

Zeeshan Ijaz

Candidate for Council
2025

North Zone A
Ballot No. 13



Background

- Schooling from the Cathedral School, Lahore and F.Sc. from the Government College University, Lahore.
- Completed mandatory articles period from KPMG Pakistan.
- Admitted as an *Associate Member* of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan in 2002 and subsequently, as *Fellow Member* in 2010.
- Inducted as Partner in KPMG Pakistan in 2009. Core area of expertise include corporate, taxation and investment advisory.
- Honor of representing our fraternity as *Council Member* of the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan from 2021 to 2025.
- Privilege of serving the Institute of Chartered Accountants of Pakistan as *Vice President* for the term of 2024.

Key Contributions to ICAP

Served as Chairman

**Committee on
Fiscal Laws**

**Incubation
Committee**

**Investigation
Committee**

**The State Bank of
Pakistan
Coordination
Committee**

**Economic Advisory
& Government
Relationship
Committee**

Served as a Member

**Examination
Committee**

**Digital Assurance
and Accounting
Board**

**Executive
Committee**

**Marketing &
Communication
Committee**

**Members
Affairs
Committee**

**Governance
Committee**

Motivation to Contest

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My heightened motivation comes from outcomes of past four years as an elected voice for our members, wherein, a significant impact was witnessed in strengthening member representation, realigning skill development to current needs and enhancing ICAP's stature with all stakeholders. This journey not only deepened my understanding of our profession's challenges but also enabled me to explore new opportunities.

With the continued trust and confidence bestowed upon me by the members, I feel even more equipped to build on this foundation by driving innovation, transformation, and global rebranding for our Institute.

Vision for Betterment

My vision is to make our Institute a truly member-centric and forward-looking organization that empowers our fraternity to play a defining role in diverse national and global endeavors while upholding integrity and ethical standards. The following key objectives will be of paramount importance in the realization of this vision



Carrying forward from last four years, special focus on branding and visibility. Further efforts will be ensured for national as well as international recognition.



Aiming for transparent and independent governance model, aligned with global best practices. Renewed focus will be placed on capacity building and empowering of ICAP secretariat.



Empowering overseas chapters to ensure timely support and representation of our overseas members, including financial autonomy and mutual collaboration.

Vision for Betterment



Formal plans will include capacity-building, back-office technology solutions, training on evolving international laws and access to sources for our startups and SMP members.



Investing on cultivating environment that fosters growth of young leaders through targeted career counseling and developing more contextually relevant programs, with special focus on female members to support their career progression.



To build on the groundwork initiated in last four years and strive for broader global recognition and local academic equivalence of our qualification.

Leadership That Listens, Vision That Delivers

Connectivity, Commitment, Accessibility, Receptiveness