

## Review of: "The Correlation between Poverty and Crime in Pakistan"

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The article is written on a very important topic that requires academic attention to facilitate fair practice and good governance for the development of any nation. However, this article failed to give an adequate scientific understanding of the issue that could be considered as a reference for further development.

The article is written based on the common impression that does not establish the claim that poverty and crime are correlated. There is no data or fact presented that could justify the title of the article. It is important to adopt a specific methodological approach with a clear definition of crime in this case. A lot of rich people are highly corrupt, and that is also a crime. An appropriate operational definition is needed to explain "poverty" and "crime". Subsequently, within a time frame, the data on poverty and crime can be taken and correlations made to show the claim.

Impression-based writing is usually biased and sensational and does not contribute much academic value without scientific proof and justification.

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