

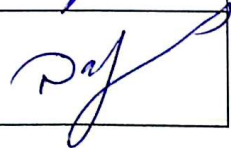
Program Review for Effectiveness & Enhancement (PREE) – Report

Al Ghazali University

PREE Conducted by	(✓) Self PREE () PREE by HEC
Date of visit	24 th June 2026
Date of Draft Report	25 th June 2026
Date of Final Report	27 th June 2026
Way Forward	Submission of Compliance Implementation Plan to HEC within six months of the final report and after approval from the statutory body.

Introduction

The Al Ghazali University (AGU) conducted a self-evaluation of **MS Islamic Banking & Finance program** under the new guidelines issued by QAA-HEC with title PREE on June 24, 2026. A team was constituted comprising the members listed below.

S. No.	Name of Reviewer	Designation and Affiliation	Internal / External Reviewer	Signature
1.	Dr. Muhammad Umair	Assistant Professor, Department of Economics, University of Karachi (External member)	External	
2.	Dr. Muhammad Afzal	Acting Chairman, Department of Islamic Studies, Al Ghazali University	Internal	
3.	Adv. Maulana Nafees ul Haq Saqib	Lecturer, Department of Shariah & Law, Al Ghazali University	Internal	

Methodology of Review

The Self PREE of MS IBF was carried out considering the following parameters:

1. The Review Team was invited to the AGU to review the PREE along with evidences.
2. During the visit, the hard copies of the PREE were provided to the Review Team members along with the documentary evidence as appendices.
3. Review team met with the program team members and Director QEC.
4. The review team also visited the campus including classrooms, Laboratories, faculty offices, Central Library, Seminar Library, prayers space and canteen.
5. The review team prepared an initial draft based on observations and shared with the QEC of AGU.
6. Finally, the Review Team members submitted the final visit report which consists of a list of commendations and recommendation.

1. List of documents reviewed.

S. No.	Area of Performance	Brief comment
1.	PREE report with 8 standards	All 8 standards were arranged in a single document along with relevant evidence.
2.	Supporting documents attached as annexures	Most of the annexures were shown and some evidences were verified during campus visit.
3.	University Act	Available
4.	Policy documents	Available
5.	Catalogue, faculty and students' handbooks	Available
6.	Feedback of stakeholders	Available
7.	Compliance implementation plan of previous PREE	Not Applicable

Commendations / Best Practices

1. Availability of all relevant policies and formulation of committees.
2. Good mechanism of teaching evaluation and its linkage with observations and feedback.
3. Good mechanism for ensuring feedback by QEC.
4. The mechanism is fully adopted to hire the permanent faculty through selection board.
5. The curriculum is updated and NCRC 2025 curriculum is adopted.
6. Faculty members are highly competent in relevant areas.
7. The University's infrastructure is excellent and offer a great room for expansion in terms of students' intake.

2. Observations and Recommendations

Standard No.	Observations	Recommendations
1.	The mission of the department is not formally approved by the statutory body.	It is recommended to approve the departmental mission statement from the statutory body.
2.	The CLO-PLO mapping is not properly described in the Self-Assessment Report.	Considering it as a best practice it is recommended that the department may formally adopt the OBE system.
3.	The course outlines showed during the review reflected that the text and reference books are not latest.	It is recommended that the latest books should be referred in the course outlines.
4.	The student advisory system is not fully adopted. Currently, it is managed by the Chairman and department coordinator.	Considering the increasing intake of students, it is recommended that the department may consider to allocate student advisors.
5.	Faculty list, CVs and their documents are maintained by the department. However, the recent changes are not fully incorporated.	The department is recommended to update the faculty files maintained by the department.
6.	The library visit shows that the University has maintained significant number of books. However, there is still need of latest books.	It is recommended to increase the number of latest books in library.

3. Acknowledgement and Conclusion

The review team of MS Islamic Banking & Finance is thankful to AGU senior management and the QEC team for hosting and conducting a successful self PREE. There are many areas where AGU is performing well but there are some areas which can further improve for which the observations are provided by the review team. The AGU needs to prepare an action plan based on each recommendation along with implementation timeline. The AGU is recommended to get the approval of the prepared implementation plan from its statutory body for compliance and submission to QAA, HEC in upcoming YPR.