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AAU the 2nd Best University in UAE by "UI GreenMetric World University Ranking"

Al Ain University (AAU) participated in the, "UI GreenMetric World University Ranking 2020" for the very first time and the results captivated AAU with a delight, securing as the, 2nd best sustainable university within the United Arab Emirates, 18th among the Arab Region, and 250th rank among the total 912 universities ranked worldwide.

The "UI GreenMetric World University Rankings" is an initiative of the University of Indonesia, which was set up in 2010. The ideology of the ranking is to rate the Universities based on their contribution towards environmental conservation for a Green and Sustainable Campus causing low environmental impact.

The criteria and indicators used to rate the universities includes: collection of basic information of the size of the university and its zoning (urban, suburban, or rural) profile, degree of green space, electricity consumption to link with carbon footprint, transportation.

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AAU President participates in the meeting of Quality Assurance and Accreditation for Arab Universities

Prof. Ghaleb El Refae, AAU President, participated in the 14th Board of Directors 'Meeting for Quality Assurance and Accreditation for Arab Universities', which was headed by the Secretary General of the Association of Arab Universities, Prof. Amro Ezzat.

The meeting discussed the problems, issues and challenges faced by some Arab universities in adopting distance learning to improve quality, and also to find solutions to face these challenges.

AAU President also participated in the activities of the second conference held under the title: «Quality Assurance and Challenges in Arab Higher Education Institutions», organized by the Quality Assurance and Continuous Development Center of Sadat City University - Egypt, in cooperation with the Association of Arab Universities,   Remotely.

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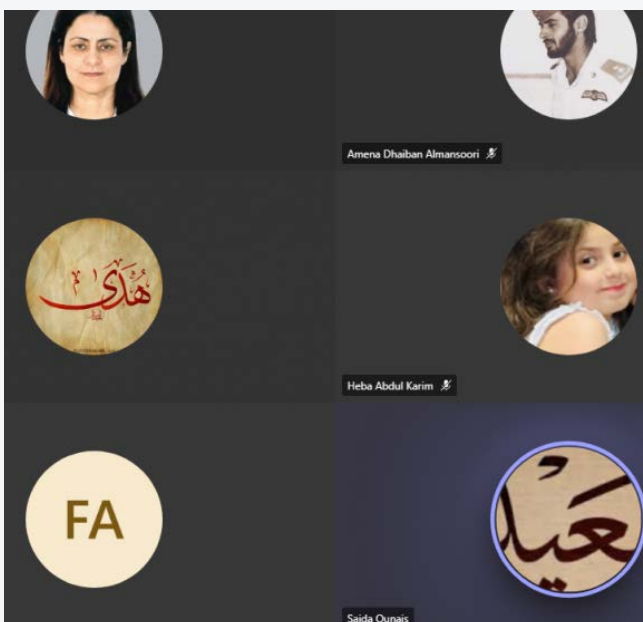# Arabic calligraphy competition to encourage creative talents

On the occasion of the Arabic Language Day, the Deanship of Student Affairs (Al Ain campus), organized the Arabic calligraphy competition for AAU students to encourage creative talents and competencies interested in this type of art. The competition lasted for 3 days through the Instagram account of the Deanship of Student Affairs.

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The College of Education shows the students' projects in the fields of psychology

The College of Education, Humanities and Social Sciences, at Al Ain University, Abu Dhabi campus, organized a virtual discussion to show the students' practical projects for the courses; Clinical Psychology, Psychological counseling, and the modification of human behavior. Under the supervision of Dr. Salwa Al Majali, Director of Special Education, and Applied Psychology Programs.

The students 'projects included; behavior modification plans, psychological reports, a clinical case study, a video presentation of the students' counseling interviews, a presentation of a recently published book for student Hoda Al-Harz from the Applied Psychology Program, and a summary of a scientific research by Saida Yunus.

These projects contribute to preparing students as professional psychologists and for the job market.

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