace in classes and hence I never really felt like speaking, but I learnt - so much. A few years from now I might not remember any of the details, and I might even start forgetting names, and I might not even feel the same. But I was here, I was alive, and I was a part of so many lives and they were a part of mine.



"Knows it all but her reticence confuses even people like Dr. Zahoor Hassan" - Adnan

"bestest Buttiness ever!!!! pagal bacha jo khata jata hai bus or prezi banata chala jata hai!!! Rabiaaaaa i will miss youuuuuu and our crazy dramay :P"

"Super trustworthy, caring and sweet- Best Roommate Ever!" -Mahvish

The prezzie queen. Still waters run deep, eh? The only MBA female student who still reads non-MBA material." Wali

"#KashmiriBehan #PreziQueen #StyleIcon #FellowFatBabyAppreciator" - Moeed

"Project Management: Maximum Optimized Capacity. Word." Regards, Taimoor Zia"

"Butt, the cutest ever! you make my throwball game better! =D "Makhdoom

"Your newly adopted blonde lifestyle suits you; in more ways than one. "Bilal, Taimoor

"Her actions speak louder than her words. In fact, everything is louder than her words, should she choose to even speak in the first place."

"Most fun person in the batch." - Hammad Khan

Your whimsy disproves every iota of logic I can muster and your bloneness makes me question the very meaning of life. I cannot even begin to imagine how uncomplicated and less awkward my life would be without all the 'pieces of freedom' you insist on imparting. I will always be there to shamelessly correct your grammar no matter how big a writer you become. To the premises, spaced exclamation marks, indoor elephants, effective heights and jumped cliffs. Turtle talk forever."

Zeeshan Shaukat

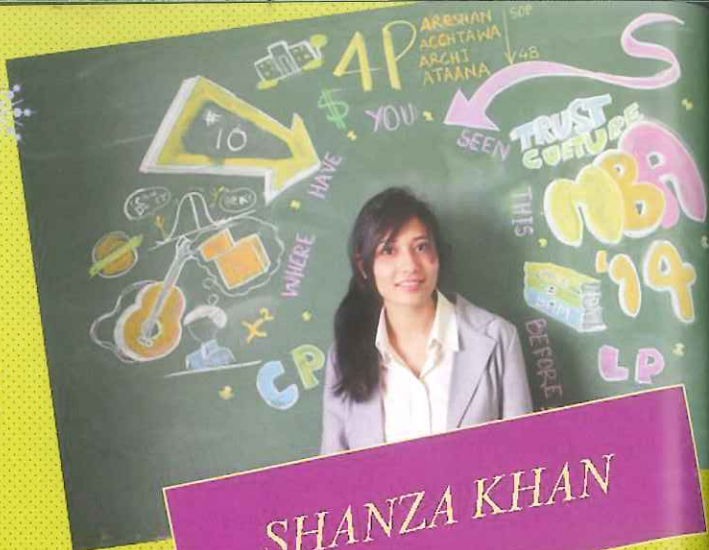
"I really like your taste of music especially the Birthday song :P "~Shaheer

"She is as pretty as a picture, every bit as funny as she is smart "-- Gul --

Whattay fun person you are. You've been my inspiration for reading every case and still being comfortable with not participating in class. "- Aqida

I remember the SOP time when seeing all the excel geeks I used to regret coming to LUMS for my MBA. Though many people may find it hard to believe, the entire first semester I dreaded about the possibility of LPs. My two year journey at LUMS has been anything but smooth, though it made me learn a lot, the most important thing being 'live life today and to the fullest but never lose sight of the end'. LUMS has given me some very best moments of my life that I would remember till the end and some very good friends such as Fawad, Mahvish, Hareem, Sana Zahra, Sana Makhdoom, Zaid and Moeed, that I want to remain in touch all my life.

P.S. I despise PDC to the core, being a resident of dorms it proved to be quite difficult and expensive for me to avoid PDC for two years but I am glad I made it



SHANZA KHAN

A very nice and kind person who always go out of her way to help others
Zaid

Shanza, from our first handshake to late night conversations to stupid sessions - I have been truly blessed to have a roommate like you.

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Your attempts at covert manipulation have been duly noted. You go far with that attitude. I will count your P+ in SFM, as one of my biggest achievements in LUMS. Ten years down the road, you might just look upon it as fondly as I do. Also, WHERE IS MY COKE!

The cute, theeti, in whose 'education' the Sanas had a pivotal role in! =P
Makhdoom

Hands down, zyada mehmet is thi. Give her sort of medal.
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The next shamshad Akhtar. I remember looking forward to her CPs in finance just for the way she says the word 'dollar'. "But sir this will be only 2.5 million dolak". My pick for the gold wali

Humble, intelligent and sweet- very caring friend
-Mahvish

You were my first friend at LUMS and that's the best thing ever happened to me. I remember meeting you in SOP and in my first few interactions I found you really professional and to the point but as the semesters progressed I found you really kind hearted, loving, and caring. I have never met a person as hardworking as you. You have been a constant source of support for me during these two years be it academic or emotional. Wish You Happiness



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Yes, there are a few similarities between Miley Cyrus's wrecking ball and the LUMS MBA program. First is the sheer amazement that you survived through it all and the second is that overtime it starts to grow on you. At MBA they may fool people into thinking that SOP stands for the summer orientation program, but truth be told its actually just sop, for that's all I did during the first SOP week. It was one fine day when I fell asleep while offering the Juma prayer during the SOP that the true meaning of scarcity actually dawned on me. Never had I imagined myself sleeping on the uncomfortable Lab-2 chairs or the LUMS mosque. But yes by that time I had finally understood the meaning of scarce and had begun to improvise.

Words such as synergies, competitive advantage and customer value proposition that had once seemed alien to me slowly started becoming a part of my dictionary. Despite the much despised cramming of cases, from Tokyo's Benihana to Army crew sports team, the LUMS MBA has been a rollercoaster ride for me. From throwing up at places to enjoying the adrenaline rush of the ride, it indeed has been an unforgettable experience for me. As melodramatic as it may sound, I do feel deeply indebted to my entire MBA batch without whom this MBA experience wouldn't have been worthwhile.

"The most beautiful moments always seemed to accelerate and slip beyond one's grasp just when you want to hold onto them for as long as possible." -E.A. Buchianeri, Brushstrokes of a Gadfly

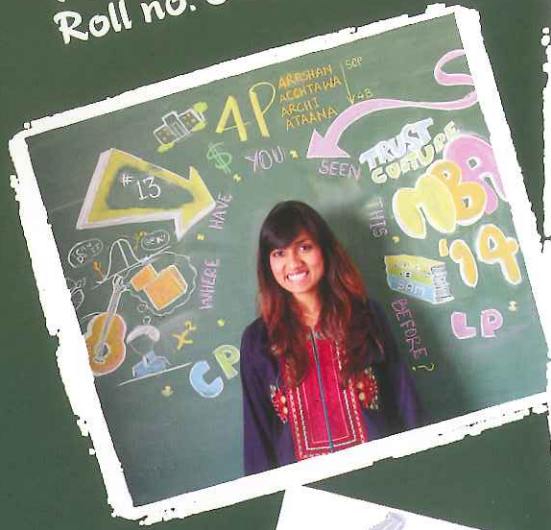


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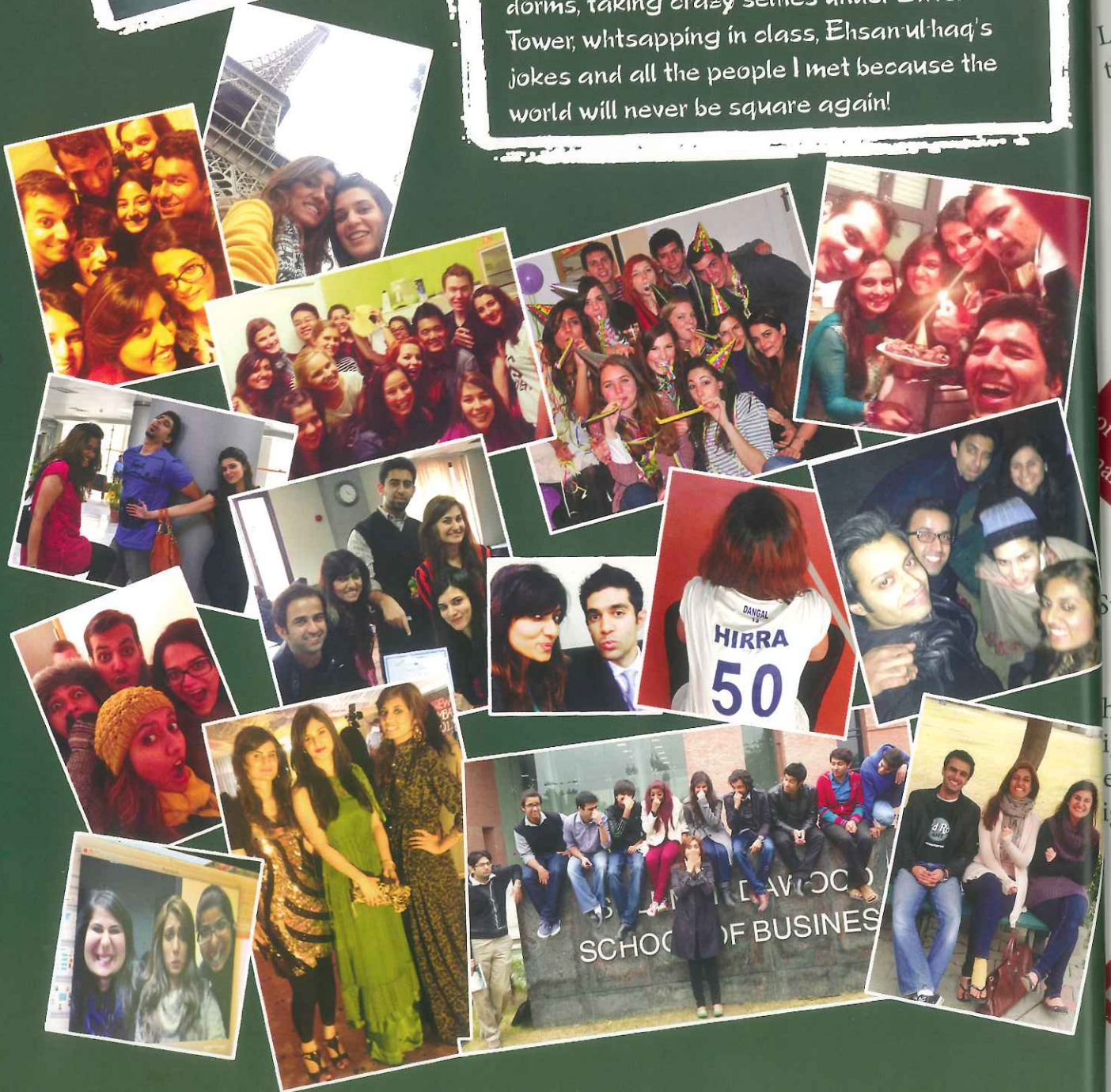
- "Da'ir aye Darusat aye :P ab yaad rakhna baad mein bhee , topper" ~ Humaira
- "Probably the most patient person in the world. Took a billion photos of me, even though he could have been doing more fun things, and he taught me that I'm not always right. Bohat aala banda hai". ~Shehryar Sohail Muzammil
- "With his passion to achieve the best, I wish him best of luck for the future" ~Zaid
- "Gem of a person. Am big fan of your singing. Even though our OM project resulted in closure of the restaurant but had loads of fun with you guys. Stay blessed :D" ~Arfah Khadija
- "BSc. MTBC. MBA. GMC. I could always rely on U to give me sincere advice". ~Atique
- "U...Star of our batch and Superstar of our Group. Thanks man for making us proud by topping the batch...Keep it up!"
- "U..You see how beautiful the life is when you are not running after HP's. (U-J....E)" ~ Umair
- "The bond we formed in Karachi goes on strong" ~Rao

HIRRA BABAR

Roll no. 013



Here is to all the sleepless nights, torturous SOP, dabba ops, last minute submissions, puke bench adventures, dr debates, group study sessions, jammin fries, random nighters, unsuccessful dieting and gyming plans, crazy party in europe, reading room wailian, baby doll and hukkah bar, jam shouting in sdsb, endless gossips, gay hostel encounters, zakir tikka, discussing life philosophy which made no sense, parking lot sessions, 3 girls sleeping on one bed in dorms, taking crazy selfies under Eiffel Tower, whtsapping in class, Ehsan-ul-haq's jokes and all the people I met because the world will never be square again!



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My inspiration for all materialistic things in life. Thank you for introducing me to Samsung and RayBan. - Aqida

My teacher at OB - Adnan



SHAHEER KHAN

Shaheer is one of a kind. Please throw away your ray-bans. Khuda keh waastay bhai. 19th century Sikh wall paintings and 'dove eyes'. Wali

The most entertaining person of the batch.
- Hammad Khan

Lets not gooo there - Hamad

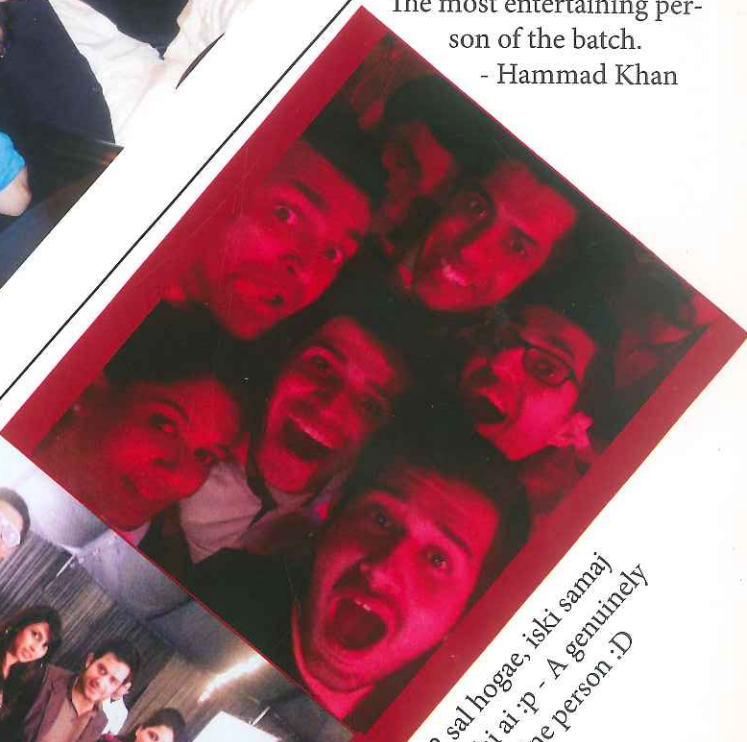
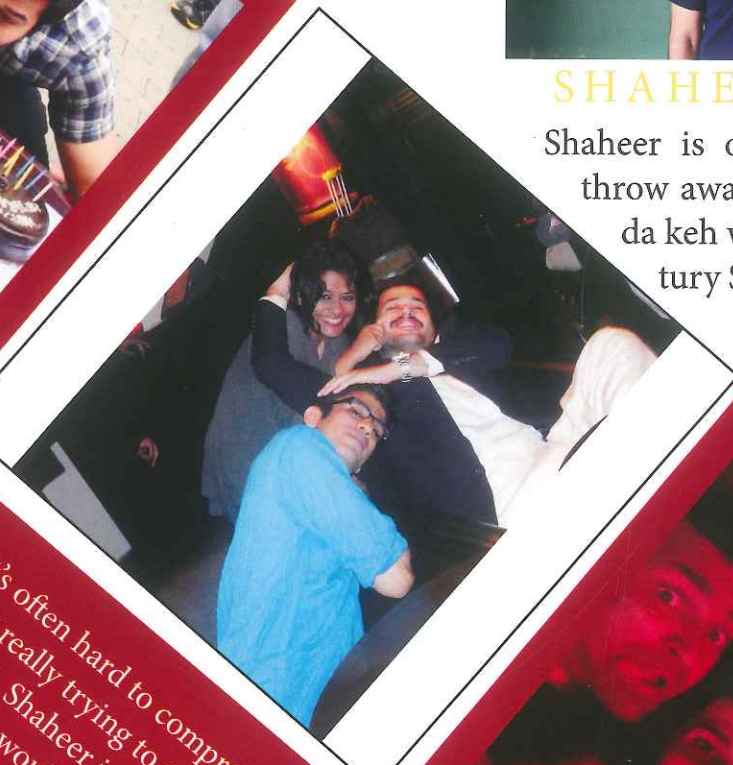
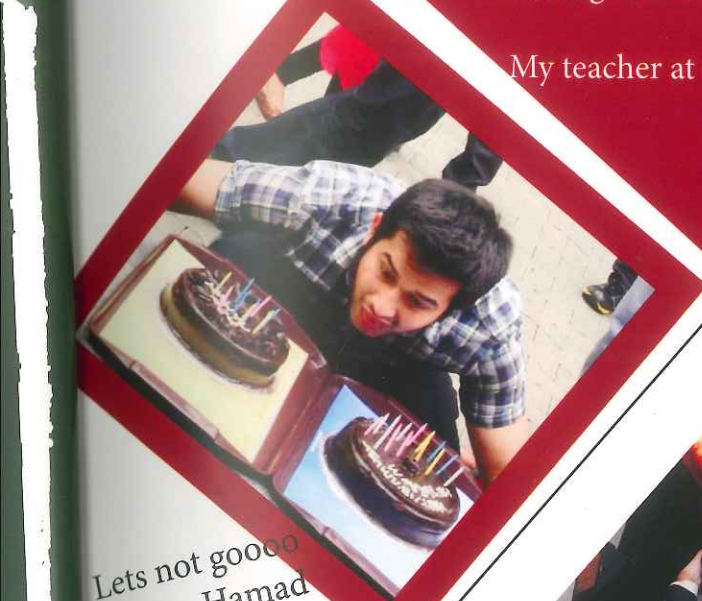
I allow you to use my patented 'at the end of the day'..! =P Makhdoom

While it's often hard to comprehend what he's really trying to say (like Duhhhh! :p), Shaheer is the kind of person that you wouldn't mind being around. Even though I know him ALL TOO WELL (I could write a book on this guy!), what I like most about Shaheer is his self-confidence and resolve even when he's doing or suggesting the unthinkable! That makes him "like crazzyyyy"! :D

Sure' - Rabia

Shaheer has a big face, but perhaps an even bigger heart.

2 sal hogae, iski samaj nahi ai :p - A genuinely genuine person :D



“Enjoy the little things in life, one day you will realize they were big things”. This is one the things I learnt from my friends at LUMS.

After a long professional career, I got the opportunity to study as MBA student at SDSB-LUMS. I can never forget life at LUMS because it not only added value academically but also changed my personality. I learned the ability to believe in myself. Having educational background from government school system and competing with students from best educational institutes of the country was really challenging but SOP training strengthened my belief that “Nothing is impossible”. Despite some bitter experiences, DR system is really appreciable because it gives opportunity to discuss your ideas with other group members.

My experience as MBA exchange student at KOC University, Istanbul was a life changing event of my life. I appreciate the efforts of my friends and teachers in shaping my personality and behavior. It was only possible with the blessings of Almighty Allah, prayers of my family and support of my class fellows”.

“Shahid bhai brings years of real world experience to class. I would take a course in an instant if he was teaching. Wish you all the happiness in the world!”

“Raise the hand yaar, baad main sochengay kiya bolna hai”.~Adnan

*“Shahid bhai is a very supportive person and always gives you good piece of advice”.
~Hassaan Wasti*

Shahid Bha--oyyy !! I, sir, am impressed ! truly Naaaxt level :D

*- despite the fact that I remember the lateefay jo ap nay Karachi mai sunai thay ;) -
aur let FFC know, k you were more than a perfect fit ! :D*

Shahid Bhai Respect for you! :) you are gem of a person

Arfah Khadija

Just to remind, he was the President of the Leadership Society!

A nice and helpful person whose determination to always learn something new impresses me

Zaid

I have heard MBA changes people, you are the living proof of it. Bilz

One and only Mr.B, who made my stay at Turkey actually worthwhile, and I would never forget his poultry forecasting - Hamad

Just to remind, he was the President of the Leadership Society!



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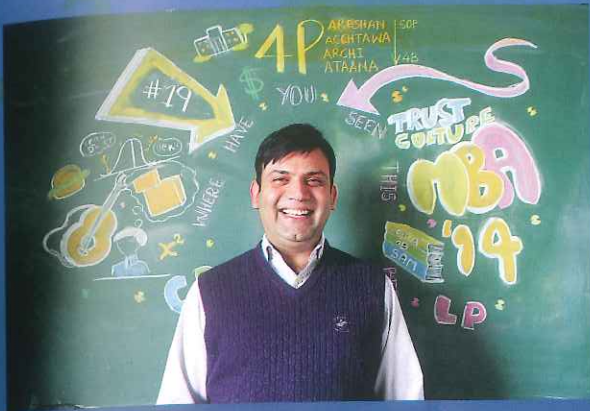
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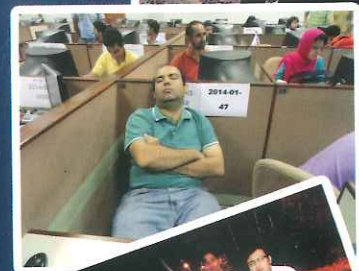
Some believe life should come with a rewind forward and a pause button. I agree. Life's settings menu could benefit a whole lot more with a "get successful" button but then how would we have all these business schools? Truth be told, life comes with all sorts of settings but focus, control and determination is what drives the whole equation. I am taking from this MBA program at LUMS some of the richest treasures. An ability to converge my strengths, overcome weaknesses whilst tackling pressures with fresh perspectives. I have met some of the most finest minds the liveliest personas here. An experience which has left me waiting with great exuberance, waiting to push the play button in life and delve into the professional world better equipped to build on my reinforced founda-



"Big Bro! You have the talent to engage anyone and everyone in as long and as diverting a conversation as you please. Kabhi kabhi to GIKI ki taareef bhi kar diya karein! :D Aina Maria Waseem"

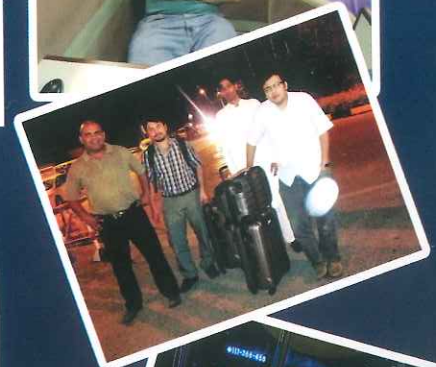
Best of luck janab, you deserve it :)

S. Muneeb



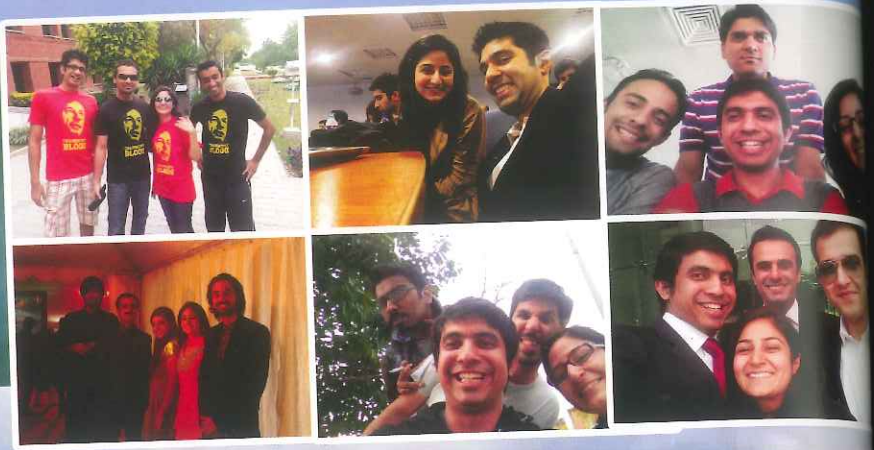
CP Master!! Naveed Bhai you have always been a source of inspiration, and have always helped me, thanks :) and please learn to stay in touch :P - Humaira

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"For all the times when you were our leader in class, for the times when no one knew what to say and you managed to save the day with a well timed CP, I salute you. In class; you have been the undoubted captain of the ship. Never give up, Never stop. Captain Naveed! Regards, Taimoor Zia"





AQIDA KALEEM

“MBA k do saalo main bohat maza aya. Aap sub se mil k bohat khushi hui. Aap saaray bohat achay log hain. InshaAllah zindagi main aagay bhi mulaqat hoti rahay gi. Special thanks to the entire SDSB faculty and administrative staff for their persistent efforts to make us decent enough for the corporate world.”

TESTIMONIALS

“Its unfortunate that it took me 3 semesters to get to know you but Im glad I did when I did. You have an amazing personality. All the best for the future”- Faizan

“Huhahahaha!!!! we had great times together. Gossips, all nighters, studies and what not. Although u got LP in both the courses that u taught me LOL but thanks for being there!! i will miss this...:/”

“Separated in the mountains and reunited at LUMS. Friends since '03! Makhii 4 life.” Wali

“The real deal. The complete package. My mentor. My friend. #TeamAqida”- Moeed

“Completely unfazed by the MBA and all the book-worms within.”

“The official tom boy of the batch! :)”

“You know why we are good friends? because you are “bhai type” :D you don't mind small things. Stay like this forever!”

Arslan

“I'm sooo happpppppyy.” Droops

“Most confident girl.”- Hammad Khan

“Your prowess in the subject of Honey Singh and other chamkeelay bharkeelay gaanay will never cease to amaze me.”

Zeeshan Shaukat

“If only that brownie wasnt there...I would have been the best one!”



Sangeen KHAN



Thankfully my write up was written by Aina Maria. Here it is word by word.

"Ye bohat Sangeen masla hai... Aap to baray Rangeen hain aapka naam Sangeen kyun hai?" My batch mates surely associate these two years with hard work, CPs, LPs and standard deviation, but for me it has been only about quips regarding my name. As if all this hadn't sufficiently gotten to me, last semester arrived and suddenly two persons answering to the names of Aina Maria Waseem and Arfah Khadija decided to start pestering me to write something for my page in the yearbook. They thought they would succeed in extracting something from me eventually, and to that end they tried many tacks: they praised my writing skills, called me a nice person, said they admired my efficiency, and basically extolled me to heights even I hadn't imagined.

However, Sangeen is not called Sangeen for nothing. He doesn't rest easy till the lives of people around him have become completely "sangeen".

SANGEEN: 1 AINA/ARFAH: 0

Congratulations to me, as they have finally agreed to write this on behalf. Now I will talk about my time at LUMS. Apart from the occasional irritants, like the one mentioned above, I have passed through my MBA like a hot knife through butter. I took the route of doing well enough in the first semester to escape to France for the third where I basically did nothing but upload picture evidence of my tourism on Facebook while my fellow students at Lahore were cursing LUMS as usual.

Lastly my friends, a dictum for a true MBA: "never do yourself what someone else can do for you"



TESTIMONIALS



The best exchange semester partner. You annoyed me as much as you could, but well, nobody's perfect! ~ Aqida

Iccube, I was one of those lucky devils who met you the great right in the interview room. I remember the CTMC riddle that yes I had guessed too (took me more time of-course) and you were the only one who gave the right answer. Genius :D ~ Aina Maria Waseem

I've known him longer than anyone else in the batch. Pehle bhi cheetah tha, abhi bhi cheetah hai. Statistics will tell you ke agay bhi cheetah hi ho ga. ~ Shehryar Sohail Muzammil

Biggest Formula 1 freak I've ever come across. ~ Atique

Rangeen hai tu rango se bhi ziada! Shokh lagtay ho reh k bhi saada! :)

I have so many fond memories of our time in 2nd semester DR together. You are so calm and collected and I am sure these traits will serve you well in the future-Faizan

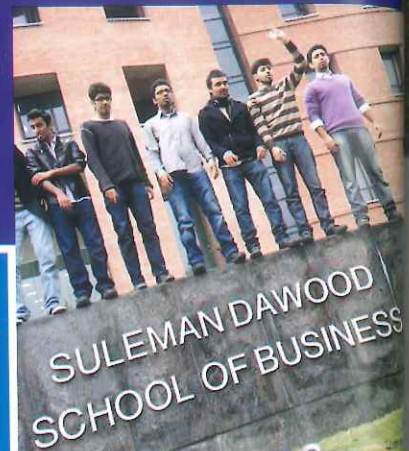
Genius, GG! (or as Hejab would say, Xhee Xhee!) =D~Makhdoom

I think you are great listener and a good friend and i hope we annoyed you while stalking you :P. ~Arfah Khadija

Laziest person I know.~Hammad Khan

Kabhi aao na KPK, khushboo lava keh. Wali

HAMAD MAHMOOD KHAN



While working on Excel for dummies with a fast and with less than three hours of sleep per day, SOP at LUMS made me reconsider my decision of doing my MBA at the rate of over 10 times per the excel question. But in retrospect, I would re-live these 2 years again and again. The crazy DRs, senseless CPs, endless laughters, last minute WAC submissions, Zakir ki karahi, Reading room ki Taash, Dangal practices, Anmol ki chaat, Mill's & Escue's room, Qamar's routine, Zain's arguments, Rafay's uncouth behavior, Hammy K's fishy silence, Osama's laugh, Batman's sleep, Waseem's CPs, Legend's pait, and Harem's CP support to save me from LPs, all make me dread the day when we all close the LUMS chapter and move on. But, I have met the best people of my life here, made the best of friends, and have added countless memories in my system, which will keep reminding me about how lucky I have been to be a part of "LUMS MBA 2014".



You are always good company and not as "inconsiderate" as "some" perceive you to be - Faizan

From a funny batch fellow to my seat fellow in the second semester, from a neighbor to a fiancé, from a fiancé to my confidant, my best friend - you have completed and complimented my life and me as a person. Every day reveals how blessed I am to be with you :)

An example of transformational maturity - Adnan

Shahid Junior please be forever like this!!! :p- Hammad Hadi

johnny bin dangal. will miss you m'boy. Wali

The linchpin of sports in the MBA program. Warna log sirf perhte hi rehte.

You owe me two nailpaints, a minion stuff toy, a dinner at nandos n countless juice outings.

Its a good thing we have a life time to settle the score, Jonnathan! =D

Indebted to you... for life.

Someone you call a lost friend, but its hardly that way.

"Out beyond ideas of wrongdoing and rightdoing, there is a field. I'll tell you we're meeting there, but then I conveniently won't show up." -Johnny ~ RS



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IT HAS BEEN THE BEST OF TIMES - SIR EHSAN'S INSPIRATIONAL CLASSES, DISCUSSING 'SOCIAL ISSUES' AND OWNING CTMC PRESENTATIONS WITH MY DR (THE BEST DR), Z & M EVENTS AND BOYS HANGOUTS AT DERA AND BUTT KARAH, JUNAID ASHRAF AND HIS SPELLBINDING LECTURES, SIR ZAHOR AND THE LEGENDARY OM COURSE, CONCERTS IN THE WINTER BREAK, LUNCH PLANS DURING INTERNSHIPS, TORTURING THE NEW BATCH IN THE SOP, ORGANIZING THE WELCOME, MAKING NEW FRIENDS AND WORKING HARDER THAN EVER IN SEMESTER 3, THE CRAZY HUMBLING AND MEMORABLE CBMR AND SFM PROJECTS AND TO SEMESTER 4 AND THE REALIZATION THAT IT'S ALL ENDING TOO QUICKLY. THE FIGHTS, THE DISCUSSIONS ON THE BENCHES, GOSSIPS, DABBA CPS, AWAM VS. THE ESTABLISHMENT - LUMS HAS GIVEN ME ANOTHER FAMILY, IT HAS ENHANCED MY PERSONALITY, BROADENED MY HORIZONS AND GIVEN ME UNFORGETTABLE MEMORIES.

TESTIMONIALS

Moeed is different. His personality has a certain simplicity to it which is beautiful.

p.s. he is such a girl, you never run out of topics to discuss with him :p~Rabia

Brutally Honest, Totally Reliable, Fat people fan, Compassionate- Most Amazing friend~Mahvish

Our countless ManUtd vs Arsenal arguments and the non stop mid class confusion and expressions of trying to understand who the teacher addressed or gave a cold call to btw the two of us because of the similarity in name pronunciation are things that I will never forget. One of the true gentlemen of the batch in my opinion.

(Hopefully down the road when you read this, you would have moved on from Arsenal :p)

The person who completes M&Z Event Management. But with his new attention towards M&G Event Management, his focus has shifted some how. ~Zaid

You wont beat me ever in any field. And i know that you know what i am really trying to say. ~Shaheer

The only guy who can pull off the girly "awwwwww". ~Rao

My apprentice, thank you for believing in me from Day 1 of SOP. You're impressed way too easily! There have been times when venting with you has helped. Thank you for being a friend... and the gossip hub! :D - Aqida You have very strong ethical values and you take pride in your work and your group. Wish you success. ~Fawad

P.S. I still don't think your second DR was the best one :p

The most fun baby-stalker ever! (may urs ve cheeks ten times cuter than any others! =D) Makhdoom

The Prettiest Baby ever!!! App se bara baby koi hu nai sakta duniya me abdul moeed!! i hope you find the best in life!! logon se choti choti baaton pe impress hona chor du or i love that you love fat people :D

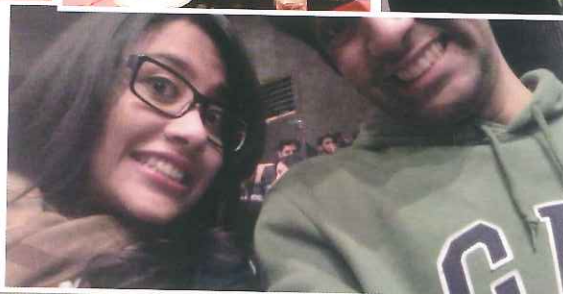
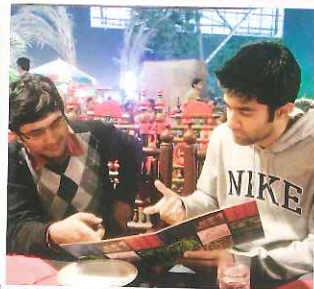
The person who can has the courage to say anything at anyone's face without a shadow of doubt - Adnan

There is a small girl somewhere inside you, however that does not take much away from your incredible personality -Faizan

A candid and good friend. Hassana Wasti

He found the extra hours Dr. Jamshed talked about. But he spent them all watching TV shows. Wali

Your gossips have been a joy to behold, and your covert war against the bearded folk has been a pleasure to witness. May your fortunes be much better than Arsenal FC. ~Taimoor Zia

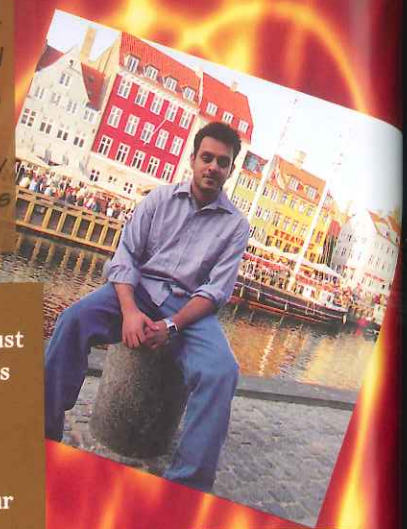


MEER BILAL AHMED



In my opinion, LUMS MBA program is by far the best MBA program being offered in Pakistan and during the course of my exchange semester at CBS, Denmark, I realized that the program is as good as any MBA program offered by a top ranked international business school. Level of competence, commitment and motivation of its faculty is a source of inspiration for all participants.

The program greatly helped me develop my analytical capabilities and gain valuable insight into different functional areas of business such as Marketing, Finance, Operations and HR. Combination of DRs, relative grading system and a diverse student body challenged values of different participants and ensured that we cooperated and competed with each other at the same time. The hectic workload enabled us to stretch our limits, realize our true potential and get ready for challenges ahead. I believe that my prior business education (BBA), work experience and on campus accomodation played to my advantage specially during the first year. I thank my colleagues, friends and professors for making my LUMS MBA a truly enriching experience.



Definitely the most hardworking guy in the batch ~shaheer
 Meer. Bilal. Zaidi...somebody I got to know very late but someone with whom it all just clicked off suddenly. A foodie with an enormous appetite, great taste and zeal towards trying new things, wishing you all the success for years to come. Abdul
 You've got the will power of a rhino, my friend. You're an inspiration to me in your focus, brilliance and sheer hard work. Wish you all the best.- Zeeshan Sohail
 Probably the best chef in LUMS. Aaj tak is ke 150 euros koi kha ke betha hua hai. Aur wo agar na hi expect keray, to sab khush rahain ge :D~Shehryar Sohail Muzammil
 You are phenomenal !! :)~S. MuneebHululu! His love for 'chicks' can't be described in words.~Atique
 Incredibly smart, and a pleasure to talk to. Wishing you all the best Meer! Wali
 Painstakingly explained to me everything I needed to write in the OM report. Always be this nice and helpful and smart!~Aina Maria Waseem
 An inspiration.....
 You're the silent assassin. Love your wit and I think youre the most smartest guy of the batch- Faizan



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MBA from LUMS Gosh has been a hell of a ride: ruthlessly competitive, tiring, relentless and routines often taking their toll on personal health but nevertheless the rigors of MBA from LUMS were worth it after all. I always wanted to do MBA after engineering; preferably from LUMS, and was fortunate enough to end up at LUMS at second attempt. However to be honest I wasn't really prepared mentally and physically for the "raghra" that was on offering partly because I had settled into the corporate culture (08 Year) and going back to school wasn't easy at all.

The entire first year was a nightmare with a sword of LPs and possible separation from program constantly hanging over my head; nevertheless I managed to get through the first year. Summer vacations after almost a decade were exciting in addition to the respect and admiration I got being a LUMS student during the internship was heartening and worth the troubles and rigors of SDSB, LUMS.

The historical episode with Dr. Ghufran is an event worth remembering where I was at the receiving end of his wrath albeit having only smiled to actions from classmates. The best part was when Ghufran Sb told me in his office:

"smart wo hai jo pakra na jaye." (Key Take away for life folks !!!)

It's an ideal opportunity to thank all those who stood by me through thick and thin, highs and lows of LUMS. It wouldn't have been possible for me to be here without their unconditional support and encouragement. (Fantastic Five & Band of Brothers) The faculty was absolutely fabulous and helpful; especially Sir Khalid Mirza and Dr. Arif Rana. I ended up taking so many courses from Sir Khalid that colleagues have started calling me MBA in Khalid Mirza. I wish everyone from MBA - 2014 all the best in their lives and for their future endeavors. May Allah bless all of us with success and happiness in our lives.

TESTIMONIALS

Qaaazi tu le gaya baazi... Pareshani mein mera humsafar mera humrahi.. jeetay raho :)

You've been always so nice to everyone. You're like the big brother of the entire hostel. It's a shame that still a lot of people are still unaware about the greatness of Qazi bhai- Faizan

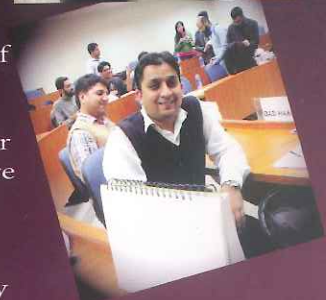
Known as Senior Citizen, I don't know why, he is of same age as me - Adnan Boss, who wrote the write-up for me within a few hours of stalking. I'm sure your subordinates would always be happy :D Hope to see you CEO of some big venture someday!

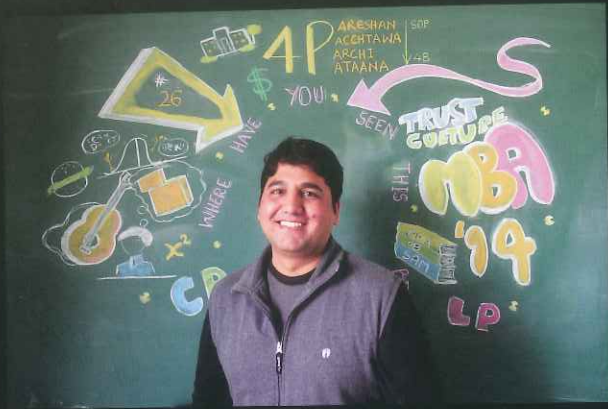
Aina Maria Waseem

Qazi sahib! A repository of knowledge and insights. Wali Nihayat Aa'la Zarf Insan !Qazi bhai ap k room say itna rashan khaya hai us k liay sorry, I know ap ko bura to lagta hoga but hum bhok k hathon majboor thay, per ap nay phir b kabi pata b na chalnay diya :D aur un lipton tea bags say Hasham humaray liay chaey banata tha - usko kuch na kehna - bohota darta tha ap say :p The most hardworking guy I have had the pleasure to come across. Put most work into cases. A close second comes freeriding.

Qazi bhai!!!! I swear I never made the famous Qazi jokes about you; I was merely a messenger :p I also want to apologize that even though you and Farhan bhai put in a lot of effort to change me according to your ways, I still remain nonchalant in my ways :p stay happy and stop taking so much tension, you would probably live a few more years that way :p loved bugging the hell out of you, would never forget those memories. AMK

Thank you for all the snacks you made available during 1st year ~shaheer Qazi bhai, thank you for the memorable trip to and back from Islamabad. Will remember.MHAB





FARHAN MANZOOR

"I hate MBA people", was my first expression at the beginning of professional life in 2003. These were days of my tests and interviews for job after graduation (engineering), where I frequently came across HR people (MBA people). They were so irritating (especially my experience with ICI recruitment drive) that I couldn't digest the role of MBAs in our hiring, which I thought was the sole prerogative of technical people.

But I don't know how after 10 years I am a part of that fraternity. For me MBA is indeed a lifetime experience, which has totally reshaped my perspective about everything...

I don't know how this journey took place but it wasn't easy. Everything went well but for this my wife and kids offered lot of sacrifices and without their support, it wasn't possible. Thank you Sana, Abdullah & Bareera!

At LUMS my first nightmare was the letter P. For a person who tries every possible way not to speak, has to... due to LP, CP, 4Ps... Then with every passing day, things become easier and easier. I am confident that our old friends who decided their own to left the program, if continued this journey, would have been writing this year book.

And a confession! Instead of famous quote I heard here, "With engineering background, accounting, finance etc. is very tough..." I think otherwise that we have made one plus one equal to eleven, best of two worlds. And hats off for our finance guys who tried their best to make sure "LP in accounting and finance is evitable but we will not let anybody to get U".

Thank you LUMS for stretching me to my limits...

Farhan bhai "The Perfectionist"

Koi aik banda dekha do who has anything bad to say about Farhan bhai.
Bohat aala banday hain.

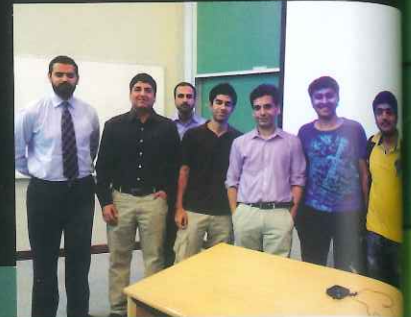
Decency defines this man - Adnan

A pleasure to work with and to have in class.
Our FYP would not have been the same without you! Keep smiling. Wali

The sweetest, nicest and kindest person in the whole batch.~ Moeed

Farhan bhai, we've really bothered you over the semesters for the tea supplies.
And so many memories to take from dinner outings with you, Qazi bhai and others.
Thank you. ~ MHAB

Nicest person in the batch
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MUHAMMAD SHOAIB FAREED

At the twilight of two years, that started with the heating and beating of Dr. Jamshed in SOP with the caution, do not try to make sense out of things that don't make any sense; is now golden part of my life. Apart from some great teachers, all the learnings and usual deadlines for WAC and assignments that forced us to work round the clock for last minute submission, I have made new friends, had a mufta trip to Karachi (courtesy of Indus Motors and LMEC), enjoyed the hostel life without any allotment (LUMS refused to allot me any room in hostel), missed two friends who opted out of the program (both happened to be from my DR), hated and loved PDC food, enjoyed the H Block food and gathering, admired the LUMS Masjid, cursed the new year students for their wrong parking, learned to live with people of opposing views, and tried to balance LUMS with personal life. My daughter, who was born during the first month of first semester, pulled that balance towards herself as she grew up along with MBA. But all this life changing experience would not have been possible without the support of my family, specially my wife who stood beside me throughout the period and accommodated her SOKAN (she has named LUMS my second wife) – thank you Saima. LUMS has changed so much in me that life will never be the same again after LUMS.

TESTIMONIALS

Hardworking

“Numbers Game? got to talk to Shoaib bhai” - Adnan

“Never knew him in the first and the second semester but had a great interaction in the third semester. A really great guy and had a great time with him in the third semester. Really interesting to talk to and a really nice person.” Haaris
“Very sharp, focused and intelligent. Shoaib bhai the great added a lot of value to my experience at LUMS!”

Wali

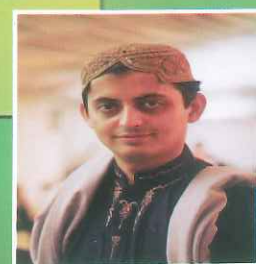
“Jitni tension shurooh main li thi, utni ha sakoon baad main kiya.”

“Shoaib has the ability to impress everyone who comes across him with his knowledge and his analytical skills. I do not know how i would have made it through the MBA program without his support. Our time in DR has left a great mark on me. and I will always cherish his company and hope that our friendship stays strong and endures the test of times :)”

“Major respect for your decision to not go on exchange and your reasons behind it. You're such a hardworker and I really respect how you've managed it with a family to take care of at home.” - Aqida

“Sat next to me in the Marketing Management mid term and scared me to death with his calculations. I wasn't surprised when told later that while the whole class is sitting between 40 and 44, Shoaib has scored in the 70s :D”

Aina Maria Waseem



MUNEEB KHADIM

When I was asked during the interview why I wanted to come to LUMS, I said that I was not a risk taker and that I wanted to have the optimism required for bold decision making. LUMS equipped me with exactly that. When you're put in a pressure cooker situation with a hundred brainiacs, it compels you to build on your strengths and make peace with your weaknesses. This higher degree of self-awareness made me more confident and humble at the same time.

The thing about being an extrovert is when you're asked to describe your experiences, they are always connected to the people you are surrounded with. My two years at LUMS are full of incredible and unforgettable stories, owing to the wonderful people that were around me. I hope these friendships last a lifetime and we all get to see our dreams fulfilled.



"The Celebrity for me atleast, speaks from the heart" - Adnan

"Ahm ahm!!! aap ke baare me kya kahien!!! muneeb khadin u r one of my closest friends here!!! u were always there for me and i know you will always be!!!"

"I really like the way you compose your arguments and present them. one can always expect a better rather killing) pun from you in response."

"Aina doosri CP lagao, errr okay. Aina teesri lagao uhhoh! Kept pushing me to rise above my 4th quartile. Plus, a highly insightful individual!"

Aina Maria Waseem

"I still remember sitting next to you during SOP and you helping me stay up during the early morning sessions. Keep smiling, champ, and playing rummy and table tennis!" Wali

"My first neighbor, motivator, listener and what not ..you always were there to support me. I always admired you for your eloquent speech style and the way you patiently listened to my whining. I still know that i can always come to you for advice or motivation. Stay Blessed :)"

Arfah Khadija

"They say great things may come in small packages. You, most "definitely" are a great thing and a small package. Confident and secure, there isn't much that deters you from your chosen goal. It has been a pleasure to know you. Although, the pleasure has been all mine." Regards, Taimoor Zia

"The best time of his life was the second semester DR."

"You were the first one to call me; Batch ki bhabi. It's controversial" - Rabia

"In our first group project you said number crunching is not your forte: writing is, then in writing project you said you have even lost that, presentation my core was your next reply, then in the presentation you said today I am not feeling at my best and then I realized you are born with the skills that we are taught in two years of MBA." Bilz

"If there was one person I could have transferred from section A to section B, it would have been the guy" - Hamad

"RULE BOOK kehti hai k it is inappropriate to write here what I have in mind."

Zeeshan Shaukat

"Dear roomi, we have made it through our MBA as roommates despite my unusual and ridiculous sleep cycles. Thank you for bearing with me."

"To this day, the 'Ghalib' stunt remains one of my fondest memories of the MBA Program. DEFINITELY one of the best memories."

Zeeshan Shaukat"

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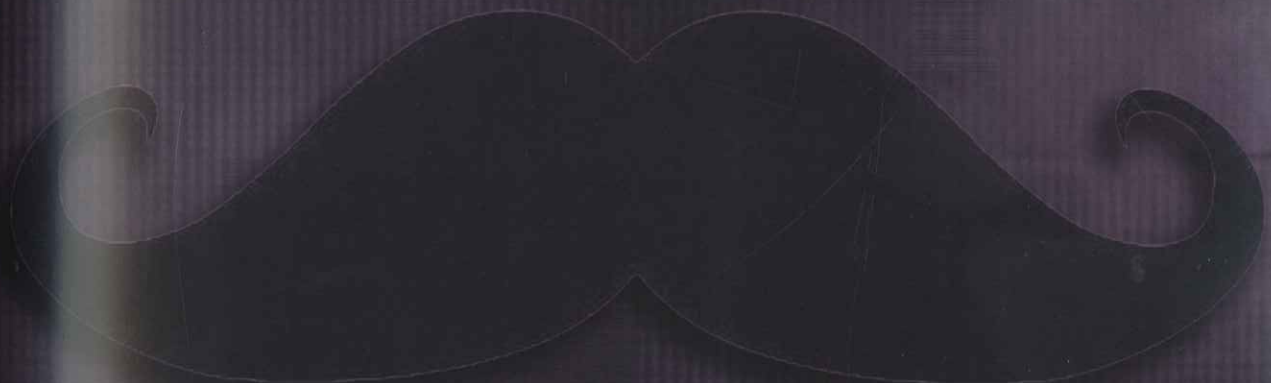


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Cool with a capital K. He has the looks, the smarts and the swag to get any girl he wants (if only he would) One of the greatest regret in my life is that i didn't really get a chance to fraternize with him :(My man crush <3

I think you always brought a whole new prespective in any discussion which were enligtening. You did frighten us all on that photoshoot day with your angry looks and we did fall for that prank :P but that did nt stop us from bugging u. Keep Rocking ~Arfah Khadija

my best friend at LUMS! You and Muneeb sat next to me in the SOP and I loved it when you two gave rebellious comments! ~Aina Maria Waseem

If I'm ever reincarnated, I'd want to be Wali Sheikh! The person in the batch I truly admire and respect without any reservations. - Aqida

Ive spent more time with you in the last two weeks than all the time spent with you furing the rest of the MBA programme put together. And that is all it takes to know what an amazing person you are-Faizan

AINA MARIA WASEEM

"Sir the fact of the matter is that the unique value proposition of the company's product has been diluted by the entry into the market of new players and in view of this fact the decisions that need to be taken and the actions that need to be implemented under the best judgment of the most experienced managers who have the confidence of the CEO himself should be done with due consideration and when the actual decision is taken, in view of what we have discussed so far, I think they need to remember that it should solve the problem of falling revenues. In fact, and considering everything that has been said so far and ever in this course or the whole of MBA, the situation is dire indeed and there is definitely a problem to be solved within this VERY case Sir!"

Whoa! Wait let me just say it in one line:

"The company needs to develop brand revitalization strategies immediately!"

I know I know, if that really was all there was to it, why make such a long bow? Don't ask! Sarcasm apart, and in strictly MBA language, LUMS added great value. It gave me maturity, a holistic world view, confidence, and above all, patience and forbearance. Here I learnt to be happy under pressure. Here I learnt to work with the most difficult people, here I started to conquer my lack of initiative, and here also, I met some of Pakistan's most brilliant minds!
Goodbye, MBA 2014!

"Saadi apni genius bandi, her topic pe argument kerne wali. Jeeti raho tumhara sath kabhi na bhoolay ga :)"
"It takes real courage to be who you are and my MBA would not have been half as rewarding had it not been for you" Faizan

"Aina darwazaa >>>>>" Saad Zaheer

"Pure Intellect & a complete SWEETHEART! #BundleOfJoy.

Stay Blessed =)" Hijab

"Truly a great person and an excellent human being. Says what she feels like and is fun to hang around with. A great gal." Haaris

"Simply a genius and I believe she is the only student from our batch who has the capability to score a D grade in any course. But she is really kind enough to us and never shows interest in marking her CP." Irfan
"Patakhi!" "Ainye is love :)" "Maina!!"

"Your purple water bottle and your knowledge of all things cricket. Not your ordinary girl." Wali

"For the love of books! Will miss you Aina!" Makhdoom

"Biggest cricket nut I've ever seen."

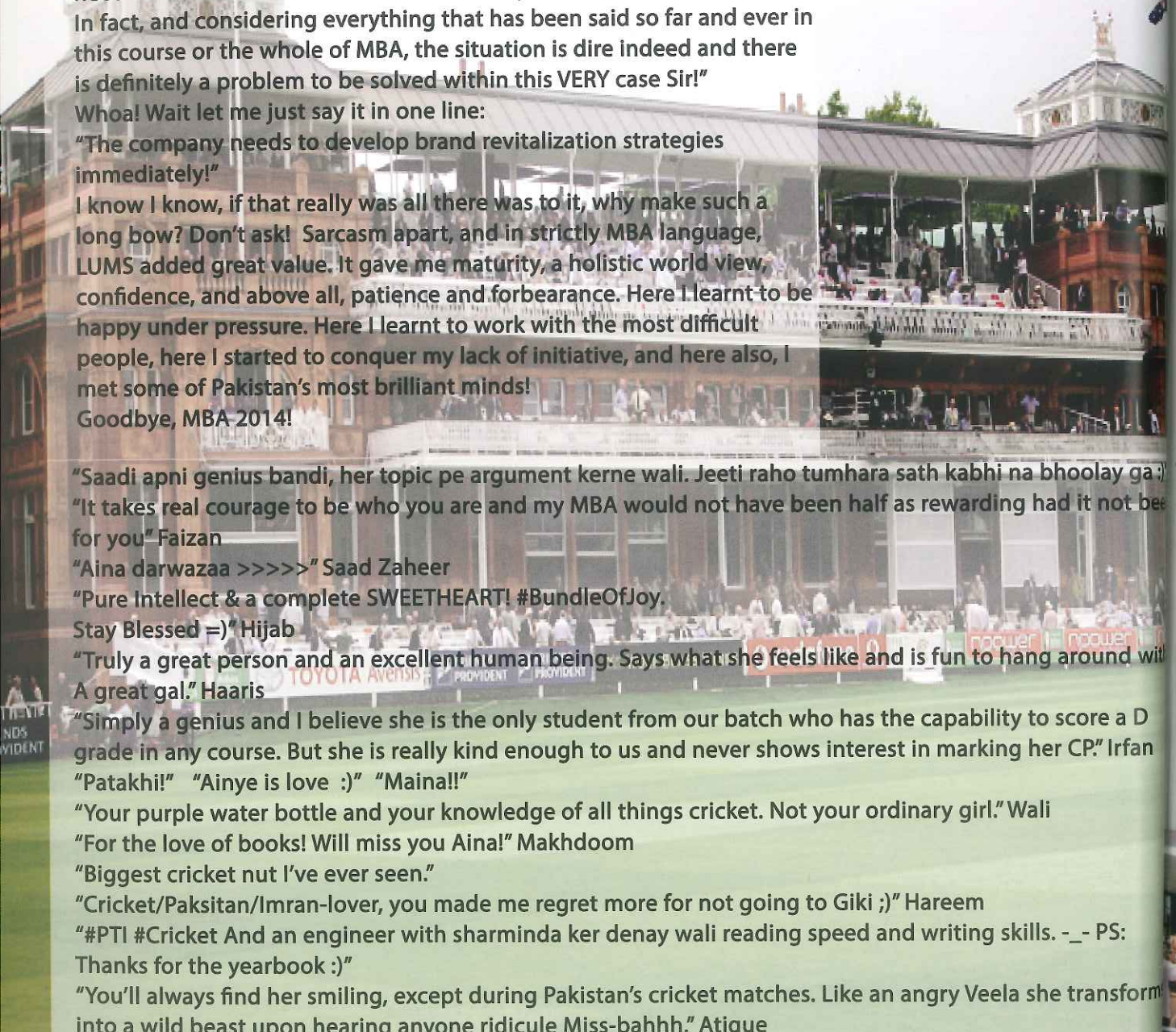
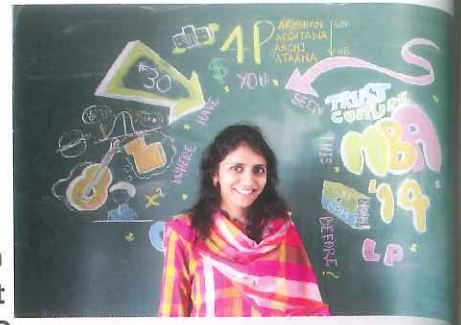
"Cricket/Pakistan/Imran-lover, you made me regret more for not going to Giki ;)" Hareem

"#PTI #Cricket And an engineer with sharminda ker denay wali reading speed and writing skills. -_- PS:

Thanks for the yearbook :)"

"You'll always find her smiling, except during Pakistan's cricket matches. Like an angry Veela she transforms into a wild beast upon hearing anyone ridicule Miss-bahhhh." Atique

"O my kindred spirit, I wish you and I could forget the world of today and go back in the time of Darcy... :D
We belong there! #YourBitterHalf"



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 alive? "Pata nahi yaar" 4A LP nahi gold medal?? WTF! Still alive? Very much...

2014: Impossible? DONE!! Awaiting next challenge... LUMS MBA decoded...
 As graduation nears and the certainty of it increases, thanks to everyone for the two most happening years
 of my life.



"Shaji Shaji hain, testimonial ki kiya zaroorat hai" - Adnan

"The best thing that happened to me in MBA was meeting Salman. He always goes out of the way to help his friends. A true Guru and Legend indeed..."
 Hassaan Wasti

"I truly learnt the meaning of ""Naiki kar darya mein daal"" from Salman bhai. He was of great help to non-Finance guys(and girls) from the very first
 semester. Thank you Salman bhai for your support." Irfan

"The legend himself. Will always remember the hunt for the best shutouts outside the sdsb building" Wali

"The war waged by the Awam to reclaim their rights from the Establishment will live long in the
 memory - a worthy adversary with intellectually stimulating humor." Moeed

"Shah ji, thanks for all the teaching and the models! you truly were a Legend. Lekinchalo koi nahi :)"

"Salman bhai! I have a feeling even after the MBA, Ill hound you over financial queries :P Thanks for all the help!" - Jaffar

"The Legend. Finance Guru. King of Rang. Was doing a full time job, with the full time MBA."

"Salman bhail!!gussa na kiya karien zaiada :P crazy about rung but such a genuine heart :) it was a pleasure to have a friends like you! :D"

"Always been a guide like an elder brother. He accommodated my repeated requests for testing new eating places." Zaid

"From coming across as a stiff and uninterested person to a cool and humble person, he has indeed proved why he always was and will always be a
 legend.

On a side note, pait andar kar lain abb :P" - Hamad

"It took me almost one MBA to find a weak spot where i can hit you." - Umair

"The gurl!"

"Finance Minister"

"Shah je life mein bohat shah dekhay hain laikin kisi ko aik game mein
 206 partay nahi dekhay...heavy aye ho shah je!"

"Salman. Not Salman bhai." - Aqida

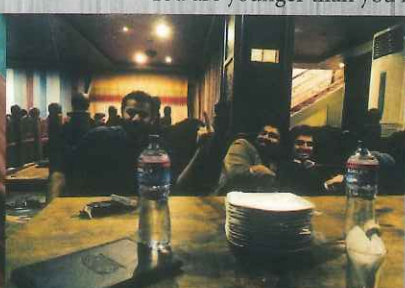
"For being the brains behind my finance and accounting skills, and
 for being a willing and
 ever-ready accomplice in Rungg, you have my laarve. Forever."

Taimoor Zia

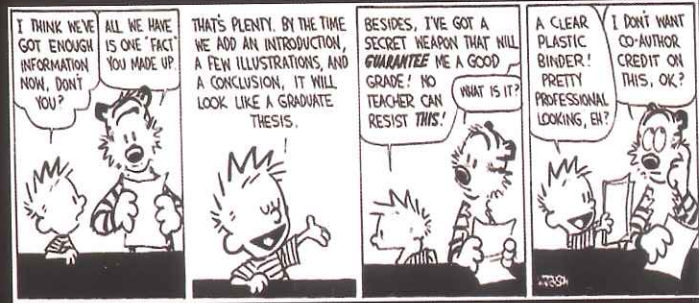
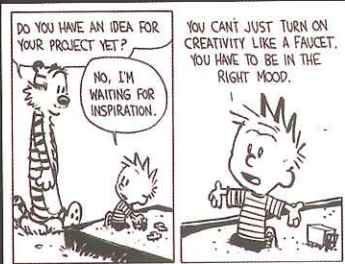
"Shah Ji, you are and will be someone i will always look for to get a real
 viewpoint of anything and everything."

'Salman bhai aap sou rahay hain'. After waking up, 'Nahe mein soch
 raha tha' - Rabia

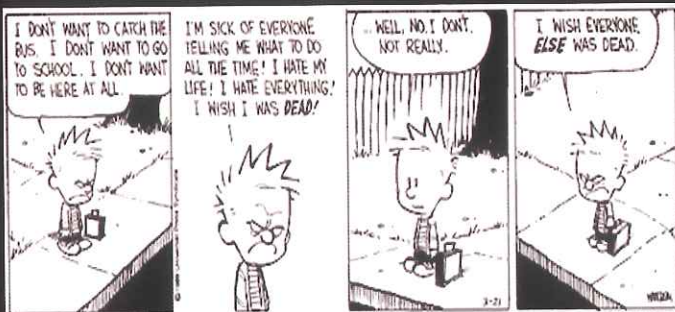
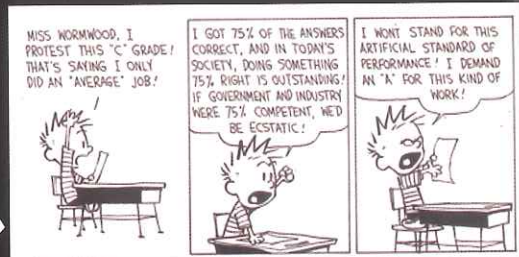
"You are younger than you look." Rao



KHURRAM MANSOOR



LIFE @ LUMS



The second year has been so much better for me and you are one of the reasons for that. Your focus is unbreakable and your personality is unmatched- Faizan

Throughout first year we used to sit with each other in the class... will never forget his friendship, support and comments.....Hassaan Wasti

A person who always astonishes you with whatever he do.
Zaid

A great and trustworthy friend from Day 1 whose opinion carries weight. My gym and sports partner. Our discussions about everything from Rumi to Tiger Woods and Iqbal to Freud were so informative. Favorite jargon: "you do not want to reinvent the wheel". Moeed

Most Effective CR of the batch - Adnan

Hello Khurram, despite your religious orientation i never felt difficulty in talking to you... :) thank you for being nice towards me... Stay blessed. Regards, Shanza

Lots of fun to talk to. One day when we're old, I'll call you for a leisurely game of golf, and let you win. Wali

Became solid and close friends during our tour de Pakistan while interning at Monsanto. An amazing and knowledgeable person with a forward attitude. Golf is his only passion...Haaris

Kind, humble and friendly. It was always fun talking to and working with you. Wish you success Fawad
P.S. It was really difficult sometimes to decipher your jokes because you would crack them with a poker face

Don't let the beard fool you. Us ke peechay bohat bari cheez hai. Still, nakli molvi honay ke bawajood bohat aala banda hai. Plus, he owns Turkey (the country). So that's always a plus. Owing a country....Shehryar Sohail Muzammil



The DR 7

"AATE JAATE KHUBSURAT AWARA SADKON PE
KABHI KABHIE ITTEFAQ SE
KITNE ANJAAN LOG MIL JAATEIN HAIN
UNN MEIN SE KUCH LOG BHOOL JAATEIN HAIN
KUCH YAAD REH JAATE HAIN.."

The time at LUMS was certainly the most amazing one! Met all sorts of crazzy (cool) people; saw some extraordinary examples of free riders ;), awesomely creative minds, loving and caring kind, wittiest ones and some odd ones! :p

I must say it was the "CULTURE & TRUST" between the batch mates that gave a worthy ROI for me ;)

Just hope all my fellows have a happening and wonderful life ahead that is filled with "gut feel" and "passion". "Just never leave money on the table" and remember "conflict is sometimes good for us".

Baki i want to highly appreciate the support and love my friends have given me and sincerely apologize for being an ass a few times to some people :)

Salute to MBA 2014!



TESTIMONIALS

Very talented, extremely nice and one of the most genuine people I came across at LUMS. All the best!

This guy can sing! One of the most creative and helpful people in the batch - Atique

A nice guy amongst us wolves. Keep singing your heart out! Wali

Tamble boy
The man who will help you even when his own house is burning - Adnan

The Petterrrrrrr boy!!!!!! your sense of purity, humorous nature and social skills are loveable.

Acha insan ho yaar tum.

Crazy year bhai!!! cha gaay aap!
Keep in touch! Good luck with the groupies! - Jaffar

Been a fan of your singing since Networking Night (SOP). - Aqida

Hey Peter!
Regards shaheer

Singer, Designer, Organizer.
Thora sa perh bhi leta tha.

One of the few talented and creative people of batch. You are so down to earth and humble. I wish you all the best for future - Arfah Khadija

You are the most honest and dependable person I came across in this MBA. You always have the answers and I hope it remains that way - Faizan

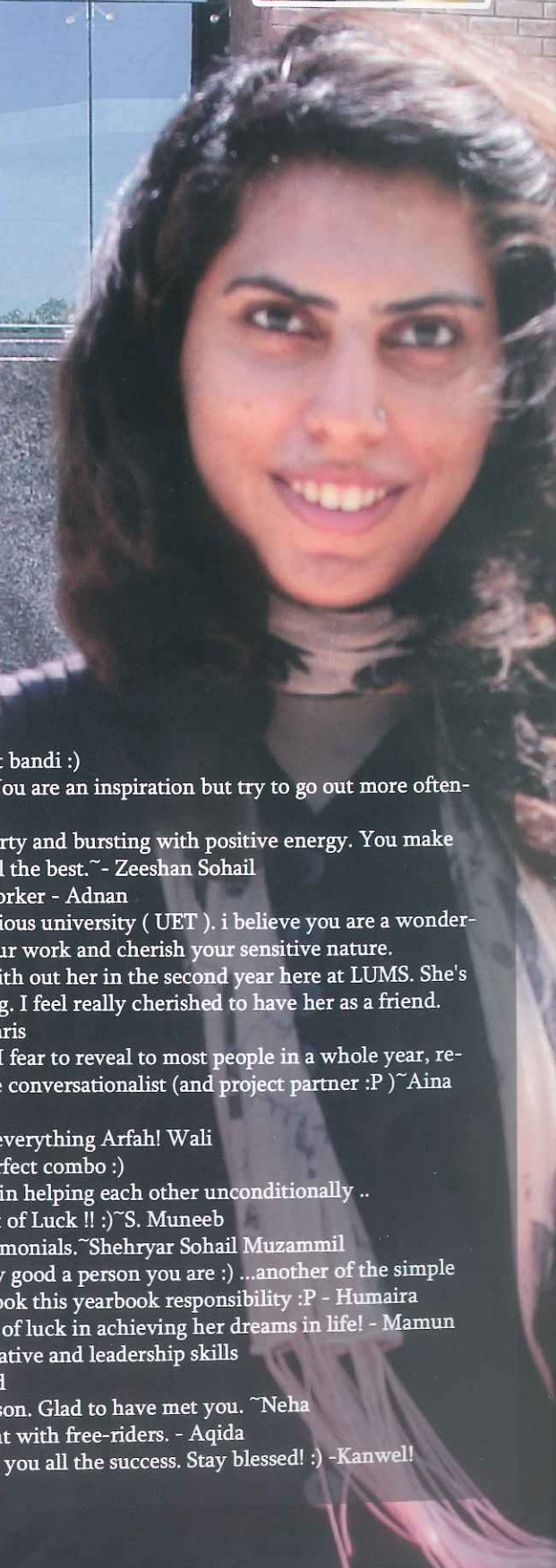
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ARFAH
KHADIJA



*LUMS has been an amazing journey, right from being terror stricken in SOP to being care-free in later days, from a silent spectator to a noisy participant, from a loner to party person; it truly has been an amazing transformation for me. This place gave me a space to grow and explore the limits of my existence and helped in unleashing the true side of my existence. Apart from LUMS terrorizing WACS, assignments, intolerable long CPs, nighters, WACS, punctuated equilibrium, etc., LUMS provided me with an opportunity to acquaint with diverse people and make some really good lifelong friends. Even though we all as students have lot to complain about faculty, facilities (not to mention the auditoriums in basements where one could literally here toilet water being flushed or sewage water seeping through the ceilings...yuck), but deep down LUMS have grown over us. These last few days have made us all realize how much we all are going to miss this place and the memories linked with those. On the endnote, LUMS it has been pleasure knowing you and your taming tactics...:P and above all its been HONOR KNOWING YOU JEEYAY FOURTEEN, I hope we can all make this bond long-lasting.
LUMS and luminites you'll be missed big time!!
Cheers!*



TESTIMONIALS

Cool, calm, fun and grrreeeeatattt bandi :)

I have no idea how you manage to find the time for all the things you do. You are an inspiration but try to go out more oftenly-Faizan

I really can't recall a time when I've seen her blue. She's the life of the party and bursting with positive energy. You make LUMS seem like it's a walk in the park. Wish you all the best. ~ Zeeshan Sohail

Always up for the work, a true hardworker - Adnan

Dear Arfah. I have always respected you as we both are from the same previous university (UET). i believe you are a wonderful lady. I respect they way you put your maximum efforts into your work and cherish your sensitive nature.

One of my best friends and I really don't know what I would have done with out her in the second year here at LUMS. She's the most wonderful person I've come across and a gem of a human being. I feel really cherished to have her as a friend.

Thanks for everything~Haaris

We are meeting for the first time and lo and behold, I am airing opinions I fear to reveal to most people in a whole year, regarding religion, politics, sport, and everything in between. My favourite conversationalist (and project partner :P)~Aina Maria Waseem

An integral part of Section A! Good luck with everything Arfah! Wali

Pleasant, Friendly and Prudent. A perfect combo :)

"Shady" ur one of the few individuals in this batch who believe in helping each other unconditionally ..

It was a pleasure to have known you Arfah. Best of Luck !! :)~S. Muneeb

Super nice, and super persistent. Dekho Arfah, likh diye testimonials.~Shehryar Sohail Muzammil

I have known you since the start almost, but honestly never realized how good a person you are :) ...another of the simple straight forward people, always helpful , and also patient since you took this yearbook responsibility :P - Humaira

Always very courteous and refreshing to talk to, I wish her the very best of luck in achieving her dreams in life! - Mamun

The initiative you took really showed your innovative and leadership skills

Villain :P~Farhan Shahid

Arfah! You're hardworking, caring and a very loving person. Glad to have met you. ~Neha

Very hardworking and committed to work. Patient with free-riders. - Aqida

One of the most hard-working individuals that I came across. I wish you all the success. Stay blessed! :) -Kanwell!

HASSAN ALI WASTI



TESTIMONIALS

"Itni tension main itna kush koi koi rehta hai" - Adnan

"Hassan bhai is a good guy, and fun to be around. Wishing you all the best!" Wali

"His wit and sarcasm make him great company. Our talks on the benches and banter in class will never be forgotten!" ~ Moeed

"The aura of sharafatness is a lie. One of the most fun people to be around. If I had to put a number on it, 2 laughs per minute".

"Thankyou for sitting through all those DR inspections and covering up for us while we had chai at Jammin". Zeeshan Shaukat

"You are only person in this batch with whom manto type Urdu literature can be discussed". Bilz

"Discovered you late but was fun spending time with you.

One of the most dedicated and hard working person I've ever known". ~ M. HAB

"I can't write that gesture in words. Hope you understood. Stay happy and get married soon".

"Kiska ha naa... " our reattt perso Rafique wa
"Youve a whenever i bee

We always want to escape from our present but when it becomes past we always miss that period of our life, same holds true for this MBA experience.

First of all, i want to give credit to my parents and siblings who really helped me during this journey, fraught with thorns. MBA is a strange experience as it exposes both your strengths and weaknesses that you are not aware of. The most useful thing that I learnt here is to keep myself motivated even in the most desperate situation.

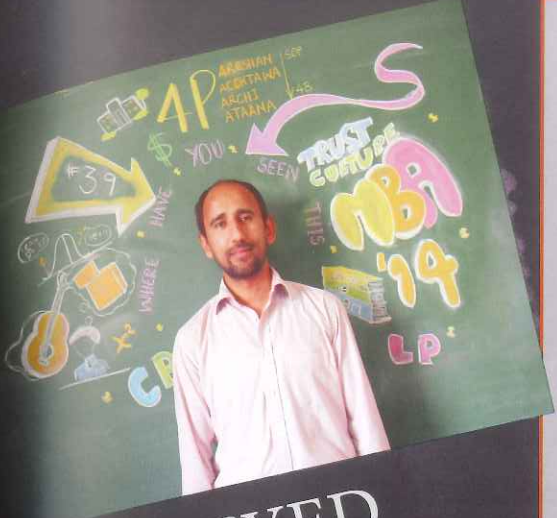
I am really indebted to my batch-mates for making this part of my life so memorable. This journey is full of learning, fun and some bitter memories as well. It is really hard to choose among the instructors to mention here. However Zahoor, Zahid Ali and Junaid Ashraf are the most impressive ones.

The only regret I have is that I should have started socializing a little earlier to make this journey more memorable.



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SYED MUHAMMAD ABBAS

Life at LUMS--- Physical and Cultural Shocks

Earning my degree from LUMS is a portrait mostly of guile rather than a chronicle of mystifying galore of hard work and commitment. This memoir recounts my experiences of dealing not with friends, foes, or individuals but a diverse cast of characters—I myself was branded by Qazi Sahib as “chukri”. The CP syndrome was all about imperfection of beauty, madness of a genius and “it’s better to be ridiculous than absolutely boring.”

I always knew that I wasn’t born to follow nor was I sure if I was born to lead; but after LUMS MBA I’m certain that I am born to fight through all odds and to win.

What does it mean to be the best at LUMS? You just have to be better than 8 guys in the class to enjoy utmost gratification of the soul.))

So much for serious talk!!

Let me narrate the most embarrassing incident of these two years: I decided to align myself somewhat with the “YEO” culture of LUMS by buying a smart mobile. With a glowing smile I entered the IT Desk in the LAB and asked the guy on the counter to get my cell in sync with the campus mail and Wi-Fi. Meanwhile a beautiful undergrad girl entered and stood by me. Lo and behold!! The guy across the counter asked me my Password and unknowingly I said, “D-e-s-i-b-a-b-a”.

The girl stared at me.....

TESTIMONIALS

“Kiska hai ye tumko intezaar mein hun naa... “ our very own Maj. Ram! ;) Grrr-reattt person, fun loving person bas Saad Rafique wala waqiya nai kabhi bhoolay ga

:P

“Youve always been an amazing host whenever i visited M1 and I have always been very envious of your intellect” - Faizan

Hey Rumi...Oh i mean Roomi ! Tum ilm ka samandar ho. but mjay is may gota lagay ka koi shook nahi meri jaaan. may to careless hon hi. aap mujh say bhi zaida careless hain. which makes me feel quite comfortable. #respect_for_Ravians

“Socrates!” Aina Maria Waseem

“That unforgettable moment in Dr. Eh-sans SMSE class.” Wali

“If only there was enough space on this tiny card to evoke my unfettered joie de vivre for what you have done. The gaiety, the mirth, the heavenly bubbling of every effusive cell that sings inside me for your kind and pithy offering. Thanks a bunch, brother. Thanks for standing by me every time.” Mahvi

“Abbas bhai!!!!!! Enough said!”

MHAB



kanwel shah

my life at LUMS!



It started with SOP: the phase of UTTER confusion. Many a times had I thought to just run away from the scary world in which JAM existed but the universe had some other plans for me... Oh I still remember those sleep-deprived nights of Ramadan, but I survived that heating-and-beating stage and in the process lost a few pounds (Much to my delight ;p). Then there was that first year in which teachers like mobi and ehsan cracked us, and the second year in which I somehow managed to crack the system ;) Yet the entire process left me feeling grateful for being a part of this unique experience. I learned a lot and thoroughly enjoyed each day that I spent at LUMS. Every class in that u-shaped auditorium was an experience in itself! So yes it has been one hell of a ride and I enjoyed every bit of it =)



'Yaar aaj quiz hojaye ga'
Crazy transformation between
2nd and 3rd semester!
Wali



The closest I have ever come
to finding my own self in a friend.
Stay Blessed #BFF #GODSENT
-Hijab

Don't believe what the world and pragmatists like bad penny say
Darcy exists alright!
Aina Maria Waseem



She is one of the cutest people in the batch
and the hottest but to spice this all she is
far more intellectual and realistic than any
other person I met. Best of luck for future
endeavors- Arfah Khadija



Hey Champ!
I can write this on a stamp paper
that you are going to be extremely successful
in professional life inshahAllah
(keeping your personal and family constraints apart)
It was good to know you. stay confident.



Stylish and fashionable diva
#kanwelaz #kisiShairki@taasal
mood

Never thought a computer geek
can be such a cute and nice person :)



My side of the picture...
Engineer to the end.
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LUMS. Four letters. Two years. One magnificent building that takes you on a wild roller coaster ride with absolutely ZERO minutes to spare. At the end of which you come out transformed in ways you can't even tell. That my friends, is LUMS MBA. [pause]

Totally worth it! Every bit. Every second. No, I don't like inflicting pain upon myself or others (what is wrong with you?!). Let's just say this is probably what I wanted. Something solid. Something promising. Something that's invariably and perpetually awesome. This journey is filled with countless amazing memories that will always stay unforgettable. The best part consists of the teachers, the buildings, the trees, the falling autumn leaves, the refreshing breeze, the yellow lights that illuminate the campus at night, the grass fields, the events (that I wish I had attended. Yes, all of them!), the content that I got to read, the coffee, the Vanilla Oreo shake and the unprecedented feeling that this is the place where tolerance and reason prevail and everyone is allowed to be themselves without fear or hesitation or shame and 'out-of-the-box' thinking is considered normal, in fact pretty impressive and that too by a generation a lot older than ours. Strangely, LUMS reminds me of LGS and like that institution I will always stay indebted to it for being a beacon of hope for a society and a country that's plagued with incessant mayhem. For being a haven of sanity. For staying true to its values and not letting anything or anyone influence it. I hope u stay the same LUMS because we want you to or more importantly we need you to. I hope I am able to join in and contribute to your cause in anyway. Until then here's a toast to good times, brilliant minds, creative intellect and a bright beaming future inshallah. Au revoir!

TESTIMONIALS

"Describing our friendship in a few words in IMPOSSIBLE, so let me just say: it's scary how similar we are in some respects yet completely different in others. Bottom line: we share the same core. Good wishes forever buddy! #YourAl-

lotrope" - Kanwel

"The born HR manager"

"Beauty and Brains!"

"A Pleasant Personality"

"My favorite photographer"

"Lady Pragmatism, that possessor of the most expressive face in the batch, keep blessing us fellow mortals with your photography!" - Aina

"Crazy cool girl with mad style" - Wali

"I think you are a great person and you will surprise us with amazing HR solutions in future. Just follow your dreams and never let go off the talents you have. Stay Blessed" - Arfah

"I have seen you change a lot over these two years and I have always been very impressed with you" - Faizan
 "Haju! Dekha, FRA main 'U' nai ataa :D" - Sana



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RAO UMER FAROOQ



The LUMS MBA was a roller coaster ride in every sense of the word. A place where you live under a constant, unyielding pressure of assignments, exams grades and internships. Yet it also provided me with memories that I will cherish for the rest of my life and friends that I can count on. The tale of the LUMS MBA would be incomplete without the exploits of the Khaba/Gossip gang (billu, shahji, prince zaid, masi umair, mirza, wikki, pasha, abid, timmy, zee and all other sastayz). The overworked nighters dotted with drives to h block (which somehow end up leading to butt karahi in lakshmi chowk). When I was thrown into the furnace of SOP, I would never have suspected that in two year's time I would exit loving and owning JAM's famous "Heating & Beating" process. Yet here I am today, about to have the country's best degree in my hand and ready to take on the world.



I have know you for nine damn years and still with each passing day I discover something new and more scandalous about you. With a friend like you life can be anything but not boring. Bilz
 I like the way you think about some issues. ~shaheer+
 Reads a person well. That makes him different~Zaid
 I have never seen such a chilling person in my life and its interesting that you achieve what you aim for. Stay like this and have a happy life ahead
 Great fun to be around, despite his iffy political alliances - - ~Shehryar Sohail Muzammil
 "One of the most impulsive characters I know. Stay the same man, and only get better at other things :p
 PS: It was a torture knowing the effort he put in and the grades you got. But we soon learnt to live with it."
 "An intellectual Bahawalpuri who I had the pleasure of sitting next to for a semester. Great smile, great insights, and a deceptive CP face". wali
 "Producing a well balanced CP in a dynamic fashion (while reading the case in around 10min.) , leaving examination hall even before the half time, Simplicity and vast knowledge domain are some of your traits . You,r the Man!"
 Koi ilaj nahi hai is banday ka - Input / Output = 0.00000000????? - Adnan

SHEHRYAR SOHAIL MUHAMMIL



Never really understood his craving for ducks. - Atique



Let's be clear about this. I never wanted to go to LUMS. I was set in my routine at work; providing mobile signals to the masses. When normal people get admission in LUMS, it's one of the happiest moments of their lives. But when I got in, I was terrified. The only reason I gave the admission test was so that my parents would stop bugging me. Lekin ab to admission ho gaya, so I had to take the plunge. I thought I would never be able to survive in the toughest program of the country, full of the biggest thetas in the land. What business did I have, as a lowly telecom engineer, to go head to head with the most brilliant minds of the generation? When the program started though, I realized that all my fears were unfounded. My fellow students were not the epitome of the human condition after all. They were normal human beings and they loved to party just as much as me. So party we did. The past 2 years have been an absolute blast as I got to know this magnificent group of people from all sorts of different backgrounds. We laughed, we learned and we grew together. The people I met, and the experiences I had at LUMS have made me a better person in every way (except for the fact that I'm even thinner now), and I thank each and every one of you guys for making this time of my life so special. Though we will go our separate ways, the party will continue.

"A little goofy at times but a great guy. Nice person to hang out with and good company too. - Haaris

I swear I do not hate you sherry

Intelligent, humble and friendly Wish you success - Fawad

Duckzilla. Yeh kaisai hosakta hai..you are among those person whose company I always enjoy.. Pearson



DuckZilla - a bit too optimistic - but a great company.

Funny guy. Still remember that Presentation where you talked to yourself. Out of the box. - Wali

Rich Boy but a great friend and company.

You are the best person to have in a group project because at least one does not feels that I am the only one who is free riding. - Bilal

What happened to Zulfakar, I think you killed him :P. But on a serious note gem of a person who is honest and is sarcastic in twisted way but still the whole class cracks up at his joke. Keep up the spirit alive. :D - Arfah

If Sana = Friend's with Sherry
if Mavish = Friend's with Sherry
Sana & Mavish = My Friends
By Transitivity Rule, I am also your friend. - Hareem

"Pain is my only emotion" I just love your sense of humor man. i am looking upto you for squash as we graduate. - Moazzam

Rusty: (noun) a reliable, goofy, obstinate n fun sherry; who accurately mayyars my ""look n feels"" n methods to address them - Makhdoom

Admire his thinking on the feet. - Adnan



My grammar correcting pink friend who shares my passion for gol gappas. -Mahvish

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DANISH UMER

"I don't have any social life" was my answer to Dr Ehsan during my admission interview in response to the question, tell me about your social life in Egypt. The same moment Dr. Ehsan laughed and said welcome to the club. In first semester of MBA I realized the importance of the asked question and the worth of my answer, more than perfect reply for LUMS MBA Admission interview.

"LP" was like a death sentence for me in first semester. My roommate was quite irritated from my approach and with his support and EXPERIENCE I did first semester without this medal. Exchange semester in Australia, made me believe that I did some thing good in my life, 5 full courses with only 2 days of classes and without putting much efforts Marilyn Jones Award was not a bad deal. As pointed out by great Philosopher that I only study in odd semesters, I don't have any thing to share from 2nd ad 4th semesters because who cares in long run, as Arif Rana said, "5, 10 years from today, you will be least concerned about the outcome of these exams.

Being a textile professional, yes I spent most of my time in LUMS on things that didn't add value to my career. But the legendary faculty, the people I met, the friends I made, the way LUMS MBA made me think about life, makes me 120% positive that LUMS MBA has been the right decision.

TESTIMONIALS

"Ma best buddy, a bit tooo straight forward but a true friend indeed :) Highly talented, always ready to go and have all of the apple products :p"

"Too bad we never spent that much time together but i know we wouldve been great friends if I had. I love your honesty and simplicity"- Faizan

"I only study in Odd (1st and 3rd) semesters ! "a sentence that best describes you. Even semesters are passed on impression management. you are extremely efficient. One of the best friends I made in LUMS."

"One of my dearest friends and missed hanging out when he was in Australia. Overall a great guy." Haaris

"Keep earning Marilyn Jones Awards and doing Pakistan proud! :D"
Aina Maria Waseem

"Aussie bro. Very helpful and resourceful." Wali

"Stays silent, strikes from the shadows."

"The asal wala acha bacha :) " - Humaira

"I've been friends with Danish since the SOP and I've come to know what a valuable friend he is. He is a good listener with all the qualities you'd want in a friend. Danish apparently seems very laid-back and quite but if you really know this guy you will know what a great sense of humor he possesses and whenever we get together we have a great time with lots of laughter. He is the kind of person who is always willing to go the extra mile to help the other person without boasting or expecting anything in return. It is my sincere wish that we remain friends for the rest of our lives"



MAMUN RASHEED

Waiting for my MBA interview on that hot April afternoon in 2012, I barely knew what I was signing up for. After all, I had only recently decided to give the admission process a shot let alone plan for a new chapter in my life. Nevertheless, once I was through I had no choice but to say yes! And thus began one hell of a rollercoaster ride. From the hard grind during the SOP to the almost surreally relaxed environment of Semester IV, it was a journey made special by many great moments. I will never forget those notoriously hilarious DR sessions and classes from the first year! Nor will I forget the amazing experience of going on student exchange to ISB only to return back to join my batch buddies for one final hurrah.

This tale would be incomplete without mentioning my friends for had it not been for them, I would have never made it through those difficult initial few months and even later when we had it all figured out. It is to them that I owe my sanity (or what's left of it!) and optimism which will hopefully propel me to greener pastures for many years to come. And if I were to ever have the opportunity to re-live these last 22 months, I wouldn't change the script one bit!

TESTIMONIALS

“Mein-moonnnn: my chit chat partner!! The most tension free friend in my whole group, always by my side, helping me, listening to me and a great friend indeed...May you get all that you want in life :)”
– Humaira

“Good luck with the gyming! Hope you find what you're looking for, professionally and personally ;)” – Jaffar

“As much as I would like to go on here about what a phenomenal pain in the a** you are, I can't help but mention what a great friend you have been. I am truly glad to have met you.” - S. Muneeb

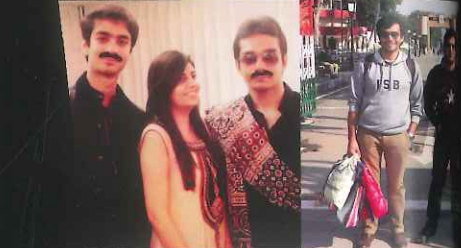
“Mamun you have a heart of gold! You are compassionate, genuine, smart and you can always be counted on to listen and provide support when needed. You have the ability to see any situation in a positive sense except the cricket matches. =P You're truly a lifetime friend.” – Nayha K.

“Will always remember his "exactly, sir...yes, sir...but..." CPs, this guy should be a politician. Also the full nighters we spent on many of our projects, this guy has a 90:10 facebook:work ratio, ticked me off to no end! Not to mention our dining out sessions and all the laughs we had on his expense, he's a real sport. It was a pleasure spending time with you, buddy.” – Zeeshan Sohail

“A gem of a person and also a little funny at times. A great friend to hang around with...Thanks for everything man!” –Haaris

“A nice guy, who, despite his big biceps wouldn't hurt a fly. A strong contender for the nicest guy in the batch.” - Wali

END OF LINE.....



My year of the greens... the chill... you are a determ...
I have seen improving personally... those two... Great! I am an for man... MBA so w... being... awesome... athlete...



Had the priv... of attending SOP and m... other class... sitting next... this guy. His disagreement... legendary!... Mamun



WAQAR HASAN



LUMS MBA is one of the greatest chapters in my life. It would always shine as a gem in my inventory of worthwhile experiences. LUMS had a great faculty, infrastructure, environment etc., but the best thing were my fellow batch mates.

Directly or indirectly, I have learnt a lot from all of them. It was their extraordinary abilities and competitive nature that pushed me to work harder and brought the best out of me. I learnt to never underestimate anyone as each and every batch mate I had was a legend in his own right. Thank you LUMS, Thank you MBA 2014 for this beautiful time. I am going to miss this for a very very long time to come.

"My very own 'Tumble man' 'Eye of the Tiger'. Shuru mein boht meesna tha laikn 2nd semester se sab theek hai lolz Bas apna 3rd semester ka chill mein akethay guzara hua wakt hamesha yaad rahay ga ;)
You are a true friend, always receptive, determined and focused. Love you buddy, jeeta ray :)"

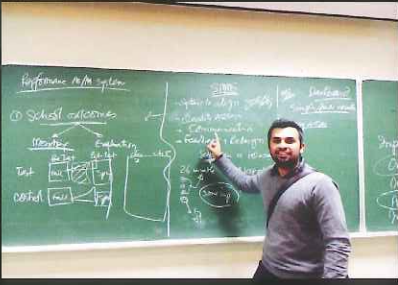
"I have seen you improving your personality over these two years. Great! I am your fan for managing MBA so well and being an awesome athlete."

"I never expected to have so much fun with you in our FYP group. Its unfortunate not many people know that side of you. You are an inspiration the way you have maintained a balance between the MBA and your family-" Faizan

"Larakaaya Tayyaraaya :P"
Gul



"Had the privilege of attending the SOP and many other classes sitting next to this guy. His CP disagreements are legendary! :D"
Mamun



"Stylish aadmi."
Wali



"Dekho gussa insaan ko khatam kar deta hai.... gussa nahi..be a defencia like Azm

“...nothing short of a roller coaster ride.”

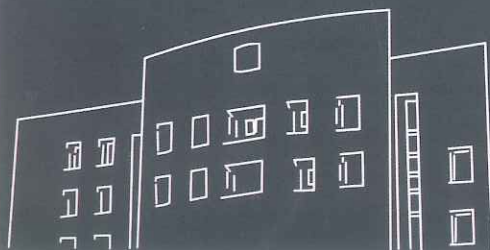


Time stops momentarily as one takes the final steps of a grueling, yet rewarding journey. Before you, all the burden seems to vanish in an instance.

Recollections and reflections sweep in. Time stops because past suddenly becomes the present as you rejoice the moments gone by; moments that are now blessed and illustrious. Past becomes a luxury. There is a sigh of relief; but relief comes at a cost of having to part ways with the way of life you are so used to; the way of life which you have come to cherish for two years.

There is no turning back now! MBA 2014 was nothing short of a roller coaster ride. It had its own seasons and its own ups and downs. Learning is a perpetual art; leadership is a way of life; analytics is about connections; marketing is creating value; businesses are evolving; change is the language of innovation; success sometimes means failure; knowledge lies in the crisscross bullets of arguments; vision is the foundation of wisdom; the lessons learned are boundless but even more so they are the reason why so many of “unknown unknowns” get transmuted into “known unknowns” and suddenly you are presented with an uncharted territory ready to be explored and its secrets learned.

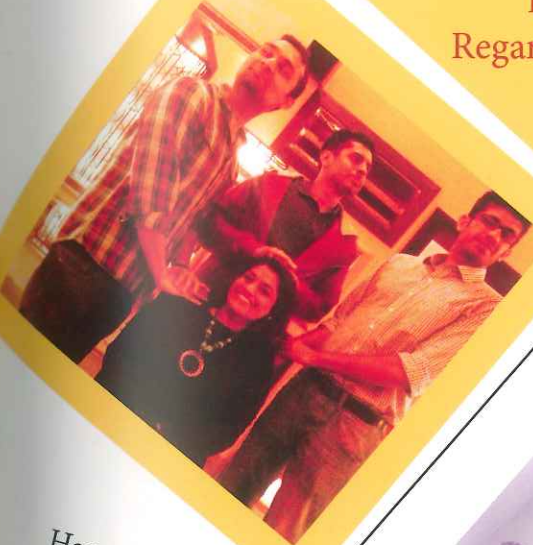
When past becomes the present, future becomes a gloomy proposition. But each one of my learning moments at LUMS has been about preparing me for the future. It has all been about facing future tides. But to me past will always be the present because without its learnings and wisdom there is no going forward.



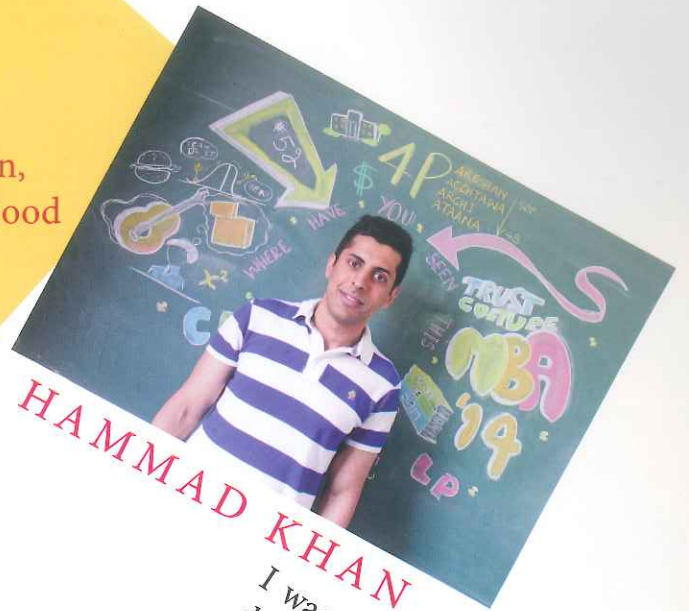
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Hello Fellow Islamabad-ian,
 It was Nice knowing you... Good
 luck :)
 Regards, Shanza

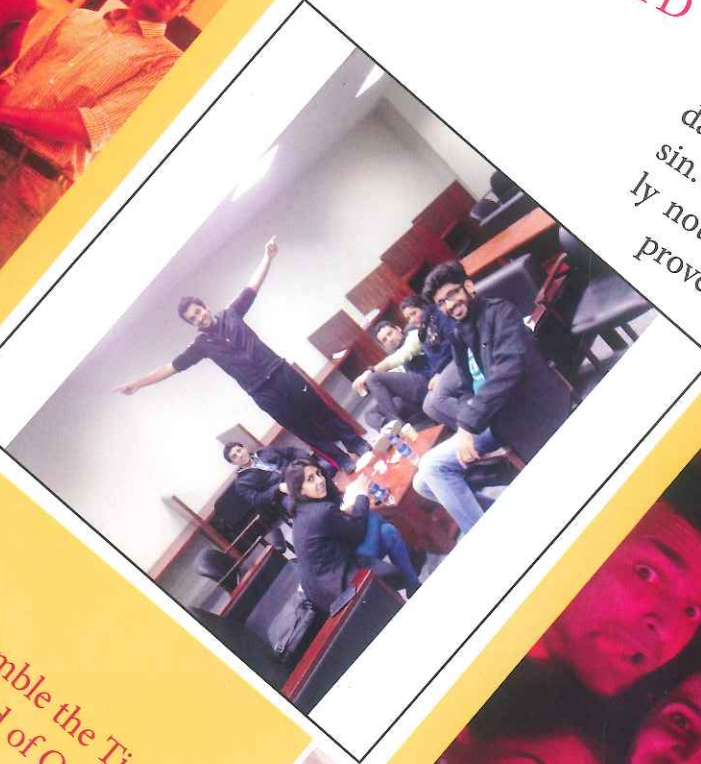


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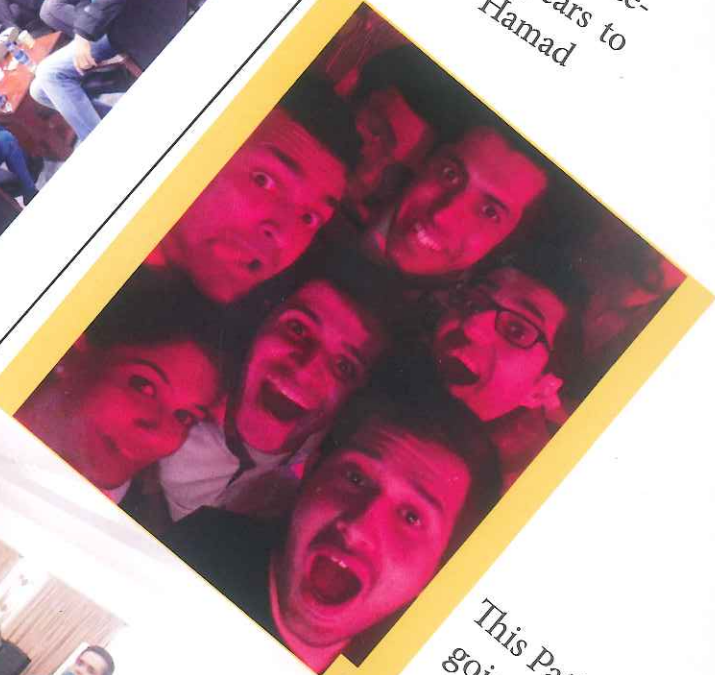


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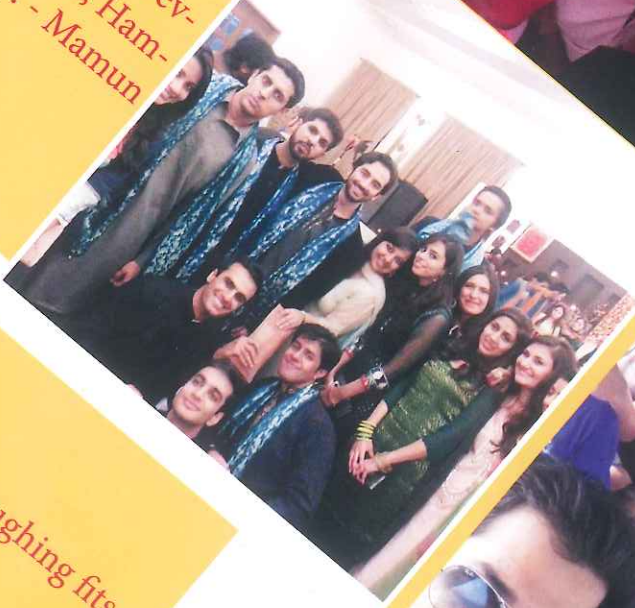
I was right about you the first
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 ly nothing in the two years to
 prove me wrong - Hamad



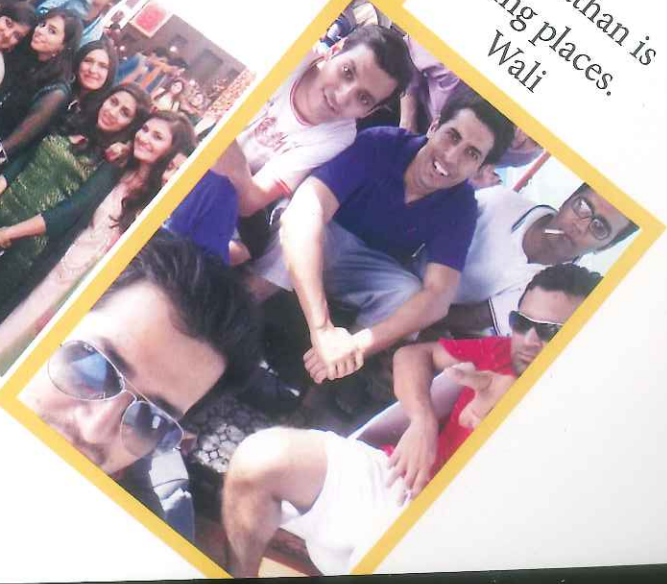
He may resemble the Tin Man
 from the Wizard of Oz! Howev-
 er, when he's in the mood, Ham-
 mad is great company! - Mamun



This Pathan is
 going places.
 Wali



Had so many laughing fits





F A R A Z A K B A R



Since most of my time at LUMS was spent pissing others off, I'd like to take this opportunity to wipe the slate clean. So:

Mahwish, I'm sorry about that. I truly am. Believe me.

Nehan, I'm sorry about the countless times I pissed you off. It is a testament to your greatness that you forgave me every time.

Aqida, I'm sorry about.....well you know what.

Sana, I'm sorry for hiding your slippers in class.

Fawad, I'm sorry about mocking you after that presentation.

Usman, I'm sorry about openly ridiculing your CPs in class, and best of luck for your wedding.

Faraz, I'm sorry for completely screwing you in that OB Negotiation Exercise.

Abdul Moeed, I'm sorry for not inviting you to that dinner.

Timi, I'm sorry for not inviting you too.

Abid, I'm sorry for using bad language in front of you.

Shoaib Bhai, I'm sorry for forgetting your name.

Salman Bhai, I'm sorry for my FYP failings. I tried.

Shahrukh, I'm sorry for not thanking you enough for all you did for me in Karachi. I'll always remain indebted.

Millwala, I'm sorry I couldn't take you to your favorite place – the Lahore Zoo.

And Wali, I'm sorry for not buying a smartphone or joining facebook, and making your life difficult in the process.

I hope you all forgive me.

TESTIMONIALS

Beneath the frosty exterior is a person who would probably kill for his friends. So it's advisable to be his friend. Or at least not to piss off one of his friends

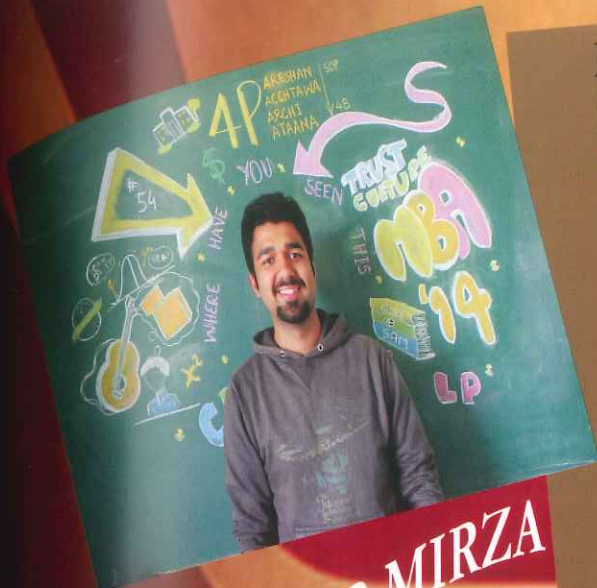
In a fight between Chuck Norris and Faraz Akbar, I'd put my money on Faraz Akbar. ~RS
He's famous for many things, but what many would never know, he was easily the best storyteller of the batch....

His Santro and Nokia Sirocco will be featured in the museums year from now. The display will also include some Cuban cigars, Italian opera memorabilia and some polo merchandise

It's an honour to know you, mio amico

Barham khatam hain is personality par - Adnan

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ALI NASIR MIRZA

It was a life changing experience for me to leave my job and join LUMS for MBA Program. It turned out to be more difficult than what I was expecting but in the end I pray that Allah rewards me with the hard work I put in my MBA. This program taught me that there is nothing above commitment. Pressure handling and working in extreme conditions is what we are prepared for. The program helped me find the newer side of myself. Not only this through MBA program I got the opportunity to study with students from 60 different nationalities on my exchange program that completely changed my horizon. The friends I made here will stay with me forever, though the teaching method is something I am against but still to go with the flow is what was taught to us and this is what we followed in these two years. Hope to stay connected with all I met here and benefit from the learning and skills I attained in this program.

TESTIMONIALS

"A born businessman. A great guy, and a great friend. Thori se cupcakes de de to kya hi baat ho". ~Shehryar Sohail Muzammil

"Dash Insaan :P, best travel partner and thanks for taking so much care of me on exchange , bus tension kam liya karo :P"- Humaira

"I always found him full of life with his welcoming nature and fun". ~Zaid

Bholi sarkar ~ Rao

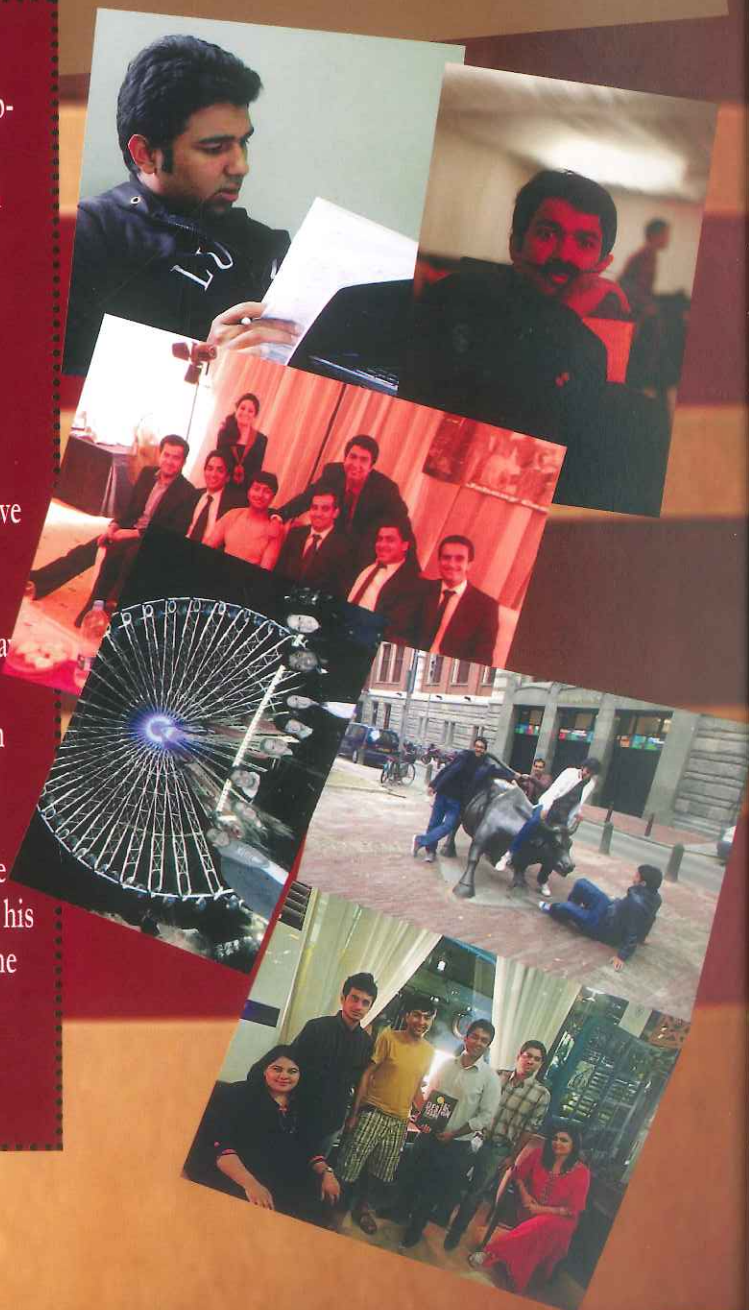
"Such a sweet guy! Almost as sweet as his cupcakes". Wali

"You can count on him whenever you're down and whenever you need him. He is one of the nicest and the most kind person that I've come across with. He truly deserves to be everyone's best friend... Thanks for everything man". ~ Haaris

"Panday, Motay, Chaettuu...I found you too arrogant on the first day in lums when you were wearing your paindu sunglasses and I thought that "yea miss hai".. But I never knew that you would turn out to be one of my closest friend in lums..Enjoyed travelling with you...bas tm tension leni chor do baki tum theek ho". - Umair

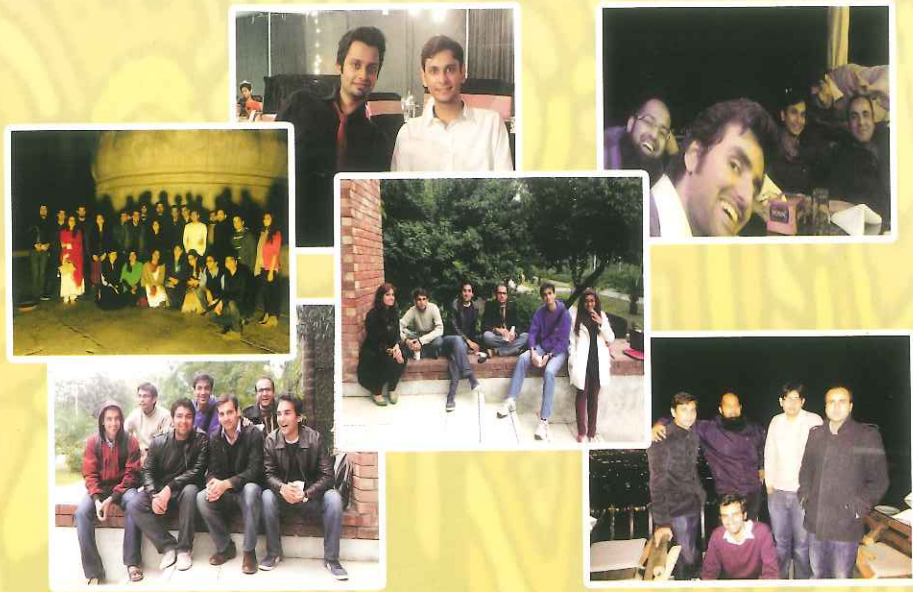
"Panda as his friends affectionately refer to him has always had the uncanny ability to bring life to any gathering whether it is through his witty sense of humor or something outrageously stupid that only he can come"

"His presence in any gathering spice things up through his witty side". ~Arfah Khadija





FARAZ AHMED



LUMS was a wonderful experience. The two years not only provided a chance for self reflection and to connect with one-self better, but also offered an opportunity to rub shoulders with some very talented people. The life lessons learnt during the time far outweighed the knowledge gained from extensive readings. LUMS was a roller coaster ride. The ebb and flow of emotions was tantalizing at times, but was fulfilling nonetheless. From the Heating and Beating of SOP to the all-nighter WACs, from pulling off epic Dabba CPs to always proudly landing in the fourth quartile, hardly a flavor was missed. The overwhelming madness punctuated with amazing fun will always be a source of delight. We will soon part ways, but not before filling ourselves with the joy of spending this priceless time together. The friendships cultivated during the time will always stay with us.

TESTIMONIALS

Tumhari khamoshi say dar lagta hay “~Rao
 “Like an ocean”- Rabia

“The change I have witnessed in you has been truly remarkable. You have made the most of this MBA, and are on a road to success”. ~Taimoor Zia

“Always content to remain in the background, despite having all the qualities to be front and center. ~Moeed

Speaks his mind, whatever the circumstances, and whoever the audience. Send him in a meeting with the higher management for guaranteed entertainment”.

“People always underestimate you and they are not at faults because you always portray yourself as that. But truly you are way too intelligent and intellectual. If you start believing in yourself a bit more you can do miracles and on top of it you are really a good friend”. ~Arfah Khadija

“Quiet Faraz, and shy faraz #NuffSaid. We were together in DRs in the whole first year, and we almost always made to sit together in class. Stop Following me now please -_- . PS: If you think he's quiet, try talking to him about cricket ;)Such a meek, humble guy”.

“His mind seems to be elsewhere, but where exactly we'll never know for sure”. Wali

“Quiet but fun to hang around with”. ~ Haaris

“A powerful introvert ! The always enjoy your company”.

“You are unforgettable Faraz due to your innocence, candidness etc..”~Hassaan Wasti



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And when I look back
 When someone says its name
 At times when I was here
 All memories running in a spinning frame...
 When the nights became endless
 And the morn did not arrive
 It took all from me
 To muster my inner drive
 When my armor became frail
 And I started to lose heart
 When hopes did not whisper
 And my eyes feared the dark
 There were a few who rescued me
 From letting it all go
 With them, I feared not
 For whatever life had to throw
 Most of all, they built me up
 Even if the system tried to tear me down
 I came here feeling lost
 But now I can say that I am found

I know further down is my destiny
 There will be other dreams
 There will be sun and there will be rain
 This place gave me the strength to overcome the extremes
 Life is just a ship of paper
 For failing contemplations
 And ships made of paper
 Have no destinations

TESTIMONIALS

Your love for PITs is infectious. You have been a bundle of energy all this time. Although, you haven't been able to get me invited. Also, IS THERE ANYONE YOU DON'T KNOW!!!~Taimoor Zia
 I've had, have and will continue to have a deep rooted mistrust of your driving skills. But its okay. It isn't like you won the gender lottery.

~Zeeshan Shaukat

Jaye gi to meray saath.~Shehryar Sohail Muzammil

To all the crazy laughter and rapping, Nehan wish you all the best. I think MBA would have been boring if I did not have you as my neighbor. ~Arfah Khadija

Hey hey! RAP star! you floored me from the SOP and I will keep trying to make you sing :D - Jaffar

The true O.G. From the hoods of KHI to the dunes of the emirates. Play on playyete. Peace. Wali

N-Dawg youre good company but too bad you dont believe in magic- Faizan

Never have I laughed so much on a WAC night, except on the one we were working together! High five partner! - Rabia

Simply... She Rocks while the rest just talks~Zaid

Talented Rapper!- Hammad Khan

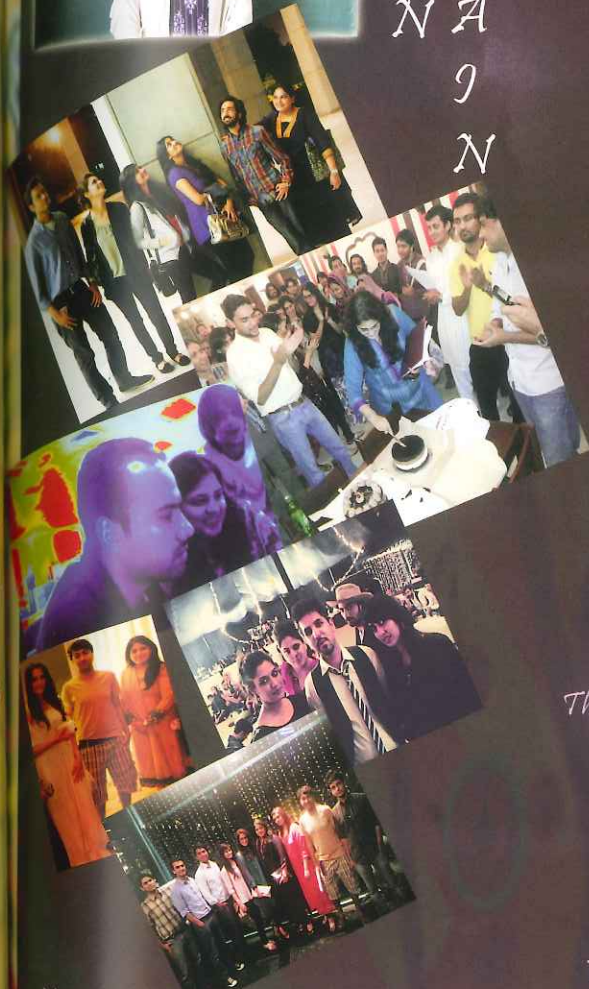
Haha ! you really got some witty sense of humor. that made lums fun. had a good time with you.

~Shaheer

The day you start rapping in Punjabi, I'll be your biggest fan! Go for it! - Aqida

Yo ma'broda'from'anoda'moda!

Keep your signature laughters going...





WASEEM SATTAR

TESTIMONIALS:

Waseem Sattar. My old friend. 6 years we've studied together now, and I wouldn't hesitate for a second to say that I've enjoyed each moment of your company. Even though our different sections and then you running off to Korea meant I couldn't enjoy more time with you, I still cherish all the times we studied together, made fun of others and each other, and reminisced about how we've grown up together since the first time Omar introduced us. I say this now because, although we'll hopefully continue to meet for a long time, this is probably the last time we've studied together. I made some new friends in the MBA, very good ones indeed. But I always knew that if I ever needed help, I'd always have your back. Whether I was preparing for an exam, a quiz, a case or whatever, if I got left behind, you're the only one who would leave his own preparation to bring me up to speed. For this and for all the other reasons that are too long to list here, you're the only one for whom I've made an effort to write a testimonial. Others see you more of as a funny and generally likeable guy. But I know you more to be a decent, trustworthy and kind man. And that, in the final analysis, is the highest compliment a man could give to a friend. - Faraz Akbar

Hay Hay Aha Haa Hay Hay la la la la la!! Socha tha tumhain pyarrrrr karain kay nahi!!!! :D Our very own Kumar Sanu!!!- Hammad Hadi

Its hard to concentrate in class without his jokes - Adnan

An asset to our batch, and responsible for much-needed laughs during boring classes. A devil with a microphone. Wali

His dream job is to become Papa. Says a lot. Atique

"Choli ke peeche kya hai?" - Taimoor

Your Cholis, your jogis, your mundeyas, etc etc! Keep em all alive! - Jaffar

'Hun aaya na, tay mein teri jaan kud laini aa!' =D~Makhdoom

"Hayay mai marr gayi" You are a legend #lol #DRI - HJ

This guy could have made billions if he had gone into showbiz. MBA pata nahin kyun kerne aa gaya. A natural performer. Entertainment at its extreme

from oho moment to the crazy sessions in the second semester to you pretending to be invisible to competing with me for the lame CPs and conveniently becoming a part of my OM group - you Rock! :D Hareem Pagal sa insaan hai - Rabia

Couldn't have gotten this far without you Dubz.

The most talented person in the batch.- Hammad Khan

Dhei nou... ~shaheer

Exceptionally talented in all departments of life, sitting with him in the second semester gave me the best time of my MBA. We have had the best of laughs, best of negative CPs, and the best of mutual despair in OM, and I would cherish that for a long time to come - Hamad

"Waseeeeem! Gana suna do na!" Okay now, wipe that smirk off. Thank you for your endless singing on every occasion, off and on the stage. Thank you for introducing me to Yo Yo Honey Sing-uh. I am indebted to you for life. And most importantly, thank you for taking care of Nikko and Nikku like a mommy! - Aqida

THE LAST TWO YEARS HAVE CERTAINLY BEEN A FITTING END TO AN EXCITING ACADEMIC JOURNEY IN LUMS WHICH STARTED IN 2006. NEVER THOUGHT MBA WOULD BE THIS FUN AND IT STARTED WITH GOING CRAZY SHAHID SHAHEED!! IN ORIENTATION WAC NIGHT. THE LAUGHTER FITS IN SOP AND WAC WITH MALAK AND KARACHI BOYS. THE LATE LATE GMC MEETINGS AND DICOR'S "GANA SUNA DO NAA", THE BOYS EXCHANGE PROGRAM WITH SAAD'S "SIRRRR BARRI YADEIN WABASTA HAIN SIRRRR!", THE DR DISCUSSIONS AND JAFFAR'S TUKK DEDICATION TO MUSIC. GLAD TO HAVE MET'CHA'ALL BATCHFELLAS!!...HOPE Y'ALL REMEMBER WASEEM IN YEARS TO COME. BEST LUCK AND KEEP LAUGHING :)



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These past two years have been the most definitive of my life, and for the most part I owe that to the company that I've had the privilege of enjoying through that time. You people are some of the most talented, competent and hardworking individuals that I have ever come across. It has been an honor getting to know each and every one of you. The friendships that I have made and the relationships that I have fostered during this experience are ones that I hope I can sustain for a lifetime.

For the most part the past two years have had their toll on all of us, but we're all here standing today at the cusp of graduating. For getting past those tribulations, and for all your efforts, I have nothing but the utmost respect; I congratulate you on a job well done!

Cheers to the time together we've spent,
Only we know, to us how much it meant!

~~Take Care. Stay Blessed. God Speed.~~

"yar Babbu BSc sahi ho gyi thi yehi bhi ho gya...and You need to let me know lums stuff the rest of your life!"

"The most 'genuinely-particularly' courteous person I have ever and will ever encounter in my life. The guy with the vocabulary of the size of a dinosaur. Love!"

"Hiii Droooooopy! Droopy's sooo fine!" - Aqida

"The most decent, considerate and helpful person of our batch. A true gentleman in every sense of the word". ~Osama.

"Thank you for bearing with me through the fra group and then fyp. Can't thank you enough brother". ~MHAB

"He is the nicest person I know on the planet, and I know for a fact that he will always be there for me, whenever and wherever I need him, especially lifting heavy weights in the gym :P" -Hamad

"My co-survivor in dealing with adversity, diversity and uncertainty!"

"Unfortunately, we(me you and that sweeper) share one ugliest memory. Otherwise i really had some amazing time with you both in Islamabad and in LUMS"

"The nicest guy in the batch".-Hammad Khan

"you better start apologizing :P"- Hareem

"The only proof in the world ke Manchester United fans itne buray nahin hote".

"Raphael you are the genuine article. Best of luck buddy :)~S. Muneeb

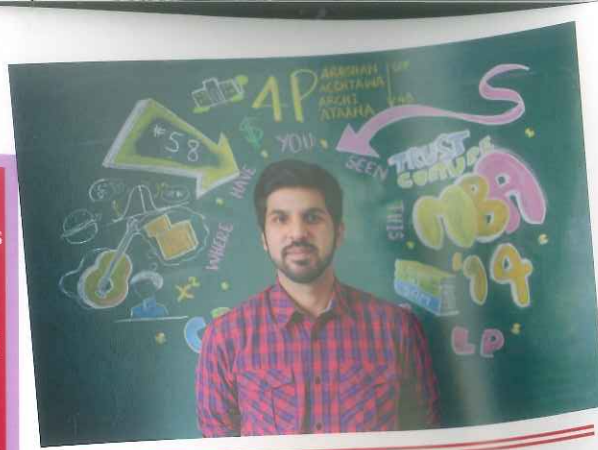
"The most eloquent apologizer, ever! =D"~Makhdoom

"Bbbbro!!!! We literally made history together! Last minute crisis management was never so much fun! :D Mad love for ya!" - Jaffar

Rafay is as deadly with words as Dennis Lillee was with the ball.

~Atique

my manchester united and FIFA comrade. You are the most nicest and politically correct person in our batch. All the best for the future-Faizan



RAFAEL



ADIYAH SHAH

THESE TWO YEARS AT LUMS HAVE BEEN CRAZY, WITH ITS OWN SHARE OF UPS AND DOWNS. LUMS GAVE ME THE BEST OF FRIENDS, MADE ME CONFIDENT, TAUGHT ME A LOT ABOUT MYSELF AND LIFE. WHEN I LOOK BACK, ALL I CAN THINK OF IS ALL THE TIMES WE'VE ALL JUST SAT, DONE SOMETHING REALLY STUPID AND JUST LAUGHED ABOUT IT. ALL I REMEMBER IS HOW HAPPY ALL THE TIME I'VE SPENT WITH FRIENDS AT LUMS HAS MADE ME. I WILL CHERISH EVERY MOMENT OF IT. THESE HAVE BEEN THE MOST MEMORABLE TWO YEARS OF MY LIFE AND I THANK EVERYONE FOR MAKING IT SO AWESOME.

FOR BEING THE SANITY TO ME RECKLESSNESS, FOR BEING THE VIGOR TO MY LAZINESS, FOR BEING THE VOICE OF REASON TO MY HASTY AND STUPID DECISIONS, FOR MOTIVATING ME ENOUGH TO PASS MY COURSES, FOR BEING EVER READY TO PARTY AND SUPPORT ME IN MY NON-SERIOUSNESS THROUGHOUT THESE TWO YEARS, FOR NEVER JUDGING ME FOR NOT CRYING AND EATING ALL THE TIME, FOR KNOWING ME BETTER THAN I DO MYSELF AND FOR ALWAYS NOTICING MY EMOTIONAL UPHEAVALS EVEN WHEN I DON'T SAY IT OUT LOUD - I LOVE YOU! TO US BEING THE GIRL VERSIONS OF REHMAN AND SOHAIB - IN OPPOSITE - AND FOR FINDING EACH OTHER! LET THEM KEEP GUESSING WHAT WENT ON IN OUR ROOM. **MAHRIKH**

ADDY - HOTNESS PERSONIFIED AND THAT CONTAGIOUS SMILE, WITHOUT YOU, MY SHOPAHOLIC NATURE WOULD HAVE BEEN INCOMPLETE. THANK YOU FOR ALWAYS BEING READY TO LEND YOUR SHOULDER (PLUS THE CLOTHES, THE SHOES, THE JEWELRY). I AM COMING TO KARACHI FOR YOUR WEDDING - **HAREEM**

THE COOLEST DOST FROM AMERIKA, WITH A SHOULDER ALWAYS READY WHEN NEEDED! LUV YOU TO BITS N PIECES, ADNESS! *HUG* - **SANA M**



FAHD MASOOD



“The presenter who made his mark internationally” Adnan

“I hope you will remember the shoulder punches :D”

“Masooday you’re on another level. From your fourth dimensional CPs and orange dockers.” Wali

“Moosy! Here’s to endless years of chilling post MBA! Good Luck!” Jaffar

“Everybody, his birthday is the 18th of December. Make note. Text him, call him, poke him, ping him. Basically harass him. He loves the attention on his special day.”

Zeeshan Shaukat

“Ah, ha, ha, ha, stayin alive, stayin alive.

Ah, ha, ha, ha, stayin alive.” Rabia

“Crazy scene hail!”. I’m a fan of your impromptu presentation skills. And in the last semester, I’m missing your signature last-15-minutes-CP” Aqida



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They say the friends you make here are 'forever' and cannot be replaced; friends at LUMS laugh together, compete together, celebrate together, heck, they even WEEP together. They know each other's scared face (read SOP), give-up face (read LP-fear), delirious face (read case with crazy numbers), game-face (read Dangal), and my favorite, batch-unity face (read all the events that have been organized together). Sitting in a class filled with the most driven and intellectually dominant personalities in the first semester took its toll and made me doubt my place. However, clawing my way through, week by week, class-by-class and case-by-case, I was helped through the 'adversity' of it all. So in the end, I am thankful for the mental torture, for the manic stress, and for the perpetual mental time-bomb (which I realize now, was self-created), for it gave me in return, a lifetime of memories, lessons, mostly importantly, friendships.

TESTIMONIALS

Jaffy: (Noun) the highly-annoying, mildly-teasing, ever-important, pivotal-nutter; my intellect doppelganger, without whom I would've been lost - Makhdoom"

Jaffy, thank you for waiting patiently for us - dealing sweetly with my last minute disappearances, late-comings and cancellations! You are one of the most multi-talented and annoyingly-adorable friends I have - Hareem

The best buddy one could ever have! Not sure if I could have survived the MBA but for his support and humor. Godspeed, Jaff! - Mamun

Jaffar you are like a younger brother to me. One of the better Khi people I have met. Feels great to know you handsome - Humz

Jaffar you are my favorite rockstar! You're level-headed, witty and humorous. You're the coolest person I know! Rock on! - Neha K

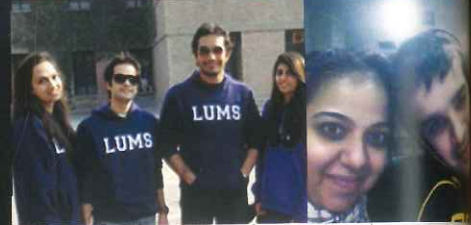
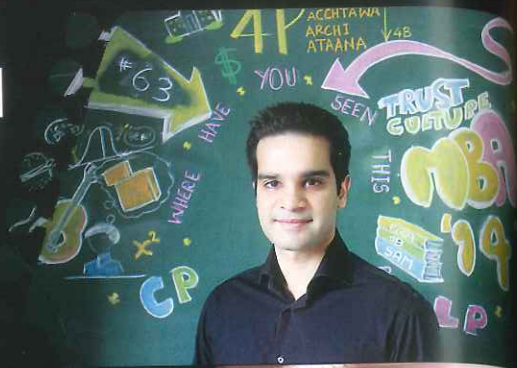
Without you what is my existence" Akhiyaan Udeekdiyan, Akheeyan Udeekdiyan! - Hadi

From music society's concert planning to last-minute graphic designing, FYP food testing to planning failed Serena trips, late night chai sessions to making ambitious business plans. He's been my source of inspiration & energy at LUMS -Taimoo

You're my favorite guitarist. I will always love you for being spontaneous, always ready to have fun, have an amazing sense of humor, and luv abnormal things. Also, have I told you, I find you very cute. Well I do - Adee

Jaaafy, 2 nestle milk powder? - Arsi

The only guy in the batch who matches Steve Job's creativity - Adnan



- FRIENDS BOX OFFICE**
- Sana: Partner In Crime
 - Lucy: A Monster Lurks
 - Arsi: Speed of Light
 - Timmy: Hidden Qawal
 - Hadi: Desl Lover Tum HI Ho
 - Mamun: Broseph
 - Humaira: Always there
 - Nayha: SmillezIlla
 - Shahrukh: Just BEAT It!
 - Adlyah: Party don't stop
 - MIII: After Dark
 - Mahrukh: SRK Fan Club
 - Rafay: It's too late to apologize
 - Mohee: Mr. Dependable



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The last two years have been nothing short of a rollercoaster ride. There were times when I felt I was at the top of the world and then there were times when I wanted to strangle myself. But at the end of the day, it is the moments that I shared with my friends that made this whole experience worthwhile. I'm sure 5 years down the road we won't even remember how many LPs we got but we would surely remember the crazy all-nighters we put in, the sprinting towards SDSB when we knew we were late, the whispering by our neighbors when we had gotten a cold call, and those nerve-wracking last minute WAC submissions. These are the memories that will last forever. I wish I had spent more time with my batch mates, laughed harder at Waleed Iqbal's perverted jokes and been more at the receiving end of Jam's wrath. Surviving on the edge reminds you to be humble and that is what my key takeaway from this whole exercise is. Thank you MBA '14 for all the awesomeness!



You may not be charismatic but you're a decent guy with good leadership skills and you have a very kind heart. I always enjoy my time with you"-Faizan

May we have the country's president like this GMC's president - Adnan Truly an awesome and an amazing guy. A little hyper at times but keeps friends at the top of his priority list. Never felt so glad to have a friend like him around.~Haaris

Mr. President! Thank you so much for being the first guy to put faith in you for your tremendous friendship and support. I pray that Allah grants you all the success and happiness in the world (Amin!) P.s. Learn to RELAX, I can see some grays coming in :P

Atique, sorry for scolding you once, but you know our love-hate relationship ;)...a funny little kid you are, but please life mein kam panic karna, warna nokri walay jasay nahi hoan gay - Humaira

your asalam u alikum with that smile when you meet will always be remembered :) Hareem

Atique! You have been a great friend. So full of energy. Wish the best for you.~Neha

He's an excellent human being, but you make it so so easy to mess with you. Which makes it all the more fun, unfortunately. Wish you all the best. Itni tension na liya kar, you're doing fine :P~- Zeeshan Sohail

If I were to choose a Man of the Batch, it would surely be you. Among the best I've known.~MHAB



FARHAN SHAHID



What started as a horrific shock in the form of SOP, turned into a roller-coaster ride full of learning, fun, hard work, diversity and friendships – in short a life-changing experience. What made this whole period even more meaningful and bearable were my friends who became a very important part of my life and were a constant source of support and inspiration for me. I cherish all of them and regard them highly for their support throughout this period. It has been the most memorable academic experience of my life, one that I would not even forget 5, 10, 20 years down the road, unlike Dr. Rana's EXAMS. :)

TESTIMONIALS

Fury! You are the most dedicated and hard working person I know. You genuinely care about everyone around you. Glad I got to know you. Thank you for motivating me the going got tough. Best of luck with all your future endeavors. Hope we remain friends for a long time. ~Neha

I could always trust Farhan to support me when I felt like going to Hot n Spicy for kebab rolls. ~Atique

Farhan!!...Nahi, mujhe tou desi khana hai aaj , so yahan chalein :P, glad to have met you , and you should have taken my advice :(- Humaira

Furry usually comes across as a guy who only minds his own business. For me, he's been a good friend who is always willing to lend a helping hand. :) - Mamun

The Wahid Farhan Shahid :P Best of luck for your future buddy.

Your support meant a lot to me :)~S. Muneeb

My fellow villain but a very good friend. I hope we can continue doing this act in future. :P~Arfah Khadija

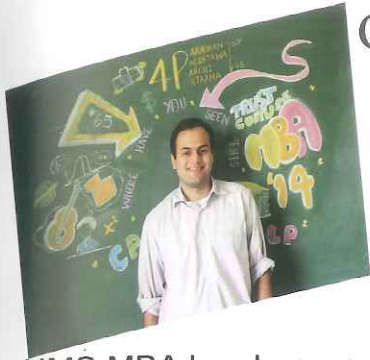
Farhan Shahid is the man. Wali

One of my best friends and the most amazing person that I have come across. He's been with me through all the hurdles including the torturous third semester.

He is the friend that I am most happy and glad to have. An awesome person and wonderful friend. Thanks for everything man..Haaris

Everytime I look at him, he's smiling. Is it a creepy, serial killer type smile, or just a 'happy to see you' smile? Time will tell.

OSAMA MAJEED



LUMS MBA has been a truly life-changing experience for me. It came at a time when I needed a change and a welcome change it was. Without any doubt it was a time when I gained the most in terms of my personal development.

Many would say LUMS MBA strains each and every nerve of yours but it was anything but that in my case I would never forget the sudden and endless bursts of laughter that I and my group of friends would engage in during classes which never made MBA even the slightest bit boring.

These two years taught us the value of working smart instead of working hard and this is what I believe would propel us forward in our careers. LUMS MBA also taught us how to maintain a balance between being competitive and good team players and those that have perfected this art stand to benefit in future. Exchange Program was another period of my MBA that will remain with me forever for it was during this time that I learnt to adapt and survive independently while making some very fond memories.

Being the last years of my university life, I will always cherish the memories gained during this time and for that I would always be grateful to all my friends that have helped shape them.

"You-Saaa-Maaa!!"

Rarely do you come across people whose dedication to sleep is paramount. Osama Majeed Khan is one such individual. You sir, are an inspiration to people everywhere. ~RS

Osamaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaaa, if there is one thing you should never lose, it your laugh. You have been a great sleepy friend, who has never failed to impress me – Hamad Sleeping Beauty. ~ Hammad Khan

Osi! Honesty and sincerity are your two greatest assets. You truly made the exchange programme an unforgettable experience. You're more than just a friend, you're a confidant, advisor, and moral supporter. Thank you for being my partner in crime and best friend.~Neha

your laughter made every joke sound 100 times more funnier :D Hareem

Uses course packs to prop up wobbly tables and chairs. Someone once told him course packs were to study. He laughed.

You could bet even before the start of the semester that he will either miss or get late in at least 30% of the morning classes. And that his laugh would have the entire group in fits of laughter when working on a project.~Atique

The only person to date who could belittle my laughter!!! :D- Hadi



ABDUL MOHEE QAZI



There comes a point in your life and your career when you look to stretch your abilities and know-how by challenging yourself to improve your skill set; LUMS was a result of such a decision and Lo and Behold, two years gone and I am a "MBA" wohoooo!! Doing this MBA program full time required much dedication, hard work and sacrifice. However, if I had to start from the beginning, I would do it all over again. The benefits of the program substantially outweighed my sacrifices. I have been encouraged and trained to explore outside my comfort zone; I became more confident as a person and as a professional and have learned to face challenges head-on with creative approaches. One of my most valuable experiences was building relationships with my classmates during my time especially with my experiences as a hostelite. These relationships have given me a foundation of friends and colleagues that will boost my career and my personal life for years to come. This batch of individuals is one of the smartest, brightest, friendliest and extremely competitive I have had the distinguished honor of spending time with and learning from! You guys rock, wishing you all the best for years to come.....

"TESTIMONIALS:

"We have a love/hate relationship but I know I can count on you and I know you feel the same way about me". -Faizan

"mere phone pe baray records banaye hain Mohee ne... Seedha saada aur pyara banda :)"

"Long live King Kazi!" Wali

"Sir! It was a pleasure being your roomy! Thanks for everything! Keep in touch and don't be a stranger :D" - Jaffar

"If he weren't a Manchester United fan, we could have been better friends". #Moyes4life

"The 'Eat, Pray, Sleep' guy! Lets go out this weekend Mohee! ;D"

"The only man who took his FYP seriously. Without you, we would have failed it. Might still do. But, you give me hope. In more ways than one. Little Finger". ~Taimoor Zia.

"Too co operative and it was a nice experience to work with you on the BLP project".

"Disco Maulvi hai yeeeeee" ~Zaid

"Dear Abdul, it was very nice to know you. Thanks for accomodating me in TCF at the 11th hour. Best of luck dear".

"Disco Molvi.. " ~Rao

"Ah! My travel buddy :p looking for more memorable travels with you. All the best!

Shareef aaadmi,,,infact the most decent guy in the entire batch".



**NEHA
KAMRAN**



THE TWO YEARS AT LUMS HAVE BEEN AN INTENSE ROLLER COASTER RIDE. I NEVER THOUGHT I WOULD MAKE IT THROUGH THE SOP BUT (GOD KNOWS HOW) I SOMEHOW MANAGED TO SCRATCH MY WAY THROUGH THE REMAINING THE REST OF MY TIME AT LUMS WITH THE HELP OF MY SUPPORT SYSTEM, MY AMAZING FRIENDS. WOULDN'T HAVE MADE IT WITHOUT THEM. LOVE YOU MINIONS. =D

SO HERE'S TO THE NERVE WRECKING SOP, LAST MINUTE ATTEMPTS AT CP, MASTERING THE ART OF MAKING CHEAT SHEETS, ENDLESS ALL NIGHTERS, CAFFEINE ADDICTION, CRAZY BIRTHDAY SURPRISES, TOO MANY GMC AND LMEC EVENTS, CHOP CHOP, ENDLESS WHATSAPPING DURING CLASSES, DABBA CPS, COPYING ASSIGNMENTS, INTENSE COLD CALLS, INFINITE READINGS, WORRYING SICK ABOUT LPS, DR ARGUMENTS, NEVER-ENDING FOOD CRAVINGS, PRINTING ISSUES, EARLY MORNING SPRINTS TOWARDS CLASS, PHOTO BOMBING, CRAZY SELFIES, CRAZIEST EXCHANGE SEMESTER, SUPERSTORE ORANGE JUICE, FRETTEING OVER JOB PROSPECTS, LATE NIGHT GROUP STUDIES, FRUSTRATING FYP PROJECT, AND MY NEW FAMILY AT LUMS.

A BIG SHOUT OUT TO THE AMAZING BATCH OF 2014
YOU'RE THE BEST!

The Malaysian Queen! very nice bandi and knows how to have fun :)

Hands down the most nicest person in the class. You're out of this world nice. All the best- Faizan Very sweet and very lively. These are just a couple of qualities among thousand other good ones that separates her from the rest. She's truly a gem of a person and she shines brighter than anyone else in the batch. Thanks for being my friend Nayha..Haaris

Neha the wise! Wali

"Tu cheez bari hai must must". Trust her to know all the cheesy songs. Atique Malay girl! You be one of the most entertaining personalities I met here! Keep pointlessly laughing :D hahaha - Jaffar

One of the sweetest girl :) May God bless you~Arfah Khadija

Neyha Kamran! (Neeehaw!! :P), You are a brilliant light in an other wise drab world. Thank you for being there!! ^_^ ~S. Muneeb

The perfect blend of a tomboy and the girl next door, she was a quintessential part of many of my favorite LUMS moments. - Mamun

The closest female friend in MBA!!...My tension sharer, my gossip partner, happy to have met you and may this friendship last forever, wish all the best for both of us :) Love you *Hugs* - Humaira

An extremely fun-loving, hyper, funny, witty and caring person who walks like a penguin :p. In short, a complete gem of a person. I am glad to have made friends with you in LUMS. ~Osama.

Bestie.....Shorty you are Sugar, Spice and everything Nice. :)~Farhan Shahid

I missed you when you were off to Malaysia :P Hareem



IRFAN YAQOOB

So these two years of my MBA, were filled with uncertainties, restlessness and distress yet this time was quite captivating as well as entertaining. As Sir Arif Rana always emphasized that people and culture can be the most important features of any organization and I believe LUMS stands out from the lot because of these features. It has the best faculty and attracts exceptionally talented and smart working students. MBA batch of 2014, especially, comprised of individuals that were multitalented, extremely helpful and modest. We all shared very good memories with each other and I shall always remember the time I spent with my batch mates. I hope that we all graduate on time inshAllah and settle into the jobs that we wished for. Good Luck to all of us for our future

tESTIMONIALS

Thanks for the second semester CP help man. Wouldn't have made it without you. ~RS

Start photography as a career, but sorry you cannot be late there too :) - Humaira

"The most interesting thing about this company is that it was started by a couple"

Above everything else Irfan you are a great friend. Stay happy, stay blessed, Āmīn! :) ~S. Muneeb

The most helpful person in the batch. ~Arfah Khadija

Thank you for all the help over the course of the MBA bro! your media skills were priceless ;D - Jaffar

If you want to meet him at 2pm, then tell him to meet at 1pm.

He will still manage to get late. ~Atique

Resourceful Irfan bhai. Good luck with everything, man! Wali

Where ever you go, you bring your positivity with you.

Please start doing things on time man!! MBA is almost over!!

:p- Hammad Hadi

I've never met somebody like you. You're talented on so many different levels that it's unreal. You're very witty and loyal but just learn to be a bit more responsible-Faizan

"Nayak nai Khal Nayak hun mein" o projects mein bara tang kia bhai ne but his company was always a pleasure.. :)



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Flashing back when I completed my undergrad, I did not expect so many things that could possibly happen. If I were to describe my life at LUMS in one word, it would be; AMAZING. The whole batch is a bunch of most amazing people each of whom carries a unique attribute in itself. The SOP, welcome parties, farewell, clubs and societies and above all sense of achievement and self growth under pressure is what LUMS offered me. I found friends who are brothers and who made my experience at LUMS extremely pleasant. Above all, the most amazing part is my attachment with LUMS Marketing Executive Club through which I learnt a lot about people from all across Pakistan, the janitorial staff of SDSB and extremely cooperative LUMS administration. Gratitude's to the MBA batch of 2014, our faculty, MPO, PCO and above all to our parents and Allah for helping us become what we are now :)



Diplomatic to the very core, probably one of his best triats.

Whattay adorable person. Kudos on pulling off Colloquium and proving leaders can be cute. - Aqida
President Sahib laurels for your commitment and devotion, may it be an event or CP :P. Respect. ~Arfah Khadija
Boy! Thanks for helping create one of our most memorable events, which will go down as the official coming out party of MBA Music - Jaffar

Saad Zaheer the champ! Pro event organizer and leader! Wali

Gets all worked up from time to time.. But a nice person all in all~Haaris

Boy apna pir cha gaya hai!!! :D- Hammad Hadi

I know i use the word "amazing" very loosely at times but you are just that at so many levels. Youre a friend, an adviser and a remarkable person. Youre a born leader and I know that you do trust me but to improve you need to start trusting others as well. Probably not as much as I do. Youre the best. Stay Happy- Faizan
A true leader who knows how to effectively delegate tasks without letting people know ;) A very calm, caring, respecting person. LMEC was a great achievement for you, may Allah bless you with more. Mela cute bacha :)





MUHAMMAD ADNAN AZAM



LUMS pushed me beyond my comfort zone right from the first day and I think I will keep doing it now my-self for the rest of my life. Winning & Participating in competitions representing LUMS taught me that sometimes the simplicity of an ignorant is better than the caution of an expert and failure is a much better teacher than success.

My MBA 2014 batch mates are my family members for the rest of my life, each one of them taught me some important lessons about life, lessons that I wouldn't have learned otherwise in my entire life. Some of my inspirational faculty members made me re-chalk out many facets of my personality and made me realize the real meaning of the word "impact" and how to change lives standing on the floor of the class. All in all, this wonderful experience made me a completely re-done individual, an individual for whom MBA is no longer a money making tool but an obligation to pay back, an individual for whom studying with the very best is not an opportunity to maintain ascendancy but an oath to try hard to expand the size of the pie and finally an individual for whom studying at LUMS is no longer a matter of pride but a matter of responsibility.

MBA 2014, you guys are the game changers for this nation. Please stick to your 3H of Honesty, Hard work and Humbleness and you can sail this ship to the island through the turbulent waves.

TESTIMONIALS

Our conversations have never exceeded the 5 mins mark but I hold you in very high regard for everything your stand for. I am very proud to be called your batchmate-Faizan

An extremely good and inspirational friend. I will always remember your friendship and competitiveness...~Hassaan Wasti

I had worked with you in MarkStrat. you truly have all the leadership skills. His name is synonymous with OB. The theoretical leader of the batch.~Moed

Adnan-e-Azam! Humility is your strong suit, which in my opinion is the most important character trait one could possess. Keep smiling and inspiring us all! Wali

One of the most hard-working and committed people I know. I've never seen anyone as focussed, and consistently beating all the odds. PS: However, ye jis nay bhi inko batch ka bhai bana diya tha na shuru mai he, bara bura kiya tha :p

I wish I had spent more time with Adnan Bhai. I'd have been a wiser person.~Atique
OB Genius - Taimoor

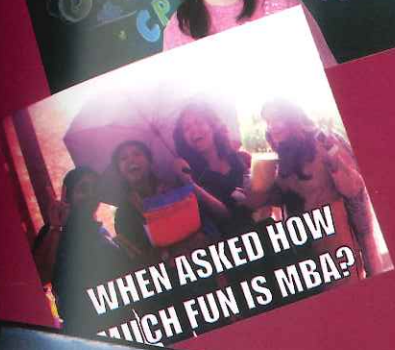
Adnan bhai! It was a pleasure meeting you during the MBA! Keep in touch and good luck with all your ambitions! - Jaffar

A great mentor and leader. I think we need to have more people like you in this world who are always ready to share their knowledge.~Arfah Khadija

If you do not end up being the Dean of SDSB in 15 years, something somewhere must have gone terribly wrong. Or, extremely right. ~Taimoor Zia
I really admire his need for achievement. But quarter of it is enough for me. Rest will be overdose.~Zaid

Adnan bhai, Thank you for bearing me through all the projects and presentations we have worked together. All the best.~MHAB

AMINA KHALID



LUMS... Ahh what can one say.... From the first lecture from Dr Jamshed who wanted to heat us and then beat us so as to mold us into what we wanted, to the never ending new definitions of Random Variable. To the miserable WAC nights leading to the excitement in the last few seconds of uploading, to the constant "but why" of Dr Zahoor to the "jee janab" of Dr Ehsan. I must admit these are the memories that will last with me for a life time. I believe it was all these factors that have made us into what we are today.

Accompanied by the fun, craziness, insane laughter and creation of friendships that will last a life time, LUMS has also given moments that will live with me forever. Starting your day with the smiling guards at the gate, to the intense competition of CP, LUMS became an addiction....oops is an addiction that you came to love. And it is this feeling that I will miss dearly when the MBA finally ends.

However I would like to take this responsibility to say thank you. First and foremost, to Allah for granting me the opportunity to be able to study in an institute like this. Secondly and most importantly to my parents, for being patient and for being soooooo incredibly understanding towards my long hours and at times single minded approach towards LUMS. Further I would like to say thank you to all our teachers, without whom this experience would not have been possible.

P.S.

A shout out to my friends Humza, Yumna, Hejab, Kanwal, Aina, Arfah and Khaqan. Without you guys this journey would have been extremely boring and

TESTIMONIALS

Lawyer, MBA, table tennis, squash, basketball...The list goes on and on. First DR and we killed it! Wali

Lawyer hai. Darr jao O_O.

Amina is such a great person to have around. Amina's two best qualities are her confidence and intelligence and the fact that she is such a good friend :), Amina is a happy and friendly person whose always smiling. I know she will do great at whatever she decides to do and i will really miss her

Still as nice and helpful as was in school and of course brilliant in sports. Rock on! #LGS

- HJ

The sole voice of reason in the midst of chaos during the business games, the fun driving, the lawyer-like precision of your CPs in Corporate Governance, and your no-frills, forthright manner of speaking will make you a memorable person for me. Trite as it sounds, there really IS no one quite like you in the batch!~Aina Maria Waseem



FAWAD AFTAB

Experience at LUMS was hectic, eventful and fulfilling. When I got into MBA program, I had this huge fear that LUMS was going to be an extremely competitive place and so was the case. But as the first semester progressed I realized 'I may not be the smartest person in the room, but I am certainly not the dumbest' and it was a huge relief.

During these two years I lost few friends due to multiple factors but I don't regret as only during hardship you see the best out of your friends. Nonetheless, I made some lifelong friends like Shanza Khan and Abid Rehman who were always there to help me. Lastly, LUMS has given me some very cherishing moments of my life that I would always remember and some of very good friends such as Abdul Moeed, Shehryar Sohail, Zaid, Khurram, Mahvish, Sana Zahra and Sana Makhdoom, with whom I would like to stay in touch.



TESTIMONIALS

Heyyyyy,

This space ain't enough for what I want to write about you... So for the moment I just want to thank you for being with me, for helping me in everything (from breakdowns to studies) and for ALL the countless things you do for me... I remember entering LUMS on the first day thinking there must be some good reason for why am I here & now I feel you are that one reason... I love the confidence and firmness in your personality but few people know your utmost caring & soft side, and I am one of those lucky few... May God bless you... Love,
Shanza

Fawad ! If there was one guy on campus worthy of having food with me that's him, We could eat big time on our own but together we were lethal..... one of the most hardworking guys in the batch and very clear about what he is going to do in life.....makes his presence felt no matter where he is in class, soccer field or at work.....great going with you bro, and I WILL HIRE YOU WHEN I MAKE CEO~Abid Rehman

So passionate about studies and work. Very hardworking. Best of luck in life. - Aqida
No one can know him in first meet only. It needs a couple of meeting to un hide the nice person in him~Zaid

Hmmm!!! didnt like you at all but when got to know you it turns out you are a pretty decent piece :P I wish you all the very best and may you get what you really wish for ;)~Sana Zahra
Love, Shanza

Immensely dedicated and hardworking! =)

As football captain he has always been supportive and encouraging. As a classmate he has always been intense and proactive with solid analysis.~Moeed

Our very own hero. Dashing, confident, charming and sporty. Wish you the best, bro! Wali

I didn't think i'd get past the SOP. I honestly didn't. In all honesty, I also don't think I'll get past this semester. Either way, here we are, two years later, all set to take on the world. The only thing remaining is that interview call.

There are very few things I still remember from the SOP. One being Dr.Arif Butt saying something like, "At no point in your life will you make friends like you will during your MBA". I couldn't disagree more with him then. I can't agree more now. There were a million things I could have written this write-up about. Like those painful all-nighters, those laughter fits, the exam-night H Block trips, my countless HPs, or the endless poondi that LUMS offers. Instead, I'd raise this toast to the truly awesome batch I was a part of.

First, a big shout out to #GossipBoys. What a bunch you guys are! woh kia kehti hain larkian, "support system?". Yes, that! Always there when you need them. Well, atleast before bhabi came in the picture..

I lucking fove each one of you!

The FYP Group, that has seen more fights and arguments than an Indian drama, but has come out stronger than ever before.

The Hostel Boys, my last hope when all hopes (read: alarms) failed.

The Lahoris, who kept raising the bar for hospitality higher, throughout.

And to each member of 2014. You were all bloody brilliant, and I'm inspired!

TESTIMONIALS

Oh My God!!!!!!- Hammad Hadi

"You have some built in qualities which many people struggle to achieve. Speech delivery and the way you compose your analysis and handle to debate, are among those."

SQ: the campus thanks you for brightening it up with your bright jackets and tees. I'm sure the undergrads will be heartbroken when you graduate ;) . Wali

All-rounder in the true sense! - Taimoor

Bro! Something tells me the music will live on past the LUMS finish-line! Good luck - Jaffar

Know that you will never be able to replicate that 'dope shope' step with my creativity and coolness! PS: ur darbuka could finally be heard!! So proud! =P

Karachi mai milte rehna bhai, kata na dena...All the best!!!-MHAB Shahrukh!!!! crazy, pagal, nice or bilawaja bharam dikhane wala! had a great time with you :D ~Sana Zahra

He has a weird thing for red - Rabia

The coolest guy in the batch.~ Hammad Khan

"I will always miss the laughter fits we had together especially the library one and one we had in taimoor's room,"

The king himself. Escue has never ever failed to disappoint me. I wish had found a friend like you earlier in my life. But you are here to stay -

Hamad

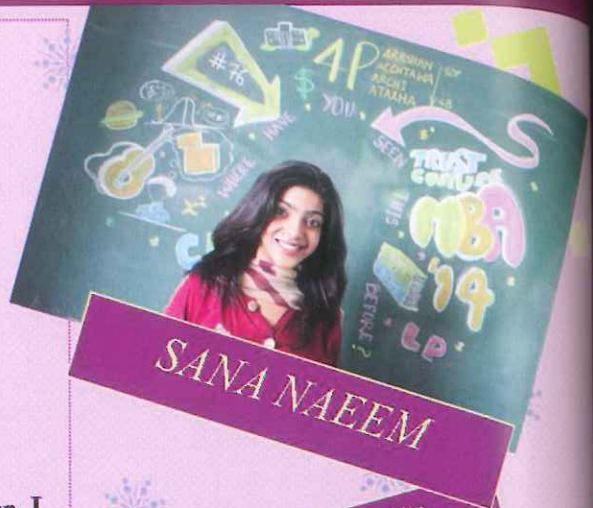


SHAHRUKH QURESHI



The best two year of my life which I never wanted to end! LUMS as I call it is a small world in itself, outside of Lahore. The life here was just amazing soothing and memorable. The friends I made here are my friends for life. Those late night hangouts at khoka AKA LUMS square, the crazy WAC nights, CP making our mood good or bad for the whole day, abusing LUMS for too much workloads and missing it like anything during even a 1 week vacation, the gossip session of teen sahelian, the adorable couples made here! In shorts words cannot comprehend the experience I have had here. The things I experienced and the lessons I learnt from here will stay with me forever. I am so proud of being a LUMINITE! A great life experience which cannot be replicated anywhere else.

To all the people who mean a lot to me!!!! I LOVE you guys so much and I had a great time with you all. I will miss you and make sure that we don't lose touch! OMG so many weddings coming up!!!! Yahoooooo!!!!



SANA NAEEM

Tooooo loud for Karachiite, but her silence is unbearable :P. Love our cat fight because that's how our bond of friendship gets stronger and stronger -- Gul --

Exceptionally caring, support system and awesome friend--Maivish. The Muteley cough and the hathora ring-tone. Deadly combo --Zeeshan Shaikat

Genuine, honest, loyal and not to be messed with.-- Moeed

Fan fights in winters; books n jokes only we read n got to rofl; carry chinz overdoses; random, dance attacks; midnight stalkings; u be the best roomie ever!

Fond memory - screaming after busting your leg in the reading room sofa! keep the volume going! :D:D - Jaffar

The MBA programme is ending and the prospect of ending up with a job i dont want is scary among other things that are waiting for me in the future but Im definitely looking forward to getting to know you better-Faizan

Caring, sensitive, crazy. Sometimes I totally felt adopted, don't know what I will do without you! - Rabia

Some day, you will meet your photogenic vampire or lawyer. Don't fret over it. Your enthusiasm has been a highlight through these 2 years. ~Taimoor Zia

I Beneath that stern exterior is a sweet person who taught us every case in our DR's. Half my CP grades for you, ji.

I absolutely love you for being such a caring friend... You are definitely one of my best friends... Thank you for being really nice to me... *Huggie*-Love, Shanza

You are very caring and friendly towards everyone even towards those who don't deserve it that shows how gem of a person you are. We had a bumpy start but I am glad we became friends eventually. Wish you success--Fawad



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In retrospect, my MBA experience has been all about busting myths. I was told a LUMS MBA warranted hard work and constant vigilance, for the program inherently pitted people against each other. Both claims were unfounded: I had to work much harder than anticipated and in the process, I cultivated lifelong friendships which made me laugh madly, cry miserably, act silly, study, not study, do things I wouldn't have thought possible and realize that age, time, place are not qualifiers for such friendships to develop. From finding the five girls in SOP to becoming cemented as the 'pretties' with the FYP group being the cherry on top while finding kindred spirits at the periphery all along; these individuals added to my grooming as much the amazing faculty. Next, I was told that a LUMS MBA dehumanizes you; people enter only to come out as mere robots. This proved to the contrary: while I still feel emotions, I have a honed logical side; I still have doubts; yet I know in the bigger scheme of things, all works out just fine; while I still crave for wins in life; I know how to handle seeming losses better.

TESTIMONIALS

From Roll no. 77 to Roll no. 78, From DR1 ke presentations to FYP ke crazy sessions, From mimicking Lucy to making fun of Hadi, From sharing secrets to sharing gossips, From SOP neighbors to Convocation neighbors, Sana has been my life-support system at Lums - Taimoor

McDoom! here goes... FYP, projects, trips, food-testing, literally pulling each other's hair out! here's to more craziness! - Jaffar!

Makhdoom, neither words nor my angrezi would do justice to tell that how my life at lums would have been dull, dark, sad, boring, incomplete without you. Thank you for dealing with my annoying shyness, my obstinate nature, my stupidest arguments, my sadistic perspective, my no-party mode and bestowing me with a friendship and sisterhood that is to last forever - Hareem

Makhdoom Sb, you are very caring. Aesi e rehna hamesha - Arsi
Xtremely supportive, pillar of strength, vibrant, amazing - Mahvish
Smartest (biggest eyed) person I met! Huh Shokhi pupundi! - Hadi
I got to know her at the beginning of the 2nd year, and the only regret I have in my MBA is that we weren't friends sooner. She has always been there as my friend, advisor, and confidant, and I hope that she will continue to be so, long into the future. - Sherry
Sanu! What would I have done without you every time I was down and needed to talk. You're my partner in crime for all 'those talks' and jokes that only we managed to understand and noone else. Thank U for being so loveable & being there. Luv U - Adee

The only friend in the whole universe to have attended my engagement. You are meant to be a part of us and our family. You will get you nail colors soon - Hamad Mahmood

Sana. You're one cute and adorable person. Can't thank you enough for being so nice to me and for always being there. I absolutely love your perfume and eastern attire collection. + I love you for spreading laughter and smiles where ever you go, I never remember a single moment around you when I didn't laugh my heart out. - Shanza



TAIMOOR ZUBAIR

TIMMY

After leaving behind a reasonable job and my city, taking an admission in the Lums MBA program was one of the most difficult decisions I made in my life. After two years, I can safely say it was the best decisions of my life.

From SOP's all-nighters to last-minute submissions of assignments, the MBA program successfully makes you a perpetual nocturnal. I'm not sure whether to curse or praise Lums for this but the ability does come in handy when handling pressure.

The best thing that happened to me during my time at Lums was this crazy bunch of people I made a lifelong friendship with. From surviving the first year torturous life to celebrating the end of the program, my comrades have been my partners in crime in everything I did at Lums. The crazy moments we have spent together during the two years outweigh all the learning I have acquired during the MBA.

TESTIMONIALS

The genius code cracker... always comes up with good solutions.

Deceptive Personality - Adnan

Yeah well never seen any of my friends having such a huge sense of adventure!! EverReady to do something really fun! - Hadi

Crazy genius and reliable friend - Mahvish

Something tells me our entrepreneurial paths will cross as we continue getting jaded from the corporate shadows! - Jaffar

Timmy: (Noun) an evil genius/whizz, who anchored my craziness with calm rationale throughout. This MBA was not possible without you. - Makhdoom

Whizz kid - HJ

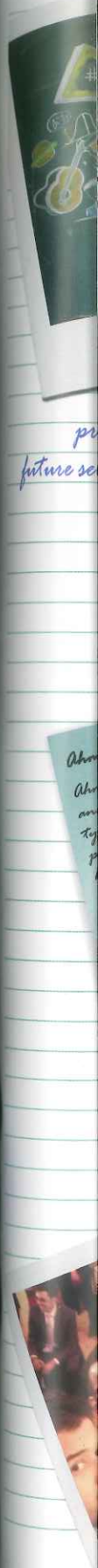
Ab to is ke passport pe bhi "Timmy" hi likha jaye ga.

"yahan sonay k lye aye ho?" (Sanya), ""kitna boring insaan hai tu"" (China), qawali sessions, weekly money withdrawal, dabbu and Bill Gates, Jannati log, Hadi ka bhai Andray, C-building ki bread, teri awesome cooking, OM WAC and Sana or teray marks mai confusion, LSR and Hitler wali CP, Daewo .. I will miss everything yaar.. I know one thing for sure; if I have to call any person at the time of difficulty, it's no one other than you.. -Arslan

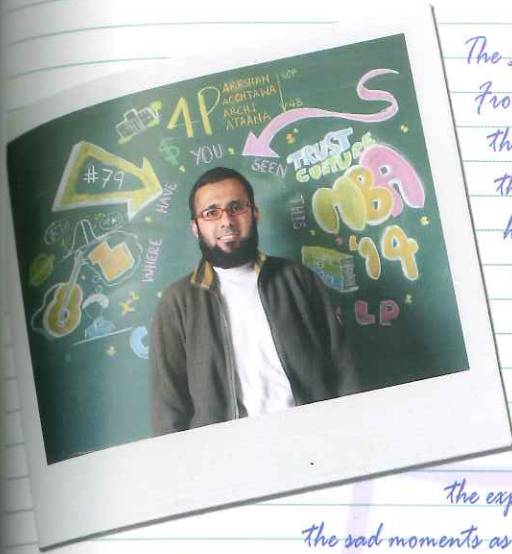
Tim, you are weird and very technical and not very appreciative of my intellect and sense of humor, but MBA would not have been possible without you and I mean it and i will always remember your 'Allah hi janay' performance. - Hareem

A small but full package. Knows everything from studies to arranging parties that makes him different - Zaid

Never forget how through unity, and holding steadfast you can overcome adversity, diversity and uncertainty. We certainly have - RS



Zeshan Ali Syed



The LUMS MBA has been a learning experience for me in more than one ways. From being a journey in self-exploration to a continuous struggle for survival, the whole experience has been like a rollercoaster ride to me. This is probably the best break I could have had from work. The type of people I got to meet over here is probably exclusive to this institution. Some of them are sheer geniuses who cannot be matched through hard work. They are just "different" and I feel really lucky to have interacted with such individuals. Not to forget the special food from 'H' Block that we had on weekends (particularly Chathkhara which I am going to miss a lot) played a major role in keeping me motivated as it was the only source of happiness for me during tough times. All in all,

the experience has been superb and will stay memorable for a long time; I even cherish the sad moments as without them I would not be able to cherish the happy ones. It gives me great pride in being a part of the most prestigious business school of Pakistan. One particular thing I would like to say to my future self, who would be reading this years from now, is "Always believe in yourself! Have faith! Enjoy life to the fullest!"

Mamun Ahmed Rasheed:

Mamun is perhaps the most mature and gentle colleague one can hope to study and work with. His ability to socialize with anyone makes him stand apart. Mamun possesses the capability to criticize a subject constructively so that he conveys his message without humiliating others. One thing that makes this guy a "gem" is his ability to take everyone on board during any discussion. This is perhaps a quality which will Insha Allah aid him the most in his future endeavors.

Ahmed Faheer:

Ahmed is one of the funniest guys in the batch and a truly jolly person to be with. He is the type of guy who does not need to create an impression in front of others. He stays the way he is which segregates him from most of the other batch mates. His conflict management skills are remarkable and his sense of humor is something which I will surely miss. It is due to people like Ahmed that really make your MBA journey enjoyable. I just wish that he stays happy wherever he chooses to be.

Zain Ahmed Khan:

If I am to describe Zain in a single word it would be "genius". He is the guy LUMS MBA would be proud of. With the voracity to engulf and process a plethora of information while staying on his feet, he has the capacity of a super computer, only more human. I suppose it has something to do with the craze during discussions is something which often makes him the center of attention although he isn't seeking for it. He has the quality to lead by leaps and bounds and I sure wish him luck in pursuing his ambitions.





DANISH RASHEED

Yesterday I had passed on my lums visiting card to a senior Omer Shabbir from Batch 2012. He is the same guy who gave me his card back in 2011 in a summit and I came to know about LUMS MBA. The journey from that summit to this write up has some mixed memories. The best memory about LUMS is when SOP because everyone was in the same boat. No matter you are from LUMS, IBA or any other institute, separate sections. Sub sections. Sub-sub groups. We had just one name, Class of 14 or JUNIORS. 3 am was hell hour. On the contrary, we got some good lecturers but we couldn't get best USTAADS. We could have learned so much from them in informal sittings.



1st sem: Teachers bohat achay hai. Yaar meri 5 subjects mei hi Lp aa rahi ha. PDC ka khana b acha lagta tha. Grade lounge ? I can't forget you. 2nd Sem : Just 0.5 lp in 1st sem. Ye theetay kab exchange pe jaei? Zahid ali ki Holy cow and jeshus chrisht 3rd sem: The best time in lums. Brand new quota of LP's. heetay students were on exile. We had JUNIORS to grill in SOP. When JUNIORS used to say SIR The most joyus moment?!.Using RAND function and telling JUNIORS to work hard.



Though some of our friends are not going to pass out with us but please keep them in the loop for future life as well. Danish Shehzad, Bilal shuja, Ramish, Aaina, Basim, Babar, Fahad, Adnan, Usama, Anam, Farooq and all others Sir/madam you are still part of MBA Class of 14. Kindly don't forget those jokes and silly comments. After 10, 15 years we will meet again and most value able memories to share will be all those stupid, silly comments. As all of us must have been done back biting of others. Please every one forgive everyone else. Start from me. Special thanks to Sheryar Awan and Waseem for being face of MBA 14.

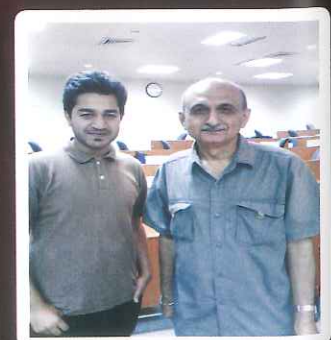
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Youre the most confident man I know. The trivial things in life never seem to bother you and you have your own way of doing things. However, youre a very kind hearted person at the same time-Faizan

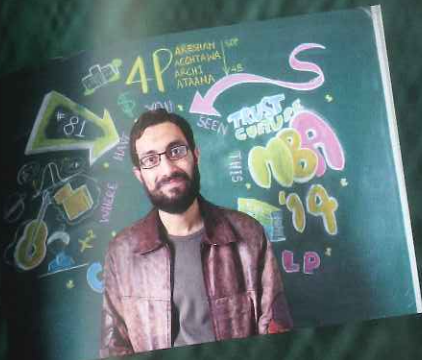


One of the batmans of the batch - Adnan Captain sahib has achieved the maximum amount of chill mahol possible at the MBA program. MBA ho toh aisa? Wali

Danny boy! I'm a little worried where will you live post-MBA :p It was always good running into you on campus so randomly. - Aqida



HASHAM AHMED



"Before I sat down to write this passage, I was brimming with ideas, all the moments, all the thoughts that have marked our stay at LUMS. But the memories are simply too many. Hence, its better I keep it simple over here. I am thankful to the Almighty for, firstly, getting me into this program and then, eventually seeing me through. I would have never been able to get this far without the support of my mother. And to the Batch of 2014, I am proud of you. We have managed to stay together in the toughest of times. Spare of thought for our friends, who started on this journey with us but we lost them on the way. I wish everyone best of luck in their future endeavors.
2014, FOR LIFE!!!!"

TESTIMONIALS

KGS aur LUMS bhi BHAI ka kuch nahi bigar sakay. Bhai jesay ai thay, waisay he jaen gay." - A biography of Batman say iqtibas!

PS: Inka ik Chinese name bhi hai, whoever is reading this should ask him. ;)

PPS: If Bhabi ever reads this, she should know k ye her roz hostel mai pooray wing ko chaey bana k deta tha rat ko. Please put this info to good use ;)

Batman. Thank you for such memorable momebts in DR6, inside and outside of classes-Faizan
Transformed from Batman to Superman during the course of the MBA - Adnan

Sleeping beauty!~Atique

Hassshaaaaam Bhaaaaaai - Taimoor

Batman is there to save us. Thanks Hashaam for being there~Zaid

Whenever in life you're in a position where you aren't sure of something, think to yourself, 'What would Batman do?'

The person who keeps us safe at night. BATMAN!~

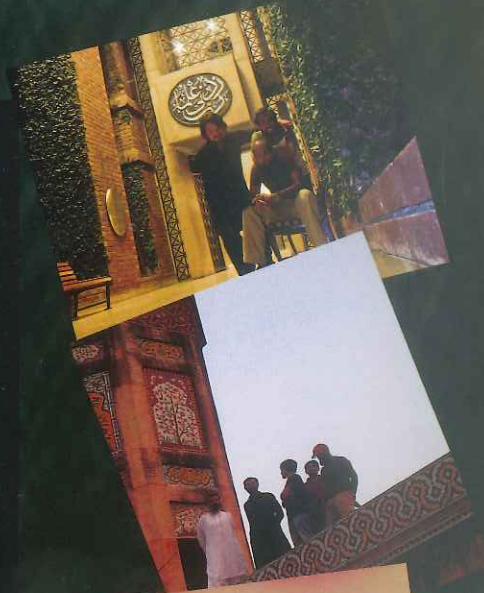
Hammad Khan

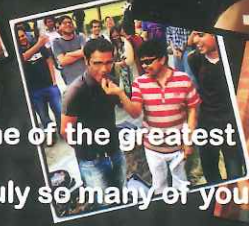
The best of luck to you Hashaam! Wali

Saving the mother earth by remaining awake when we are all asleep, this man is one of the nicest and true at heart person I know on the planet. And I will always pray for you

- Hamad

BATMAN!!!! Ek din teri bhi shaadi hogi InshAllah Guess Who





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"I cannot begin to describe how lucky I feel to have met some of the greatest friends a human being could ever hope to have in this life. Truly so many of you have touched my heart and I will never forget any one person who has entered my life or crossed my path. It was the greatest honor and privilege of my life to have been in the company of such magnificent men and women. Each one of you has left an indelible mark on my personality (some more so than other and you know who you are) So much so that you are all a part of me and for that you have my most heart-felt gratitude. We will go far, grow old, and grow further apart, such is life. But every

now and then a day will come, maybe a year from now, maybe 5 years from now, or even twenty years from now when we will look back at our time together and it will bring a smile on our face and warmth to our hearts every single time. Thank you all of you for that. May you all have long fulfilling happy lives. Much love. -Zain"



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Idhar chala mein udhar chala, janay kahan mein kidhar chala..." always on a run! Have true leadership qualities and one of the best CRs (mind it i had only 2 favorites).

A neurotic control freak with his heart in the right place

Only Zain can reach LUMS in 17 minutes from Askari V at rush hour, run all the way from the parking lot to SDSB and then get involved in a lively debate with the instructor without having read the case. ~Atique

Zain! Always there to help! Always there to..... be there! One of the most unique personalities I have met! - Jaffar

This guy will move mountains for even the slightest of acquaintances. I've never known a better host, and probably never will.

Still have no idea where that bridge is, or when we're getting there. ~RS

A smart, energetic and inspiring person who would always stand up for his friends and believes in 'leaving no man behind'. A true leader in every sense of the word. Mark my words, this guy is destined for big things in life. Osama.

Whattay gem of a person you are. I am so glad France happened and I got to know you. It was so unbelievable what a generous and accomodating host you were to everyone! You always went out of the way to help me and everyone else. I could not thank you enough for the times I spent in Paris! Whenever you need something, give me a shout out! - Aqida

A natural leader... Hope to see you some day as the leader we all've been looking for. ~MHAB

SUNDAS IFTHIKHAR



Its "Evaluation" time. The key word here is 'value.' Do we have any? Not yet! All I take away is a bunch of 'nighters' in the football field, the adventures of puke-benches, the parking lot sessions, the free coffees, last minute WAC submissions, forced attempts to fill pages, a pointless "where have you seen this before?", forced dabba CPs, failed attempts at group studies, failed gym sessions, Waleed Iqbal's attacks, mid-nights in Paris, homelessness, contemplation under Eiffel tower, missed flights, wrong trains, wrong countries, luggage issues and retail therapies, bad cooking, useless attempts of driving meaning out of Iqbal's philosophy, crazy gossiping, meeting crazy people with crazier philosophies, last minute decisions, frustration over Jam's yelling, 'chichora' acts, random flirting, crazy stalking, self-obsession to the point of narcissism, criticism of PDC food, baseless jokes, mad friends, random party plans ending in a pointless night at puke-benches, pains of SOP, lessons on free-riding and how to look-busy-do-nothing and the understanding of the deeper meaning of life i.e. pure hedonism...



TESTIMONIALS

She's an uptown girl, she's livin in an uptown world" very nice person and has a great sense of fashion.. always inspired :)
You're brutally honest about the way you are and what keeps you happy-Faizan

You impressed me the very first day I saw you. Too bad I never took an opportunity to get to know you. Stay happy.

On the face of it, the most gorgeous person in the batch. But that's a narrow minded view. Down to earth, incredibly intelligent, fun, hospitable. One of the nicest people in the class.

We had quite a thing going on, would not want to let go of this cute little ass - Rabia

Good luck with everything, Sundas! Wali

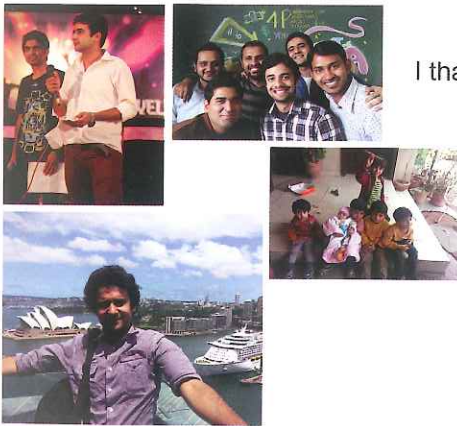
In addition to being one of the prettiest girls you will ever come across, she is also one of the very smartest. Once you get to know her you realize what a genuinely warm-hearted and sweet person she is, she has the ability to light up any room just by being there. I wish she may find all the success and happiness that she deserves





Muhammad Azm Ulhaque

Allhumdulil Allah! Allah Pak has blessed me always...
 Can't say thank even after looking for many ways...
 Now let me tell you the story of my "MBA chase".
 Once upon a time I was kid...
 Was poor and rude, a little bit...
 Saw a dream to become a next hit...
 Wondered why just to dream let's do something...
 I sat for LMAT and secured admission out of big boxers ring...
 And sang a song, DING DONG DING!!!
 Then SOP and MBA started...
 I felt like my soul is departed...
 Without any doubt I became retarded...
 Then came my friends... Faru, Mani, Molbi, Waqar, Ahmed, Saad, Faizan, Irfan & MO...
 They mentored me and told me.....ena na tu RO!!!



I thanked them and replied, I am fine and please don't try to be my "PIO" (father)...

It's just an MBA....not state of the art "J LO"..
 Take a nap and become a part of this show...
 I can't complete my story without faculty...
 Who are the one, who change my whole personality...
 Made me believe that I am Optimus PAEN (prime) of reality...
 I started to work hard and faced the music of brutality...
 Initially I hated the system's cruelty...
 But it helps to change one's mentality...
 And after getting saved from LP's...
 One can have leisure of joviality...
 In the end, I want to say thanks...
 To Family, Faculty and ma Frands...
 Thanks to Allah for everything and may he bless us with high ranks...

P.S. LUMS is not only the place to get academics, library, high grades or even wife...
 It's a true LUMS FAMILY to get a "WAY OF LIFE"...

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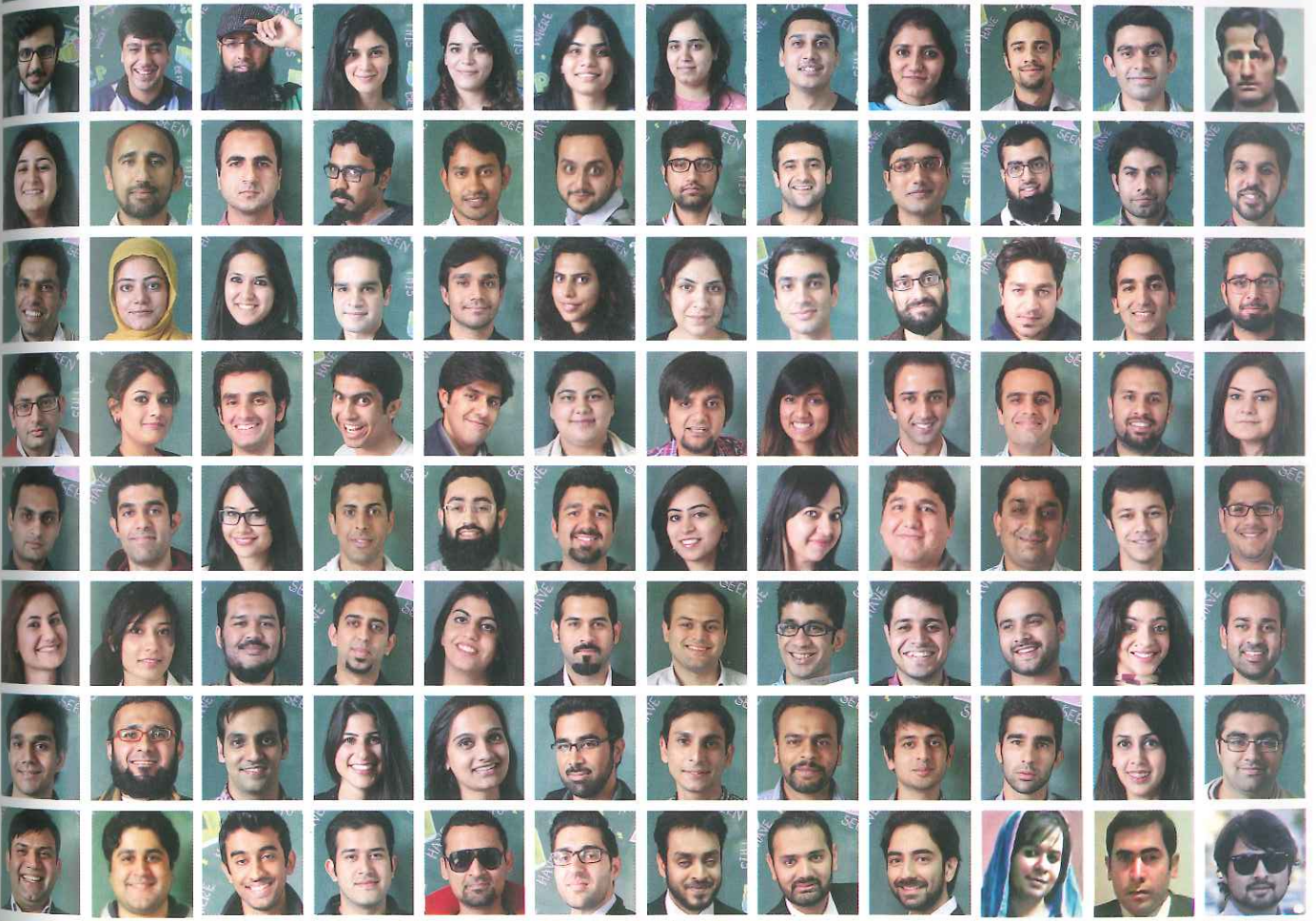
Your sense of humor is unparalleled. It's still not too late to consider a career in stand up comedy! Keep making the world a happier place! Wali
 Chu chu... jitni MBA mein learning in bhai ki CP se meri hui hai truly aur kahin se nai hui... Jokes apart Azm mehfil ki jaan hota hai. Great sense of humor :)
 Funny :P - Humaira
 A total engima. What is he? Where did he come from? Psychology major kaisay ker liya? These are the questions that keep people up at night.
 "End of the day", no one can else can be a better CP Champion ~ Taimoor
 Yarr, tu aur tairay jokes aur un ki timings sab kamal hain :)~Saad Zaheer
 Never lose your sense of humor!~Aina Maria Waseem
 I have never seen you back biting about anyone. You get a D in sense of humor. i see a loyal friend in you.
 There is no doubt in my mind that youre the most talented person in our batch. Unfortunately, you dont see that yourself but youre a highly reliable and can get anything done-Faizan

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FAIZAN FAISAL

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I got my parents' money worth at LUMS. I thrive on human interaction and the diversity of people I interacted with during my time at LUMS helped me be the man I am and I like this person. Thank you Batch 2013! Batch 2015! Faculty! MPO! PCO! Staff! And most of all everyone in Batch 2014!

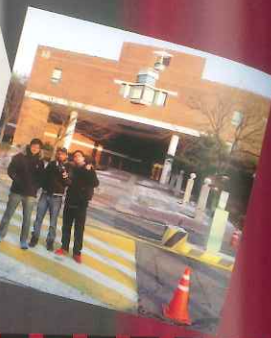


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Aqida
 You are very very lucky!!!koi ger
 ber ki tu me choru g nai :P
Sana Zahra
 A man of his word. And a loyal
 friend.
Atique
 Sigh* Really Faizan, always
 remember DR3 :D
Aina Maria Waseem
 Faize, trust me i trust u and we
 brought colloquium back in
 hand :p
Saad Zaheer
 Extremely helpful person
Adnan

Sigh. But honestly you are a true
 gentle man and a loyal friend.
 You are always ready to help
 and accommodate others and
 the way you always manage
 people is truly amazing. Love
 your sarcastic style. Stay
 blessed.
Arfah Khaduha
 Just one word to describe you
 bud, "Genuine". The very best of
 luck to you janab :)
S. Muneeb
 The champ himself. Quiet killer
 from the halls of Barry block.
 Good luck to you, sir!
Wali

Faizan!! you're the most creative
 person I know! Love your sense
 of humor and witty facebook
 statuses. Hope you publish a
 book soon. Your biggest fan. =D
Neha
 He's the kind of good that
 reminds other people why it's so
 important to have the values
 that make this chap one of the
 best people I know at LUMS. Will
 always have your back, my
 friend. Wish you all the best.
Zeeshan Sohail
 your Facebook statuses will
 always be remembered :P
Hareem

Very nice and helpful. All the
 best!
HJ
 Every class was more fun when
 he was in it.
 My Friend indeed...
 Dear Faizi. This nation needs
 your lively statuses .
 Feziiii...
 Thanks for the yearbook :)
 Fanty and I have been
 friends/class fellows since the
 2nd grade! I cannot think of a
 more wonderful person in the
 batch.
 Keep CALM and LEAVE IT TO
 FAIZAN :)



**SAAD
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SIDDIQUI**

And now that one can almost smell the finish line....I think the time has come where one can be ballsy enough to stand up straight with the head held high and say "THIS HAS BEEN ONE HELL OF A RIDE LADIES AND GENTLEMEN!!" CHEERS to the SOP....to introducing myself to the batch by dancing as NARGIS...to keeping track of all the LPs... to stealing CPs....to the all nighters....to all the times I thought to myself "ab nikaalay gaye toh bohth bisiti hai!"to the rising heartbeat while opening zambeel....to the DRs....to the faculty....to not waking up for Dr. Ehsan's midterm....to the Nestle internship interview and my shorts....to all the free riding....to all those who allowed the free riding....to somehow dodging probation....to the absolutely insane four months in Seoul ...and of course.... to all my batch mates who made this time....a rather good one indeed!!



TESTIMONIALS

What a Next level person. His undying energy and uncanny voice make him one of the most pleasurable people to be with. But at the same time, his maturity and calmness make him a person who I would like to thank for being a part of MBA 2014 - Hamad

A strong contender for the most entertaining guy at the batch. 2014 will never forget your nargis performance during SOP. Respect. Wali
I love you man !!! Like, for real !!!

i will always remember you for putting those jasmine flowers on my table in SOP :P~Hareem

Crazy, pagal, chichora, funny like hell and an amazing person!! the best thing is that you say what's in your heart! always stay like thus Rowdy!~Sana Zahra
Internship would have been boring if we didn't have you. But seriously i still remember your nargis moves...:P that was the best performance of the night. :P
Arfah Khadija

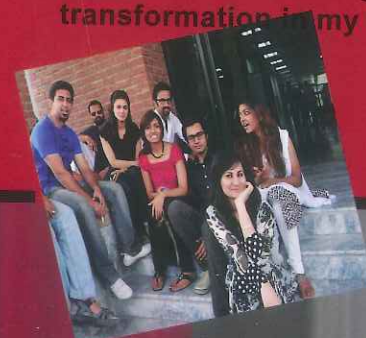
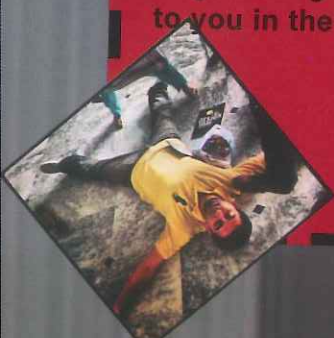
NEXT LEVEL! #DR1 #SEM1 - HJ

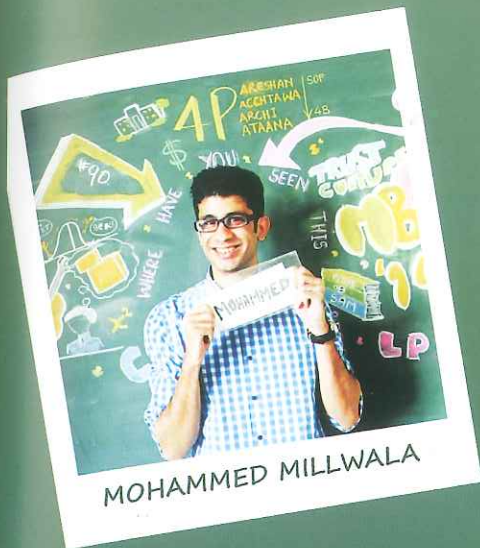
The dual root-cause (Waseem being the other) for the insanity that was DR 1!
~Makhdoom

Crazy character

Heavy aya hai boy!~Aina Maria Waseem

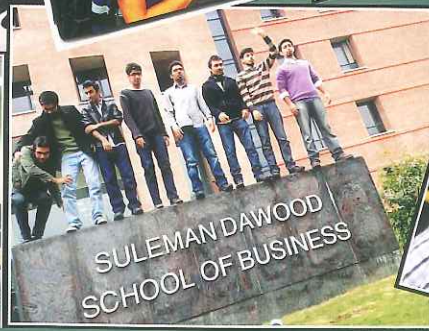
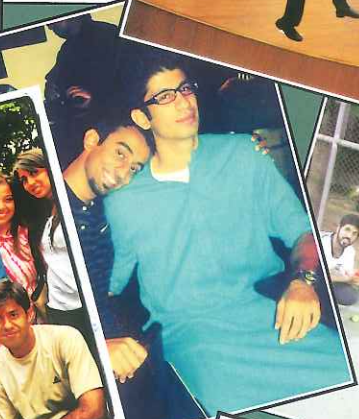
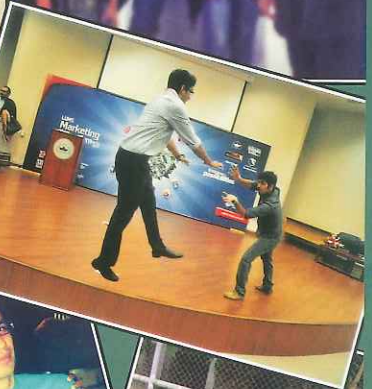
You get along with everyone and youre a lot most than a funny punk. Sitting next to you in the 2nd semester was an amazing experience and I owe some of the transformation in my to you-Faizan





MOHAMMED MILLWALA

What a long strange trip LUMS has been, here is to the future that awaits us and the time that passed us by in the past two years. An ode to the laughter fits during SOP, the last minute submission of WAC's assignments; the raising of hand desperately for a chance to make CP, and the total dabba followed that chance to make that CP. Apart from the academic highlight, a toast to the friends made during this time, to the roommate who is as lazy and tidy as me, to the FYP group who is still confused as why do we have to work so much, and to the #GossipBoys, the entourage of friends without whom LUMS wouldn't have been the same. Moreover, here is to the elusive future corporate job to apply what LUMS gave us. In the end, here is to the life, which I hope to live to its fullest



MAHVISH AZAD 14010091

FROM SOP TO CONVOCATION, SIR JAM'S SCREAMS TO SIR EHSAN'S COMMENTS, CTMC PRESENTATION PRACTICE SESSIONS TO LAST MINUTE FOURTH SEMESTER PROJECT REPORT CHANGES, FIGHTS IN DRS TO CRYING SESSIONS IN THE DORMS, MIDNIGHT KHOKHA TRIPS TO 8:30 AM CLASSES, HIGHLIGHTING CASES TO DABBA CPS, FYP MEETINGS TO RANDOM SIGNING SESSIONS LATE AT NIGHT, SCANDALOUS DORM STORIES TO SPONTANEOUS MOVIE PLANS, COMPLAINING ABOUT BAD FOOD TO GROUP STUDYING IN PDC, THINKING HOW IT STARTED TO REALIZING IT IS ALL COMING TO AN END- LIFE AT LUMS HAS BEEN ONE EXHILARATING EXPERIENCE. IT HAS NOT ONLY MADE ME STRONGER AS AN INDIVIDUAL BUT ALSO EXPANDED MY CAPACITY TO COMPREHEND, SYMPATHIZE, ANALYZE AND RATIONALIZE SITUATIONS AND ATTITUDES. THE JOURNEY HAS BEEN MORE MEMORABLE BECAUSE OF THE AMAZING FRIENDS I HAVE FOUND HERE, PEOPLE WHO ADD SANITY TO THE MADNESS, REALITY TO THE ILLUSION AND LOVE TO THE LONELINESS OF LIVING AWAY FROM HOME.



TESTIMONIALS:

Our bond is legendary. I would always be very nice to you and you would always insult me. But i see that you have a good heart and personality-Faizan

Most versatile, flexible and well-rounded individual of the batch - Adnan

Always worried and thinking about achieving something big in life and yet a very sweet and caring person! :D- Hammad Hadi

what can i say!!!! sometimes the most sensible person and a lot of times the biggest crazy baby!!! i am going to miss you like hell!!! and you do know only 3 or 4 of us are left lets look out for each other :) you know what i am talking about :D

Adorable little totally crazy (round onion) roommate. More than laughter, we have shared too many sadnesses ... all the ones that count! - Rabia

RoLay, you are the best!

Crazy, loyal, funny, genius - my support system and best friend #dynamics #patanahin #amazingexpressions - Moeed

Politeness redefined - I was never able to greet her before she did, I soon stopped trying. - Couple all that with a Dean's list, and that's like an unbeatable combo! Stay the same :)

Mahvish Azad you are my very own drama queen friend who loves to copy my stupid expressions and comments - your 'hum yahan akhir kyon aaye' will always be theme story of our MBA life :)~Hareem

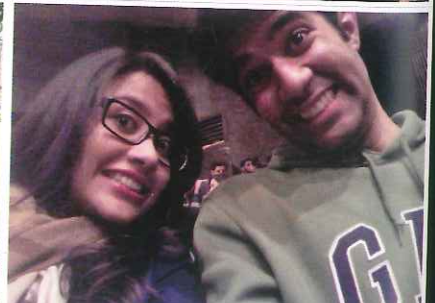
From Mahvish to Billy, From random selfies to making faces in the class, From once-in-a-while hangout plans to crazy rides on the way back, From fun days at Shell to random gossips; I feel super lucky to have been friends with Mahvish. -Taimoor

Billi: (Noun) the feisty billa, who fits the hardwork, loyalty, anxiety, friendship, fun n CIDness of 9 lives in 1. Completing half of the world's *dash dash* duo! *hug*~Makhdoom

Bossy! You treat your subjects as slaves. Don't forget to show some empathy for the poor souls who end up working with you. Or, the poor soul who ends up being your eternal slave. Baichara. ~Taimoor Zia

Quite simply, I am a much better person for having known her.

Thank you for being one of my best friends, for being a confidant to me, for lending me a shoulder to cry on, for giving me the best pieces of advice, and for helping me in studies... LUMS memories would be incomplete without you... Love you and stay in touch... *huggie*~Love, Shanza



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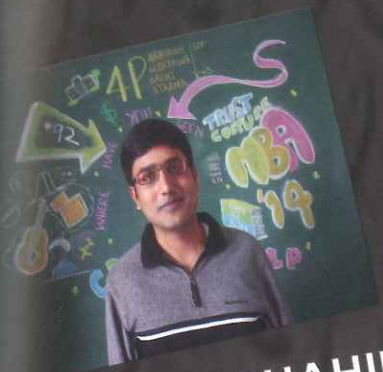
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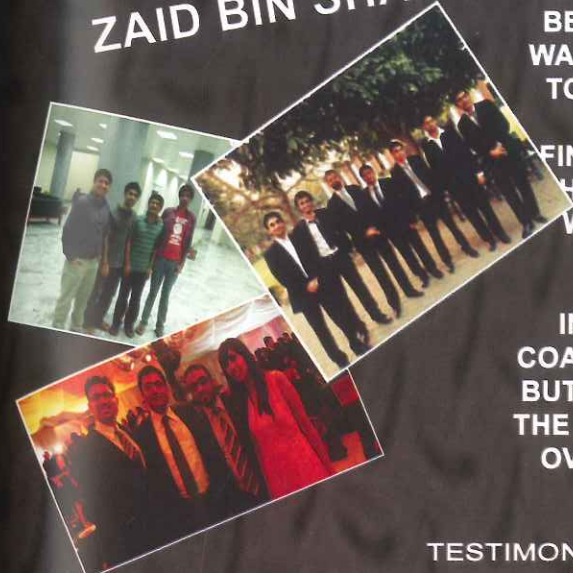
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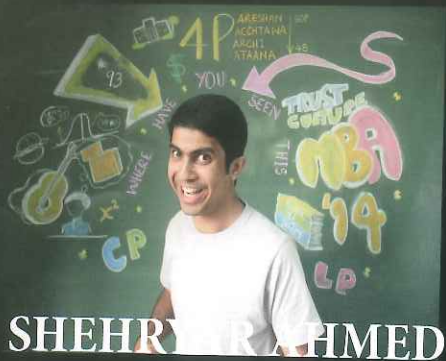
THE JOURNEY AT LUMS STARTED WITH TIRING SOP ACTIVITY THAT APART FROM TRAINING ME FOR ACADEMIC CHALLENGES COMING FORWARD, HELP ME TO BLEND WELL WITH MY BATCH MATES. I STILL REMEMBER THE DAY WHEN I WOKE UP SUDDENLY THINKING THAT I WAS LATE FOR CLASS. RAN TOWARDS RESTROOM TO GET READY. SAW MY WATCH BY CHANCE AND FOUND STILL I HAD TWO HOURS. THAT WAS JUST THE BEGINNING. YEARS FOLLOWING THE SOP WERE WONDERFUL. THE BEST AND THE MOST RANDOM TEAM I HAD IN LUMS WAS FOR TOYOTA BATTLE OF MINDS, WHICH PROVED TO BE SUCCESSFUL IN ACHIEVING THE AIM DUE TO ROLES OF EACH MEMBER. FINALLY I DECIDED TO GO ON EXCHANGE TO CHINA. HERE I EXPERIENCED SEVERAL NEW THINGS THAT WERE NOVEL TO ME. THESE HELPED ME BETTER BLEND AMONGST PEOPLE ACROSS VARIOUS CULTURES. IN A NUTSHELL THE TWO YEARS WERE A ROLLER COASTER RIDE, WITH DIFFERENT PEOPLE SITTING IN IT BUT AS IT MOVES ACROSS PAATH OF UPS AND DOWNS THE SUPPORT FROM PRESENCE OF EVERYONE HELPED OVERCOME THE FEAR AND BE SUCCESSFUL AT THE END.



TESTIMONIALS

The future tycoon of our country, and it will be in no other business than food. Way to go!~MHAB
 Can easily find him in any DR alone, studying and smashing his head with the wall k mere LP aa rahi hay :S. I Feel proud to convince him k Islamic Ethics me LP aa rahi hay tu anay do :P. Jokes Apart very nice person, always ready to eat out, and yesssss really really busy businessman, always on call. --Gul--
 The fact that you tolerated arsi till date is a testament to the degree of tolerance, diligence and willpower in you!! =P~Makhdoom
 Sir your humility and rustic wisdom is what I admire about you. You will be successful whatever you choose to do! Wali genuine person with big dreams!~Mahvish
 The most well connected and genuine man I have ever met. Cute bhi hai. He is royalty, he is The Zaid. Moeed
 I knew KING Fahad and now i know you....
 Very friendly, humble and kind hearted. I wish we had become friends right from the first semester. You have exceptional interpersonal skills that will take you places.
 Wish you success~Fawad
 Thank you for being an amazing friend... I found you a very innocent and hard working person and so I feel you will be really successful in future Inshaa Allah.. Stay in touch :)~ Shanza
 Ill miss bicycle lock on the cupboard =p
 The Zaid is the best example of the entrepreneur in our the batch. Hardworking, humble, and completely great in every respect. The Salute to you, sir.~Shehryar Sohail Muzammil
 The Zaid! Don't fret over it. Someday, you will get a hang over the art of seduction. Even if you don't, your Pajero(s) will do the job for you. ~Taimoor Zia
 His Highness, His Excellency, Prince of Rahim Yar Khan - Taimoor Masoom aur sweet Tareen banda ! He brought me (and a few others) a slice of cake at midnight on both birthdays I had at LUMS, and would go for socializing to every dorm before sleeping, and would wake everyone up for Fajr every day, consistently. sweet :D
 I regret i took a lot of time to understand you. A good soul&will always remember your implementation of OM lessons at your restaurant just after the class. Wasti





SHEHRYAR AHMED

TESTIMONIALS:

You're more than just a pretty face. Infact you dont have a pretty face at all but you're everything else. Faizan

Walking example of how leaders are - Adnan

Sherry na jao naa :P thori si politicians wali herkatien kum ker le!!! baki sahele tu bht fit ha meri ;)

Confident and Smart- Truly Evil :D~Mahvish

He's the smoothest talker in the batch, his expressions scream 'EVIL' but he's a big softie at heart - our leader, always and forever. - Moeed

Even though we call you "Evil" but on the contrary you are a softie. I always admire the calmness and patience which you have shown while handling difficult situation and I still dont know how you do it. Seriously you really should try your luck in politics since we need people like you.~Arfah Khadija

The man who has the skills to sell anything to anyone, at anytime. Anything, except his very own sales skills. The one time he did try to sell it, he was promptly called an A**h***e. Taimoor Zia

It'd be great to be at a PTI dharna or a Boxing Day test with him.~Atique

You are the best friend, salesperson and advisor I have ever met. Bilz

Salesman of the year .. ~Rao

Thank you for being one of the very few people shorter than me in the batch.~Zee-shan Shaukat

Words cannot suffice for what you've meant to me. This is just a feeble attempt at it. It was quite fortunate for me that I met you in MBA. You've been my mentor, inspiration, best friend, partner in crime, support system, guidance counselor, blah, blah, blah. Hope to carry this forward post-MBA. Wish you the best in life. "Wazeer-e-Azam... Shehryar Ahmed!" - Aqida

I hope humara MBA wala decision turns out well...but last two years have certainly been heavy because of you here.

Mai bhi shirafat say jeeta magar, mujh ko shaareefoon say lagta tha darr, sabko pata tha mi kamzoor hoon, mai iss liye aaj kuch aur hoon. Your right hand and leg should be rolling by now - Hamad

Thank you everyone for making my stay at LUMS a lifechanger. I met wonderful people and wonderful ideas here. I was shown how big things are done and I was taught how money is made but most importantly I learned to win the love and respect of my peers. I'm sure I also hurt many a heart during my stay here and whenever I recall any of those moments; it sends shivers down my spine. I hope at least one person has breathed easier at LUMS because of me and I hope I can contribute to my peers' success whenever and however little I can. I really hope and pray that all these young Gekkos go on and change the world for the better. Thank you 2014! Much love!





**MOAZZAM
ASLAM**



“For the rest of my life, I want to remember that at the age of 27, the one word that perfectly describes my current state of mind is: PURPOSELESSNESS. May Allah guide me and pople like me. LUMS was intense!”

TESTIMONIALS

An example of Tangent & Out of the box thinking - Adnan
A harmless combination of humour and philosophy. You retaliate a lot. Only this thing is unique about you. Overall, you are not a bad person.

Moozii, i think you are a great guy. I like you ability to gather and question what we can't even think lol

"Well I believe in my opinion" :D....a great human being and always the one ready for a good discussion! :)

The rebel who dared to think differently. Thank you for your unique perspective on things, moazzam! Wishing you all the best. Wali

Well..Moazzam is a thinker..he thinks and focuses on many things in life and manages to learn, socialize and attend new gatherings during the hectic LUMS MBA..hes a philosopher at heart and thats why we use to call him "confucious"..he would notice details and appreciate little things about everyone and everything..temperamental..has the ability to flare up but for the right reasons i believe..im still waiting for home cooked food from his place..a great listener and honest advisor (whether you like what he has to say or not he'll say it anyway).. and above all, a sincere , helpful friend who would walk miles for you..it was amazing to have him as a friend, one of my supports in this MBA programme and i would surely miss him..

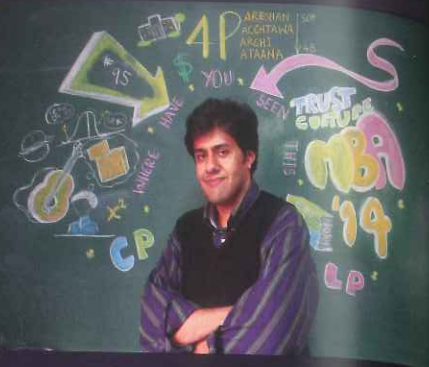
Saba Khalid.

"Khoya khoya chaand... khula asmaaan" a very decent and thoughtful person. OB mein pehli dafa pata chala k bhai boht tezz hain lolz... loved the moments when the true moazam opened up every now and then.

The world needs more people like you. Nobody doubts that youre heart is at the right place and you always want what best for everyone. Stay happy- Faizan

The clock rang 7am and I hardly had the time to realize the fact that life would never be the same again. 3rd August 2012 was going to be a date that I would never forget. All the stories of the dreaded SOP that I had heard from my friends were going to be put to a test.

Nevertheless there was a tinge of excitement amid all the chaos. Everyone had warned me regarding the hard and rough time I was going to go through. However what they did not tell me was the fact that the best friendships are forged in the worst of times when everyone is going through the same sh*t. Thus began the momentous journey of a lifetime. I would like to acknowledge here that had it not been for a handful of faithful comrades I am not sure if I would be where I am today. They made seemingly boring and tedious work routine enjoyable. Working like a family day in and day out us overcame every adversity, diversity and uncertainty (my friends would understand this part :p!) I would dedicate this page to Sana, Arslan, Taimoor, Hareem, Mahvish and Jaffar!!!! Thanks for being there guys!! :D



HAMMAD HADI

TESTIMONIALS

chahay zindagi mein head consumer banking ban ja...magar matt bhulo woh din jab faisabad ki galiyon mein tum dikko makhan taafi aur rehri wali ice cream khatay paye gaye thay!

25 going on 15 ! Keep at it Hadi, you are the love !

Are you listening? I am crying. Wali

“ Chakkar Baz Dost. Baarish mein ek dost ko bheegta chor gaya”~Zaid

The sweetest bongu ! - Rabia.

Hadi you are one the most naïve, kind-hearted, innocent and stupid friends I have but you are an amazing singer! Even though I would never want to admit that but you are my twin brother and we rock ! :D Hareem

Sun raha hai na tu? Ro rahee hai audience. Very nice guy, with vocal chords to match.

Hum teray bin ab reh nai saktay! Akhiyaan udeek bro! - Jaffar

Noses: (Noun) a traditional, shokhi, innocent, lil (NOT) nose, w/a heart of gold, no brain, amazing voice, prefers lak 28 n is oh-so-loyal!

Makhdoom

Atif Aslam from LUMS :p~saad Zaheer

New Singing Sensation at LUMS -Mahvish

Great singer and an altruistic chap - Adnan

Hadi, I love you-Faizan

Apna ashq bhai, jo dard iski awaz mein hai wo kisi aur mein kahan... A genuinely nice guy :)



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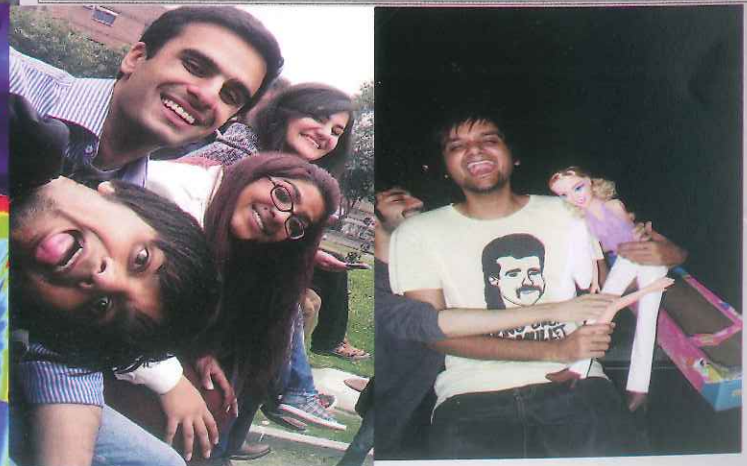


I entered LUMS as a wayfarer, a vagabond, a soothsayer, peddling naught but lowly puns. Through toil, turmoil, tenacity and all things tea, I now prepare to leave, a general of the dark army, a master pugilist of unparalleled pugnacity, excelling at everything I do, making every point a power point.

My name is Timmy. You may have heard of me.



“Smart”
 “Very few people are born genius, he is one of them” Adnan
 “Lambu and a person with lamest sense of humor you will ever come accross but one of the closest people to me!! Hopeless and but bohat aala hai :D”
 “TiMMmYyYyYyY - In memory of our lost communication protocol from the first semester !”
 “Common names, Common nicknames”
 Taimoor
 “Tall, Dark, and well, tall and dark. Seriously though, great guy, and a slap in the face for all those who think you have to speak up if you want to get through LUMS”
 “May you get your 9 while you are always ready to be a 6”
 “Timmy! You’re my inspiration for handling cold calls so well.” -Aqida
 “Hey Taimoor, “Start a comics page please and it will take you places... Thank you for being nice towards me... Stay in touch :)” Shanza
 “One of the brightest minds I have ever met. Wish you Success.” Fawad
 “There is something on his face, it makes you laugh even though he hardly says anything. Also, very weird.” - Rabia
 “Jiska Dost Lamba uska bhi bara kaam hai, kothe se laga do Seere ka kya kaam hai.” Zaid
 “I dare not speculate what goes on in that brain of yours.” Rao
 “The quite but deadly Timmy. Your lanky shaggy-like presence instilled upon your onlookers a certain sense of calm and tranquility. If you have indeed found nirvana, plz share.” Wali
 “You’ve managed to corrupt almost 70% of my worldview with your puns that are funny almost 70% of the time.” Zeeshan Shaukat
 “great sense of humor lol.”
 “Aim for the stars and you land on your back ;) , aim for the ground and you land on your feet...timmy’s Mantra for life and man he is living by it day in day out...had I not been friends with this guy i might have graduated with some respect.....and I will never forget the bag prank he pulled on me for the rest of my life.....if Procrastination was a country he would be King, if subtle humor was awarded he would win the Oscar and if Logic was a company he would employee of the month.” Abid Rehman



CP is a phenomenon in LUMS MBA so I would start with it first, I realized early on in the programme that my 25 year old brain has little or no RAM left in it. Even highlighted case facts were being stored in my volatile memory which was formatted once the session began. Desperate for the CP, the engineer in me had to rely mostly on Exhibit decoding skills.

Nevertheless a word of CAUTION!! Do not try to practise these skills with Dr. Zahoor!!

As far as my learning is concerned, I must admit that I am glad that my LUMS MBA takeaway is not necessarily a massive managerial skills toolkit, rather it is the "I CAN DO IT!!" kind of attitude which I developed in all those late night Just In Time completed assignments and projects. I learned a lot during those drills – except for two things. 1) the art of Freeriding 2) Pashto, despite listening to it for hours, non-stop, day in, day out,

except for the word cherta (meaning where).

Lastly I must thank all my friends in my GANG (including those who left the programme after 1st year) who tolerated my "Excited State" and spared my painstakingly slow yet dangerous driving style. You are all aces in my book. It's because of you that a highly exhilarating, overwhelming and provoking time at SDSB has also been the most exuberant time of my life, I wish I would be able to invent the time machine in future to relive this cherished time.

My Special Thanks to: Schumacher Sangeen, Naveed Bhai or rather Mr. Naveed now, Farooq Fashion Forever, Qazi Free-rider, Adnan (who travelled on the road, travelled) & the rest of MBA 14

TESTIMONIALS:

"You're true to your self and I always look forward to your contribution in classes" Faizan

"Extremely Intelligent. Your CP is Classic. you were right when you said: I am half without my personality."

"He's a gamer, so I'm assuming he is a great person."

"Our most peace-loving DR partner :)" Hareem

"One of the most selfless individuals I know."

Although his excited state gets us worried at times."

Hareem & Ahsan: "Accha to ham thora sa case discuss kar lein?" :D DR3 was the best thing that happened to me @ LUMS and you and Hareem were its conscience".

Aina Maria Waseem



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They said it'll be tough. That the case studies consume you and the schedules will devour you. That Jam will grill and the competition will tire you. Family and friends? They can wait a couple of years they said. They were right, at first. But somewhere along the way as the conversations shifted from 'case parh lia, CP lagi, mean kya hai?' to 'chal square chalain, rung khelain, case miss kera', it began to make sense. New friends replaced old and the elusive 32 hour days were found. There was joy in pulling an all-nighter now. Worst of all, you found yourself agreeing with all those horrible, seemingly nonsensical things Jam said at the start.

That to me is the promise of LUMS. It lures you in. You start out trying to run away from it and end up running after it.

That person you see in the top corner there? He's a more complete person now than he was two years ago. And it's all because you awesome people down below.

Oh and just as an added advantage, while I was here, I also managed to get an MBA from the best institute in the country.



TESTIMONIALS

My DR4 Friend, told me lot of CPs sacrificing his own - Adnan

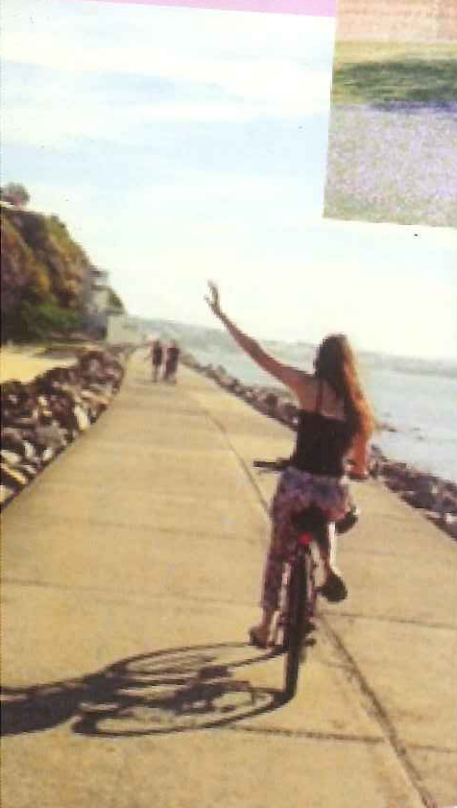
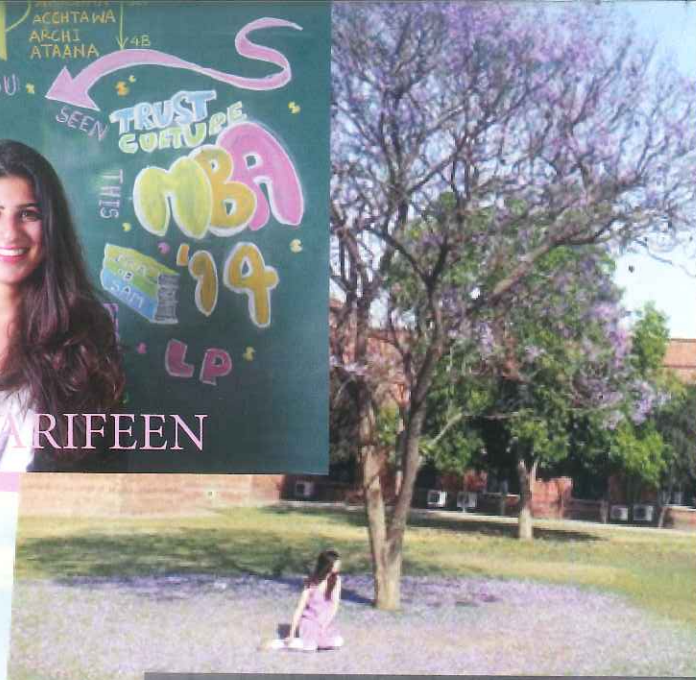
Keeeee!!! shaaaanniiii!!!! ganjay hu k bht funny lag ray hu :D wrapping bht fit kerta hai... kis cheez ki that for you to find out :P Laffafay i will miss youuuuu

For being a total sport all this time, you get a firm 10 from me. ~Taimoor Zia

Zeesh! Won't forget the heroic management at Follow the Music! Keep in touch bro! - Jaffar
The most eligible bachelor of the batch !

The coolest roomie. - Hammad Khan

Zeesh!!!! my rock, always there for me,,,,, but guess what hes there for everyone in the batch, anyone in need would turn to him....he could sail through any course he wanted without much work except perhaps BII ;).....he would top the batch only if he could sit and focus for more than 5 mins in a stretch but then again I would not be friends with him if he did.....Bro you look good in that amazing new hairstyle, i think you should keep it for good ~Abid Rehman



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Time's flown and here we are about to graduate. To our next ad
ture together! Yours, Wali.
Coolest girl in the batch. - Hammad Khan
Amber Wamber! You be my favorite girl in the entire batch! -A
Amber is as genuine as they come! That made her a standout in
batch. I wish her all the happiness and success life has to offer. -
mun
She knows how to draw flowers.~Atique
Pleasant personality :)
Fun loving, adventurous and a great girl who likes "iced tea" :)
Sister.

HAREEM WAFI

Lucy

I don't know how when and why I became 'Lucy' from Hareem' but the transition has been an amazing story with weirdest characters who slowly and steadily became a part of me and my life. LUMS MBA truly in all possible manners, became the best ever decision of my life. From a deadly interview to crazy escapes to iftaar plans in SOP, from shying away from all the strangers to becoming a one crazy family, from a fear of raising my hand in the class to conveniently BS-ing without reading the case, from an expressionless face to sudden outburst of emotions, from a clueless and uncertain mindset to taking a managerial call in every class, from late night movie plans and crazy stupid fun sessions to 8:30 nashtas, from fearing JAM to going out with him on a friendly dinner, from being a single to batch ki bhabhi, from a scared young girl to a self-reliant person, from being fearful of uncertainties to becoming thankful to fate for how it unfolds life - maybe that's how I became Lucy from Hareem :)

TESTIMONIALS

Even though our journey is barely a year old in length, its depth encompasses a far greater area than does my whole life before you, which now seems like a small instant. You are the best person I have ever known, and I am the luckiest person I have ever known – Hamad Mahmood

From Hareem to Lucy,
From papri chaat to pani puri,
From Lucy ke bolne ka style to Lucy ka blond sense of humor,
From ""either you dream it"" to ""either to live it;
My time at Lums would have been no fun without Hareem
-Taimoor

Lucy: (Noun) a sincere, idiotic, 'driver-like' pillar of strength, support n (occasional) wisdom; imbibing oxygen's characteristics since MBA began - Makhdoom

The Lucy has now completed it's MBA. Watch out world
-Jaffar

Lucy, tumhara sense of humor boht acha hai.. dheeray dheeray sab ko pata chal jaey ga :D Arslan

The most creative (as shown by the FB statuses :p) and yet cutest person in the whole batch is our lucy!! :D - Hammad Hadi

From the first friendly face in SOP to the wonderful friend today, fellow chaat lover, salt queen with a heart of gold! Mahvish

No issue is worth worrying kyunke akhir me tu sub ne mer hi jana hai :P - Sana Zahra

You are the best roomie I could have ever had. You are just like Azkia to me. I don't remember a single time when I needed you and you were not there - Shanza

Luca! MBA would be incomplete without you, my female "RUMI". You've always been there to listen to my nonsensical issues. Also, I would have never discovered my love for clothes if it weren't for you. I love you for who you are and for all that you've done. :D





"Tujhe daikha tau ye jaana sanam, pyar hota hai dewaana sanam..."
The true shahrukh khan fan. A genius in finance, friendly and cute.

All it takes for Mahrukh to fix things is her smile

The most intelligent girl in the batch.

Strong and independent - very reliable friend

Mahrukh Naim Mirza

Always thought seeing her how you can be so capable and confident to turn tables around so quickly

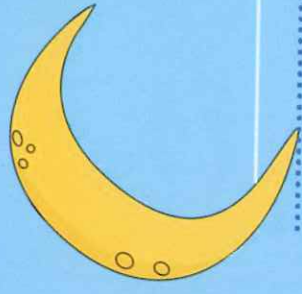
Resilience personified; except for when we unleash the 'attacks' n u giggle like a mad thing!

If it weren't for you, LUMS would have driven me crazy. Thankyou for dealing with my random emotional outbursts, my craziness and all the weird things that I usually end up doing. You've kept me sane and have been my biggest strength. Thankyou for being so random, so crazy and so fun and for making sure I do the same and not stress out. I can't imagine a single moment at LUMS without you, you've always been there no matter what happens and have always made sure I don't lose it. I could not have managed LUMS without you at all. Thankyou for being the awesomest friend ever, for real and the best bridesmaid ever too. Who cares what Sohaib and Rehman think, they might just be jealous. I LOVE YOU!

Although I may very well get killed for saying this by the very person for whom it is being said but in three words: "My Hawtestttt friend"

MNM. Homie from the good ol' days of main campus. Keep smiling and bring your awesome self Mahrukh

Amazing time we spent together and for all the craziness that used to happen in dorms thank you so much and will always remember the craziness



Your B-day video summed up your likable personality! Keep in touch you!

Mahrukh-y there is one specific smile that you give is enough to make me realize that I have pulled a 'Lucy' wouldn't have been able to get through Microsoft shit (excel, word, project) without you :P :*

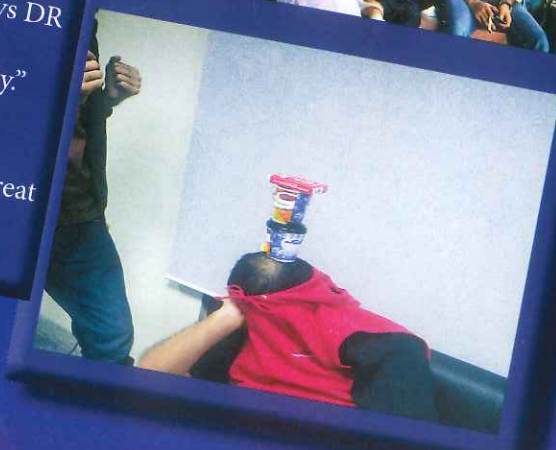
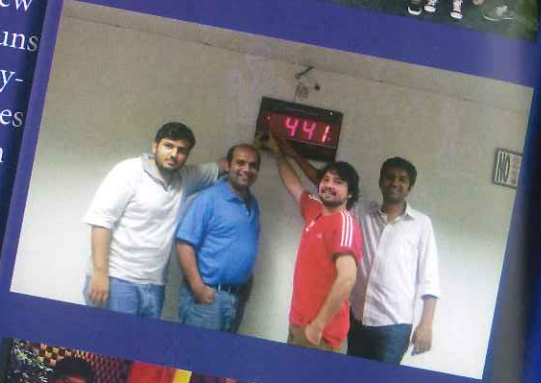


With an unreasonably high IQ, she has always been there as much as she could to make things swifter and easier for our FYP



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LUMS looked like a scary place coming in. People told us horror Stories about SOP and JAM screaming at everyone who went out of line. But from day one it has been a life changing experience, meeting new people and making new friends. Late night food runs for Farooq :-P, borrowing the car from Qazi for anything (thank you so much mate), Getting life lectures from Naveed Bhai and gathering in Sangeen's room to watch movies were highlights of first year. Then came the exchange. Saad and Waseem craziest people that I know made the exchange an unforgettable experience. From cooking "Aalo Anda" in our rooms and harassing our neighbor (Bechara roz shikayat kerta tha hamari) to exploring Seoul and regular visits to Hongdae and the Playground there it was awesome.

All in all, MBA at LUMS is a once in a lifetime experience and I am thankful to Allah, My parents, teachers here at LUMS and last but not the least all the people here and I just want to say to all of them I am going to miss this place and you guys forever. May Allah give all of you what you want for your lives. (I hate Mohammad Millwala for making "Budha" the most annoying word for me but still I hope he finds Muneeb's FB logged in and avenges all of us affected by him)

TESTIMONIALS

- "What happened in Korea stays in Korea lolz... a lively guy!"
- "Sorry for THAT Rammah. But youve always been a good sport and the 2nd semester with you in the all boys DR was amazing" Faizan
- "An old man's soul trapped in a young man's body."
- "I beat him at badminton! :D"
- "Old' is gold. Isn't it Rammah!?" Atique
- "Hamiduhhhh what a chill guy. Street-smart and a great talker. You're going places, buddy!"
- "Barrriii Yadein wabasta hain Sirrrrrr!!!"

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ZARMINA PANEZAI



Ah, LUMS!

For me this means a place of SOP, latenight cram sessions, pushing the alarm button off one too many times, a time away from home, fighting for CPs, and a place that gave me the best yet crazy "exchange" days.

Here, I accomplished, made mistakes, gained just by trying, got lost – went exploring, made friends, learned to disregard my anxiety and learned to surround myself with motivating individuals while weed out those with bad intentions. These were the two years of complete bliss, the time of complete freedom and the time of self-discovery.

Here's to the best academic experience: You taught me to speak up and advocate for myself, you taught me perseverance, you taught me the importance of good friends, the importance of taking responsibility, the importance of good communication and the importance of taking risks with some "real-time" examples.

Sláinte!

TESTIMONIALS

"The CM project with you was memorable in more ways than one. You're an amazing person and one who is true to her word"-Faizan

"Zarmina! Back benchers from the 1st semester. Had some funny times. Hope you stay your same innocent self and keep smiling like you do!"Wali

"As a friend she means the world to me and its friends like her who make life worthwhile. I still hate her that she went to Europe without me but i am glad she had a great time. Although she's got a passionate soul she is at the same time a restless creature, always looking for a way to grow up, to chill, to enjoy, to experience, and to live"

My first year in LUMS wouldnt have been same without you. Thankyou for everything~Arfah <3



QAMAR KHALJD



It seems like a tough task now but I am sure as time passes by and the memories get stronger this would only get tougher. So I am going to keep it short. Past 2 years have probably been the most memorable phase of my life, clichéd I know but true too. Made memories, built friendships, found a soul-mate – in Johnny, bitched too when I least expected to and other stuff which cannot go in print for the sake of my integrity in the coming years. I can safely say now that I made up for a dull undergraduate life with a crazy time at LUMS. Also, this would not have been possible for each and every one of you who made up for the batch. So God bless and good luck to you all!



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You've taught me everything I know and then you go and do something that is completely against for what you stand for. haha. You're great company. All the best- Faizan

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The AXE Man of LUMS

The guy who turned it around for me in the Second Semester! Appreciate all the CPs you threw my way :D - Jaffar



"Hi Qamar! (I win the competition. Period!) =D Makhdoom"

"Do stay in touch, I'm seriously thinking on starting to work on my fitness. Thank you for the first DR memories. MHAB"



"The most organized and savvy body-builder I know. - Hammad Khan"

Johnny Bravo's got it going on. From the braun to the looks to the brains. Kicked out of the emirates for being too pretty (look it up...yeah, that's him), he has recently taken to mesmerizing professors with his gelled hair and killer CPs. Watch out ladies! Wali

Not even I understand myself as good as this man does. Sitting with him through two DRs, travelling Turkey with him, and living through every slot of Dangal with him, I can say that he is the most dependable, helpful and mature person I have met here. Gym at 9, don't be late – Hamad



SABA GUL

LUMS VOYAGE

For me the LUMS journey was full of adventures and discovery. I experienced everything from lectures, projects, and ice-cream treats to late night talks at the khokha and dorms. Words can't describe how much fun I had and how many amazing friendships I made. I always took the hefty workload of LUMS confidently; with every sleepless night I learnt something that's necessary because it's all part of my getting the next part of myself, the next day. I am amazed by the skills I found in myself by the heating and beating of the MBA program and yes the Best Team Leader is one of them, kasmae :P. The program not only taught me valuable academic skills, but also pushed me outside my comfort zone and allowed me to explore new concepts and try new things. I feel a lot of change in my personality and in my thinking process. I learnt how to enjoy the moments when I was burdened with so much work, WACs, and projects. Even after seeing the worst, I never thought about saving my LPs and yet I survived. Starting with the first semester, I enjoyed a lot of socializing events and dinners, and bdays with Nayha, Farhan, Harry, Jaffar, Mamun, Arfah & UJ. Fights with Lahoris were the funniest moments wid some paglay dost esp Sana, Muneeb, And Taimoor. And then came my saviors at the dorms, Cute Mahvish, and Jutty Butt :P. The girlie rona dhona, aur hassna with Addy, Chotu, Hareem, Shaanzo, Aeen se Aina, and Makhdoom, are the moments I can never forget.



A great girl, changed alot (style wise) which is a good change... Hard working and a resilient woman.

Gulru!!! you are one of the most genuine person i have ever met. taunt larai sub chalta hi rehta hai but i love you sabu and i will miss you like anything!! i hope you get a job in lahore and stay here :D phir PARTYYYYY!!!!

A little hyper at times but an amazing friend all in all. She is one of the most caring persons on the planet and goes all out for her friends. Truly a gem and a great friend to have an interesting conversation with.

Thanks for being an amazing friend
Haaris

Emotional and very sweet with specks of 'shararat' here and there
-Mahvish

One of the sweetest people in LUMS.

Thank you for all the yummy dishes! *hug*
Makhdoom

Always the one to cheer you up when the chips are down, Saba is more than what meets the eye. I wish her the best life has to offer! :) - Mamun

Hello Saba,
It was good knowing you.. I found you a very reliable and sweet friend... Stay in touch... *Huggie*
Love, Shanza

Karachi has some nice people too :P May you get all you want and be happy always :) stay in touch girl and do meet me whenever you come to Lahore :D- Humaira

Strong Gul, I will always admire you for a lot of things (beyond the surface!) -
Rabia

Sabaa!!! You're the sweetest person I know! Always there for anyone who asks for help and advice. You put everyone in a good mood. Had so much fun on the random plans you made. Whenever you need a friend, I will always be there for you.
Neha





SYED MUHAMMAD HASAN MUNEEB

Great lifelong friends, many memorable events and some invaluable life lessons; these are what I will be taking away with me as I move on from LUMS.

All was not fun and games though. There were times when things got tough and frankly a little crazy. That however is the charm of this place, it teaches you to persevere, to reach out and achieve that which you did not think you were possible off.

Of course no man is an island and I am glad I got to share my highs and lows with some very genuine people; people who looked out for me and truly cared for me. I am thankful I met them and can now call them my friends. To them I simply say 'I am grateful'; mere words of course but those that I will hopefully have the rest of my life to prove.

I am glad I come to LUMS; it has been a wonderful, extraordinary, enlightening part of my journey. Here is to hoping it just keeps getting better, IA!!

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TESTIMONIALS

"The most calm presenter in class. Always composed and never out of decorum. Well... it depends ;)"

"Spending two years with you is still not enough. There is still a lot i need to know about you, thats how braod your personality is. Lets keep hanging out"-Faizan

"Although we could not interact more. But i really enjoy your decent and cultured jokes"

"Awesome awesome awesome guy... He is one of my best friends and have had a great time with him at different gatherings. A good sportsman like attitude and an amazing view on life." Haaris

"I'd not have graduated without his help. Thank you!" Atique

"It's amazing how a guy his size manages to avoid attention."

"Muneeb is simply a man born in the wrong century! My only wish is that the journey continues because he's been a great buddy."- Mamun

"Someone who can beat me at sarcasm, though i am still funnier than you Muneeb :P, but I am glad that you finally opened up, and made me your friend , please be less serious in life, after all there are good people like us too :P"- Humaira

"The only person I know who would get a heatstroke for an internship.

Highly dedicated!" - Aqida

"The extravagant one."

"Live long and prosper. =D" Neha

"If there's one person that made my stay at LUMS a little more palatable, it's this guy. True friends stick with you through thick and thin. But I guess going through the same thick and thin together makes you better friends. I know I can always count on you. Wish you all the best. P.S. Star Wars isn't too bad either ;)" Zeeshan Sohail

"Good natured and a good Bball player!" Wali

"I was one of several to say Muneeb had great presentation skills etc etc. Mam Amina says, wait this is becoming about Muneeb :O Wish you wouldn't hide your killer sense of humour so well but since it is hidden under a perfect gentleman I can't complain. Love the accent in which you say Aina Maria :D"

Aina Maria Waseem

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"THEY SAY AN MBA IS ABOUT LEARNING HOW TO HIDE RAZOR SHARP TEETH AND BLOOD STAINED CLAWS BEHIND SHINY NEW SUITS. THAT'S SOMETHING YOU LEARN FIRST HAND AT LUMS BUT IT'S NOT SOMETHING I'LL EVER WANT TO STAND FOR. WHAT I CHOSE INSTEAD TO LEARN AT LUMS WAS THE IMPORTANCE OF STICKING TO THE VALUES THAT MAKE YOU A GOOD HUMAN BEING AND REALIZING THAT, SOMETIMES, VIRTUE COMES AT A COST. THROUGH THE THICK AND THIN, I MADE SOME FRIENDS THAT WILL LAST ME A LIFETIME, AND MANY WHO'S FRIENDSHIP LEFT ME WISER FOR A LIFETIME. MY SINCERE BEST WISHES TO YOU ALL. IT'S BEEN A PLEASURE!"



Zee. You are sensible, smart and a highly highly dedicated person. Wish you the best of everything.

- Neha Kamran

The most intellectual and intelligent person with whom you can talk on diverse range of subjects. I wish you all the best for your future endeavours.

- Arfah Khadija

You're out-of-this-world nice and your dedication is unparalleled. You're the kind of guy people want to do nice things for.

- Faizan Faizal

Sheikh Sahab :P Wish you all the best for your future. I am glad that I am in your FYP group :D otherwise would not have known you so well :)

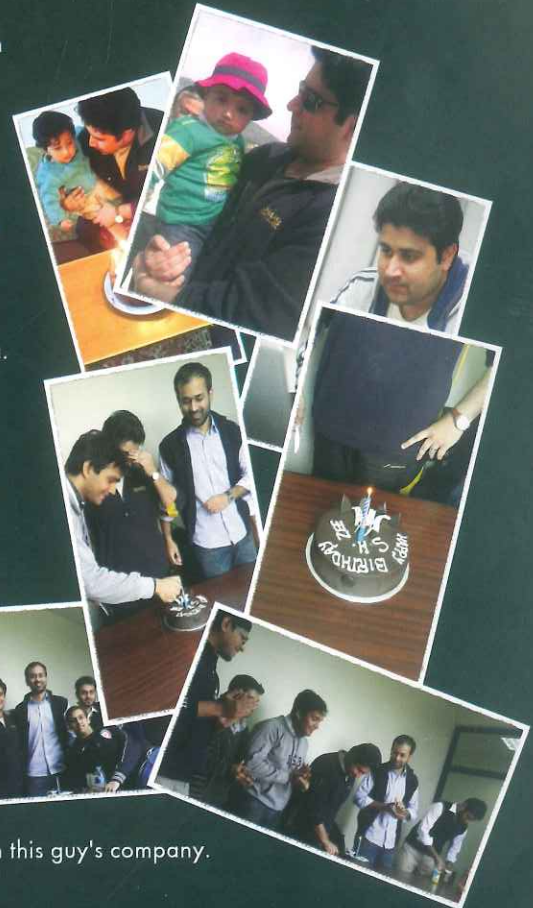
- Humaira Farooq

While his demeanour may suggest otherwise, this guy has a sense of humor that can make you cry! However, if you do survive, he's a brilliant friend to have. I can say this with ease because I was relaxed in every project where he was the "Leader". Thank you for bearing with me, Zeeshan bhai! :D

- Mamun Rasheed

Buddy, your friendship means more to me than I was given room to explain. Here is to hoping that it keeps getting stronger. In the eternal words of the legendary Mr. Spock, "Live Long & Prosper!!". P.S. Star Trek Rules! :P

- Syed M. Muneeb



You just can't be bored in this guy's company.

- Atique ur Rehman

I rely on you for the most original posts on facebook, keep helping us combat the ennui!

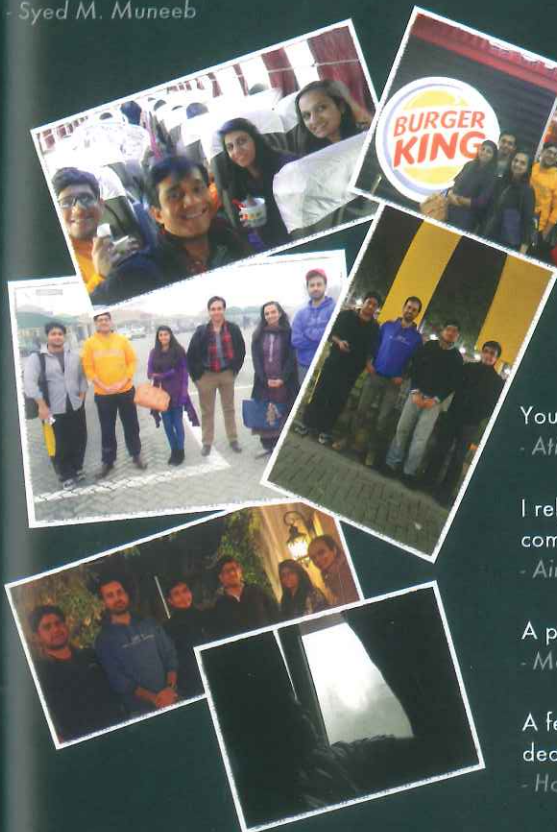
- Aina Maria Waseem

A promising entrepreneur indeed! Best of luck, buddy.

- Moazzam Aslam

A fellow AFB and a cool guy to share jokes with. A great friend and a decent human being.

- Haaris Jalal





SHAHZAD SHABBIR

“Two years at LUMS have vanished but generated memories which shall be everlasting. It has generated a lifetime experience and has shown us how to stretch our capacities to achieve seemingly unattainable things. While looking back, I can enjoy the fun element that all those CPs, LPs and late nighters carried with themselves. But above all, I believe, the most valuable thing is the interaction that I made with a number of amazing people and the friendships that I have been able to make in these two years. In a nutshell, these two years have been the best of my academic life.”

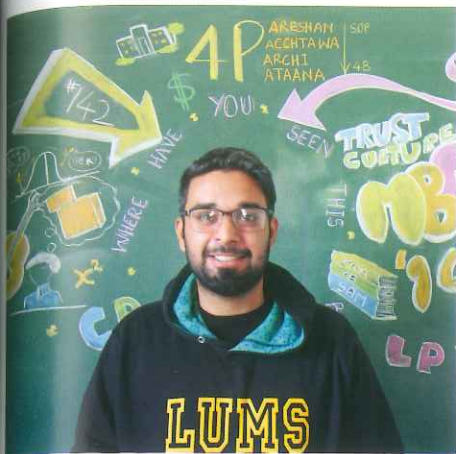
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“Mein Wadera... mein wadera...” a genuinely nice person. Patient to my ridiculous tantrums. Guy with a genuine CP ;) I first interacted you in NS and thought of you as a very shrewd negotiator but as I got the chance to know you I realized that there is a very sweet and humble side to you. All the best-Faizan

TESTIMONIALS

You helped me reach Nirvanaaaa once ! Thanks. Hope to have more of such sessions.
Thank you for making such an effort to pronounce my name correctly. :) -Aqida
The best of luck to you Shahzad! Wali





KHAQAN MUKHTAR

TESTIMONIALS

Someone who has impressed me from a distance.

All the best for the future-Faizan

Great guy.

Good luck to you Km Mahvi! Wali

a great guy who is always helpful

You can trust this guy for advice, he ll be always ready to give you solid advice.

His contribution in class though rare are insightful.

Bust of luck Khaqan

I have worked with him in a group and found him very helpful.

"I have been and still am a seeker, but I have ceased to question stars and books; I have begun to listen to the teaching my blood whispers to me. As C.G. Jung said "Your visions will become clear only when you can look into your own heart. Who looks outside, dreams; who looks inside, awakes."
Thank you LUMS. Thank your for everything".



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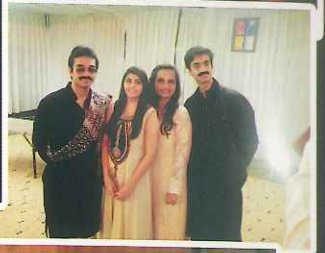
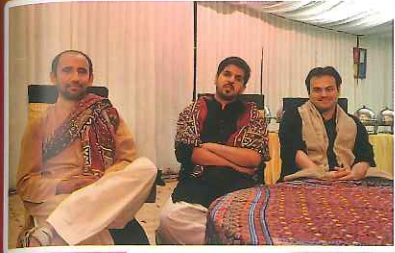
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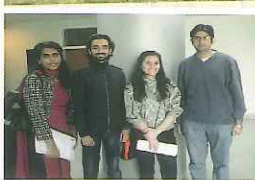
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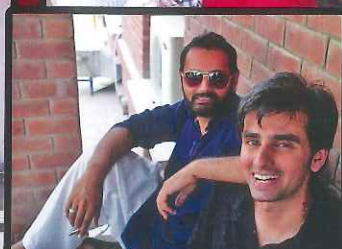
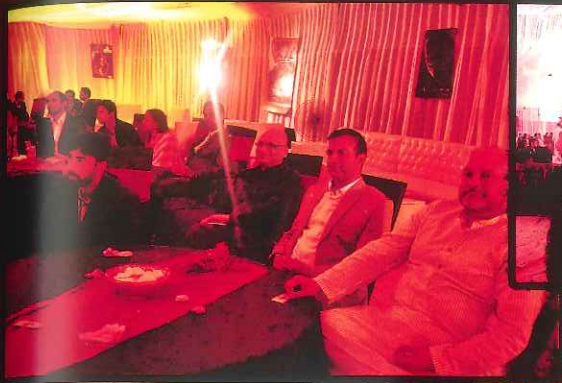
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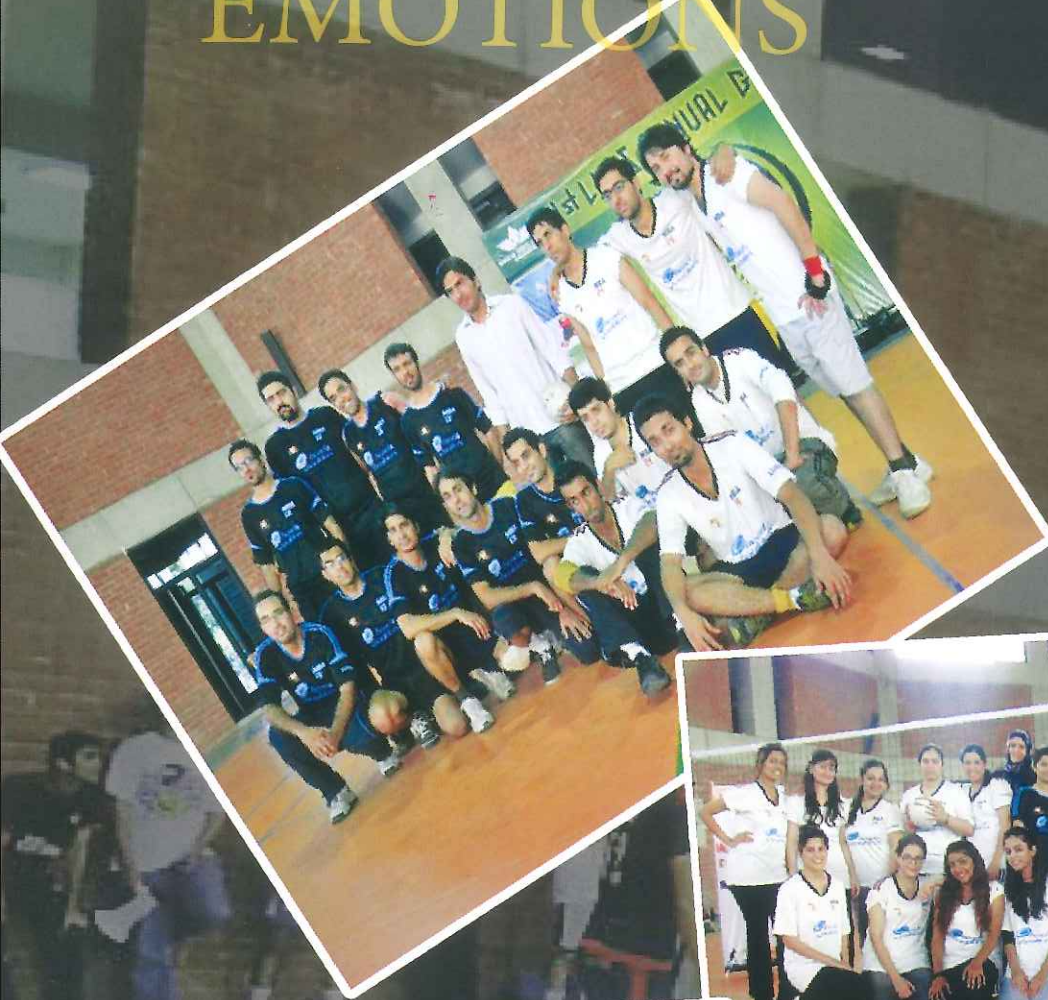
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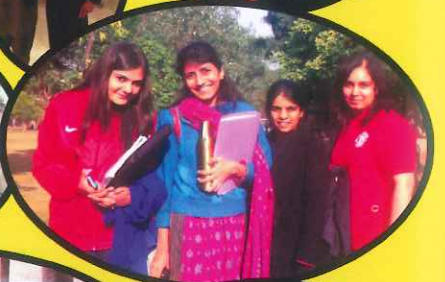
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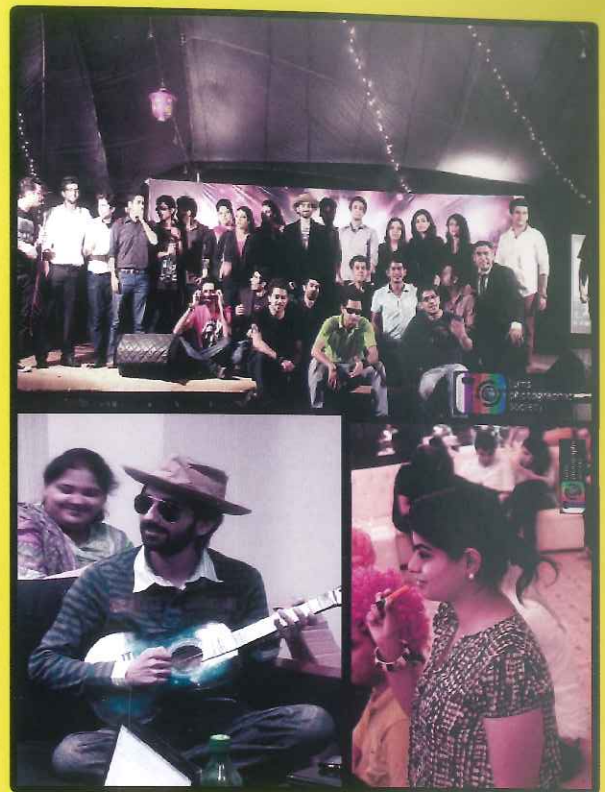
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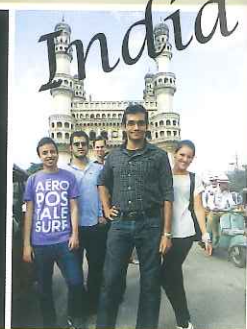
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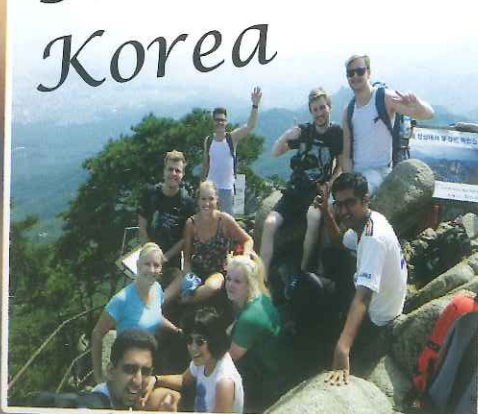
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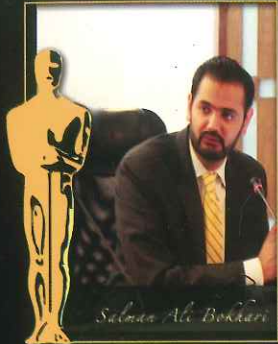
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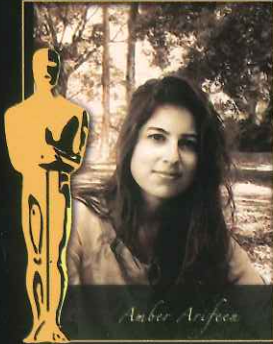
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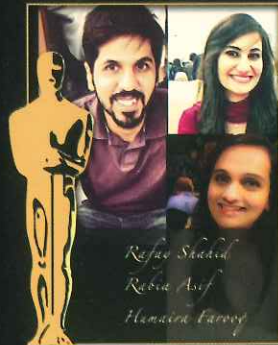
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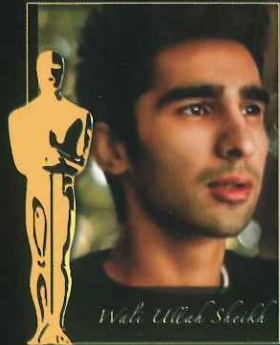
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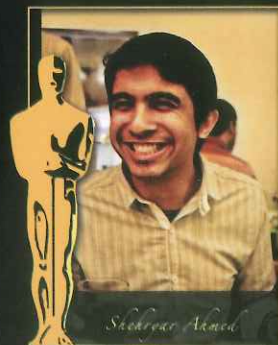
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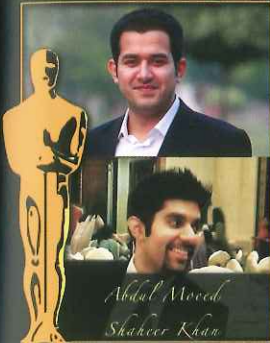
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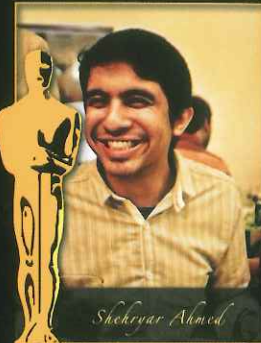
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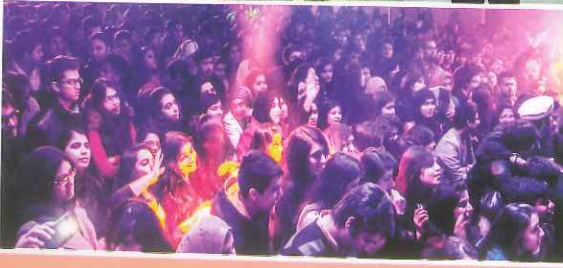
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MBA MUSIC SOCIETY

A movement was set in motion by a group of musicians/trend-setters to change the way MBA students are perceived inside and outside the boundaries of LUMS. A tremendous amount of talent existed in the MBA batches which needed to be showcased to the LUMS community. Months of struggle by relentless students and faculty members resulted in the "MBA Music Society of LUMS"

Follow the Music: The Launch Event of the society was organized in collaboration with the GMC. The entire batch, along with Synergies' audience united to support the musicians resulting in an amazing start to the society. The movement had begun...

Loud n' Proud: The Grand Finale of the society was a mega event which called upon big names from the industry to perform alongside the MBA Musicians, It was organized in collaboration with LMEC. A capacity crowd packed the arena, in front of a towering stage shooting fireworks and confetti to the skies. It was a night of unforgettable music.



MBA Music Society Council 2014

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Life at LUMS

by Aina Maria Waseem

It began with us thinking we would be knocked down like bowling pins:

“Ten little Indian boys went out to dine;
One choked his little self and then there were nine.
Nine little Indian boys sat up very late;
One overslept himself and then there were eight.
Eight little Indian boys travelling in Devon;
One said he'd stay there and then there were seven.
Seven little Indian boys chopping up sticks;
One chopped himself in halves and then there were six.
Six little Indian boys playing with a hive;
A bumblebee stung one and then there were five.
Five little Indian boys going in for law;
One got in Chancery and then there were four.
Four little Indian boys going out to sea;
A red herring swallowed one and then there were three.
Three little Indian boys walking in the zoo;
A big bear hugged one and then there were two.
Two Little Indian boys playing in the sun;
One got all frizzled up and then there was one.
One little Indian boy left all alone;
He went out and hanged himself and then there were none.”
(Irish Poem)

It was Ramadan in the hot summers of Lahore, and almost all of Pakistan's student body was on vacation. One set of miserable souls, however, was slaving and slaving away till their backs broke and their eyes drooped and some of them even fainted dead away. The walls of the campus used to ring with the rising notes of instructors as they expressed their exasperation with the dumb and sorry lot. The lot in question was deciding that the folks up at Guantanamo Bay had it all wrong and needed to enrol at LUMS to even begin to understand the meaning of the term “torture”. “I will warn anyone who asks NEVER to consider admission here” was the private thought in everyone's mind, and yet no one was seriously thinking about emerging alive to tell the tale anyway. And then there were none, and then there were none, and then there were none... *brain explosion*

Fast forward a few weeks and the dreaded first semester had begun. Forced to climb atop each other merely to survive, it was a race just to stay alive in the program. Morals and ethics received the biggest jolt of a lifetime, as waiting for a friend before leaving for class could mean zero CP. Whether or not to stay back to hold open a door for a stranger was a raging debate in the head. What to reveal during the discussion period was a far more serious one. By necessity, the most loyal amongst picked out a favoured set of friends to whom we may explain the case or for whom we may put down our hands. It was simply un-thinkable to do it for everyone, for that would kill the competitive advantage, and in a system of forced curves, competitive advantage was what it took to survive. Tension, lack of trust, lying by concealment, and affecting lack of understanding was the order of the day. We feared for the mental stability of our seniors, who had informed us during the SOP that the friends one makes at LUMS are friends for life.

Come second semester and with it began another chapter. Those with "clean slates" started opening up their wings and daring to enjoy life a little. The rebels continued to rebel against the system and quite a few brilliant people left the batch during the tumultuous first year. Every session with the Dean and Associate Dean was a moot discussion about the merits and demerits of a system that was not going to be changed on our behalf. The exchange students talked of nothing but their plans for the third semester and everyone else just settled in much more comfortably than they had last semester.

2nd Year and finally it seemed as if graduating from LUMS was a very real possibility indeed. All the exhortations by the teachers back in the SOP that no matter how much we hate it, the "SYSTEM" had been designed to cater to everyone's strengths and with a reasonable amount of exertion, we actually could all pass out began to make sense. For the first time, we realized that the only way to create 36 hours out of 24 is not to make twice the effort. It could be done by completing work in half the time it would have taken many of us before arriving here. We realized not only that life at LUMS is actually fun and happiness is possible, but also that there is a life outside LUMS. After what had seemed a year of interminable hardwork, we found ourselves dreading what awaited us: dreading the cold routine of the never-ending office job, and yet ecstatic about those coveted 6 figures... Towards the end, we felt fear, excitement, frustration and sadness all at the same time. We had silently admitted to ourselves if not to each other, that horror of horrors, we were going to miss LUMS.

It ended up with us opening our eyes, shaking out our ensemble and rejoicing our survival:

"It's over, it's over
And I'm still alive!
Alas, after ages
Comes the end to our strife

Something of this life we must make
As winding and twisting roads we take

Encounter we do strange faces on the way
Meeting several challenges in one day

And now as we prepare to spread our wings and fly
It seems by being nostalgic we may even cry

For all the toils and all the troubles
We laughed and joked and lived in bubbles

LP was our bogeyman; CP was our plague
Thoughts of the big bad world outside were only ever vague

Do laugh my friends, while yet it is simple
You must do your work and go around with a dimple

Good luck, my friends, it's the world's call
LUMS wasn't so bad after-all!

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Till we meet again!



