## The Jinnah Anthology Launched

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[1]The Oxford University Press, at a local

hotel here in Karachi, on 20th of April, 2009, launched the second edition "The Jinnah Anthology", Compiled and edited by Liaquat Merchant and professor Sharif al Mujahid, The new edition is a hard back voluminous book which contains extensive material on the subject with a number newly written and old articles, excerpts, personal recollections, tributes by renowned authors and distinguished people from world over, photos of some rare documents, along with quotes, speeches, statements and memorable and rare photographs of Muhammad Ali jinnah.



[2] The event started with a brief address

by Ameena Saiyid and then Mr. Liaquat Merchant after a short speech and took us to a journey to introduced the book through a detailed power point presentation which showed sections of books and some important quotes, letters and writings included in the book.

The event doubled as a ceremony to present The Jinnah Awards by the Jinnah Society to two distinguished personalities in recognition of their outstanding services to Pakistan. Mr Ardeshir Cowasjee presented the awards on behalf of The Jinnah Society. The first Award was presented to Air marshal (Retd.) M. Asghar Khan and another one posthumous award to late Ahmed Ali Khan, the former editor and chief, Dawn. Which was received by his wife.



[3]The event followed with a keynote address by Najam Sethi, editor-in-chief, The Friday times, The daily times and daily Aajkal who said the book will prove to be an invaluable resource for academics, researchers, historians, and students. And is essential reading for those who seek to understand the visionary behind Pakistan's creation. After which Professor Sharif al Mujahid concluded the event with a brief address.

The book is available on all OUP outlets, countrywide.

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