**ICRSTDM 2018 Will Be Held in UET, Taxila, Pakistan**

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It is a great honor and pleasure to host the International Conference on Recent Development in Science, Technology & Management (ICRDSTM-2018) from April 19-21, 2018 at University of Engineering and Technology, UET, 47050, Taxila, Pakistan with a theme of enhancing effective Engineers-Scientist research collaborations by promoting interdisciplinary research activities among them.

The congress will be held in Taxila, the centre of **Gandhara civilization**. Taxila was not only the centre of spiritual influence but also the cradle of the world famous Gandhara culture, art and learning. It was from these centers that a unique art of sculpture originated which is known as Gandhara Art all over the world. Today the Gandhara sculptures occupy a prominent place in the museums of England, France, Germany, USA, Japan, Korea, China, India and Afghanistan, to-gether with many private collections world over, as well as a vast collection in the museums of Pakistan. Buddhism left a monumental and rich legacy of art and architecture in Pakistan. Despite the vagaries of centuries, the Gandhara region preserved a lot of the heritage in craft and art. Much of this legacy is visible even today in Pakistan. I believe that all the participants can enjoy the site seeing of old Gandhara civilization and beautiful natural sceneries of Taxila as well as the scientific programs by attending ICRDSTM-2018 Conference.

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