Introduction to COMSTEH Intera Islamic Virtual Universities Network.

COMSTEH Intera Islamic Virtual Universities Network (CIIVUN), Is a permanent network of the committee on scientific and technological cooperation in OIC known as COMSTECH. Hosted by the Islamic Republic of Iran, endeavoring to realize justice in the field of knowledge and mentality due to deepening and stabilizing education, this network is an important, rich base to enhance and develop public high education in the world of Islam. Considering the desires and personal propensities, students, professors, universities, and the elite can offer their educational, exploratory, cultural, and skilful capabilities through this network.

While providing access to needed useful resources, this network would provide the possibility to use online expertise and other universities' experiences. Creating a communication network among the students, professors, and the universities in order to share resources and information and supporting online distant learning is an advantage of the Islamic Virtual Universities Network. An essence of the powerful universities' achievements is also accessible.

Creating a network with the same ranking virtual universities in the world of Islam and other countries and continuous communication with other COMSTECH's twelve networks, can create rich grounds for spiritual and strategic research aims of pure Islam in scientific, cultural, managerial, economical, medical, fields and energy as well.

Objectives;

Aiming to consolidate the relationship, and enhance scientific, educational, exploratory and technological cooperation among OIC members due to proper grounds to support new communicational, IT based exploratory and educational development plans and knowledge engineering, and promote the corporation culture and contribution, and facilitate cooperation and sympathy among the elite, scientists, and scholars of Islamic countries, the network has set the following objectives;

1- Stabilizing the quality concept and strategic management pattern in high education in the world of Islam.
2- Promoting status and the role of open, distant, virtual, and intelligent universities in national and regional development plans of Islamic countries.
3- Providing the cooperation grounds in order to exploit accreting among the universities, scientific and research centers of Islamic countries.
4- Providing educational courses, and executing common inner network projects.
5- Enhancing scientific, educational, and exploratory achievements in Islamic countries.

6- Cresting scientific and research net work to prevent Islamic counties' brain drain.

7- Enabling educational development and covering deprived and less advanced countries.

The effects of the network on the Islamic countries' development

1- Enhancing cultural quality, education, research and technology in the world of Islam.

2- Enhancing high education and complimentary education request.

3- Facilitating the promotion of justice in the field of education, research and technology.

4- Decreasing digital gap in Islamic countries.

5- Quick access to science base society and knowledge based economy.

The advantages of Islamic virtual universities network and its membership

1-Taking advantage of the capacities of recruiting and exchanging students, professors, researchers, scientific board members and expertise in order to promote knowledge and transfer technical experiences among the Islamic countries by the network.

2- Supporting the feasibility study due to SWOT analyzing in educational, exploratory, technical, medical, and industrial projects, start up events, marketing techniques, and creating intelligent universities in OIC members and Islamic countries.

3- Supporting rich and scientific based applied plans in the fields related to Islamic virtual universities and Islamic countries' development and dedicating credited certificate to them.

4- Supporting technical conferences, technical educational shops in educational field, skilful human resources and research approaches.

5- Taking advantage of provisional and surveillance capacities in universities grading in order to provide the capable universities with comprehensive services.

6- Using the facilities of comprehensive service system to the students and professors of the Islamic virtual universities after the establishment of the system in cooperation with Islamic development Bank.

7- Taking advantage of the network's data base capacity in communicational development with Islamic virtual universities and other countries owning intelligent educational technology in order to learn about the capacities, expanding the activities.

8- Supporting and appreciating the elite, and job creators in Islamic virtual universities, and preparing the grounds for their promotion.

9- Defining and supporting mental and spiritual ownership of scientific and educational products produced in OIC members.

10-Taking advantage CIIVUN member countries of the newest educational methods and creating virtual educational curriculum in their countries.

11- Using advertising capacities of the CIIVUN website to offer the innovative achievements of the university to other COMSTECH's member countries and provide grounds to offer jobs virtually.

12-Credential evaluation of the documents issued by COMSTECH's virtual university members and dedicating credited certificates to scientific articles and applied researches.

13-Supporting scientific and exploratory plans and other related cases to electronic publishing in the world of Islam and offering comprehensive services in this field in cooperation with ISC and other powerful virtual universities.

14-Taking advantage of international festivals and Olympiads capacities in virtual fields supported and contributed by the network.

15-Enriching and specially supporting science and technology,

research and development due to vast interaction of this network with other national and international institutions and organizations.

Invitation

You are also invited to join this network, hopefully with the help of Almighty GOD and the contribution of other scientists in the world of Islam, a strong, rich, and capable scientific network to be established in order to solve the scientific and educational problems of the Islamic society (The Islamic Ummah). Trusting in Almighty GOD and using the Islamic power and unity to sky rocket it to the highest point possible in science and technology in the WORLD OF ISLAM.