

17.2.4. International collaboration for research, review of comparative approaches to demonstrate best practice on tackling the SDGs

Alexandria University leads strong international collaboration on SDG data, applying unified methods, comparative analysis, and remote-sensing technology with partners across Africa, Asia, Europe, and the United States. Through joint research, multi-country surveys, and integrated models, the University supports Sustainable Development in key areas such as water, climate change, health, agriculture, and urban systems. This global framework enhances evaluation, strengthens SDG measurement, and improves policy responses by combining diverse data sources, regional experience, and coordinated programs across developing countries.

International Cooperation: Alexandria University Receives University of Chicago's Associate Dean



Professor Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa, President of Alexandria University, received yesterday Dr. Dina Rashed, Associate Dean of the College for Academic Affairs at the University of Chicago in the United States of America, with the aim of developing academic cooperation between the two sides on topics of common interest relevant to achieving SDGs, e.g. education, Law, economic studies and business

The meeting was attended by Dr. Ahmed Wahban, Dean of the Faculty of Economics and Political Science, and Dr. Osama El-Adly, Vice Dean of the Faculty for Education and Student Affairs.

During the meeting, Dr. Konsowa welcomed the attendees, stressing Alexandria University's keenness to consolidate cooperation with American universities in various scientific fields, referring to the extended relations and joint academic degrees with many American universities such as Virginia Tech, Alabama, and Louisville Universities. He pointed to the university's strategy towards establishing many dual and joint academic degrees with highly ranked international universities in order to provide a distinguished educational service and graduate a generation capable of competing in local, regional, and international labor markets. He expressed his aspiration to increase this cooperation in the fields of education, scientific research, innovation, and the establishment of joint academic degrees and the exchange of faculty members and students at both the undergraduate and graduate levels.



For her part, Dr. Dina Rashed praised the distinguished level of students and graduates of Alexandria University, and pointed out the academic excellence of students of the Faculty of Economics and Political Science who received scholarships to study at the University of Chicago for a year, stressing the University of Chicago's keenness to develop joint cooperation with Alexandria University in the fields of educational programs and joint research projects in various academic disciplines.

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Alexandria University Receives Fulbright Commission Delegation to Discuss Means of Cooperation

Professor Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa, President of Alexandria University, received today, Thursday, November 7, 2024, a Fulbright Commission delegation headed by Dr. Maggie Nassif, Executive Director of the Commission, with the aim of discussing ways of cooperation between Alexandria University and the Commission in research and academic fields of common interest, and introducing Fulbright grants for research and study in the United States of America as well as developing the skills of researchers and faculty members at Alexandria University.



The meeting was attended by the Vice Presidents of the University, Deans and Vice Deans of the Faculties and Institutes of Alexandria University, the University's International Relations Office and the Project Management Unit.

During the meeting, mechanisms for cooperation between Alexandria University and the Fulbright Commission were discussed in many areas, including the exchange of experiences and knowledge between researchers in various fields, implementing joint research projects, programming educational exchange, exchanging students and faculty members between the two sides, developing educational programs, providing joint academic programs, developing the skills of researchers and faculty members, organizing workshops, seminars and conferences, and providing specialized training programs.

In his speech, Dr. Konsowa stressed that Alexandria University is keen to open areas of academic and research cooperation in SDGs with international bodies and world universities with advanced international classification, especially considering Alexandria University's endeavour to establish an international branch based on joint programs and dual degrees with major international universities. The university president discussed with the Fulbright



delegation how to benefit from the programs offered by the commission in all fields for graduate students, researchers, professionals and faculty members, and mechanisms for cooperation in scientific and academic fields of common interest, including medical, engineering, arts, architecture, nursing, information technology, humanities, law and entrepreneurship.

Dr. Maggie Nassif stressed the depth of relations between Alexandria University and the Fulbright Commission due to the distinguished reputation enjoyed by Alexandria University at the international level, praising the university's role in caring about developing scientific research, improving the quality of the educational process and constantly striving to develop the human element and keep pace with global scientific developments in various specializations. She also reviewed many new opportunities and grants provided to professors and researchers to conduct research in the United States of America in various fields.

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Reception of the delegation of the Chinese Academy of Sciences at Alexandria University

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Within the framework of Alexandria University's keenness to support relations with international universities, and on behalf of Dr. Abdelaziz Konswa, President of Alexandria University, Dr. Hesham Saeed, Vice President of the University for Graduate Studies and Research, received a delegation from the Chinese Academy of Sciences headed by Prof. Dr. Jan Zhao, Director of the Hangzhou Medical Institute, to discuss ways of cooperation between the two sides in common scientific fields of interest particularly water and energy.

The meeting was attended by Dr. Bushra Salem, Assistant President of the University for International Classifications, Dr. Jihan Gouifle, Assistant President of the University for International Branches, Dr. Hanan Gouily, Dean of the Faculty of Pharmacy, Dr. Hala Hamouda, Vice Dean of the Faculty of Pharmacy for Graduate Studies and Research, Dr. Iman Shawky, Professor at the Faculty of Pharmacy, Dr. Sherwit Hussein Abdel Latif, Professor of Textile Engineering at the Faculty of Engineering, Dr. Samah Al-Sahafi, Assistant Professor at the Faculty of Pharmacy, and Dr. Mohamed Ahmed Abdel



Hakim, Lecturer of Textile Engineering at the Faculty of Engineering.

In his speech, Dr. Hisham Saeed with the Chinese delegation at Alexandria University, a presentation was given about Alexandria University, its history, the various colleges and institutes at the university, as well as the university's publishing statistics over the past years and Alexandria University's global ranking according to various international rankings. A presentation was also given about the international branches of Alexandria University and the extent of expansion and internationalization in the various programs at Alexandria University, a presentation about the Faculty of Pharmacy and its available programs, and a review of some projects of common interest with the Chinese Academy, including the production of natural silk as a joint project between the two sides. The Chinese delegation gave a presentation about the Chinese Academy of Sciences and the projects it provides in various fields.

Alexandria University Receives Kyushu University Delegation to Discuss Means of Cooperation

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Within the framework of Alexandria University's keenness to support relations with international universities, and on behalf of Professor Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa, President of Alexandria University, Dr. Hisham Saeed, Vice President for Graduate Studies and Research, and Dr. Ali Abdelmohsen, Acting Vice President for Education and Students Affairs, received a delegation from Kyushu University, headed by Professor Akashi Koichi, Professor of Internal Medicine and Dean of the Faculty of Medicine at Kyushu University, to discuss ways of cooperation between the two universities in scientific fields of common interest.

The meeting was attended by Dr. Sameh Shehata, Supervisor of the International Relations Office at Alexandria University, Dr. Boshra Salem, Assistant President of the University for International Classifications, Dr. Mohamed Rizk, Director of the Smart Infrastructure Research Center, Dr. Ahmed Hassanein, Professor of Polymer and Fiber Engineering, Dr. Nadia Badr, Professor at the Faculty of Science, and Dr. Alia Ramadan, Professor at the Faculty of Pharmacy.

In his speech, Dr. Hisham Saeed welcomed the Japanese delegation to Alexandria University, and gave a presentation on the history of the establishment of Alexandria University, its various faculties, and its strategic SDG goals and objectives.

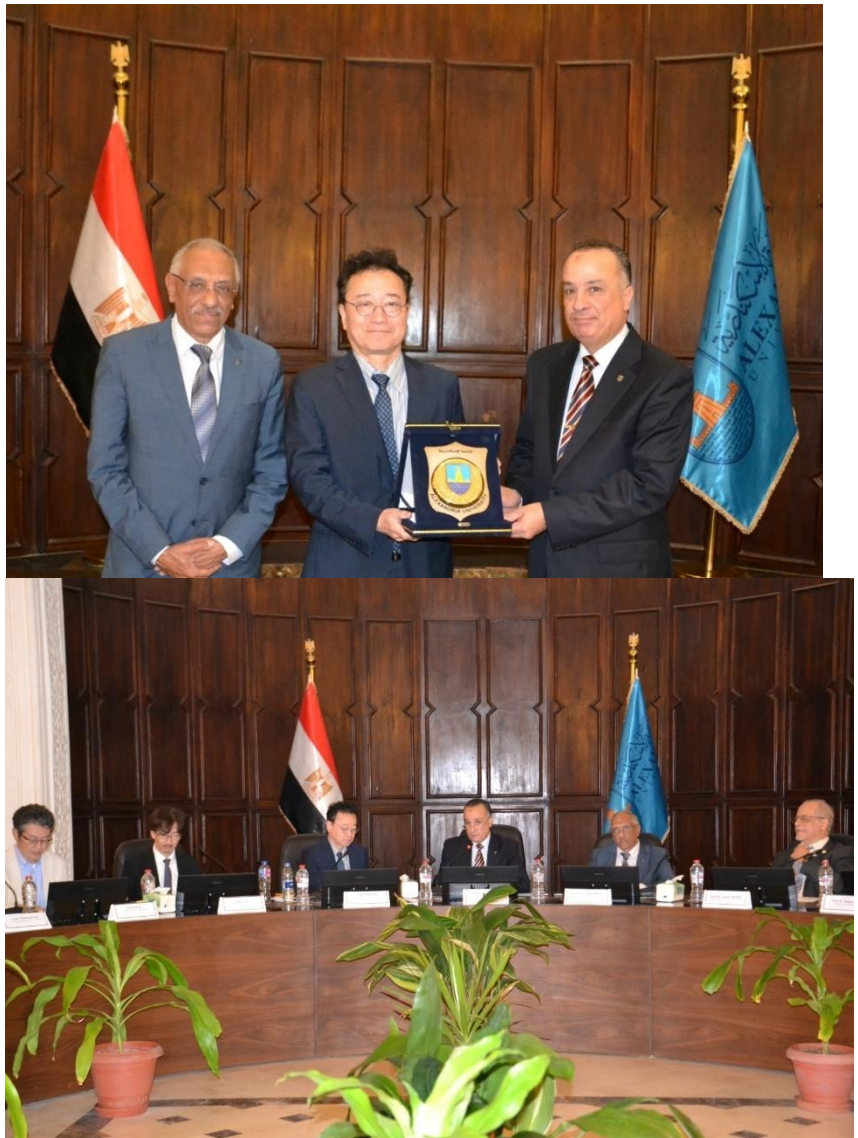
He also reviewed some of the funded projects within the university, as well as the various funding bodies supporting it, in addition to the extent of Alexandria University's contribution to supporting the projects of its young researchers.

Dr. Ali Abdel Mohsen stressed that Alexandria University has strong relations with Japanese universities in many different scientific and research fields, explaining that Alexandria University is keen to expand the scope of cooperation in modern and advanced scientific fields, pointing to the double degree between Alexandria University and the University of Manchester in Britain in the fields of medicine and dentistry, which is the first of its kind in the Middle East. He pointed out that the meeting touched on the importance of exchanging faculty members and students in areas of common interest between the two sides.

Dr. Sameh Shehata also reviewed the international relations between Alexandria University and many international universities, especially Japanese universities, and the double and joint degrees between Alexandria University and foreign universities and the memoranda of understanding signed between Alexandria University and Japanese universities.

Dr. Boshra Salem gave a presentation on scientific publishing at Alexandria University, the global and local ranking of Alexandria University, and ways to improve this ranking in the future, in addition to cooperation between Alexandria University and many international universities and institutions.

The Japanese delegation gave a presentation on Kyushu University, its faculties, departments, and academic programs it offers in various academic degrees. The Japanese delegation also praised Alexandria University's experience in attracting international universities, which gives distinction to the education system at Alexandria University.



The meeting also discussed ways of future cooperation between Alexandria University and Kyushu University in Japan in the fields of medicine, engineering, computer science, data, pharmacy, and some other fields of common interest.

Start of Second Year of Dual Degree Program in Cooperation between Alexandria University and University of Essex, UK,

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Within the framework of the agreement signed between Alexandria University and the University of Essex in the UK, students from the Faculty of Engineering enrolled in the Computer and Communications Engineering, Mechatronics Engineering and Robotics programs arrived at the University of Essex, where they will begin their studies to obtain a master's degree from the University of Essex in addition to a bachelor's degree from the Faculty of Engineering, Alexandria University.

This agreement, with the dual degree system (4+1) with the University of Essex, allows students from the Faculty of Engineering in the fields of Computer and Communications Engineering, Mechatronics Engineering and Electromechanical Engineering to obtain a bachelor's degree in engineering from Alexandria University in addition to obtaining a master's degree from the University of Essex, where students will study for 4 years (8 semesters) at Alexandria University, followed by one year at the University of Essex.

It is worth noting that this year witnesses the graduation of the first group (5 students) who joined the University of Essex through this partnership in the field of computer and communications engineering, this year also, other specializations in engineering, computers and business will begin at Alexandria University and Alexandria National University.

Vice President of Alexandria University Receives Former Iraqi Minister of Higher Education

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Dr. Ali Abdelmohsen, Acting Vice President of Alexandria University for Education and Student Affairs, on behalf of Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa, President of the University, received Dr. Abed Diab Al-Ujaili, former Minister of Higher Education in Iraq, and his accompanying delegation with the aim of discussing ways to enhance academic and cultural cooperation between the two sides on topics of common interest, and to explore the possibility of concluding joint agreements and opening a branch of Alexandria University in Iraq.

The meeting was attended by Dr. Sameh Shehata, Supervisor of the International Relations Office at Alexandria University, Dr. Boshra Salem, Assistant President of the University for International Ranking, and Dr. Hala Maklad, Director of the University's International Students Department.

In his speech, Dr. Ali Abdelmohsen welcomed the guests, stressing the university's keenness to strengthen cooperation ties with academic institutions in the sisterly state of Iraq in various scientific and cultural fields, and to provide distinguished educational and research care and services to Iraqi students studying at Alexandria University, referring to Alexandria University's strategy aimed at internationalizing education through dual and joint degrees with highly ranked international universities, and establishing branches of international universities in cooperation with Alexandria University in Borg El Arab, in addition to the regional and international role of Alexandria University through its branches in Chad and South Sudan to support scientific, cultural and humanitarian ties with African countries.

Dr. Ali Abdelmohsen added that the continuous progress in the university's ranking according to international classifications is due to the interest in scientific research, international cooperation, innovation and achieving sustainable development goals.

For his part, Dr. Abed Diab Al-Ujaili praised the distinguished scientific status of Alexandria University and Egypt's historical role in the Arab world, pointing out Iraq's desire to cooperate with Egyptian academic institutions in general and Alexandria University in particular in the fields of joint scientific research, exchange of faculty members, students, scientific journals and research projects in various academic fields and specializations to benefit from their extensive experience in the field of education and scientific research and support the education development plan undertaken by Iraq, stressing the desire to open branches of Egyptian universities in general and Alexandria University in particular in Iraq to contribute to the renaissance of Iraq and its return to practicing its role as a centre of civilization in the Arab world.

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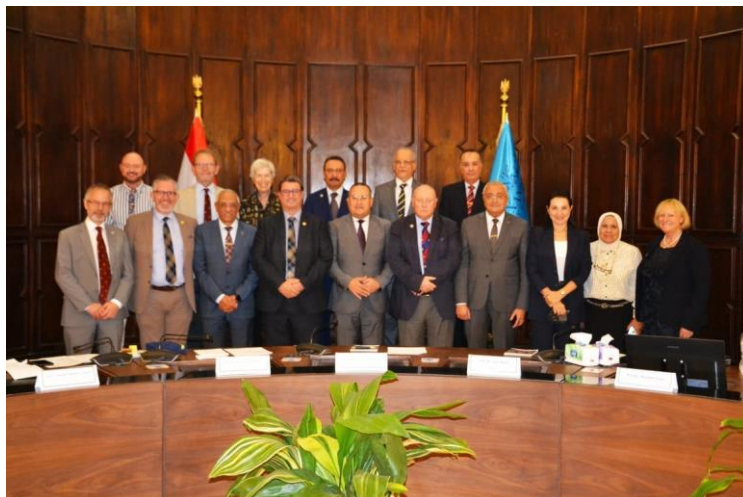




Alexandria University receives Delegation from Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh

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In an important step towards enhancing international cooperation, Professor Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa, President of Alexandria University, received today a delegation from the Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh, headed by Professor Dr. Rowan Parks, with the aim of discussing and cooperating to provide accredited training programs for students of the Faculty of Dentistry to provide the necessary skills in line with the requirements of the international labour market, and to work on



developing and describing the faculty's curricula to match international classification requirements, in addition to cooperating in training accredited lecturers, qualifying examiners, and implementing several joint programs in continuing education and postgraduate studies with the university.

The meeting was attended by Dr. Saeed Allam, Vice President for Community Service and Environmental Development, Dr. Hisham Saeed, Vice President for Graduate Studies and Research, Dr. Ali Abdelmohsen, Acting Vice President for Education and Student Affairs, Dr. Sameh Shehata, Supervisor of the International Relations Office at Alexandria University, Dr. Gihan Gewaifel, Assistant of University President for International Cooperation and International Universities, Dr. Boshra Salem, Assistant of University President for International Classifications, and Dr. Ahmed Abdelhakim, Dean of the Faculty of Dentistry.



During the meeting, the university president stressed the importance of this cooperation, which puts Alexandria University on the threshold of a qualitative leap that enhances the position of higher education at Alexandria University globally, which comes as a confirmation of the quality of Egyptian higher education and the confidence of international bodies in our universities. The university president praised the new advantages added by this cooperation, as it contributes to enabling the professional practice of students of the Faculty of Dentistry on a large scale and opening more job opportunities for Egyptian graduates in local, regional and international labour markets, training doctors and accrediting the specialized degrees of the Faculty of Dentistry from the requirements of various specialized fellowships, and the faculty clinics as a clinical training centre, and conducting electronic fellowship exams. He also valued the constructive cooperation relations that bring together Alexandria University and British universities in the field of higher education and scientific research in many academic specializations.

Professor Rowan Parks expressed his pleasure with this cooperation, which focuses mainly on creating global standards for surgical and dental practices and welcomed the transfer of the Royal College of Surgeons expertise in the field of dentistry to Alexandria University, to help develop this field, and enhance the opportunities for graduates of this specialty to obtain various job opportunities locally, regionally, and internationally.

During the meeting, a presentation was given about Alexandria University and the steps it has taken towards internationalizing education and cooperation with international universities, international agreements and partnerships, joint and dual degrees with international universities, international branches in Chad and South Sudan, expansion to establish international branches on the university's land in Borg El Arab, and the new complex of the Faculty of Dentistry.





Alexandria University receives OECD delegation

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Under the auspices of Professor Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa, President of Alexandria University, Dr. Ali Abdelmohsen, Acting Vice President for Education and Student Affairs, received today a delegation from the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development (OECD) with the aim of reviewing the Egyptian efforts in supporting innovation activities.

The meeting comes within the framework of joint work with the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development and the National Innovation Policy Review Project, in supporting national entities, to stimulate innovation as a driver for achieving growth and sustainable development, enhancing the role of innovation in achieving national goals, and enhancing governance mechanisms for innovation fields in a way that reflects national efforts in this field, and ways to support entrepreneurship to increase Egypt's economic competitiveness.

The meeting was attended by Dr. Reem Hafez, Head of the Applied Linguistics Program at the Faculty of Arts, Dr. Sarah Osama Maklad, Communications Officer at the PILOT Incubator, and Dr. Mohamed Sultan, Financial Affairs Officer at the PILOT Incubator.

In his speech, Dr. Ali Abdelmohsen referred to the vision of Alexandria University in supporting innovation and applicable scientific research, cooperation between academia and industry, and ways to benefit from research outputs and projects, and develop the concept of knowledge-based industry, by employing scientific research to solve industry problems, which comes within the framework of the strategy of the Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research and Egypt's Vision 2030. He pointed out that Alexandria University is leading the Northern Alliance, which includes several partners from higher education institutions, scientific research and industry, with the aim of enhancing scientific and research cooperation between universities and the industrial and business

community in its comprehensive concept, stimulating the knowledge economy in cooperation with industry, expanding the establishment of business incubators within the university, and continuously developing academic programs and curricula in cooperation with industry partners.

During the meeting, a presentation was given about the Centre for Educational Innovations and Distance Learning at Alexandria University and the services provided by this centre to help present innovative ideas in the field of educational technology and how to serve the education sector to develop these ideas through obtaining free training courses, using the prototype implementation lab, and providing funding of up to 200,000 Egyptian pounds to establish companies through the "INTILAC Program" funded by the Academy of Scientific Research and Technology and managed by the Educational Innovations Business Incubator at Alexandria University. The training includes ways to generate and develop innovative ideas, market study and economic feasibility study, technical study and financial study of the project, sources of funding, foundations of marketing and sales, basics of managing emerging projects, legal foundations for establishing companies and protecting intellectual property, in addition to the centre's role in providing technical support to faculty members, producing electronic and digital courses, organizing workshops on digital education, international conferences periodically and seasonal training programs for faculty members, as well as many activities and initiatives.





Alexandria University Receives USAID Delegation

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Under the auspices of Professor Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa, President of Alexandria University, Dr. Ali Abdelmohsen, Acting Vice President for Education and Student Affairs, received a delegation from the United States Agency for International Development (USAID), as part of the delegation's visit to the university to conduct a mid-term evaluation of the University Centres for Career Development project with various partners concerned with implementing the project and beneficiaries of the services of this project, and to measure the level of performance of the centres and their progress towards achieving their main goals and discussing the most important steps being taken to support the sustainability of these centres and ensure the continuity of services provided to students, in the presence of Dr. Dina Saadallah, Executive Director of Career Development Centres at the university.



In his speech, Dr. Abdelmohsen welcomed the guests and appreciated the role of the university centres for professional development in contributing to developing the skills of a large number of students and alumni, organizing employment forums in various faculties, and qualifying them for the labour market through advanced training courses that keep pace with the requirements of labour markets inside and outside Egypt, within the framework of Alexandria University's strategy aimed at improving the level of educational services and raising the readiness of students and graduates to compete in local, regional and international labour markets. The Vice President of Alexandria University pointed out that the university has three centres for professional development that were established in cooperation with the United States Agency for International Development in the

Faculties of Business, Engineering, and Arts, stressing the university's endeavour to establish a fourth centre in the medical complex.

The members of the USAID delegation also stressed the agency's keenness to cooperate with Alexandria University and communicate with students at the university centres for professional development, with the aim of listening to their proposals to develop the courses and activities provided by the centre to them, evaluating the performance of the centres and ensuring the importance of the sustainability of professional centres to help in planning future projects.



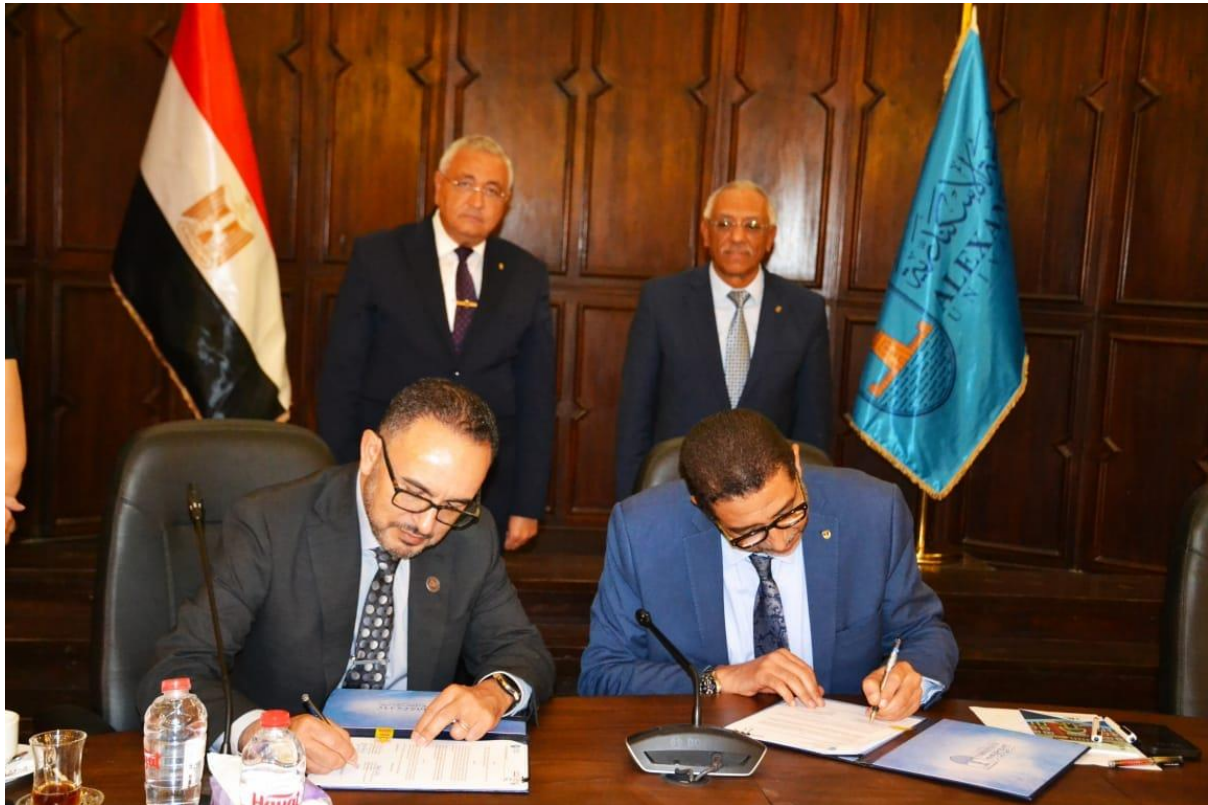
Signing a Framework Agreement for Cooperation between the Faculties of Business at Alexandria University and DeGroote Business School in Canada

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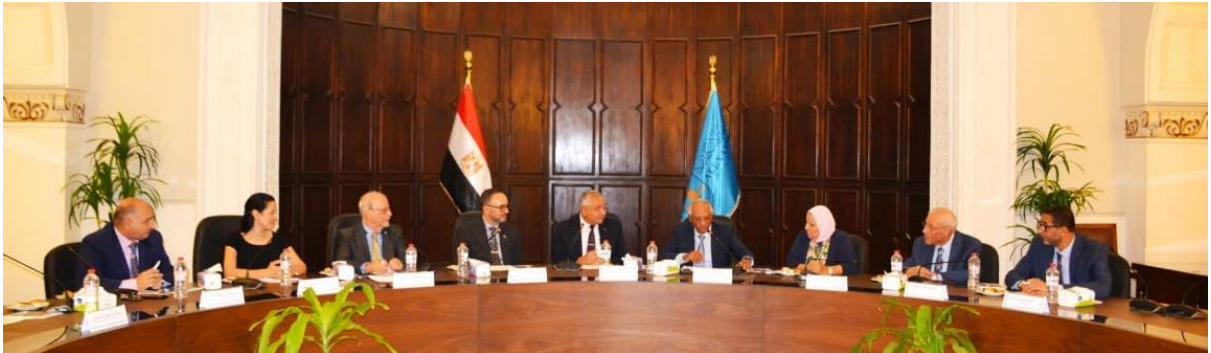
Dr. Saeed Allam, Vice President of Alexandria University for Community Service and Environmental Development Affairs, and Dr. Ali Abdelmohsen, Acting Vice President for Education and Student Affairs, on behalf of Professor Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa, President of the University, witnessed today, Thursday, August 1, 2024, the signing of the framework agreement between the Faculty of Business at Alexandria University and DeGroote Business School at McMaster University in Canada, in the presence of Dr. Sayed El-Seifi, former Dean of the Faculty of Business, Dr. Amani Yacout, Vice Dean of the Faculty of Business for Graduate Studies and Research, Dr. Ismail Gomaa, Professor of Accounting and Auditing at the Faculty of Business at Alexandria University, Dr. Sameh Shehata, Supervisor of the International Relations Office at Alexandria University, Dr. Gihan Gewaifel, Assistant President of the University for International Branches, and Dr. Boshra Salem, Assistant President of the University for University Classification.

The agreement was signed by Dr. Ayman El-Shetewi, Acting Dean of the Faculty of Business, Alexandria University, and Dr. Khaled Hassanein, Dean of DeGroote School of Business, McMaster University, Canada.



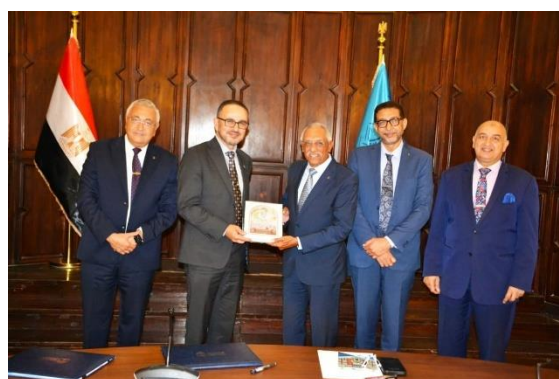
In his speech, Dr. Saeed Allam welcomed the cooperation with McMaster University, Canada, stressing the need for cooperation and expanding the scope of the memorandum of understanding between the two universities to include other fields in various scientific disciplines. He pointed out that the memorandum of understanding between the Faculty of Business, Alexandria University, and DeGroote School, McMaster University, will include exchanges between faculty members and students, in addition to cooperation in the field of joint scientific research. He pointed out that the cooperation comes within the framework of Alexandria University's strategy to raise the level of education and enhance international education competitiveness through cooperation with major American and European universities with advanced global rankings.

Dr. Ali Abdelmohsen stressed that the cooperation agreement between the two parties is a great opportunity for students of the Faculty of Business at Alexandria University, especially since McMaster University in Canada enjoys a good international reputation and has joint agreements with major international universities. He pointed out that the framework agreement will be followed by signing a protocol to establish a (2+2) program in the field of management, as this program allows students who have passed the first and second levels at the Faculty of Business at Alexandria University to complete the requirements for a bachelor's degree at DeGroote School of Business in Canada in 3 specialized academic programs: human resources, marketing, and finance.



Dr. Khaled Hassanein welcomed the cooperation with Alexandria University and expressed his aspiration to expand the horizons and areas of joint cooperation between the two universities in the future, especially in light of the strong relations between Egypt and Canada. He stressed that aspects of cooperation already exist between Alexandria University and McMaster University in Canada, and that McMaster University has graduates from Alexandria University who have already proven their efficiency and have become the best ambassadors for Alexandria University in Canada. He stressed that the memorandum of understanding between the two parties is the first agreement signed by McMaster University with Alexandria University, as it is one of the most important universities in the Middle East.





Alexandria University and Louisville University Celebrate Graduation of 2+2 Program First Batch, Based on their Cooperation Agreement

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Dr. Saeed Allam, Vice President of Alexandria University for Community Service and Environmental Development, witnessed today, Thursday, 18 July 2024, the celebration of Alexandria University and Louisville University of the graduation of the first batch of the 2+2 program in Biomedical Engineering, based on the cooperation agreement signed between the two parties. The event was attended by Dr. Essam El-Kurdi, President of El Alamein International University, Dr. Rushdi Zahran, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of El Alamein International University, Dr. Essam Wahba, Acting Dean of the Faculty of Engineering, Alexandria University, Dr. Ayman El-Baz, Head of the Department of Bioengineering and Member of the Board of Trustees of El Alamein International University, Dr. Mustafa El-Naanaei, Dean of the Faculty of Computer Science and Engineering at El Alamein International University, Dr.

Emmanuel Colin, Dean of the Faculty of Engineering at Louisville University, and Dr. Paul Hoffman, Assistant President of Louisville University for International Affairs.

In his speech, Dr. Saeed Allam confirmed that the meeting included celebrating the graduation of five students from Alexandria University from the Biomedical Engineering Program, based on the cooperation agreement signed between the two universities, noting that the expansion of cooperation between Alexandria University and Louisville University was discussed to include cooperation in other engineering programs to include civil, electrical, mechanical, chemical, civil, environmental and industrial engineering, in addition to discussing the signing of a joint master's degree between the two parties with a 1+1 system in various engineering specializations, and discussing ways of joint cooperation in student exchange and various research projects between the two parties.



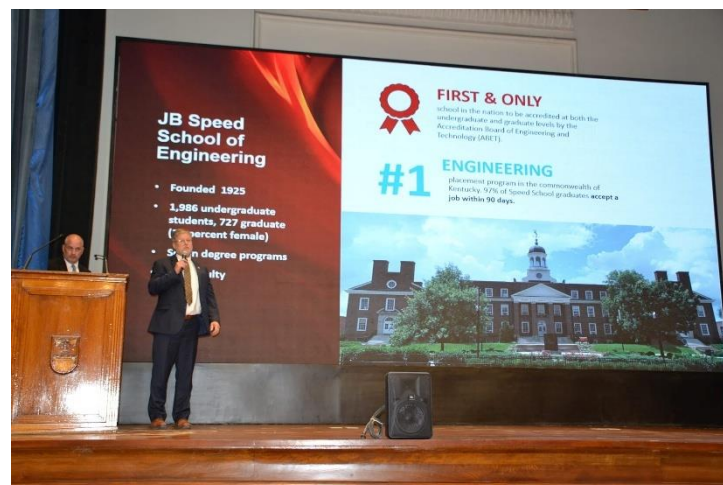
Dr. Essam El-Kordy stressed the rules and foundations for acceptance into the 2+2 program, which will result in students receiving two bachelor's degrees from the two universities at the end of the study program, in addition to providing job opportunities after completing their studies in the United

Dr. Essam Wahba welcomed the delegation from Louisville University to the Faculty of Engineering, Alexandria University. He gave a presentation on the Faculty of Engineering, Alexandria University, its programs, laboratories, and departments, and the joint international agreements concluded by the faculty with similar international colleges. Wahba stressed that this meeting is an exceptional opportunity for students from the Faculty of Engineering, Alexandria University, to benefit from the international programs that will be announced during the meeting.

Dr. Rushdi Zahran stressed that the meeting is a good opportunity for students to benefit from this agreement, expressing his hopes that more students will join this agreement, especially since it allows them to learn about different cultures.

The delegation from Louisville University expressed their pleasure for cooperating with Alexandria University, especially since it is one of the oldest universities in the Middle East. The delegation provided an overview of the summer research internship program opportunities in the United States of America.

At the end of the graduation ceremony, Dr. Saeed Allam, Dr. Essam El Kurdi, and Dr. Essam Wahba answered all students' inquiries regarding admission to the 2+2 program signed between Alexandria University, Louisville University, and El Alamein International University.



Jean Moulin 3 French University Delegation Visits Alexandria University to Discuss Cooperation

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Dr. Saeed Allam, Vice President of Alexandria University for Community Service and Environmental Development Affairs, on behalf of Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa, President of the University, received yesterday the delegation of the French University of Jean Moulin 3 to discuss ways of cooperation between the two sides in areas of common interest.

The delegation included Mr. Manuel Jobert, Vice President for Europe and International Francophone Relations, Ms. Hong Khanh Dang, Deputy Director of the International Institute of Francophonie for Research, and Ms. Alida Sahli, International Cooperation Officer for the Near and Middle East, North Africa and Francophonie. The meeting was attended by Dr. Hisham Saeed, Vice President of Alexandria University for Graduate Studies and Research, Dr. Ali Abdelmohsen, Acting Vice President for Education and Students, Dr. Sameh Shehata, Supervisor of the International Relations Office at Alexandria University, Dr. Bushra Salem, Assistant President for University Classification, Dr. Naglaa Abou-Agag, Vice Dean of the Faculty of Arts for Graduate Studies and Research, Dr. Reem Hafez, Head of the Department of Applied Linguistics at the Faculty of Arts, and Dr. Mai Essam, Head of the Department of French Language and Literature at the Faculty of Arts.

In his speech, Dr. Saeed Allam welcomed the delegation of Jean Moulin 3 University to Alexandria University, explaining that the meeting discussed the possibility of cooperation in the fields of environmental transformation, citizenship, cultural and linguistic pluralism, digital humanities, and the possibility of Alexandria University joining the International Alliance of French-speaking Universities, which was announced in June 2023, as member universities in this alliance will submit projects for cooperation in the previous fields and achieve multilateral scientific cooperation between researchers

from French-speaking Mediterranean universities. He pointed out that this cooperation is expected to target university professors, researchers, graduate students, and sociologists.

Dr. Hisham Saeed reviewed the international agreements between Alexandria University and French universities, and the cooperation between Alexandria University and the universities of Aix-Marseille, Poitiers, Bordeaux, Toulouse, and Grenoble, in addition to the presence of a branch of Alexandria University in Chad to serve French-speaking countries (Francophone) in the African continent.

Dr. Ali Abdelmohsen pointed out that there are many departments specializing in the French language in several faculties within Alexandria University, and that it has partnerships with many French universities, stressing that there is a special program at the Faculty of Medicine, Alexandria University, that is taught in French and attracts most students from Cameroon, Côte d'Ivoire and many French-speaking African countries. Mr. Manuel Jobert expressed his pleasure with the cooperation with Alexandria University, especially since there is a historical and cultural dimension that links Egypt and France. Jobert also reviewed the objectives of the International Alliance of French-speaking Universities and its funding bodies, noting that this alliance aims to enhance and establish joint international projects at the level of French-speaking universities, expressing his aspiration for Alexandria University to join this alliance, especially since it is one of the oldest universities in the Middle East.





President of Alexandria University Receives Australian Ambassador to Cairo

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Professor Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa, President of Alexandria University, received today at the university headquarters in Shatby, Dr. Axel Wabenhorst, the Australian Ambassador to Cairo, and his accompanying delegation, to discuss enhancing the frameworks of joint cooperation between Alexandria University and Australian universities and academic institutions.

The meeting was attended by Dr. Saeed Allam, Vice President of the University for Community Service and Environmental Development Affairs, Dr. Hisham Saeed, Vice President of the University for Graduate Studies and Research Affairs, Dr. Ali Abdelmohsen, Acting Vice President of the University for Education and Students Affairs, Dr. Bushra Salem, Assistant President of the University for International Classifications, Dr. Gihaan Gewaifel, Assistant President of the University for International University Branches Affairs, Dr. Ahmed Abdelhakim, Dean of the Faculty of Dentistry, and Dr. Essam Wahba, Acting Dean of the Faculty of Engineering.

In his speech, Dr. Konsowa welcomed the Australian Ambassador to Alexandria University, stressing the university's keenness to develop relations with Australian academic institutions in areas of common interest. He pointed out that Alexandria University seeks to improve the level of educational service and scientific research, and enhance international competitiveness within the framework of Egypt's Vision 2030, by establishing dual and joint degrees with highly ranked international universities, establishing branches of international universities in cooperation and coordination with Alexandria University, and developing the African role through the university's branches in Chad and

South Sudan. He pointed out the university's support for scientific research and taking several measures in this regard, including launching an initiative to support young researchers, financing applicable research projects, and establishing the Alexandria University Technology Park incubator. He also pointed out the university's interest in linking scientific research to industry, especially in the fields of water, energy, and agriculture, through the activities and programs provided by the Water Excellence Centre at the university.

The Australian Ambassador expressed his pleasure for being at Alexandria University, which has a distinguished academic reputation, within the framework of the distinguished relations between Egypt and Australia, stressing his country's keenness to develop scientific and research cooperation with Egyptian academic institutions in general and Alexandria University in particular, in the fields of engineering, mining, water, new and renewable energy, and agriculture.





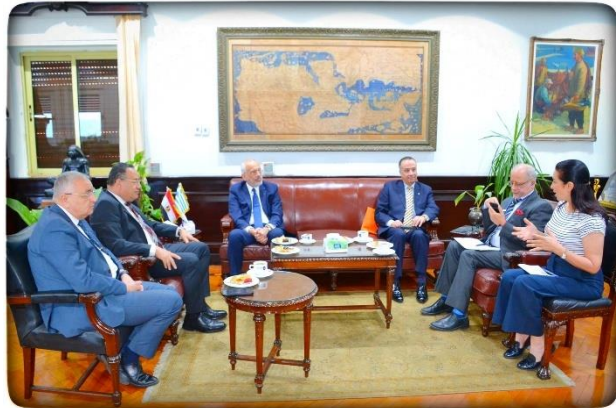
Alexandria University Receives the Greek Ambassador to Cairo

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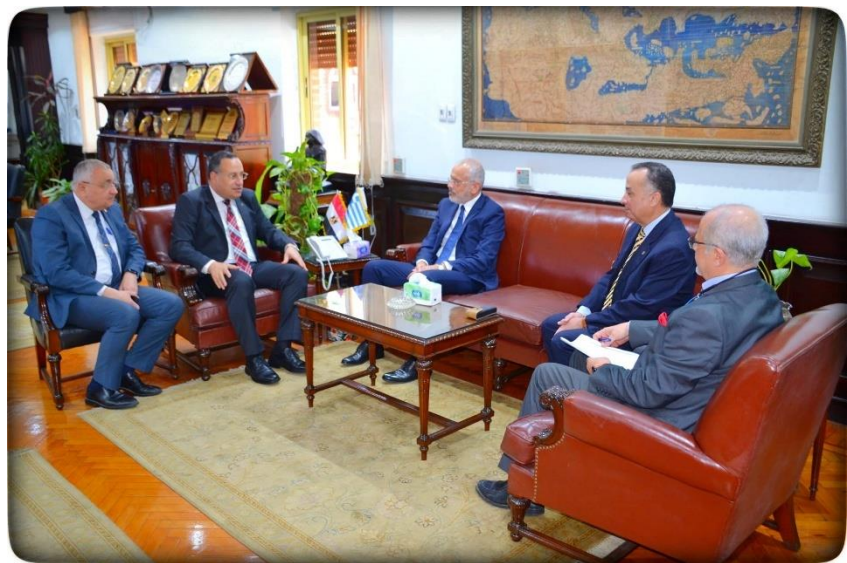


Professor Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa, President of Alexandria University, received Mr. Nikolaos Papageorgiou, the Greek Ambassador to Cairo, at the university's headquarters in Shatby, to discuss ways to enhance cooperation between Alexandria University and Greek academic institutions.

The meeting was attended by Dr. Saeed Allam, Vice President of the University for Community Service and Environmental Development, Dr. Hisham Saeed, Vice President of the University for Postgraduate Studies and Research, Dr. Sameh Shehata, Supervisor of the University's International Relations Office, Dr. Gihan Gewaifel, Assistant to the University President for International University Branch Affairs, and Dr. Naglaa Abou-Agag, Vice Dean of the Faculty of Arts for Postgraduate Studies and Research.



In his speech, the University President welcomed the Greek Ambassador to Alexandria University, stressing his pride in the historical and strategic relations extending between the two countries. During the meeting, Dr. Konsowa demonstrated the university's strategy to support applicable scientific research and the knowledge-based economy through the university's technology incubator, the Alexandria University



Technology Park, seeking to raise the level of education and enhance competitiveness through the internationalization of education using joint and dual academic degrees with major American and European universities and foreign university branches in South Sudan and Chad, and the establishment of branches of international universities with high classification and distinguished educational level in cooperation and coordination with Alexandria University. He pointed to the distinguished relations and cooperation protocols between Alexandria University and the Greek universities of Kapodistrian, West Attica, and Piraeus, pointing to the role of the Alexandria Centre for Hellenistic Studies, which was established in joint cooperation between the University of Alexandria, Bibliotheca Alexandrina, and the Greek Onassis and Vardinoyannis Foundations,



expressing his aspiration for continued cooperation with Greek academic institutions in scientific and research fields of common interest.

The Greek Ambassador stressed his country's keenness to develop scientific and research cooperation with Egyptian academic bodies in general and Alexandria University in particular, given the historical connection between the two countries. He praised the distinguished level of Alexandria University in various academic fields and pointed to the development of political relations between the two countries after the formation of the high-level cooperation council, which It is a natural development and a reflection of the political will on both sides to increase the volume and level of cooperation.

President of Alexandria University Receives Consul General of France

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Professor Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa, President of Alexandria University, received Ambassador Lina Blin, Consul General of France in Alexandria, to discuss ways to enhance cooperation between Alexandria University and French academic institutions.

The meeting was attended by Dr. Saeed Allam, Vice President of the University for Community Service and Environmental Development Affairs, Dr. Hisham Saeed, Vice President of the University for Graduate Studies and Research, Dr. Ali Abdelmohsen, Acting Vice President of the University for Education and Student Affairs, Dr. Walid Abdelazim, Vice Dean of the Faculty of Engineering for Community Service and Environmental Development Affairs, Dr. Ziad El-Sayyad, professor at the Faculty of Engineering, and Dr. Heba Gharraf, professor at the Faculty of Medicine and responsible for Francophone relations at the university.

In his speech, Dr. Konsowa welcomed the ambassador to Alexandria University, stressing the university's keenness to continue cooperation with French institutions in scientific and academic fields of common interest. He pointed to academic cooperation and joint degrees between Alexandria

University and a number of French universities, namely the universities of Nice, Aix-Marseille, Poitiers, and Bordeaux, expressing his aspiration for more scientific and research cooperation and the exchange of faculty members and students. He also pointed to the scientific programs offered by the university in French language at the faculties of medicine, law, business, science and agriculture, and the role of the Alexandria University branch in Chad as a platform to serve French-speaking African countries within the framework of the university's strategic plan towards the internationalization of education, and establishing branches of highly-ranked foreign universities in cooperation and coordination with Alexandria University.

The two sides also discussed the possibility of cooperation to establish joint scientific programs and dual degrees with French universities, exchanging experiences in the fields of climate change and improving the marine environment, and linking young Egyptian researchers with French universities within the framework of the Alexandria University's Technology Incubator and Technology Park.

Ambassador Lina Blin stressed her country's keenness to develop cooperation with Alexandria University in various scientific and research programs and to establish joint educational and training activities and events between Alexandria University and French scientific institutions, praising the distinguished level of Alexandria University in various academic fields.



President of Alexandria University Receives the Chinese Consul and Delegation from Chinese Guizhou Province to Discuss Cooperation

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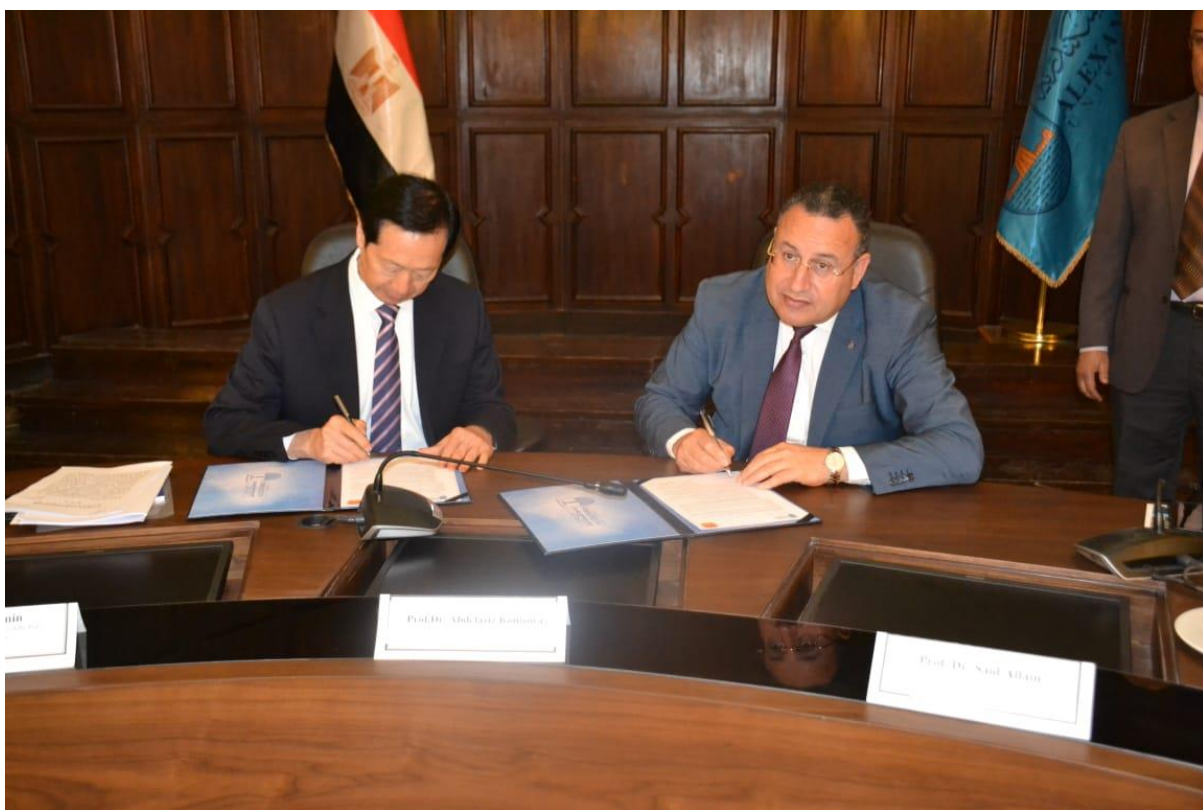


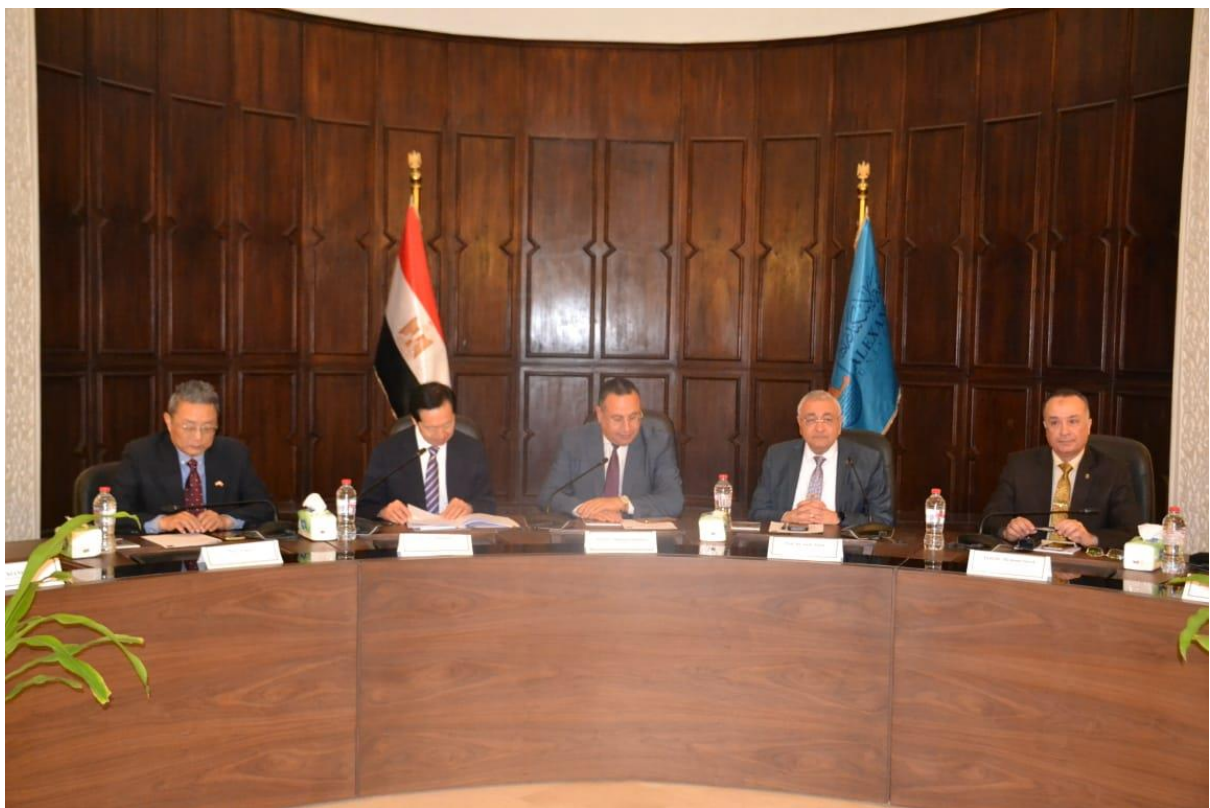
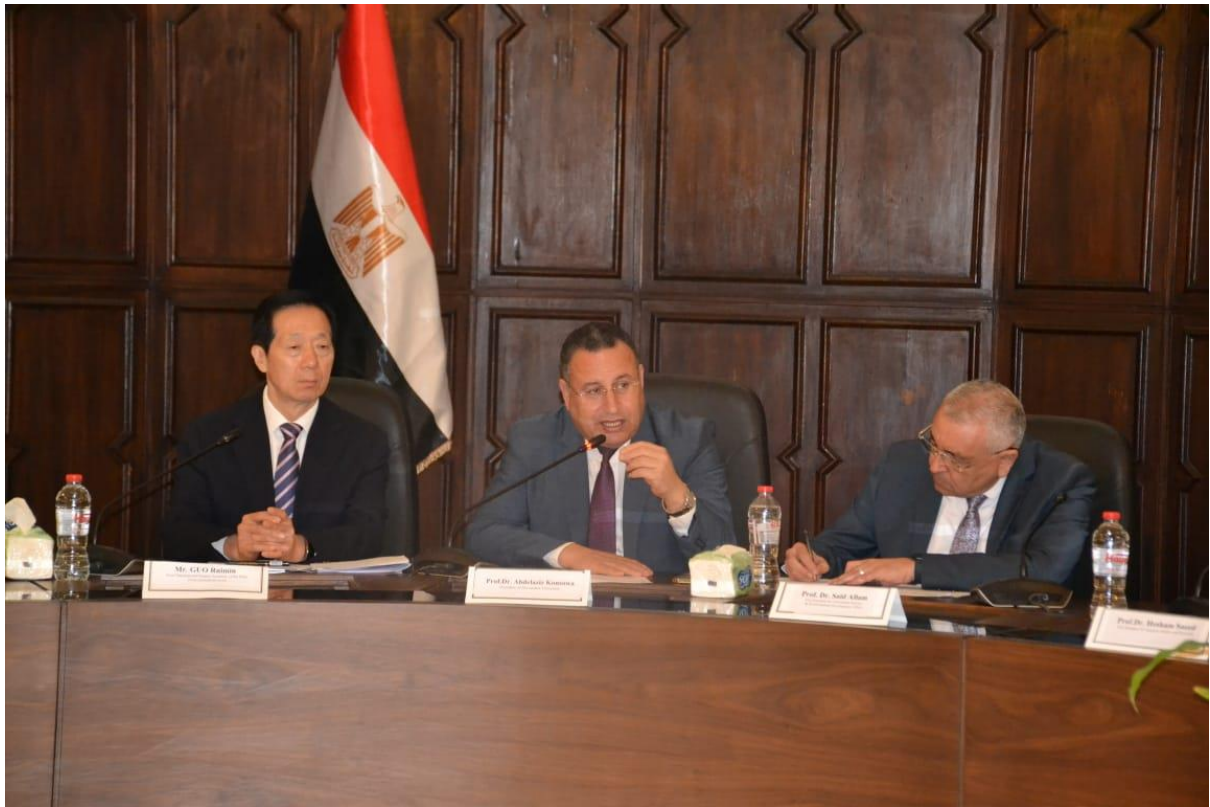
Professor Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa, President of Alexandria University, received Ambassador Yang Yi, Consul General of China in Alexandria, accompanied by a delegation from the Standing Committee of the House of Representatives of China's Guizhou Province, to discuss ways to enhance cooperation and sign a letter of intent between the two sides in preparation for signing a joint protocol to enhance research, academic cooperation, and student exchange in the proposed fields.

The meeting was attended by the vice presidents of the university, the deans of the faculties of engineering, agriculture, computers and data sciences, and the office of international relations.

In his speech, Dr. Konsowa welcomed the Chinese delegation to Alexandria University, and reviewed the proposed cooperation opportunities through establishing emerging projects, especially in the fields of smart agriculture, agricultural industrialization, artificial intelligence, Big Data, and their related fields, in addition to the possibility of cooperation through the Center of Excellence in Water and Technology Park at the University. Alexandria, to transform scientific research ideas into applicable outputs that serve society.

While the Consul of China welcomed the cooperation with Alexandria University in the proposed fields, as it is one of the well-established universities that has great experience in the fields that were discussed. The Consul of China invited specialists in these fields from the faculty members and students at Alexandria University to visit the Chinese research and academic institutions that work in these fields, in preparation for establishing joint projects.



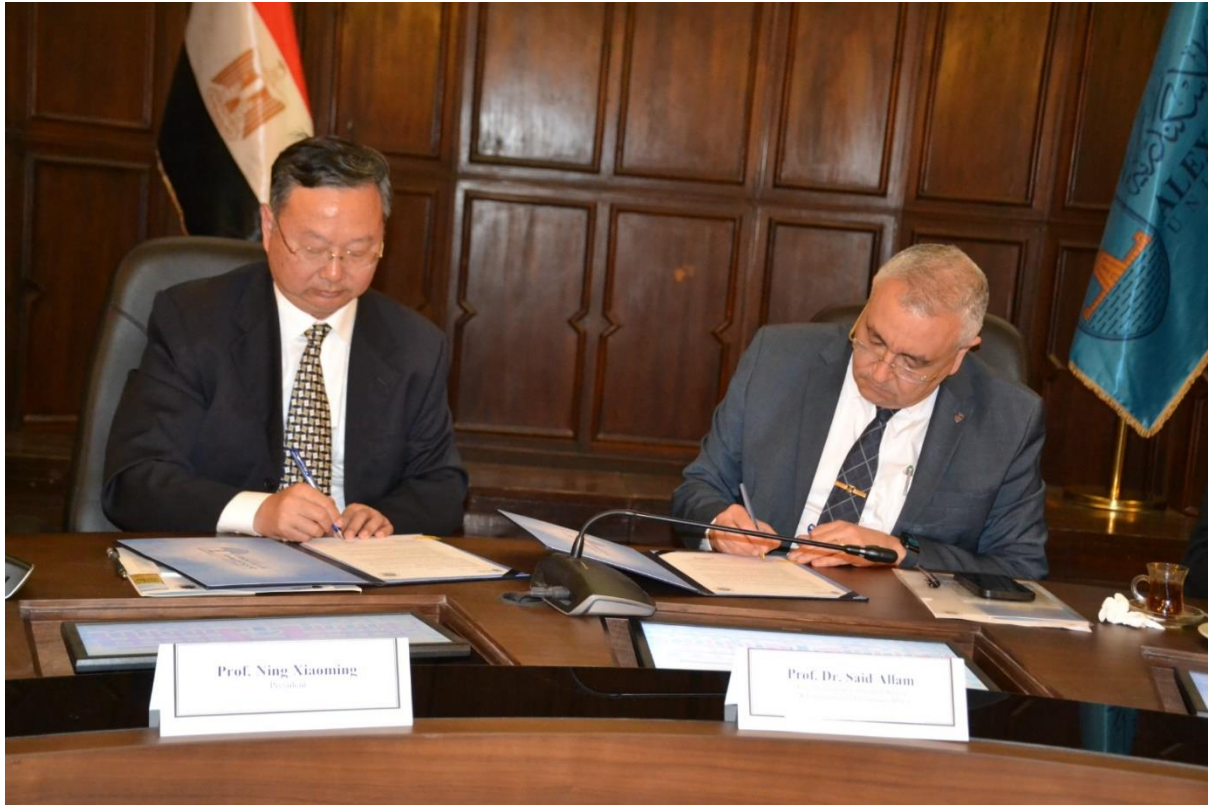




Jiangsu Chinese University Delegation Visits Alexandria University to Enhance Cooperation



On behalf of Professor Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa, President of Alexandria University, Dr. Saeed Allam, Vice President of the University for Community Service and Environmental Development, received a delegation from the Chinese Jiangsu Ocean University, headed by Dr. Ning Xiaoming, President of the University, and his accompanying delegation, to discuss and enhance ways of cooperation between the two sides and sign a letter of intent in preparation for signing a joint protocol to enhance research and academic cooperation and student exchange among them.



The meeting was attended by Dr. Hesham Saeed, Vice President of the University for Graduate Studies and Research, Dr. Ali Abdelmohsen, Acting Vice President of the University for Education and Student Affairs, Dr. Sameh Shehata, Supervisor of the University's Office of International Relations, Dr. Gihan Gewaifel, Assistant to the University President for International University Affairs, Dr. Boshra Salem, Assistant to the University President for International Rankings, Dr. Mervat Kassem, Dean of the Faculty of Pharmacy, Dr. Essam Wahba, Acting Dean of the Faculty of Engineering, and Dr. Omnia Yakout, Vice Dean of the Faculty of Business for Postgraduate Studies and Research.

In his speech, Dr. Saeed Allam confirmed that Alexandria University has held many scientific partnerships with Chinese universities in scientific, academic and research fields of common interest. The university received professors and specialists from Chinese universities to teach Chinese language and culture in the Chinese Language Department at the Faculty of Arts. Students from both sides were also received and sent to study Chinese language and culture, and vice versa.

For his part, Dr. Ning Xiaoming stated that Jiangsu Ocean University chose Alexandria University, as the first university in Africa to cooperate with, due to its distinguished scientific reputation. He pointed out that his university had signed 80 cooperation agreements with international universities, stressing that there are many scientific and research fields of common interest between the two universities.



President of Alexandria University Receives Delegation from British University of Essex to Discuss Means of Cooperation

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Professor Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa, President of Alexandria University, welcomed a delegation from the British University of Essex, headed by Dr. Vanessa Potter, Vice President of the University of Essex for International Relations, and her accompanying delegation, in order to discuss ways to enhance cooperation between the two sides in various scientific disciplines.

meeting was attended on the part of Alexandria University by Dr. Saeed Allam, Vice President of the University for Community Service and Environmental Development Affairs, Dr. Hisham Saeed, Vice President of the University for Graduate Studies and Research, Dr. Ali Abdelmohsen, Acting Vice President of the University for Education and Student Affairs, Dr. Sameh Shehata, Supervisor of the International Universities Relations Office at Alexandria University, Dr. Gihan Gewaifel, Assistant to the University President for International



University Affairs, Dr. Boshra Salem, Assistant to the University President for International Rankings, Dr. Ahmed Abdelhakim, Dean of the Faculty of Dentistry, Dr. Essam Wahba, Acting Dean of the Faculty of Engineering, and Dr. Omnia Yaqout, Vice Dean of the Faculty of Business for Postgraduate Studies and Research. From the British side, Dr. Annecy Lax, Dean of Educational Partnerships, Ms. Rosanna Kilani, Regional Director for the Middle East, North Africa, Pakistan and Central Asia, and Mr. Hassan Abdulrahim, Director of International Recruitment in North Africa, Saudi Arabia and Kuwait.

In his speech, Dr. Allam stressed the depth of the ties between Alexandria University and many British universities, pointing out that Alexandria University seeks to conclude many cooperation agreements with prestigious international universities to achieve the competitiveness of graduates, as well as researchers in fields that are compatible with development thought and keeping pace with national trends consistent with Egypt's Vision 2030, and contributing to linking scientific research with industry.

For her part, Dr. Lax expressed her pleasure for visiting Alexandria University, and expressed her aspiration to achieve more cooperation with Alexandria University, especially after the remarkable progress achieved by the latter in recent years in various disciplines, and the success of the agreement concluded last March 2023 between the two universities. She also confirmed her readiness to transfer Alexandria University's vision to take the necessary steps towards achieving further cooperation between the two sides.

During the meeting, a presentation was given on the strategy of Alexandria University, its distinguished educational programs, and research and academic services provided by Alexandria University to students whether inside or outside Egypt, and the most important academic programs and unique



scientific specializations at the university, especially the new and innovative ones that keep pace with the local, regional and international labour markets. In addition, the presentation demonstrated the partnerships with major international universities that support academic and student exchange in various academic disciplines, Alexandria University's ranking in international classifications and its progress in terms of research and social performance, global citations, quality of research, academic reputation, quality of its graduates, and joint degrees with the British University of Manchester in the fields of medicine, surgery, and dentistry, as well as the future plan aiming to create joint academic degrees in many disciplines.



President of Alexandria University Receives University Agency of the Francophonie Delegation

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Professor Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa, President of Alexandria University, received this morning Mr. Jean-Noël Baléo, Regional Director of University Agency of the Francophonie in the Middle East, and his accompanying delegation, to discuss ways to strengthen the frameworks of joint cooperation between Alexandria University and French institutions, and proposed future projects to develop cooperation between Alexandria University and the University Agency of the Francophonie.

The meeting was attended by Dr. Saeed Allam, Vice President of the University for Community Service and Environmental Development Affairs, Dr. Sameh Shehata, Supervisor of the University's International Relations Office, Dr. Gihan Gewaifel, Assistant to the University President for Foreign University Branch Affairs, Dr. Morsi El-Souda, Professor at the Faculty of Agriculture, Ms. Cynthia Abboud, Deputy Regional Director of the University Agency of the Francophonie in the Middle East, and Dr. Soha Amer, head of the office of the University Agency of the Francophonie in Alexandria.

In his speech, Dr. Konsowa welcomed the French delegation to Alexandria University, stressing the university's keenness to continue cooperation with the University Agency of the Francophonie in scientific and academic fields of common interest, pointing to academic cooperation and joint academic degrees between Alexandria University and a number of French universities, namely the universities of Nice, Aix-Marseille, Poitiers, and Bordeaux. Dr. Konsowa expressed his aspiration for more scientific and research cooperation and the exchange of faculty members and students, within the framework of the university's strategic plan towards internationalizing education and establishing branches of highly ranked foreign universities in cooperation and coordination with Alexandria University. The university president also discussed with the delegation the possibility of cooperation

to establish joint scientific programs and dual degrees with French universities, pointing to the academic programs offered by the university in the French language in several faculties, and the role of the university branch in Chad as a platform to serve French-speaking African countries.

Mr. Jean-Noël Baléo stressed the keenness of the University Agency of the Francophonie to develop cooperation with Egyptian universities in general and Alexandria University in particular in various scientific and research programs, and to establish joint educational and training activities and events between Alexandria University and French scientific institutions, praising the distinguished level of Alexandria University in various academic fields.





President of Alexandria University receives the Ambassador of Cyprus

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Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa, President of Alexandria University, received Mrs. Polly Ioannou, Ambassador of the State of Cyprus to Cairo, to discuss ways of cooperation between the two sides in various scientific and academic fields. During the visit, an agreement was signed for the Alliance of Cities and Universities in Egypt, Greece, Jordan, Cyprus, Palestine and Lebanon.

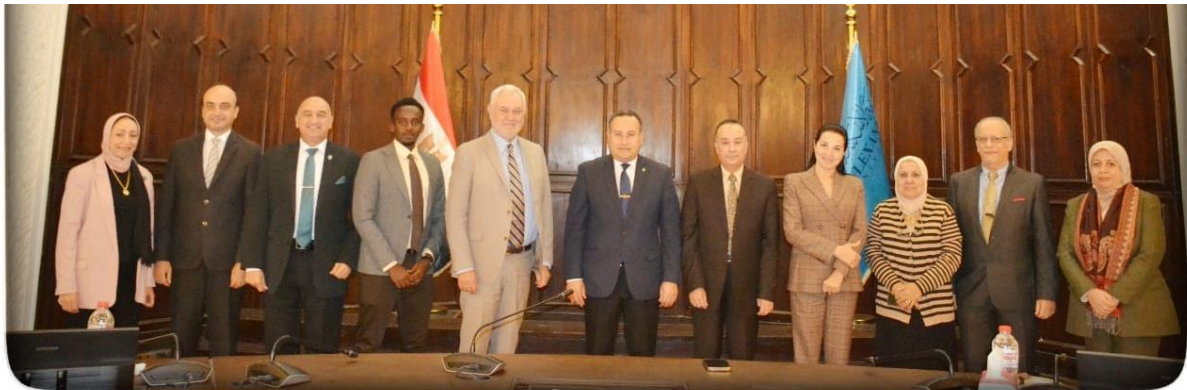
For his part, the university president welcomed the ambassador, stressing the depth of relations between the two sides, and stressed the university's keenness to strengthen, consolidate and continue the bonds of those relations and exchange academic experiences between the two countries in all fields.

For her part, the ambassador stressed the depth of relations between the two sides, noting that the meetings of the regional network of universities and cities will create great opportunities for cooperation between all cities of the alliance.

The meeting was attended by Dr. Saeed Allam, Vice President of the University for Community Service and Environmental Development Affairs, Dr. Ali Abdel Mohsen, Acting Vice President of the University for Education and Student Affairs, Dr. Sameh Shehata, Director of the Office of International Relations, Dr. Jihan Joyfel, Assistant President of the University for Branches of Foreign Universities, and Dr. Bushra Salem, Assistant President of the University. University for International Classifications Affairs.



President of Alexandria University Receives Kent State University Delegation to Discuss Means of Cooperation



Professor Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa, President of Alexandria University, received a delegation from Kent State University, Ohio, USA. The delegation included Dr. Marcello Fantoni, Vice President of Kent State University for Global Education, and Dr. Pacifique Niyonzima, Director of African Affairs at Kent State University, to discuss ways of research and academic cooperation in various scientific fields, as well as studying the establishment of an international branch of Kent State University in Alexandria.

In his speech, Dr. Konsowa stressed Alexandria University's keenness to support scientific and academic cooperation relations with American



universities, pointing out that Alexandria University has adopted an ambitious and inspiring strategic plan that seeks cooperation with international universities that have prestigious reputation through the establishment of joint academic programs and degrees. He explained that the meeting discussed the possibility of cooperation through establishing joint academic degrees with the Faculty of Business, research cooperation with the Faculty of Engineering, and sending researchers from Alexandria University to join research teams at Kent State University, as well as the possibility of Alexandria University joining the academic alliance established by Kent State University in cooperation with other universities.



The meeting also discussed establishing an international branch of Kent State University at the Alexandria University campus in Borg El Arab, to provide distinguished higher education in a competitive framework that enables new graduates to have the ability to join the local and international labour market, and to possess the skills and abilities that qualify them for that. Dr. Konsowa pointed out that this approach comes within the framework of the university's interest in implementing the mandates of the President of the Republic, paying attention to international partnerships to achieve the goals of the 2030 Sustainable Development Strategy.

While Dr. Marcello Fantoni stressed his university's keenness to support and strengthen relations with Egyptian universities, especially Alexandria University, which has distinguished educational programs, explaining that Kent State University is ranked highly in the state of Ohio in the United States of America. He added that Kent State University has international branches around the world and has many different and unique scientific specializations. Dr. Fantoni promised to convey the vision of Alexandria University towards the proposed cooperation to take the necessary measures and steps towards activating this cooperation.

The meeting was attended by Dr. Hesham Saeed, Vice President of Alexandria University for Postgraduate Studies and Research, Dr. El-Sayed El-Seifi, Dean of the Faculty of Business, Dr. Essam Wahba, Acting Dean of the Faculty of Engineering, Dr. Gihan Gewaifel, Assistant to the University President for International University Branch Affairs, Dr. Boshra Salem, Assistant to the University President for University Classification, Dr. Sameh Shehata, Supervisor of the Office of International Relations at Alexandria University, Dr. Omnia Yacout, Vice Dean of the Faculty of Business for Postgraduate Studies and Research, and Dr. Sherine Adel, Vice Dean of the Faculty of Economic Studies and Political Science, during which they reviewed the joint programs and degrees in their faculties in cooperation with various international universities, and the international degrees to be established, as well as the university's vision towards internationalization, its goal, and the steps it took to achieve this goal.

President of Alexandria University Receives Delegation from Beirut Arab University to Discuss Establishing International Branch in Borg El Arab

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Professor Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa, President of Alexandria University, received a delegation from Beirut Arab University, which included Dr. Ammar Al-Houry, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Endowment for Charity and Benevolence (Waqf Al-Birr wal Ihsan) in Lebanon - Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Beirut Arab University, Dr. Wael Nabil, President of Beirut Arab University, and Dr. Omar Al-Houry, Member of the



Board of Trustees of the Al-Birr wal Ihsan Endowment, with the aim of enhancing ways of cooperation between the two universities, exchanging experiences, and discussing establishing an international campus of Beirut Arab University in cooperation with Alexandria University. The meeting was attended by Dr. Saeed Allam, Vice President of Alexandria University for Community Service and Environmental Development Affairs, Dr. Hisham Saeed, Vice President of the University for Graduate Studies and Research, Dr. Ali Abdelmohsen, Acting Vice President of the University for Education and Student Affairs, and Dr. Gihan Gewaifel, Assistant to the University President for International University Branches.



At the beginning of the meeting, Dr. Abdelaziz Konsowa welcomed the university's guests, stressing the depth of the historical relations between Alexandria University and Beirut Arab University since the establishment of the latter in 1960, with the support of the Egyptian state and Alexandria University. He pointed to the university's keenness to continue and support these relations, explaining the goal of the visit, which is to activate aspects of academic cooperation between the two universities at the both the undergraduate and postgraduate levels, in light of the cooperation agreement that the two sides signed last March in the presence of Dr. Ayman Ashour, Minister of Higher Education and Scientific Research.

The two sides also discussed the possibility of establishing an international branch of Beirut Arab University in cooperation with Alexandria University on the Alexandria University's campus ground in the city of Borg El Arab, in order to support cooperation relations between Egypt and Lebanon in various educational fields. Dr. Konsowa pointed out that the proposed international branch will award certificates to graduates bearing the logos of both Alexandria University and Beirut Arab University, in addition to offering modern and advanced study programs that meet the needs of the international, regional and local labour markets, indicating that the university branch will provide distinguished education in which Alexandria University faculty members will participate to benefit from their experience and skills in all different scientific disciplines.



While Dr. Ammar Al-Houri expressed his feeling of pride in cooperating with Alexandria University, which enjoys a distinguished scientific standing, and which has provided unique support over several decades to Beirut Arab University, including human cadres of faculty members and experts in various scientific fields. Al-Houri appreciated the cooperation with Alexandria University to complete this journey to achieve a prominent Arab and international status for both universities.

Dr. Wael Nabil Abdelsalam, President of Beirut Arab University, explained the university's intention to expand the establishment of new study programs that meet the labour market inside and outside Lebanon, in a number of university campuses in Lebanon, such as the Tripoli campus and the Beqaa campus, in cooperation with the existing programs at Alexandria University.

The meeting was followed by a field tour by Dr. Konsowa and the accompanying delegation to inspect Alexandria University grounds in Borg El Arab, where the new campus of Beirut Arab University will be established.