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Experts call for investing in youth, curbing population

By A Reporter

LAHORE: Speakers at a conference on Wednesday called for controlling population and maximum investment in providing opportunities to the youth.

The three-day conference on 'Population Growth and Investing in Human Resource Development' was held at Bukhari Auditorium in the Government College University (GCU) by the Population Association of Pakistan (PAP), Punjab Higher Education Commission (PHEC) and Greenstar Social Marketing (GSM).

It aims to generate debate and seek policy directions on family planning goals, investing in present and future generations through education and youth skills development by focusing on out-of-school children, especially girls, implications of decrease in sex ratio on gender issues, advocating institutional support for old age security and increased resource allocation to sustain human resource development.

Punjab population welfare min-

ster Mukhtar Ahmed Bhart chaired the inaugural session that was attended by Australian High Commissioner Margaret Adamson, Punjab environment otection minister Begum Zakia Shahnawaz, United Nations Population Fund representative Muqadar Shah, PAP president and FHEC Chairman Prof Dr Nizamuddin and GCU VC Prof Dr Hassan Amir Shah.

Mr Bhart, terming the growth rate of 2.4 alarming, warned: "If this growth rate continued till 2030 we would have no indigenous resources to feed our population."

He said the Punjab government was developing next five-year population policy and would certainly consider and incorporate the conference's recommendations in it.

Population Council Country Director Dr Zeba A Sathar urged the government to increase investment in youth because Pakistan was the sixth largest population in the world with the highest ratio of youth bulge.

She said Pakistan ranked 155 among 179 countries on the Global Youth Development Index, 156th in education, 77th in health, 154th in civic engagement and above all 165th in youth's participation in politics.

She said the government should increase the youth's participation in policy making, politics, health and civic matters.

Stressing the need for ending gender disparity, she said: "Without engaging our 40 million young women in the process of economic development, the country could not achieve progress."

Begum Shahnawaz said the population growth could only be controlled through sharing responsibility with the public and NGOs and raising awareness about birth gap, girls' education and women's health.

UNFP representative Muqadar Shah regretted that most of the countries were not using their census data to plan public infrastructure.

"Pakistan must soon be able to know how many schools, universities, hospitals, transport facilities, acres of agriculture land and maternity wards would be needed in the next five to 10 years," he said.

The Australian HC said the outcome of population census was surprising and it was high time for Pakistan to address the related issues. "If we want a sustainable and inclusive economic growth, the engagement of women must be ensured," she added.

Mr Nizamuddin said the government had been failing to achieve population control targets because of structural issues. He suggested the National Population Development Commission should be given the task of drafting and implementing viable population policy.

Prof Dr Hassan Amir Shah said the proceedings of the population conference would be published and shared with the government for drafting a viable population policy.

Earlier, in her video address, Shaheed Zulfikar Ali Bhutto Institute of Science and Technology President Shahnaz Wazir Ali said population growth was eroding a large part of the country's natural resources.

Later, former federal population minister Dr Attiya Inyatullah chaired the first technical session of the conference on "Tracking Pakistan's progress on family Planning-2020 Pledge."

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Population growth rate biggest challenge: minister

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آبادي ميں اضافه اورانسانی وسائل کی ترقی پرقومی ریسرچ کانفرنس

ے ہا دلیشن بالیسی بنار ہی ہے،مختاراحمہ *ب*فرت

آ سریلین ہائی کمشنزاور دیگر کی شرکت، ماہرین کی قومی یا پولیشن کمیشن بنانے کی تجویز بھی خطاب کیا،جبکہ شہید ذوالفقار علی بھٹو انسٹیو ٹیوٹ آف سائنسز اینڈ میکنالوجی کی صدرشاہنواز وز برعلی نے کانفرنس ہے ویڈیولنگ کے ذریعے خطاب کیا۔ڈاکٹر مخار بحرت کا کہنا تھا کہ اس میں کوئی شک نہیں کہ 2017ء کی مردم شاری کے حقائق نے خطرے کی تھنٹی بجا ئی ہے، انہوں نے کہا کہ پنجاب حکومت الکے یانچ سال کے لیے پاپلیشن پالیسی بنارہی ہے جس میں کانفرنس کی تعاویز اورسفارشات کوشامل کریں گے۔ڈاکٹر ذیبااے ستار نے حکومت پر ذور دیا کہ وہ نوجوانوں میں سرمایہ کاری کرے مصوبائی وزیر برائے ماحولیاتی تحفظ بیگم ذكيه شابنواز ،اقوام متحده كاداره برائ يالوليش فند کے نمائندہ مقدر شاہ نے بھی خطاب کیا۔ پالولیش ایسی ایش کےصدراور پنجاب ہاڑا بجوکیش کمیشن کے چیئر مین یروفیسرڈ اکٹر نظام الدین نے قومی یا پولیشن کمیشن کے

لا ہور (نامہ نگارخصوصی) گورنمنٹ کالج یو نیورش لامور میں یا پلیشن ایسوی ایش یا کستان اور پنجاب ہاڑا بچوکش کمیش کے زیر اہتمام" آبادی میں اضافداور انبانی وسائل کی ترقی"کے موضوع پر 18ویں قومی ريسرچ كانفرنس كا آغاز موكيا مقررين كا كبنا تها كه 2017 كى مردم شارى ميس جوحقائق سامنے آئيں ہں انہوں نے خطرے کی تھنٹی بجادی ہے۔ کانفرنس کی افتتاحي تقريب كي صدارت وزير برائ يالوكيش ويلفيئر پنجاب مخار احمد مجرت نے کی،جبکہ تقریب سے آسريلين بائى تمشنر ماركريث اليمسن معوبائى وزير برائ ماحولياتي تحفظ بيكم ذكيه شابنواز، اقوام متحده مالولیش فنڈ کے نمائندے مقدر شاہ ، پالولیش کوسل کی تنری واٹر کیٹر واکٹر دیا اے ستار، پنجاب ہائر ایج کیشن کمیشن کے چیئر مین پروفیسر ڈاکٹر نظام الدین ورجی ی بودائس عالسلر پروفیسر واکثر حسن امیرشاه نے اقیام کی تجویز بیش کی-



جی یو نیورشی میں یا پولیشن ایسوی ایش کے زیرا ہتمام آبادی کی شرح نمواورانسانی وسائل کی ترقی برسم مابہ کاری کے موضوع برکانفرنس سے آسٹریلین ہائی کمشنر مارگریٹ ایڈمسن خطاب کردہی ہیں

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یا کستانی مردم شاری کے اعدادوشارنے د نیا کوچیران کردیا ،آسڑیلوگی مائی کمشنر ے کی صنی بحیادی ،مختار بھرت ،اداروں میں تبدیلی کی ضرورت ہے، ڈاکٹر نظام الدین،

لا مور (خبر نگار) گورنسنٹ کالج یونیورٹی لا مور میں مردم شاری کے حقائق نے خطرے کی تھنی بھائی ہے۔ ڈاکٹر

پاپلیش ایسوی ایش پاکستان اور پنجاب بائزا یجوکیش نمیشن 🥏 زیبااے ستارنے حکومت پر ذور دیا کہ وہ نوجوانوں پرسر ماییہ کے زیر اہتمام" آبادی میں اضافداور انسانی وسائل کی ترتی" کاری کرے مصوبائی وزیر برائے ماحولیاتی تحفظ بیگم ذکیر کے موضوع پر 18ویں قوق ریسری کا نرنس کا آغاز شاہنواز کا کہنا تھا کہ شرح آبادی پر قابو یانے کے لیے ہوا۔مقررین کا کہنا تھا کہ 2017 کی مردم شاری میں جو حکومت کے ساتھ ساتھ سول سوسائٹ اور تعلیمی اداروں کا بھی حقائل سامنے آئیں ہیں انہوں نے خطرے کی تھنی بجاوی اہم کردارہے، فیلی باننگ اورخواتین کی صحت کے حوالے بيرآسريلين بالكي مشركاكهنا تهاك ياكسان كى مردم فضور كے ليے يوين كوسلوں كى سطح يركام كرنا موگا۔ شاری کے اعدادو شارنے دنیا کو جران کیا ہے۔ ڈاکٹر مختار پروفیسر ڈاکٹر نظام الدین کا کہنا کہ یا پہلیش کے والے بھرت کا کہنا تھا کہ اس بیں کوئی فکٹ نہیں کہ 2017ء کی پالیسی ساز اداروں میں بنیادی تبدیلی کی ضرورت ہے۔

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جی یومیں انسانی وسائل کی ترقی پرریسرچ کانفرنس

2017 کی مردم ثاری کے حقائق نے خطرے کی تھنٹی بجادی: مقررین

الاہود (ایجیکش ریاوٹر) گور شنگ کائی یو نیورٹی کہ 2017 کی مروم شاری میں جو تفائل ساسٹے آئے لاہور میں پالیکش الیوی ایشن پاکستان اور چناب میں انہوں نے فطرے کی شخش بجاری ۔ کا افرائس کی ہاڑا بچیکش کمیشن کے زیر اہتمام'' آبادی میں اضافیداور افتقائی تقریب کی صدارت وزیر پالیکش و بلٹیئر مخارات انسانی وسائل کی ترق'' کے موضوع پر 18ویں تو می مجرسے نے کی بجیکہ تقریب سے آسٹر بیلوی ہائی کشنر ریسرچ کا فوٹس کا آغاز کر دیا گیا ۔ مقررین نے کہا کہ ارگریٹ ایڈسن بھوبائی (سختہ 11 بقیہ تبر (3)



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وزیر برائے ماحولیاتی تحفظ بیگم ذکید شاہ نواز اقوام تحده پاپلیش فنڈ کے نمائند مقدرشاه ، پاپلیش کوسل کی تشری وائر یکٹر واکمز زیاا سے ستارہ بینجاب الرائیجیشش کیشش کے چیئر بین پروفیسر واکمز نظام الدین اور تحق کا پوائس چاسل پروفیسر واکمز من امیرشاہ نے بھی فطاب کیا مقرر بین نے کہا کہ اگر آبادی کے برصد کی شرح 24 کیصد ہے کہ شرح کو تھوراک ہوئی تو ہم 2000 کے بعدا بی آبادی کے لئے خوراک

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جی یو نیورٹی میں پاپولیشن ایسوی ایشن آف پاکستان کے زیرا ہتمام آبادی میں اضافیہ اورانسانی وسائل کی ترتی پرسر مایہ کاری پر کا نفرانر ے آسٹریلیین ہائی کمشنر مارگریٹ ایڈمن خطاب کررہے ہیں (فوٹو پاکستان)

> ے اجبکہ تعلیم میں ہم 156 ویں جست میں 77 وال اور بم او جوانوں کی سیاست میں شرکت کے قوالے سے 166 ویں مبرير بيل انهول في كها كه حكومت كوجاعية كمام البييول اور روگرامول میل نو جونوال کوتر جمع ویں بان کا مزید کمبنا تھا کہ ماحلياتي تحفظ بكمرف كيشانوازكا كمنافعا كشرع آيادي برقابوياني : نیا کے بہت ہے ممالک اپنی مردم شاری کے اعدادو ثار کو ک معاثی منصور بندی کے کے لیے استعال کرنے میر ہے ہیں۔ پاکستان کو اب سیہ علوم ہونا جائینے کہ آنے والے ا على سكولوں، كالجول، سببتالوں، رچہ بچہ كے مراكزا مدراور پنجاب ہائرا بجر کیشن کمیشن کے چیئر مین پروفیسرڈ اکٹر نظام لدین کا کہنا کہ بالیشن کے حوالے پالیسی ساز اواروں میں نماوی تبدیلی کی صرورت ہے۔انہوں نے تو ی یا ویش کمیے ی جویز پیش کی۔ کانفرنس سے خطاب کرتے ہوئے جما ک او لر بروفیسر ڈائٹڑ حسن امیر شاہ کا کہنا تھا کہ کانفرنس کی تجاويز اورسفارشات كوشائع كياجائ كاتاكه عكوسى ادار اور ول سوسائل اس سے استفادہ حاصل کرسکیں۔اس موقع یہ أسريلين بالى كمشنر كا كبنا تهاك باكتان كى مردم شارى ك اعدادو شارنے و نا کو خیران کیاہے، خواتین کوم حاثی ترتی میں شال کیئے بغیر بائدار رق کے اہداف حاصل نہیں کیئے جا سکتے کا فراس تین روز تک حاری رہےگی۔

آبادی ای طرح برطنی ری آو 2000 کے بعد خوراک مقامی وسائل سے بوری نمیں ہوگی بختار مجرت پاکستان کی مروم شاری کے اعدا دوشار نے ونیا کو جمران کیا ، آسٹریلین ہائی مکشنر خواتین کی شوایت کے بغیر پائیدار ترتی کے اہداف حاصل نہیں کیئے جائے ، مارگریٹ ایڈسن

جی کی پویٹن آبادی بیس اضافداور انسانی وسائل کی ترتی "کے موضوع پر کا نفرنس کا آغاز الاہور ایج کیشن رپورٹی گورنسٹ کائی پویٹورٹی انسانی وسائل کی ترتی "کے موضوع پر 18 ویں تو می الاہور میں پایائیشن ایسوی ایشن پاکستان اور پنجاب ریسری کانفرنس کا آغاز مقررین کا مجمنا تھا باریج بیشن گیشن کے زیر اجتمام" آبادی میں اضافداور کے 2017 کی مردم شارک (بیپر نبر 15 سفر 16)

15 افتتاحى تقريب شاہنواز،اتوام متحدہ بالیشن فنڈ کے نمائند۔ ل کی کنٹری ڈائر بکٹر ڈاکٹر زیبااے ستارہ پنجاب ہائر روفيسر ۋاكزهسن أميرشاونے بھى خطاب كيا، جبكه شهيد ة والفقار على تجثو أنسلُو ثيوث آف سأنسَر ابندُ مُنكِينالُونَي كَ صدر شاہنواز وزیرعلی نے کانفرنس سے ویڈیولنک کے ذریعے خطاب کیا۔ ڈاکٹر مختار تجریبے کا کہنا تھا کہ اس میں کوئی شک قبیس کہ 2017ء ک مروم شاری کے هائق نے فطرے کی تلحقی جائی ہے با کستان پہلے ہی پائی کی گھارہے، اگر آبادی کی بڑھنے کی شرح 24 فیصد نہ ہو کی تو ہم 2000ء کے بعدا بی آبادی کے کیئے خوراک مقای وسائل ہے اوری نہیں کر عمیں گے۔انہوں نے کہا کہ پنجاب ماری ماری کے ایک سال کے لیتے یا دیشن پاکسی بناری ہے جس میں کا نفرنس کی تنجاویز اور - فارشات کوشائل کریں گے ۔ان کا مزید كمنا تها كه حكومت كوم مثارى سے سلے آبادى كى شرح موسى اتى نے کی امید نقی لیکن پیر حقائق پاکستان کی ترقی کے لیے ینج میں۔ نہوں نے مزید کہا کہ انسانی وسائل کی ترتی کے لیے حكومت مختلف يرومرام جارى رتطع بموت ب واكثر فياات ستار نے حکومت پر ذور دیا کہ وہ تو جوانوں میں سرمانیکاری کرے ان كاكبنا تحاكه باكسان آبادي كالاست جمنا براملك ب جہال وجوانوں کی شرب سب سے زیادہ بے ایکن اگر ہم گلوش بیٹھ وْبِهِ لِيمِنْكُ الْدُيكِسِ بِرَ نَظِرِ وْالْمِينَ وْ يَاكْسَانَ كَا 179 مُمَالِكَ مِين

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انسائی دسائل کی ترقی "کے موضوع پر

18 و میں تو می ریسرچ کا نفرنس کا آغاز

اہور (جزل رہور) گورشٹ کا ٹے بینوٹی البور
ش پالیش الدور کے ایش پاکتان اور چاب

بڑا بجریشن میش کے زیا ہتا ہا" آبادی میں اشاف اور

امرا کی کرق" کے موضوع پر 18 وی تو ان میں

ریسرچ کا نونس کا آغاز مترری کا کہنا تو

کر 2017 کی مردم شری میں چرفانی ساحت آئی

ارتادی کی مردم شری میں چرفانی ساحت آئی

انتای تقریب کی صدارت دور بر برائے پاپیشن و ملفیئر

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جی کی لو کے زیرا ہمتمام'' آبادی میں اضافہ اور انسانی و سائل کی ترقی'' پر سیمینار 2017 کی مردم شاری کے تعالیٰ نے خطر کی تعلیٰ بجادی ہے، مقررین کا تقریب خطاب میں پالیٹش ایسوں ایش پاکستان اور بخاب برائے باخلیاتی تحفظ بیگم ذکیہ شاہنوں اور موجود برائی بیسٹن کی تریرا ہمام''آبادی میں اضافہ اور پالیٹش فیڈ کے نمائندے مقدرشاہ بالیٹش ارس کی انسانی وسائل کی ترین' کے موضوع کے 18 وی تو کی شخری وائز کیش ڈوائٹ ویا اے ستان بخاب ہائز ارسی کی انفرنس کا آماز نظر این کا آبھا تھا ایجیٹش میشن کے جیزش پروفیسروائٹ نظام الدین کر 2017 کی مردم شاری میں جو تقانی سائے آئی ایس انہوں نے خطرے کی مشنی تجادی ہے کا افرانس کی اس انسی کی حیزشن پروفیسروائٹ سے اور بطان نے بخاب بخار احمد کرے نے کہ مجد تقریب ہے کا افرانس کی التحق کی مدرشا ہوا ور وائی نے

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Minister voices concern over population census data

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Wednesday said that the data Amir Shah. set off the alarm bells. Pakistan of recent population census has is already a water-scarce counpersists, by 2030, the country try and if the growth rate of 2.4 would not be able to feed their population from its indigenous

College timely conference. He was addressing the open University Lahore under the and Punjab Higher Education Government

Margaret Adamson, Punjab rapid population growth. The conference was Minister for Environment Commission (PHEC).

LAHORE: Punjab Minister Chairman Prof Dr Muhammad so it's a high time for the counder, age, socioeconomic status, do what we say," she concludent or degradation and Pakistan would reach 400 mil-Mukhtar Ahmed Bhart here Chancellor Prof Dr Hassan to population growth, human "Without engaging the 40 milfor Population Welfare Nizamuddin and Vice try to address the issues related

that the government was not want a sustainable and incluexpecting such high population sive economic growth, it is not growth rate before the census possible without the engagebut unfortunately it had ment of women," she added. emerged as one of the biggest said that the Punjab governsession of the 18th National ment was developing next "Population Growth and and would certainly consider

development. He said that the heath, 154th in civic engageauspices of Population initiatives of Punjab govern-He also highlighted different Punjab government was committed to bring a social change addressed by Australian High through cultivating the minds Commissioner to Pakistan Ms of people about the hazards of

The Australian High

Muqadar Shah, PHEC ulation census were surprising, segments, especially by gen- could only be successful if we pressure compounded by the rate persists, the population of and rural/urban residence. ed. rights, youth bulge and human

Punjab Minister Begum try could not expect progress," the country director said.

Research Conference on five-year population policy, Pakistan was the sixth largest trolling population growth was In his key note address, Zakia Shahnawaz also said invest in youth, saying that cially girls. She said that conranked 155 of 179 countries on ing effective roles for raising challenges to the country's Population Council Country that Pakistan has no other economic development. He Director Dr Zeba A. Sathar choice but to move forward by called upon the government to managing its youth bulge espe-Youth awareness about birth gap, Association of Pakistan (PAP) ment for youth and human 156th in education, 77th in health. Global the

annawaz, United Nations Margaret Adamson said that He highlighted the disparities and they supported birth gap graphic transition in Pakistan Hassan Amir Shah said that if in the society across different for women's health. "We was continuously creating a the current population growth Protection Begum Zakia Commissioner to Pakistan health and civic participation. on board with the government rapid urbanization and demo-Begum Shahnawaz advised ment and above all 165th in the population ministry and the spheres including politics, cated religious scholars were youth's participation in poli- other stakeholders to take their She revealed that all well-edutics. She asked government to campaigns to the union council prioritize youth in all policies, levels especially in rural areas. programs and initiatives across

alarming for Pakistan as unsus-

lion young women, sitting in Muqadar Shah said Pakistan Chairman Prof Dr Muhammad stakeholders to the conference UNFPA representative In his address, PHEC said that they had invited all in the world failing to use their 1965 but it always fail to ference would be published census data as a planning for achieve targets because there and shared with the governpublic infrastructure. "Pakistan are structural issues which are ment for drafting a viable pop-Development Index; separately girls' education and women's lation is below 20 years in the bureaucracy alone." He tion minister Dr Attiya 2017 and this has serious said that the conference would Inayatullah chaired first techniimplications for continuing also discuss deficiencies in cal session of the conference He also highlighted that about saying "this a sensitive issue of their natural resources. must soon be able to know needed to be addressed first. ulation policy. The population minister said resource development. "If we homes in the process of eco- recent census was a mine of Nizamuddin, who is also President, PAP, said that the government has been focusing on population welfare since ties, hospitals, transport facili- Population Development how many schools, universi- He proposed a National ties, agriculture land and Commission which has reprepopulation in the world with a shared responsibility, and maternity wards would be sentation from all stakeholders Investing in Human Resource and incorporate the outcome the highest ratio of youth along with the government, needed next year, in five years for drafting and implementing bulge, but unfortunately it was several NGOs were also play- or next 10 years," he added. of viable population policy, 43 percent of Pakistan's popu- and could not be handled by nomic development, the coun- information in terms of demographics and public health but they had seen many countries

vulnerability to climate change. Iton in next thirty years. He for serious academic deliberations engaging youth in techniceedings of the population con-

Shaheed Zulfiqar Ali Bhutto Institute of Science and Technology President Shahnaz Wazir Ali said that population Earlier in her video address. growth was eroding large part

population growth resulting addressing family planning on "Tracking Pakistan's from the population momen-goals and highlight what is progress on family Planning - turn. The UNFPA representa- required to fulfill international 2020 Pledge." Besides civil Later, former federal populative said that situation was commitments as the country's society and social scientists. federal and provincial secrepopulation program has been devolved to the provinces.

taries including from Sind! and ticipate in the technical sesروزنامة جهال بالشاك الدوور

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جی می بدنیورشی لا ہور بیس آبادی کی شرح نمواورانسانی وسائل کی ترتی پرسر ماییکاری کے موضوع پر کانفرنس ہے آسٹریلین ہائی کھشنر مارگریٹ ایڈسسن خطاب کر رہی ہیں

روزنار" أواز" لا بعد 2 1 DEC 2017

2017ء کی مردم ثاری نے خطرے کی تھنٹی بجادی، ریسرچ کا نفرنس

یادی ایش اضافہ ندروکا و 2030 کے بعد آباد کی لیکے خوراک پوری کہیں رسلیں کے، ڈاکٹر میں ربیرے

 روزنامه أنساس لا بور 2 1 DEC 2017



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