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Need stressed to promote Sino-Pak relations for economic stability

KARACHI: An interactive session titled - A China Pakistan Economic corridor - organised by Egalitarians of the Institute of Business Management (IoBM) Economic Society on Tuesday has emphasised to promote Pak-China relations towards social and economic stability.

Chinese Commercial Counsellor Wang Zhihua, Senator Taj Haider and foreign policy expert Dr Talat Ayesha Wazarat also spoke at the interactive session on China Pakistan Economic corridor. Wang Zhihua was the chief guest, while Pak China Club President Javed S Arain, Senator Taj Haider, IoBM Head of Department Area and Policy Study Dr Talat Ayesha Wazarat, Dr Shahida Wazarat and IoBM Rector Talib Karim gave welcome outlook speeches.

The participants highlighted the strategic and economic importance of the CPEC and focused on the infrastructure, human resource and industrial potential of the project contributing to the overall economic development of Pakistan. Wang Zhihua attributed Pakistan China long lasting friends, and said that the CPEC would go a long way in enhancing these brotherly relations and in fostering towards social and economic stability of Pakistan.

In her speech, Dr Shahida Wazarat said that despite opposition from India and US, the CPEC would stand out not only in promoting bilateral ties. Addressing the participants, Senator Taj Haider highlighted the economic significance of the CPEC and offered to provide Senate documents on the CPEC for study and research.

Javed S Arain said that the CPEC would generate new employment and business opportunities. He said that the expressway through provinces, particularly Punjab to Karachi and Gawadar will not only benefit Gwadar Port, but Karachi Port Qasim also. Dr Talat Wazarat said that military cooperation is now being added by regional economic cooperation and that the CPEC is a good example in this regard.

IoBM Executive Director Sabina Mohsin presented souvenirs to the speakers of the session and thanked all the participants who attended the event.

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