Enlightening through the annals of Pak history

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At the launching of Ambassador Shahid Amin’s book "A concise history of Pakistan", published by the Institute of Business Management, Syed Tariq Fatemi, Special Assistant to the Prime Minister on Foreign Affairs and the Chief Guest, said that the youth born and abroad needs to be informed about Pakistan History, struggle and sacrifices made for Pakistan, we are on the right trajectory of growth and development understanding the genesis of Pakistan and that Ambassador Shahid Amin’s book has been an instrumental contribution in this regard.

Dr. Talat Wizarat, HoD, Policy Studies and International Relations, IoBM opined that this book is beyond the narration and explanation of facts opening inspirations in discussion and discourse. Dr. Huma Baoqui complimented Shahid Amin’s book as very objective, very passionate, very balanced for students of Pakistan History and for motivating concerned scholars in this connection. Mr. Shahid Amin expressed gratitude to IoBM for the publication of this book which tantamount to labor of love, adding lasting value to Pakistan ideology, giving ration to the genesis of Pakistan and in attributing millions of sacrifices for the creation of Pakistan. Earlier Mr. Talib Karim, Rector IoBM welcomed the guests and revealed that as a diplomat, writer and commentator par excellence, it was an honor to have Ambassador Shahid Amin as a distinguished Visiting Faculty at IoBM for about a decade and a half being the favorite and hearthrob of hundreds of IoBM students of Pakistan Studies and International Relations for his congenial personality and absorbing teaching methodology.

The book "A Concise History of Pakistan" written by Shahid Amin is a comprehensive account of the history of Pakistan. It starts with the origins of Islam in Arabia and the establishment of the first Muslim state in the 7th century. The book then moves on to describe the history of the Mogul empire, the British Raj, and the partition of India and Pakistan in 1947. The book also covers the political developments in Pakistan, including the establishment of the Pakistan People’s Party and the military takeovers in 1958 and 1977.

The book is written in a clear and concise manner, making it accessible to a wide audience. It is an excellent resource for students and those who are interested in the history of Pakistan. The book is highly recommended for anyone who wants to learn about the history of Pakistan.