

Pakistani Women have the same chances as men

Outline

1. Introduction

Thesis statement: The state has continuously failed to ensure the equal opportunities and chances for women as their male counterparts have acquired. Owing to the male-centric policies of states, the women have lagged behind in every sphere of life. The state needs to design and implement friendly, concentrated, and sustainable policies for the women.

2- What are the opportunities of men and women in Pakistan?

3- Pakistani Women do not have the same chances as men

- a) less-representation in parliament
- b) Acquisition of job is very difficult and have little access to the jobs

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c) There is no free and secure developments of mobility for women in our country.

d) The conservative and patriarchal society restricted them from the acquisition of quality education.

e) Lack of access to procedural justice.

4- Women in Pakistan go parallel with their men counterparts

a) Women representation process has been augmented by EA-2017 to ensure surge in women representation.

b) Merit is a gauge for job acquisition: gender is not

c) They can travel safely and freely in the recently emerged government sponsored projects.

d) Access to education is the right of both women and men, enshrined clearly in Pakistan's constitution.

e) Special and distinct courts are established to provide justice to women.

5- The Distinction of Access to Opportunities is obvious

a) The extension is merely superficial and has not augmented the ratio of women in parliament

b) There are scores of sectors in which men are given preference to women.

c) They cannot travel to far-flung areas as these projects are for specific cities.

d) It is the government's duty to ensure the access of women to education against all odds.

e) They cannot get justice as these courts are immensely influenced by politicians and other state officials.

6- Conclusion

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"There are two powers in the world: One is the sword. And the other is the pen. There is a third power stronger than both. That of women" (Malala Yousafzai)

This means that the women have the power and impetus to change the world into more developed and progressive. But, in Pakistan the women participation in social and economical development is not satisfactory. In the world Economic forum's Global Gender Gap Report 2023, Pakistan has been ranked 142 out of 146 countries. In this way, it has become obvious that the country has not provided equal opportunities to both men and women. The men have remained the occupants of most of socially acquired jobs.

The vulnerability of women in social as well in economic participation has terribly exposed. Due to ineffective, malevolent, and unsustainable policies, the female gender have not reflected and exposed its role in society from less-representation in politics to less-acquisition of jobs, the women's role is terribly exposed in society. Educated women play an important part in transition of societies from less-developed to highly developed, but this gendered is obstructed by different cultural restraints from getting this precious asset. The state has continuously failed to ensure the equal chances and opportunities for women as their male counterparts have acquired. Owing to the male-centric policies of state, the women have lagged behind in every sphere of life. The state needs to design and

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Less-Representation in Parliament

The developed countries often try to give a moderate ratio of political representation to women in order to ensure their rights through the women representatives. The women representatives will ensure and raised voices about the women's

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concerns in parliament so that the policymaking process will endow maximum chances in country. But in Pakistan, the state has never paved its way to augment the political representation of women so that their rights may be put forth. According to the survey of (2018-19), the women have 20% representation in each house of parliament. Our country has never been the proponent of more women representation in parliament, that's why women participation is abysmal.

Acquisition of job is very difficult and have little access to the job

Having less-representation in the parliament is a terrible thing of concern but women's access to jobs have been miserable throughout the history. The male gender have completely equipped itself with the moderate jobs and women wander bare-handedly.

Men are given preference over women on the basis of their natural and robust strength. Upto 35 percent of women doctors are unemployed in Pakistan, as revealed by a research by Gallup Pakistan and PRIDE across the country. Even having well-managed and equipped personalities, women are badly

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exploited in job sector.

Wastage of Time: A Negative effect of social media on youth

Social media has a plethora of negative effects, but chief among them is the abundant wastage of time by youth. In today's highly interconnected world, most of the youth spend a huge part of their day's time on social media. There are a scores of social media application on which they watch videos, listen audios, and other entertainments. "Time is money, and we all know

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how much of it we have. You cannot get it back, so make sure you spend it wisely. This means that time is a precious asset but the today's youth is high embedded in social media which is the source of their time wastage.

No Access to free & secure Mobility by Women

The developed and developing countries have made the women's access to free and secure mobility, which is an applaudable thing but Pakistan has not followed the suit. It is essential to have a free and secure developments of mobility for women but women are facing this grave issue. Owing to this reason, most of the women stay confined and cannot take progressive steps to contribute to the development of society. Islamabad Metro and Orange line Train have been initiated by government but via these projects, the women cannot travel fearlessly and free. The state has been ineffective in designing and tailoring safe and secure access of women

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to mobility in the last seven
decades.

Conservative and Patriarchal society

Restricted Women's Access to Education

The secure and free women's access to mobility is of grave concern; however, the patriarchal and the conservative set-up of society has restrained women from getting quality education. People from the tribal areas of northern and the western Pakistan have confined women to their homes due to cultural restraints. Women are deprived of education but in contrary to that men are free to get their desire education from their desire place. In Pakistan, 32% of girls in primary school age are out of school, compared with 21% of boys (Dawn). It is apparent from the fact that the conservative and traditionalist nature of society has obstructed the women's way in getting education.