



NATIONAL IDEA BANK



















Pakistan to become a globally recognized ecosystem that fosters scientific research, commercialization of innovative ideas in emerging technologies to help growing the knowledge-based economy in Pakistan.

Developed by the Honorable President's Committee on Emerging Technologies, Innovation Sub-Group under the leadership of the Honorable President, Honorable Minister for IT and Telecom and Respected Secretary of IT and Telecom.

ر جہان تازہ کی افسطار مازہ سے ہے نموہ مرکز کے خشت سے ہوتے نہیں جہاں پیدا کرکٹ کے خشت سے ہوتے نہیں جہاں پیدا

Ideas are IMPORTANT

Some ideas will win but every idea is important.

Not winning the competition does not mean that your idea is not good.

Achievements

YEAR	TOTAL IDEAS RECEIVED	NATIONAL WINNERS
NIB-I 2021	2098	18
NIB-II 2022	3700	30

- Pak BioEnergy NIB-I winner has established his factory and received many awards.
- **Digital Village NIB-I** startup is Winner of ISF Grant 2022 \$35000
- EFG- Construction won PEC FYDP Grant of PKR 200,000, and Showcasing in Silicon Valley
- Royal Trading Company winner of Date Palm Young Entrepreneur Award, Saudi Arabia
- **SEDROP** Shortlisted We're Istanbul and Showcased at International showcasing program
- Wetual Released a product, Calibre, in collaboration with PSI Pakistan
- **Affluance** raised 5 million investment

Challenge this year

Pakistan is in big economic trouble; we import more and export little.

How can we export more and import less?

Inviting ideas from industry, academia, and the society to produce practical ideas and share their vision on how to bring those ideas to reality.

deas Super League

Provincial Level (all cities)

National Level

Provincial Competitions (All Cities)

Baluchistan

FCA and FATA

GB and Kashmir

KPK

Punjab

Sindh

TIMELINE

6 Sep – Nov 23

Call for Ideas

Dec 16/17

Provincial Competitions

Feb 14/15

National Competition

Läst Day to submit ideas

Nov23

Provincial Awards

Dec 30

NIB Finale

Feb 28, 2023



Prizes and Benefits

- Top-ten ideas Invitation to join three days exclusive training and networking event in Silicon Valley
- Top-five ideas invitation to an additional team member to come to Silicon Valley
- Top-five ideas One-on-one meetings with top investors in Silicon Valley
- All National runner ups Invitation to ASPIRE Bootcamps
- All National runner ups Invitation to apply for Pak Angels Investors Network Cohort II
- Industry/Academia partnership matchmaking
- National and international promotion
- Powerful Alumni of over 300 innovators

NIB III Scoring Criteria

Criterion	Description	Max Score
Innovation	Is the technology needed is developed by you or available locally, patented, protected, difficult to copy	15
Market	Clearly defined customer, market size, market growth, and market data	10
Idea Maturity Level	How far along you are in developing this idea, Idea, MVP, Launch, Growth	10
Availability of Raw Material	Whatever is being manufactured, how much of raw material or parts are available locally	10
Capital Intensity	For every dollar saved in imports or increased in exports, how much capital is needed, less capital need means more score	10
Team	Number of team members, their commitment to the idea, and their relevant experience	15
Access to the Market	For export, access to buyers in the foreign markets, and for imports, access to the local buyers	10
Business Plan	How well defined is the business plan, capital cost, operating cost, sales projections, etc.	10
Annualized ROI	Expected return on initial investment on an annual basis for the initial capital investment	10



NIB LOCAL COMPETITIONS AT HOST INSTITUTIONS





Sr. #	Event / Activity	Activity Date/Time
1	Registration of Host University Team Members with NIB	Sep 20
2	Online Planning Session with Host Focal Persons on "How to run Local NIB (Intra-University) Competition"	Sep 21 @ 2:00 pm
3	Competition Announcement – Call for Ideas	Sep 23
4	Ideas Collections	Oct 2 – Nov 10
5	Special Online Training Session for Host University Judges	Oct 8 and Oct 15 @ 2:00 pm
6	Special Online Training Session for Host University Team Members	Oct 7 and Oct 14 @ 2:00 pm
7	Internal Judging / Shortlisting of Ideas	Nov 10 - Nov 14
8	Internal Pitching Rounds	Nov 15 to Nov 17
9	Winners Announcements - Top 10	Nov 21
10	Top 10 Ideas submission to NIB	Nov 22 to Nov 23

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Before we start – How to stay up to date



