

PUBLIC PROCUREMENT MANAGEMENT January 20 - 24, 2025

Designed in Collaboration with Federal PPRA

Suleman Dawood School of Business

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Public sector procurement plays a pivotal role in achieving efficient and effective governance, especially in financially constrained emerging economies like Pakistan. The management of procurement activities directly reflects the performance of public sector organisations and their commitment to transparency and accountability.

The programme, designed in collaboration with Federal PPRA, will equip public sector executives with the skills necessary to initiate and manage procurement projects successfully. The programme will foster a comprehensive understanding of public sector procurement philosophy, strategies, methods, and the inherent trade-offs in decision-making.

BENEFITS

Participants will be able to:

- Understand the principles of effective public sector procurement management.
- Gain insights into various procurement methods of the procurement life cycle, practices, processes, and tools that will enhance their understanding of the public procurement.
- Acquire skills to lead procurement activities within their organisation.
- Develop confidence in e-procurement practices and appreciate the value it brings to the overall procurement cycle.

Programme Date:
Programme Fee:
Residential Fee:
Venue:

January 20 - 24, 2025 PKR 200,000 PKR 90,000 (Optional) Rausing Executive Development Centre, LUMS

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

The programme is designed for:

- Senior Managers dealing with public sector procurement departments
- Non-procurement professionals dealing with public sector procurement
- Managers heading public sector procurement department
- Anyone (executives working in both public and private sector) who wants PPRA Procurement certification

"The programme is effective in developing the understanding of the core principles of procurement, different methods of procurement, procurement processes and applications in practical/professional field."

Ali Haider - Programme participant

PROGRAMME DIRECTORS

SHAKEEL SADIQ JAJJA

Associate Professor PhD, Lahore University of Management Sciences

Research Interests:

Supply Chain Management; Technology and Innovation in Supply Chain Relationships; Social and Environmental Compliance in Supply Chain Relationships; Operations Management

ZEHRA WAHEED

Assistant Professor PhD, Heriot-Watt University, Edinburgh

Research Interests:

Project Management, Facilities Management, Public Sector Procurement, Public-Private-Partnerships, Urban Waste, Sustainable Water, Knowledge Management

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

ADMISSION PROCESS

Applications will be screened with regard to the suitability of the individual participant profile for the programme. Kindly ensure the submission of your online application by the deadline. Our online application form is available at *https://redc.lums.edu.pk/programme-calendar*

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*Seat in the programme will be reserved on a first-come, first-served basis.

PROGRAMME FEE

The fee includes tuition costs, reading material, tea and lunch served during the programme. If you wish to avail accommodation at LUMS, there will be an additional fee. It includes accommodation, breakfasts and dinners for the duration of the programme. However, any extra charges such as telephones, extra meals etc., should be paid on departure. You may check-in on the evening preceding the start date of the programme and check out the morning after the programme ends. You are, however, requested to inform us of the time of your arrival and departure.

ACCOMMODATION

We offer single bed accommodation at the Rausing Executive Centre. Each bedroom with an attached bathroom is equipped with a mini-fridge, writing desk and a direct dial STD/ISD telephone and cable TV. All bedrooms at REC are internet-ready. Please note we do not provide accommodation for drivers accompanying participants.

PAYMENT

Payment is due upon receipt of the acceptance email/letter along with the invoice. Please ensure that the payment reaches the office BEFORE the start of the programme. Space in the programme may only be ensured after we receive the fee. Payment can be made directly through:

- Debit/credit card by visiting https://pay.lums.edu.pk. You can process the payment by selecting REDC payments from the Payment Type Section and entering a valid voucher number and access code mentioned on the voucher. Additional bank charges may apply.
- Cash, Crossed Cheque or Pay Order/Bank Draft made in favor of "Lahore University of Management Sciences" at any United Bank- Limited (UBL) branch against the programme voucher.
- 1BILL payment option available on online/mobile/internet banking payment portals where Invoice/Voucher payment option can be found.
 - Please enter the assigned six-digits 1BILL LUMS identifier (prefix) followed by 13-digit voucher # to fetch bill details i.e. 1058674001802223140

However, the programme fee can also be paid via bank transfer. If you wish to dispatch the cheque directly to our office, please send it to:

Manager Marketing Rausing Executive Development Centre Lahore University of Management Sciences Opposite Sector 'U', DHA Lahore Cantt Pakistan (+92 42 3560 8243)

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DISCOUNT POLICY

If more than two executives from the same organisation participate (up to a group size of 5 participants), each additional participant after the first two gets a 20% discount on the programme fee.

SUBSTITUTES/TRANSFERS AND REFUNDS

If you are unable to attend a registered course, we will accept a substitute until 2 working days before the programme. Substitute candidates will be subject to the same selection process as the original one. If you wish to cancel your name from a programme, please notify in writing or on call at least 5 working days before the programme. In case of late cancellation, the course fee will be refunded after deducting an application processing fee of PKR 40,000.

It is possible to transfer the deposited fee to any open enrolment programme within 3 years. Transfers should be notified at least 5 working days before the programme. In case the participant or sponsoring organisation fails to utilise the funds within 3 years, the deposited fee will be forfeited.

Note: *REDC* may cancel or postpone a programme due to insufficient enrolment or unforeseen circumstances. In this case, the university will refund the registration fee but will not be responsible for any other related charges/expenses, including cancellation/change charges by airline and travel agencies.

In case of postponement, the fee may be transferred to the rescheduled offering of that programme or any other programme as an alternative to a refund. The University reserves the right to make changes in its programme policies and fees at any time.