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1. College of Design of IAU launches CODEX 23

Under the auspices of the President of Imam Abdulrahman bin Faisal University, Dr. Abdullah Al-Rubaish, the Vice President for Academic Affairs, Dr. Ghazi Al-Otaibi, inaugurated the annual exhibition of the College of Designs (CODEX 23). The exhibition was attended by the Dean of the College, Dr. Mai Shukry, deans of the other colleges, the supporting deanships, the directors of the departments, and guests from Businessmen, and owners of companies and engineering offices.



https://www.iau.edu.sa/en/news/the-college-of-designs-at-iau-launches-codex-23



2. International Professional Webinar on Artificial Intelligence in Education

The Deanship of Academic Development at Imam Abdulrahman bin Faisal University and the University of Turku in Finland jointly organized an international webinar on November 28, 2023, on "The Use of Artificial Intelligence in Education." The webinar attracted over 500 attendees from various academic and professional backgrounds **inside and outside the university.** The webinar discussed the importance and implications of artificial intelligence, its innovations, and its applications in teaching and learning.



https://www.iau.edu.sa/en/news/international-professional-webinar-on-artificial-intelligence-ineducation





3. "Tamkeen" Program Graduation Ceremony by IAU for Orphan Mothers

Under the auspices of Her Highness Princess Abeer bint Faisal bin Turki Al-Saud, Chairperson of the Board of Trustees of the Eastern Region Council for Social Responsibility, the College of Applied Studies and Community Service celebrated on Sunday evening, Dhu Qaddah 22, 1444, June 11, 2023, the graduation of the sixth class of the **Orphan Mothers Empowerment Program "Tamkeen"**, held in partnership with the Charitable Society for Orphans Care in the Eastern Province (Benaa).

The ceremony was opened with the national anthem, followed by a graduate's march of the 40 graduates of the program. The graduates walked among the audience with feelings of joy and pleasure as they wore gowns and graduation scarves to the tune of a song specially prepared for this happy occasion, on which the names of all the graduates were sung. The organizer of the ceremony, Mashaal Bint Sarnaj Alenazi, began with a welcome introduction, followed by verses from Qur'an



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4. Launch of Five Training Courses in AI and Road Modeling at IAU for Trainees from all regions of Saudi Arabia

Five training courses in artificial intelligence (AI) for traffic safety have been launched in precedence to the launch of the *Sixth International Traffic Safety Forum and Exhibition*, which will be inaugurated by His Royal Highness Prince Saud bin Nayef bin Abdulaziz Al Saud, Governor of the Eastern Province, tomorrow, Monday, and will continue for three days under the title: "The Usage of AI and Data Analysis to improve traffic movement and traffic safety on the road network." The Chairman of the Saudi Traffic Safety Society, Dr. Abdul Hamid Al-Mojil, stated that these 5 training courses were launched at the College of Engineering at IAU, these courses tackled: artificial intelligence, big data, driving driverless cars, and two courses on simulation and modeling programs for the network and road traffic flow. The total number of people registered in these courses reached about 520 male and female trainees **from all regions of the Kingdom**, and from the concerned authorities in transportation and traffic and universities.



https://www.iau.edu.sa/en/news/the-launch-of-five-training-courses-in-ai-and-road-modeling-atiau



5. Academic Talent Program "Mawhiba 2023"

Imam Abdulrahman bin Faisal University launched the Academic Talent Program 'Mawhiba' 2023, for 265 male and female students who will embark in a scientific journey consists of 7 enriching tracks and to prepare them for this journey, the university held a meeting attended by the supervisors, trainers, volunteers, students, and their parents. The head of Mawhiba's program, Dr. Nasser Al-Rayes, stated that the program includes 7 tracks for female students and 5 tracks for male students. It covers the renewable energy, architecture, creative design, cryptography, information security, engineering design, anatomy and physiology, biotechnology, and biomedical science. And the skill program includes two courses which are decision-making and initiative.



https://www.iau.edu.sa/en/news/265-students-start-their-academic-talent-program-mawhiba-at-iau

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6. "Star Leaders" Summer Program with Local and International Partnerships

The "Star Leaders" program began yesterday at Imam Abdulrahman bin Faisal University in cooperation with the Continuing Education Center, in partnership with the University of Turku in Finland, and with the participation of the Saudi Water Academy, Al-Ber Charity Association in the Eastern Province, and Charitable Society for Orphans Care in the Eastern Province (Benaa). The program aims to **develop the skills of promising young leaders of the** 122 secondary school students, in addition to developing their personal abilities, refining their leadership skills, and preparing them for the future in a way that contributes to building the nation and its renaissance, by completing 52 hours of actual training on a number of leadership competencies, which include: learning and reasoning, self-awareness and personal behavior, communication and dealing with others. Dr. Mohammed Saleh Alkathiri, Dean of Academic Development and General Supervisor of the Star Leaders Program, stressed that the program is performance-based and focuses on the application of skills by male and female students in different real-life situations, through various activities that include 10 topics (one workshop every day) from 08:30 am until 03:00 pm. The most prominent topics addressed by the program are Fundamentals of leadership, team building, presentation skills, critical thinking and brainstorming, solving future problems in creative ways, and others.



https://www.iau.edu.sa/en/news/the-star-leaders-summer-program-with-local-and-internationalpartnerships



7. Scientific Posters Exhibition by College of Science of IAU

The College of Sciences at Imam Abdulrahman Bin Faisal University, represented by the Vice Deanship of Academic Affairs, held an exhibition of scientific posters for graduation projects 1444 AH, in the presence of the College Dean, Dr. Amal Al-Otaibi, the Vice Dean for Academic Affairs, Dr. Rasha Al-Essa, the colleges vice-deans, heads of departments, and faculty. **The exhibition was also attended by a number of external parties from the labor market and national bodies**

The exhibition provided the opportunity for female students to present their projects and their early research work to a group of faculty members in various disciplines, and to their fellow students, which achieved the transfer of knowledge and exchange of experiences. And it was a starting point for opening the door for joint cooperation between the college and those agencies.



https://www.iau.edu.sa/en/news/the-college-of-science-holds-the-scientific-posters-exhibition-1444-ah



8. ENT Workshop at IAU for Student Community

The ENT department of the King Fahd Hospital of the University (KFHU) of the Imam Abdulrahman Bin Faisal University (IAU) organized a workshop titled "Exploring the Field, ENT: Introduction to Otolaryngology – Head & Neck Surgery Workshop" at College of Medicine of IAU for upcoming graduates and clinical years students interested in ENT to learn from the experts and gain new insights.



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9. "NORC 7" New Orthopedic Resident Course and Workshops for Student Community

The Department of Orthopedic Surgery at King Fahd Hospital of the University (KFHU) of the Imam Abdulrahman Bin Faisal University (IAU) in Al-Khobar invites you to register for the seventh training course for new doctors in orthopedic surgery and interns, which held at the College of Medicine (October 6-7) 2023. The Course objectives covered: Basic principles of fracture treatment and repair, Basic principles of wound suturing, Learn about surgical instruments in orthopedics, and Basic principles of surgery.



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10. Conclusion of Academic Talent Program "Mawhiba"

Under the patronage of Dr. Abdullah Al-Rubaish, the President of IAU, 'Mawhiba 2023' celebrated the conclusion of its 3 weeks academic journey that was given for 247 students (82 male and 165 female). The Vice President for Development and Community Partnership, Dr. Nihad Al-Omair, attended the closing ceremony on behalf of the President in addition to the general supervisor of the program, Dr. Nasser Al-Rayes, and other deans, members, as well as the students' parents.



https://www.iau.edu.sa/en/news/iau-academic-talent-program-mawhiba-concludes-its-work



11. Cultural Café at IAU

The Vice Deanship for Scientific Research and Innovation, represented by the Research and Self-Learning Hall, held its first cultural café sessions entitled **"Women Read More than Men".** That took place on Wednesday, September 27, 2023, and was presented by Dr. Nihal Mhaidat.

The Cultural Café is an effective meeting opportunity for intellectual and cultural communication, developing the spirit of dialogue, encouraging free reading, and building culture through reading and reading. The session addressed the following topics:

- Why do we read and what do I read?
- The importance of reading in the age of technology
- Does reading/knowledge pose a danger to men in Arab society?
- The impact of Muslim women on the history of reading

A large number of distinguished employees and students attended and exchanged ideas and experiences.



https://www.iau.edu.sa/en/news/cultural-cafe



12. "Three Letters Make a Difference" Lecture

On Tuesday, 3rd Dhul-Qi'dah1445 AH (corresponding with September 26, 2023), the Vice Deanship for Academic Affairs, represented by the Guidance Services Unit at the College of Sciences and Humanities in Jubail, held a lecture entitled "Three Letters That Make a Difference". The lecture was presented by Dr. Muhammad Al-Subaie, Head of the Ethar Center for Social Studies and Consultations.

The lecture tackled several topics, the main of which are the human self and the personality-based social skills. The presenter also introduces several strategies for effective communication with the family and challenges with family and how to deal with them. Forty minutes of the lecture were devoted to responding to the students' inquiries about some family problems they faced, and many appropriate solutions were provided for each problem.



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13. "Work Culture and Work Ethics" Workshop by IAU for Graduates

The Graduates and Professional Development Center of the College of Applied Sciences of IAU organized a workshop titled "Work Culture and Work Ethics" for graduates through Zoom platform in 2023.





14. "Preparing a Curriculum Vitae" Workshop at IAU

The College of Applied Sciences represented by Academic Affairs of IAU organized a workshop titled "Preparing a CV" for the students of the Applied College and graduates through Zoom platform in 2023. The Workshop objectives covered Explaining the importance of the CV and how to prepare it professionally.







15. "Reflective Practice and its Role in Professional Development" by IAU

The Community Service Committee of the Department of Sociology and Social Work belong to the College of Arts, of IAU is pleased to offer the following training program: 1) First day: Digital Social Service Practice Course (Concepts - Skills - Applications), 2) Day 2: Reflective practice and its role in Professional development for social workers in 2023.





