

Is good governance a panacea for all the political and economic ills of Pakistan?

Outline

1- Introduction

Thesis statement: Pakistan has caught in a vicious cycle of political and economic ills, which need good governance as a panacea. Democratic norms, consensus among governments, and rule of law etc are few among evidences. However, some rational measures will promote good governance for the sustainable future.

2- A glance at good governance

3- Current scenario of political and economic ills of Pakistan

- a) Tremendous debt cycle has put Pakistan at stake
- b) Rise of political turmoil causing failure of the government
- c) Surging unemployment in the country
- d) Arrest of political leaders

4- Good governance as a panacea for all the political and economic ills of Pakistan

- a) Strong democratic norms of the country
- b) Consensus oriented policies and decision making

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- c) Supremacy of rule of law
- d) Due role of opposition
- e) Rigid civil military relations
- f) Promotion of quality of education
- g) Reforms in IT sector
- h) Approach to balanced foreign policy
- i) Regional and global economic co-operation

5- Methodologies to promote good governance for sustainable political and economic development of Pakistan

- a) Free and fair electoral process
- b) Respecting the supreme constitution
- c) Role of media in promoting democracy
- d) Effective co-operation between centre and provinces

6 Conclusion

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According to the recommendation by the World Bank, "Effective cooperation among governments in Pakistan will lead to the sustainable future" (The World Bank, 2023). This fact highlights the severe need of good governance in Pakistan as a panacea for all the political and economic ills of Pakistan.