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Editorial

Dear readers,

Welcome to the May edition of Insights of Pakistan, Iran, and the Caucasus Studies (IPICS). In this issue, we bring you a diverse range of research papers that shed light on various aspects of the region's socio-political landscape.

The first article, "Globalization of Cultural Patterns and Its Impacts on Political Development in Pakistan during 21st Century" examines the impact of globalization on Pakistan's political development. The paper analyzes how the spread of cultural patterns and norms through globalization has influenced Pakistan's political landscape during the 21st century.

The second paper, "Modern Diplomacy in Pakistan and Afghanistan: Navigating Complexities and Building Connections" delves into the intricacies of diplomacy in the region. The article highlights the challenges and complexities faced by Pakistan and Afghanistan in building strong diplomatic ties while navigating political, social, and economic barriers.

Our third article, "Comparing the Lifestyle of Armenian Catholics and Church of the East Followers in Iran: A Cultural Analysis" provides a cultural analysis of two religious communities in Iran. The paper compares the lifestyle and cultural practices of Armenian Catholics and Church of the East followers, shedding light on the nuances and differences between the two groups.

The fourth paper, "A Case-Study of US Intervention in Afghanistan for Eradication of Terrorism and State-Building Processes for Afghanistan; Impacts on Pakistan" explores the impact of US intervention in Afghanistan on Pakistan's sociopolitical landscape. The article provides a detailed case-study analysis of the US intervention and its impact on state-building processes in Afghanistan and their spillover effects on Pakistan. Our fifth paper, "Exploring the Dangers of Non-Professional Journalism in Pakistan: The Impact of Mobile Cameras on Local News Reporting and Blackmail" sheds light on the dangers of non-professional journalism in Pakistan. The paper highlights the impact of mobile cameras on local news reporting and the resulting increase in cases of blackmail.

The final article, "Investigating Newspaper Reporting in Pakistan and Afghanistan: A Comparative Analysis" provides a comparative analysis of newspaper reporting in Pakistan and Afghanistan. The paper examines the differences and similarities in the reporting practices of the two countries, highlighting the challenges and opportunities in the field of journalism.

Overall, the May edition of IPICS offers a rich collection of research papers that delve into various aspects of the region's socio-political landscape. We hope that this edition will contribute to a better understanding of the complex issues and challenges facing the region and provide a platform for further scholarly research and debate.

Best regards,

Dr. Shumaila Arzoo RMR Representative in IPICS Advisory Board