



**World Federation Newswire, 27 April 2011**  
***In the name of Allah, the Most Kind, the Most Merciful***

**News and Events**

**The World Federation News**

**Pakistan Visit April 2011: 3 Islamic Centres we want you to meet**

Over the course of 6 days, we visited over 20 mosques and imambaras that were either under construction or had already been completed. These religious centres are located in the heart of each rural community where village life is primitive and transcends the stark reality of poverty. Whilst some centres are larger than others, the size reflects the Shia Muslim population of the neighbouring area.

**The World Federation gets a fully automatic ECG machine for its Zainabiya Health Centre in Puttenahalli**

The Health Department of The World Federation of KSIMC, in keeping with its definitive aim of equipping and empowering our Health Institutions with optimal tools and resources, recently purchased a much-needed ECG Machine for the Zainabiya Health Centre in Puttenahalli, Karnataka, India.

**Mentors required for Madinah al-Ilm and Bab al-Ilm Summer Courses – apply now**

As applications for the Madinah al-Ilm and Bab al-Ilm camps are now open, The World Federation is seeking to recruit mentors for these summer courses. The mentoring scheme

as part of the Madinah and Bab summer courses have been designed to help the participants of the courses as part of their unique journeys, as well as training and developing young individuals from our community with an array of skills to help them in their personal development and communal projects.

### **External Examiner From Winchester University Visits IIPS**

In the month of April, Dr. Sajjad H. Rizvi, Director of Education at Exeter University and Associate Professor of Islamic Intellectual History, who teaches the MA module of Islamic Ethics to the MTP students, visited IIPS for his intensive week. At the same time, Professor Ron Geaves, the appointed external examiner from Winchester University also visited IIPS to observe the progress of students, the facilities offered at Sayyida Zainab and to assess the student compliance with the UK University standards.

### **Europe**

#### **Important Circular: Inform your members to always seek FCO advise before travel abroad**

In light of the developments in the Middle East and more recently in Syria, the Council of European Jamaats recommends that all our Jamaats promote and encourage their members, to always seek updated travel advise before travelling abroad, even for short trips.

### **Africa**

#### **Press Release - 72nd Supreme Council Session - Mombasa**

The 72<sup>nd</sup> Session of the Supreme Council of the Federation of KSI Jamaats of Africa was held in Mombasa, Kenya from Friday, 1<sup>st</sup> to Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2011, where a record 150 councillors and invitees participated.

## **UAE**

### **ShiaSisters.net – A Website for young Shia Sisters**

ShiaSisters.net is a website with loads of resources for young girls, their future leaders and their mothers. The focus is to guide and inspire young girls to lead a righteous Muslim life and for them to, in turn, guide and inspire one another towards righteousness.

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