Samiullah Musa, FCA MRN#5462

Candidate for ICAP's Council Election South B

Profile

Samiullah Musa is a Fellow Member of ICAP and has an experience of over two decades. He has been one of those CA students who received financial assistance from the Institute as interest free loan, qualified as CA within articles and paid back the interest free loan – a success story indeed. He has worked with various organizations in various regions including Pakistan, KSA, Socialist Republic of Vietnam, Nigeria, Afghanistan, etc. <u>Samiullah belongs to the province of Balochistan and is based in Quetta</u>.

He completed his articles from KPMG Karachi office. He has served in the audit and assurance departments of **KPMG**, **Deloitte and EY**. He has also served in the government sector in various capacities such as CFO & Company Secretary of a public sector Oil & Gas Company of Balochistan government, Director Finance (BPS-20) of a GoB Public Sector University, worked with the government of Balochistan as Consultant and currently practicing as a Chartered Accountant.

Profile

He has been passionately working for the profession of Chartered Accountancy in the province of Balochistan for more than a decade by holding awareness sessions, providing counselling to the CA aspirants. He along with the ICAP Council has been successful in securing a government premises in Balochistan for conducting CA classes. Since he is based in Quetta he is in the best possible position to work for the profession in Balochistan.

Contribution

- Securing government premises free of cost for ICAP & students.
- Conducted various awareness sessions for students.
- Contributed in ICAP's Governance Manual as part of Governance Task Force.
- During the Council term ended 2021;
 - Served as Member Investigation Committee.
 - Served as Treasurer and Secretary of PIPFA.
- Succeeded in obtaining permission from Balochistan government for conducting ICAP examinations while following COVID SoP's.
- Played key role in bringing together ICAP and Balochistan government on various issues relating to the profession such as student intake, availability of RAET's and qualified faculty in Balochistan, Training Organization, placement of CA students and members in government set up.

Vision

- Facilitating in providing a conducive environment for the profession in Balochistan for all stakeholders.
- Striving for possession of land from the government of Balochistan to establish a proper office of the Institute in Quetta.
- Striving for improvement in and facilitation of SMPs.
- The steep curve of evolving technologies is the major challenge for almost every profession. The application of such technologies in Accounting & Auditing profession is changing its paradigm at a very fast pace. A robust strategy needs to be developed for the institute with technology as a pivot to improve global employability of the members, enhance global recognition through modern and relevant skills.
- Strengthening the Secretariat of the Institute.

Vision

- Further improving the coordination with overseas members.
- Bridging the gap between ICAP and government functionaries.
- Increased collaboration of the Institute with other international accounting bodies.
- Image building and branding of the Institute.