



International Islamic University Islamabad Faculty of Social Sciences



Embassy
of the Republic of Poland
in Islamabad

Office of Dean, Faculty of Social Sciences is organising a lecture on “Poland-Pakistan Relations : A Journey of Friendship” on 8th April 2021 at 2:00 pm.

H.E.Mr Piotr A. Opaliński, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Republic of Poland to the Islamic Republic of Pakistan will deliver a speech on the topic.



Ambassador Piotr Opaliński, in his 36 years long professional career, went through each level of diplomatic service from expert to Ambassador. He has been working in the Departments of Asia, Africa and the Middle East at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. He served as the Chargé d'affaires in Bangladesh (1991-1997), in Angola and Tanzania (2007), as the Consul and Deputy Head of Mission in Pakistan with concurrent accreditation to Afghanistan (1999-2005), and as the Deputy Head of Mission in India (2008-2014). For his professional achievements he was awarded the Golden Cross of Merit by the President of Poland.

In Pakistan he served twice – first as the Deputy Head of the Mission and – presently, since November 3rd, 2015 – as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary. Throughout his tenure he has been making unstinting efforts promoting and enhancing the cooperation between the two countries in all areas – the economy, trade, politics, defence, culture, and education. His professional accomplishments included:

- Reinforcement of political contacts on highest levels;
- Enhancement of economic cooperation between Poland and Pakistan;
- Strengthening the links in modern banking and finances sector;
- Invigorating cultural, academic and people to people contacts and dialogue between both countries;
- Implementation of development projects in Pakistan;
- Bolstering the bilateral defence cooperation.

Students are invited to join the lecture via below google meet link
<https://meet.google.com/yzf-kaq-nti>