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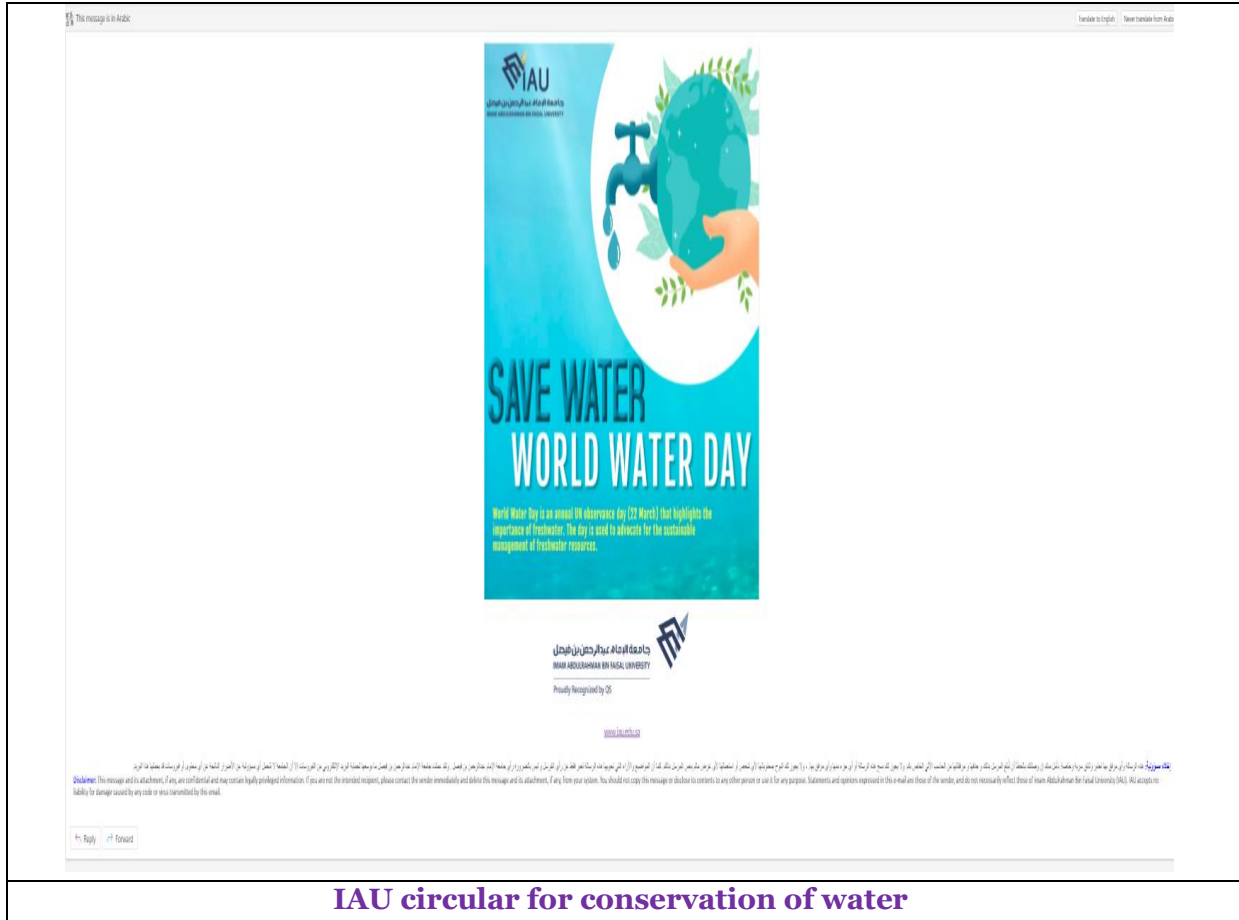
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Promoting Conscious
Water Usage on Campus
2023-2024

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1. Creating Awareness among IAU Staff and Students to save Water



IAU circular for conservation of water

2. IAU offered Water related courses to Student Community



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Home / Water Quality & Sanitation


Water Quality & Sanitation

Course Description

- General introduction.
- Water as an environmental community of micro-organisms .
- Distribution of micro-organisms in aquatic environments including (terrestrial, ophthalmic, rivers, natural and industrial lakes and sediments) .
- Factors influencing the growth and distribution of micro-organisms in different aquatic ecology microorganisms and water pollution .
- Microbial flora for wastewater.
- Micro-organisms in water and wastewater .
- Wastewater treatment methods .
- Role of micro-organisms in water purification.
- Methods of preparing drinking water and wastewater and other human uses.
- Methods of judging the validity of water for human use.

Practical content

field visits and sampling, physicochemical analysis of wastewater, chlorine residual , pH, turbidity, color, test and odor, conductivity, microbial analysis of wastewater and principal analytical techniques, analytical quality assurance and quality control



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Home / Ground Water Engineering and Contamination

Ground Water Engineering and Contamination

Course Description

This course will give a broad background of the area of ground water engineering and contamination and the following topics will be presented to the students: sources and types of groundwater contamination, contamination transport mechanisms, sorption and other chemical reactions, the numerical modeling of contaminant transport, non-aqueous phase liquids, groundwater remediation and design and basic definitions of terms used in this area of expertise. The students will also become knowledgeable in the following subjects: occurrence of ground water, ground water exploration, specifications, estimations of quantities, types of ground water aquifers, basic studies and investigations, ground water flow, hydraulics of ground water, well hydraulics, estimation of well discharges, observation wells, well design, well development, ground water quality as well as contaminant, transport management and remediation. The students will receive an introduction to ground water modeling and become familiar with the state of ground water in the Kingdom.

Course ID: ENVEN 573

Credit hours	Theory	Practical	Laboratory	Lecture	Studio	Contact hours	Pre-requisite
3	3					3	NONE



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Home / Geography of Water

Geography of Water

Course ID: GEOG 481

Credit hours	Theory	Practical	Laboratory	Lecture	Studio	Contact hours	Pre-requisite
3	3					3	-

Hydrogeography

Course Main Objective

Learn about how water exists in nature and its importance in dry environments through learning about its limited resources and problems a matter which helps form positive trends towards these problems and reduce water loss; realize role played by the Kingdom to develop the available resources and provide other unconventional resources.

Course Learning Outcomes

- 1. Knowledge and Comprehension
- 1.1 Identify the relation between hydrogeography and other sciences and the hydrologic cycle and the various resources of water and how to preserve.
- 2. Skills
- 2.1 Prove their knowledge of the human factors affecting water use and how to preserve it.
- 2.2 Use computer technology, the statistical programs to perform some group and individual works.
- 3. Values
- 3.1 Appreciate teamwork and community responsibility.

Course Content:


- First topic: an introduction to geography of water resources- amount of water and the hydrologic cycle.
- Second topic: precipitation (types, analysis, distribution).
- Third topic: full management of water under the sustainable development.
- Fourth topic: water in the Arab world in general and the international water conflicts.
- Fifth topic: water resources in Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

Textbook (s)

- Al-Zouka, Muhammad.Kh. (2015). Hydrogeography. Dar Almarefa, Alexandria.
- Jouda, Fathy.A. (2005). Geography of Water Resources: A Contemporary Study in Basics and Application. 1sted. Saudi House for Publishing, Riyadh.

Course ID: GEOG 451

Credit hours	Theory	Practical	Laboratory	Lecture	Studio	Contact hours	Pre-requisite
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Home / Integrated Water Resources Management


Integrated Water Resources Management

Course Description

This course will focus on Integrated Water Resources Management or IWRM principles and will include: a definition of IWRM, how to implement IWRM (enabling environment, institutional role, management instruments), management and planning of natural and constructed water systems, integrated management and case studies of water use and environmental resources.

Course ID: ENVEN 513

Credit hours	Theory	Practical	Laboratory	Lecture	Studio	Contact hours	Pre-requisite
3	3					3	NONE



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Home / Waste Containment Structures


Waste Containment Structures

Course Description

Characteristics of solid waste and management, introduction to landfill techniques, classifications and basic functions of design materials, construction and management of safe and economic sanitary landfills, equipment and site planning for landfills are some of the topics for this course. Reduce, reuse and recycle, sanitary landfill, leachate and site planning for landfills will also be a part of this class.

Course ID: ENVEN 553

Credit hours	Theory	Practical	Laboratory	Lecture	Studio	Contact hours	Pre-requisite
3	3					3	NONE



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Home / Industrial Wastes Management


Industrial Wastes Management

Course Description

This course will cover the different types of industrial wastes, the origin of wastes process wise and their impact on human and environmental health. Different industrial wastes in plant control measures; evaluation, treatment facilities (physical, chemical, and biological) and management will also be presented.

Course ID: ENVEN 564

Credit hours	Theory	Practical	Laboratory	Lecture	Studio	Contact hours	Pre-requisite
3	3					3	NONE



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Home / Marine Pollution and Control

Marine Pollution and Control

Course Description

The present health of the Red Sea and Arabian Gulf will be studied along with the need for controlling pollution in these waters. The anthropogenic effects on estuarine and marine ecosystems from local, regional and global perspectives will be covered, along with the types of contaminants, pollutants, eutrophication, oxygen demanding waste, oil pollution and toxicity, polycyclic aromatic hydrocarbons (PAH), halogenated hydrocarbons, trace metals, radioactive waste, dredging and dredged-spoil disposal as well as the effects of electric generating stations. Global, regional and national marine pollution control activities will be reviewed along with selected case studies.

Course ID: ENVEN 544

Credit hours	Theory	Practical	Laboratory	Lecture	Studio	Contact hours	Pre-requisite
3	3					3	NONE

3. Research Groups of IAU for Water and Wastewater

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Biomedical Engineering Department

Civil & Construction Engineering Department

Environmental Engineering Department

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Mechanical and Energy Engineering Department

Transportation and Traffic Engineering Department

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Water and Wastewater ☰

Overview

Water and wastewater research group exerting continuous efforts in the areas of water and wastewater treatment.

The main focus area include:

- Water and wastewater quality monitoring
- Sustainable innovative adsorbents for water purification
- Solar disinfection
- Photodegradation of polyaromatics and pharmaceutical contaminants
- Biodegradation of organic pollutants
- Sewage sludge treatment
- Bio based membranes for desalination

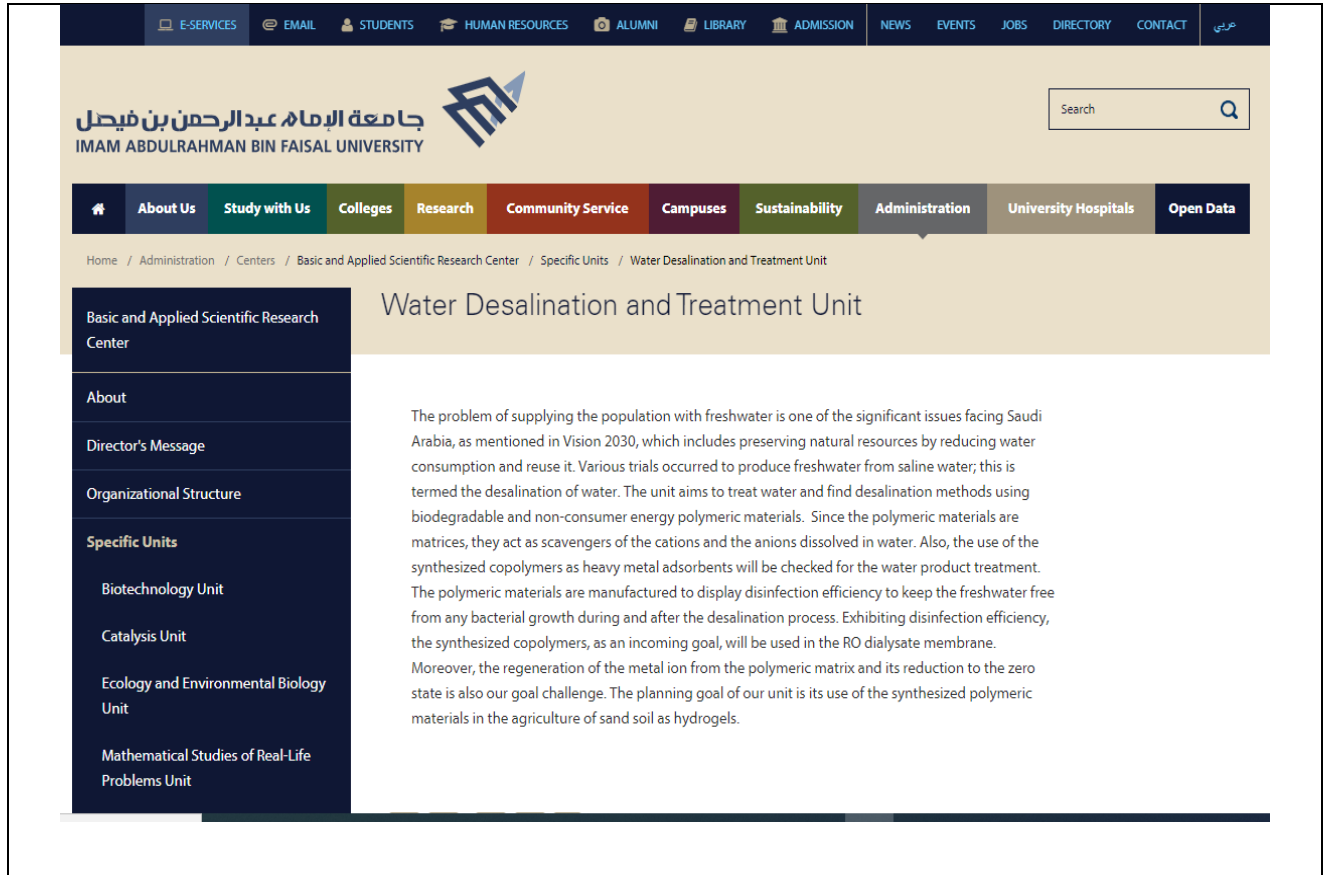
Objectives

To develop, design and implement sustainable solutions for solving global water and wastewater pollution control and treatment problems.

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<https://www.iau.edu.sa/en/colleges/college-of-engineering/departments/environmental-engineering-department/research-groups>

4. Water Desalination and Treatment Unit of IAU



The problem of supplying the population with freshwater is one of the significant issues facing Saudi Arabia, as mentioned in Vision 2030, which includes preserving natural resources by reducing water consumption and reuse it. Various trials occurred to produce freshwater from saline water; this is termed the desalination of water. The unit aims to treat water and find desalination methods using biodegradable and non-consumer energy polymeric materials. Since the polymeric materials are matrices, they act as scavengers of the cations and the anions dissolved in water. Also, the use of the synthesized copolymers as heavy metal adsorbents will be checked for the water product treatment. The polymeric materials are manufactured to display disinfection efficiency to keep the freshwater free from any bacterial growth during and after the desalination process. Exhibiting disinfection efficiency, the synthesized copolymers, as an incoming goal, will be used in the RO dialysate membrane. Moreover, the regeneration of the metal ion from the polymeric matrix and its reduction to the zero state is also our goal challenge. The planning goal of our unit is its use of the synthesized polymeric materials in the agriculture of sand soil as hydrogels.

Water Desalination and Treatment Unit

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