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Al Ain University get the Highest QS Stars Ratings for Teaching

Al Ain University (AAU) has received the highest ratings (5-stars) in Teaching and Inclusiveness categories, based on the “QS Stars Rating System”, operated by QS (the independent compiler of the QS World University Rankings since 2004).

The system evaluates the universities across a wide range of important performance indicators as set against pre-established international standards. By covering a broader range of criteria than any world ranking exercise, QS Stars shines a light on both the excellence and the diversity of the rated institution. The universities are awarded a rating of one to five stars (highest rating), depending on their performance within the evaluation.

In addition, for being rated 5-stars (highest rating) in Teaching and Inclusiveness categories, AAU got full points in the following indicators: Overall Student Satisfaction, Satisfaction with Teaching, Further Study (Proportion of students pursuing further study within 12 months of graduation), Scholarship and Bursaries, Disabled Access, International Faculty, International Students, IT Infrastructure, and Industrial Research.



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Pharmacy students celebrated the World Pharmacists Day Delightfully



The College of Pharmacy at Al Ain University, Abu Dhabi campus, organized various events on the occasion of the World Pharmacists Day which comes on 25 September each year.

The first activity of the World Pharmacists Day was to distribute simple gifts

to the faculty members in recognition of their efforts. The tour began with visiting the office of Prof. Ghaleb El Refae, AAU President, who stressed the important role of the pharmacist in the community, pointing out that the role of the doctor and nurse cannot be completed without the pharmacist.

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AAU Family visit the Ministry of Tolerance



As part of its activities of the Year of Tolerance, the Deanship of Student Affairs at Al Ain University in Abu Dhabi campus organized an introductory visit to the Ministry of Tolerance in Abu Dhabi for the AAU family, which included a seminar on the role,

vision, mission, values and strategic goals set by the Ministry of Tolerance at the international and local level.

Mr. Yasser Al Gergawi, Director of Programs and Partnerships at the Ministry.

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Khalifa Library presents Al Ain University in India



Al Ain University represented by AAU library Director, Dr. Abdoulaye Kaba, participated at the “International Conference on Reshaping Librarianship: Innovations and Transformations” organized by Bharathiar University, India.

Dr. Kaba delivered a keynote speech where he talked about a range of relevant and useful innovative and emerging library technologies. “History teaches us how librarians and information specialists have used technologies to reshape librarianship and bring innovations and transformations to the provision of library services and resources”

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College of Engineering Welcomes Freshmen Students



The College of Engineering at Al Ain University, Abu Dhabi Campus, welcomed its freshmen students who joined the college at the beginning of the academic year 2019/2020- by organizing an orientation meeting, where various sessions were delivered by the college faculty members about the most important topics that students should be familiar with during their studies.

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New pharmacists were welcomed by their faculty members



The freshmen students from the College of Pharmacy who joined at the beginning of the academic year 2019/2020- were welcomed by the faculty staff in the orientation meeting organized by the College at Al Ain University, Abu Dhabi Campus, to discuss the most important topics



that the student should be familiar with while studying pharmacy at Al Ain University. Dr. Mohammad Ghattas, Deputy Dean of the College of Pharmacy, welcomed the new students and wished them to have a great academic year full of positivity and successes.

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A Seminar about Abu Dhabi Fund for Development



In collaboration with the Abu Dhabi Fund for Development, the Deanship of Student Affairs at Al Ain University, Abu Dhabi campus, organized an introductory seminar about the fund role and activities, presented by Mrs. Fatima Al Bloushi, Media Advisor.

The seminar included an explanation about the UAE's efforts to provide grants and humanitarian assistance to developing countries through the Abu Dhabi Fund. Where the UAE is the largest humanitarian donor between 2013-2017.

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AAU launch "Refresh your Heart" initiative on the World Heart Day



The Deanship of Student Affairs at Al Ain University, Al Ain campus, in collaboration with NMC hospital, launched a health initiative entitled "Refresh your Heart" on the occasion of the World Heart Day which marks the 29th of September each year. The initiative included free medical tests on checkups such as body mass index, pressure, cholesterol and sugar, where the aim of this initiative is to enhance students' and family's knowledge .

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Various activities to keep the AAU family healthy



A healthy open day was organized by the Deanship of Student Affairs at Al Ain University, Abu Dhabi campus, in cooperation with Universal Specialty Medical Center, including free medical consultations and examinations for the AAU family represented by the academic and administrative staffs and students. Medical examinations on oral and dental health, blood sugar tests and blood pressure were provided by specialists .

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Engineering Students Discover Space Challenges

In order to provide its students with the knowledge and skills necessary for creativity and leadership, to enhance their self-confidence and understand the local market challenges to build the future engineer, Dr. Nuha Hamada at Al Ain University in Abu Dhabi campus has coordinated a visit to one of the international innovation centers “Krypto Labs” in Masdar City.

The students were introduced to the center and attended the workshop organized by Krypto labs in collaboration with the United Arab Emirates Space Agency, where a team of researchers and specialists in the agency led a discussion about the future challenges facing the UAE space technology company.

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AAU Students Acquire Marketing Skills from Google

In collaboration with the Emirates Foundation, the Deanship of Student Affairs at Al Ain University, Abu Dhabi campus, has organized a training course entitled “Skills from Google”, presented by Mrs. Stephany Daniel. Where she talked about the Internet evolution, the concept of e-marketing and the applications used in it. She also talked about the advantages and disadvantages of e-marketing and the elements required to use e-marketing in a successful manner.

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Orientation Week about Khalifa Library for Freshmen Students

As a part of the introduction and preparation for the new academic year, the Khalifa Library at Al Ain University organized an orientation week for new faculty members and students.

During the week, library resources and services were introduced to the visitors through presentation and tour. The presentation focused on library vision and mission, objectives, policies, digital resources and services. Moreover, the visitors toured important places and facilities in the library, including discussion rooms.

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«Plan for Your Happiness» makes a positive difference for students

Plan for your happiness, is a program presented by the Family Development Foundation in the event that organized by the Deanship of Student Affairs at Al Ain University, Abu Dhabi campus to enhance community and professional awareness among students and discuss the best ways to plan for their future aspirations.

During the lecture, Mrs. Heba Sharkas, Director of Training and Consulting at the Family Development Foundation, presented the basics of planning professional, social and marital life, and guide the youth in the right way of making decisions, whether in their work or social life as well as in choosing a life partner.

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Al Ain University starts the new academic year activities with workshop on First Aid

Starting with the new academic year 20192020-, the Deanship of Student Affairs at Al Ain University, Abu Dhabi campus, organized a training on Basic First Aids in cooperation with the UAE Red Crescent and the College of Pharmacy, presented by Mr. Muhannad Al Momani, a trainer at the UAE Red Crescent.

During the workshop, the pharmacy students were trained in the methods of providing immediate and temporary aids, to save the life of a person who may be exposed to a sudden and emergency health conditions that may lead to; bleed, create wounds, fracture or faint, until specialized medical care is provided by the qualified person by reaching him to the nearest hospital or medical clinic.

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Khalifa Library promotes reading by visiting Al Ain Book Fair

In cooperation with different colleges, Khalifa Library organized a visit to Al Ain Book Fair 2019. The visit aimed to enrich the library with the latest valuable publications for various disciplines and specialization, and to strengthen cooperation with publishing houses and distributors. Beside library staff, the faculty members and students from the College of Engineering, Pharmacy, Law, Education, Business, and College of Communication and Media participated in the visit where it was successful and fruitful.

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