





partnerships for the goals

2-17 Relationships that support goals:

The issues addressed by the Sustainable Development Goals are comprehensive issues that are not limited to a category or population community, or geographical borders. They are the responsibility of every part of society, all over the world. Comprehensive development cannot be achieved without links, across the goals, because the relationship between institutions is an integrative relationship, and universities, as educational, research and service institutions, have a great social and ethical responsibility to support the development goals and do their utmost to achieve them through cooperation with local institutions, in other countries and promoting best practices. Unless all partners work together to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals, they cannot be achieved.

17-2-1: Does your university have direct involvement or input from national government or regional NGOs in the development of SDG policies - including identifying problems and challenges, developing policies and strategies, modelling possible futures with and without interventions, monitoring and reporting on interventions, and enabling adaptive management?

Yarmouk University is an active institution at all levels, local, regional and international, governmental and non-governmental, as the university and its employees participate in multiple contributions related to sustainable development, including: First:





































The Jordanian government, as the Jordanian government has included throughout its formation cycles employees from the university, or graduates of Yarmouk University, and it is the body responsible for drawing up all policies and legislation, which are necessarily linked to the goals of sustainable development. The two prime ministers of the Jordanian government were chosen, namely Prof. Dr. Adnan Badran - the first president of Yarmouk University and its founder, and Dr. Hani Al-Mulki, a faculty member at Al-Hijjawi College), and to this day it still includes in its formation Dr. Muhammad Al-Momani, Minister of State for Media Affairs, in addition to many members of the Jordanian House of Representatives.



Second: Regional Contribution: The university participates in many regional committees, including:

-Membership in the UNESCO Network of Chairs for Communication







































(https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/newarcat/3530-2022-09-01-06-51-20)

-Partnership with the UNRWA Office and the Department of Palestinian Affairs

(https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/campusnews/5003-2023-11-20-08-58-44)

Third: Local Contributions:

-Membership in University Boards of Trustees

(https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/campusnews/4712-2023-09-07-09-21-01)

Fourth: Centers specialized in sustainable development goals: which contribute to policy-making at all levels, namely:

- Establishing the first center in the Arab region and the Middle East specialized in on issues of asylum, displacement and forced migration (https://rdfmsc.yu.edu.jo)
- Princess Basma Center for Jordanian Women's Studies (https://pbc.yu.edu.jo/)
- 17.2.2: Does your university initiate and participate multi-sectoral dialogue SDGs. on conferences involving government/NGOs?

Yarmouk University is keen to participate in and organize conferences that discuss topics related to comprehensive sustainability issues. During the year 2023, it held more than 50 seminars that addressed sustainable development issues. The following list contains some examples of events:

"Green Economy and Sustainable Development in Jordan" Seminar



































https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/newarcat/5013-2023-11-21-11-42-49

Green technology and its role in sustainable development

https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/campusnews/5045-2023-11-29-08-23-30

Conference on the role of libraries and knowledge in sustainable development

https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/newarcat/3672-2022-10-05-09-15-42

Conference on "The Role of Youth Leadership in Achieving the Royal Vision"

https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/2022-08-31-22-04-37/4023-2022-12-29-09-45-40

15th International Conference on Multidisciplinary Sciences https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/2022-08-31-22-04-36/3857-2022-11-14-06-44-42

Dialogue seminar on youth and sustainable development

https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/newarcat/662-2022-08-09-12-05-30

Yarmouk Summer Festival, which holds various activities in the fields of comprehensive sustainable development.

https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/component/search/?searchword=%D8%B5%D9%8A%D9%81%2 0%D8%A7%D9%84%D9%8A%D8%B1%D9%85%D9%88%D9%83&searchphrase=all&limit=20

17.2.3: Does your university participate as an entity in international cooperation to collect or measure data for the Sustainable Development Goals?

Yarmouk University participates in the global sustainability rankings, ranking (741-750) in the QS Sustainability ranking, and (1001-1200) in THE IMPACT ranking. Yarmouk University is linked to many agreements with regional and international entities, especially through three centers specialized sustainability issues, which are:

Centre for Refugee, Displaced Persons and Forced Migration **Studies**

https://rdfmsc.yu.edu.jo/

Princess Basma Center for Jordanian Women's Studies

Center for Entrepreneurship and Innovation

https://eic.yu.edu.jo/index.php/projects-and-partnerships/partners

The Center for Sustainable Development Studies, which was recently established in 2022 at the university







































These centers, through their partnerships with local and international organizations, collect and analyze data, each according to its specialization. The following table shows some of the projects:

Launch of the Research Network of the Center for Refugee, Displaced Persons and Forced Migration Studies

https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/newarcat/3547-2022-08-25-11-19-03

Yarmouk Refugee Studies Center Launches Diploma Program in "Fundamentals of Research in Refugee Issues"

https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/campusnews/3991-2022-12-20-08-37-00

**CERTIFICATE OF ACCEPTANCE*

Certificate of acceptance for the manuscript (sustainability-2504852) titled:

Assessing Refugee Preferences for SDG 2 (Zero Hunger) Solutions in Irbid Camp and Sakhra Region: Cultivated Roofs and Refrigerators as Food Banks Interventions

Authored by:

Reem Alkharouf; Ali Shehadeh; Khaled Khazaleh; Azzam Al-Azzam; Muneer Khalayleh has been accepted in *Sustainability* (ISSN 2071-1050) on 31 July 2023

MORPH Matters Paladong

Basel, July 2023

"Refugee Center" issues the first issue of its electronic newsletter

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1bKup5jXye96Wzdy3ecXkAuNmDfcKGC3K/view

Yarmouk Refugee and Displaced Persons Center Participates in Closed Expert Workshop on Jordan-Syria Relationship

https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/newarcat/3808-2022-10-30-10-35-04

Refugee Studies Center completes field survey of 400 families within the Zero Hunger research project





































https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/newarcat/4042-400

Joint research between faculty members at Yarmouk University and partners from other universities also contributes.

- 17.2.4: Does your university as a body, through international collaboration and research, review comparative approaches and develop international practices in addressing the Sustainable **Development Goals?**

Yarmouk University has adopted an approach to obtaining international accreditation, the requirements of which include achieving sustainable development goals. 17 academic programs have obtained international accreditation, namely:

Accreditation body	Specialization	No.
Tedqual	Tourism and Hotels	.1
Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET)	Computer Engineering	.2
Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET)	Electronics Engineering	.3
Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET)	Industrial Engineering	.4
Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET)	Electrical Power Engineering	.5
Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE)	Pharmacy	.6
World Federation	Doctor of Medicine	.7
Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET)	Architectural Engineering	.8





































Accreditation body	Specialization	No.
Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET)	Biomedical Systems Engineering	.9
Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET)	Biomedical Informatics Engineering	.10
Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET)	Telecommunications Engineering	.11
Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET)	Computer Science	.12
Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET)	Computer Information Systems	.13
Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET)	Business Information Technology	.14
Accreditation Board for Engineering and	Statistics	.15

Since its establishment, Yarmouk University has been keen on networking, building relationships, and signing cooperation agreements with various institutions. In 2016, it established a special department for international cooperation, which is "International Relations and Projects" https://dirp.yu.edu.jo/

"Yarmouk University (YU) is involved in tens of projects funded mainly by the EU through different programs such as ENPI CBC MED (now ENI CBC MED), H2020 (and formally FP7), ERASMUS+ CBHE (formally Tempus), ERASMUS+ KA107 (formally ERASMUS MUNDUS), DAAD, etc. While YU is partner in most of these projects, depending on the rules of these programs, it led the consortium of many successful projects as grant holder (applicant). This experience makes the university familiar with responsibilities, obligations, and rules of such joint projects."

https://dirp.yu.edu.jo/index.php/projects/funded-projects-byvear





































17.2.5: Does your university as a body collaborate with NGOs to address the Sustainable Development Goals?

The university works in cooperation with many non-governmental organizations to achieve development goals, and the following examples illustrate:



Establishing a system for separating waste at the source to enhance environmental awareness and achieve sustainable development

https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/newarcat/4807-2023-10-05-13-15-16

A training program in preparing trainers for its faculty members and diplomateachers

https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/newarcat/4497-2023-07-13-04-32-22

The Fourth Environmental Exhibition in cooperation with "Irbid Environment" and the White Daisy Environmental Association

https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/newarcat/5042-2023-11-28-12-10-42

Organizing a visit to Irbid Association for Hosting the Elderly

https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/campusnews/5037-2023-11-27-08-59-01

Summer Club Activities in Partnership with the University Service Association of Canada

https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/newarcat/4538-2023-07-31-07-35-42







































17.4.1: Is your university committed as an entity to meaningful education on the Sustainable Development Goals across the university, which is relevant and applicable to all students?

Yarmouk University is committed to purposeful education on sustainable development, as the axes of the university's strategic plan are linked to the goals of sustainable development, through academic programs, courses, seminars and conferences, from adopting procedures to disseminate environmental culture derived from its cultural values to achieve development goals, the university: - Offers compulsory courses for its students, which are:

	المساقات الإكاديمية			
Academic courses				
Level	Course Name	اسم المساق	No.	
Bachelor	Development and Environment Course (SCI 110)	مساق التنمية والبيئة(SCI 110)	1	
Bachelor	Environment and Public Health Course (SCI 101)	مساق البيئة والصحة العامة SCI) (101	2	
Bachelor	Management and Community Development 2 Course (SCI 106)	مساق الادارة وتنمية المجتمع2 (SCI 106)	3	
Bachelor	Renewable Energy Course (SCI 105)	مساق الطاقة المتجددة (SCI 105)	4	
Bachelor	Epidemiology and Community Immunity Course (SCI 111)	مساق الوبائيات والمناعة المجتمعية (SCI 111)	5	
Bachelor	Digital Culture Course (SCI)	مساق الثقافة الرقمية(SCI)	6	
Bachelor	Fitness for All (SCI 103)	مساق اللياقة البدنية للجميع SCI) (103	7	
Bachelor	Effective Communication (SCI 104)	(103) مساق التواصل الفعال(SCI 104)	8	
Bachelor	Scientific Research (SCI 107)	مساق البحث العلمي(SCI 107)	9	
Bachelor	Information Technology (SCI 102)	مساق تكنولوجيا المعلومات SCI) (102	10	
Bachelor	Water Resources Geography	جغرافيا الموارد المائية	11	
Multi-leveled	In addition to many courses related to	والعديد من المساقات المتعلقة بمحاور الاستدامة	12	





































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17.4.2: Does your university as an institution have dedicated courses (full degrees or electives) that address sustainability and the SDGs?

Yarmouk University offers 162 academic programs, 72 of which grant a bachelor's degree, and 90 postgraduate programs. The percentage of programs directly related to development goals constitutes 75 of them, and the others include courses in their teaching plans related to sustainable development. The university contains the following colleges:

https://admreg.yu.edu.jo/images/docs/majors.pdf		
https://srgs.yu.edu.jo/images/grad	duate-studies/brochure/BROCH-A	<u>R.pdf</u>
College of Nursing	College of Pharmacy	Faculty of Medicine
College of Arts	College of Engineering	Faculty of Science
College of Archaeology	College of Education	Faculty of Sports
College of Tourism	College of Sharia	Faculty of Arts
College of Information Technology	College of Media	Faculty of Business
Faculty of Law		

17.4.3: Education for the Sustainable Development Goals in the wider community.

The university is committed to holding educational awareness activities dedicated to the wider local community, through:

The library:

https://library.yu.edu.jo/	University Library Website
https://www.facebook.com/YULibrary/? rdc=1& rdr	Library Website on Social Media

Conferences and seminars

https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/newarcat/3672-	Conference on "The Role of Libraries	
<u>2022-10-05-09-15-42</u>	and Knowledge in Sustainable	
	Development"	
https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/newarcat/5096-	A scientific conference on inclusive	
2023-12-14-11-01-27	education in light of digital	
	transformation	
https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/newarcat/5827-	A conference on tourism and green	
2024-08-07-11-12-33	investment	





































https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/newarcat/681-An educational session on psychiatry 2022-08-04-10-25-36 at the College of Medicine

Initiatives:

https://www.yu.edu.jo/index.php/2022-08-31-22-	Yarmouk University hosts
04-35/4608-2023-08-20-05-33-45	Erasmus Student Network,
	Irbid branch

General Resources (Lifelong Learning) The university offers the opportunity to participate in many courses (with competitive fees and incentive discounts) ending with a diploma certificate, the number of which is (7) programs implemented by the center (yu.edu.jo), which contribute to educating members of the local community who are not studying at the university, and providing them with promising future job opportunities.

Evidence	Program name	No.
Cypersecurity.pdf (yu.edu.jo)	Training Diploma in Cyber Security	.1
<u>Untitled (yu.edu.jo)</u> (15)دبلوم الإعلام الرقمي التلفزيوني <u>-</u> YouTube	Diploma in Digital Media Television	.2
records.pdf(yu.edu.jo)	Training Diploma in Records Management and Medical Secretarial	.3
Software Development Technology Specialist (yu.edu.jo)	Training Diploma in Computer Maintenance, Systems and Networks Management and Security	.4
hospital.pdf (yu.edu.jo)	Training Diploma in Hospital and Health Services Management	.5
عمان في yu.edu.jo)2002/2/12	Training Diploma in Electronic Accounting	.6
جامعة اليرموك(yu.edu.jo)	Professional Diploma in Surveying and Building Control	.7









































The university also provides members of the local community with free access to facilities and equipment within the university campus, such as the library, theaters and auditoriums, to participate in activities and obtain the opportunity to learn. Many activities have also been designed to serve members of the local community and strengthen partnerships with them for the sake of sustainable education. The university provides members of the local community with the opportunity to access learning resources and various activities in person and electronically by providing a Zoom link for all activities. The schedule shows

Does your university as an institution have dedicated outreach activities – for the wider community, which could include alumni, local residents and displaced people?

Yarmouk University supports early years education programs by offering many specializations and programs that achieve sustainable education. The following table shows this:

Study Plan	Specialization	Program
كلية العلوم التربوية(yu.edu.jo)_	Class teacher Child education	Bachelor's







































الدبلوم العالى لإعداد المعلمين(yu.edu.jo) ابتداء من الفصل الدر اسى الأول 2021/2020 : الير موك تطرح برنامج دبلوم فن التعليم والتعلم (yu.edu.jo) التعليم الدامج(yu.edu.jo)	Teacher Preparation The Art of Teaching and Learning Inclusive Education	Higher Diploma
<4D6963726F736F667420576F7264202D20E3C7CC D3CAEDD120E3E4C7E5CC20C7E1DAE1E6E32D 20C7E1E3D3C7D120C7E1D4C7E3E12D2D2D2D2 E646F63>(yu.edu.jo)	Science curricula and teaching methods	
<4D6963726F736F667420576F7264202D20E3E4C7 E5CC20C7E1D1EDC7D6EDC7CA20D4C7E3E120 312E646F63>(yu.edu.jo)	Mathematics curricula and teaching methods	
<4D6963726F736F667420576F7264202D20E3E4C7 E5CC20C7E1E1DBC920C7E1DAD1C8EDC920D4 C7E3E12020312E646F63>(yu.edu.jo)	Arabic language curricula and teaching methods	
<4D6963726F736F667420576F7264202D20E3E4C7 E5CC20C7E1E1DBC920C7E1C7E4CCE1EDD2ED C920D4C7E3E1202E646F63>(yu.edu.jo)	English language curricula and teaching methods	Master's
<4D6963726F736F667420576F7264202D20CFD1C7 D3C7CA20C7CCCAE3C7DAEDC920D4C7E3E12 E646F63>(yu.edu.jo)	Social Studies Curricula and Teaching Methods	
<4D6963726F736F667420576F7264202D20C7E1CA D1C8EDC920C7E1E3E5E4EDC9202020D4C7E3E 12E646F63>(yu.edu.jo)	Vocational Education Curricula and Teaching Methods	
<4D6963726F736F667420576F7264202D20CADEE 4EDC7CA20CADAE1EDE32D20E3D3C7D120C7E 1D4C7E3E12D2E646F63> (yu.edu.jo)	Learning Techniques	
arabic.pdf (yu.edu.jo)	Arabic Language Curricula and Teaching Methods	
english.pdf (yu.edu.jo)	English Language Curricula and Teaching Methods	
derasat.pdf (yu.edu.jo)	Social Studies Curricula and Teaching Methods	Ph.D.
science.pdf(yu.edu.jo)	Science Curricula and Teaching Methods	
math.pdf (yu.edu.jo)	Mathematics Curricula and Teaching Methods	

Table (1). Educationally qualified programs and specializations offered by the university and their plans

The following table shows the percentage of graduates who have qualifications that qualify them for teaching and education. The percentage exceeded 32% of the total university graduates.

8779	Number of graduates
2862	Number of graduates with qualifications that qualify them to teach in the new phase
%32.6	Percentage of graduates





























