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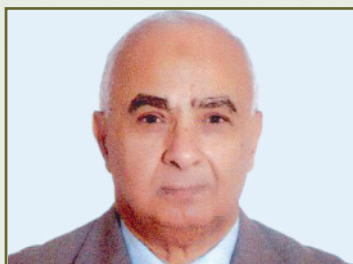


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From the President

In the name of God the Merciful,

I would like to wish you all the best with the beginning of this new year. I am also pleased with the immersing of the new views of the New Year to welcome all the colleagues, faculty and administrative members and all my sons, the students at this University. We are all here at this University to thrive accomplishments one after the other to get this University to the ranks of prestigious universities as it is seen in the views of His Majesty King Abdullah II Bin Al Hussein. It is also a pleasure to welcome at the University the engineering students who have joined us at the beginning of this academic year in other two new specializations.

They are all together 653 students distributed into three major specializations; civil, survey and architecture engineering. This is again a mark of the University that offers further services to the nation and the surrounding area.

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From the President

The University has also separated the Law Faculty to be independent of the Faculty of Sharia. This also has been done for the advancement of the University and its development. The academic plans have also been reviewed and renewed in all specializations at all academic levels to keep up with the plans in the prestigious universities to prepare our graduates for the labor market. The University is also seeking to build a new library to enrich and commensurate the holdings and references, with the future needs of the students who are increasing in number and presence. In services, the University started building a complex for activities and sports for the students at a cost of up to three and a half million dinars in order to serve the students and the surrounding community and has incorporated with some investors to take over the canteens of the University to provide appropriate meals for the students. Besides, work is now under way to create the infrastructure of the University in terms of roads, squares and buildings so as to provide a convenient University environment. All the best wishes for the nation, for His Majesty, the King and the Hashemite family. May God help us to achieve the goals and objectives to serve the University and the country, too.

***May peace and God's mercy
and blessings be upon you all.***

Prof. Nabil Shawagfeh

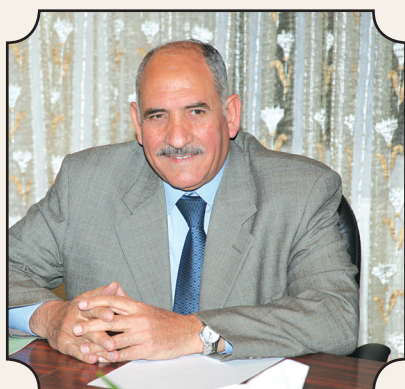
A Royal Decree to appoint members of the Board of Trustees of the University



- HE Dr Mohamed Ahmed Hamdan

holds a bachelor degree in mathematics (Honor rank), University of Cairo, UAR in 1957 and a Ph.D. in Mathematical Statistics from the University of Sydney, Australia 1963; held several positions of academic and governmental organizations:

- Adviser in the Arab Open University' November 2003 - until now.
- Minister of Higher Education and Scientific Research, Jordan 2002-2003.
- A former adviser to the Arab Open University in October 2001 - August 2002.
- Chairman of the Arab Open University 1999 - 2001
- Secretary General of the Higher Council for Science and Technology / 1998-1999
- Minister of Education and Higher Education 1998 .
- Chairman of the Hashemite University, Jordan 1992-1998
- Minister of Education and Higher Education 1991
- President of Yarmouk University, Irbid - Jordan, 1986-1989
- Author of numerous and scientific books and supervised many Masters and PhDs theses.



- HE Dr. Mohamed Mahmoud Dhunaibat

holds a Ph.D. in Management (Human Resources Planning) 1982 from the University of Southern California.



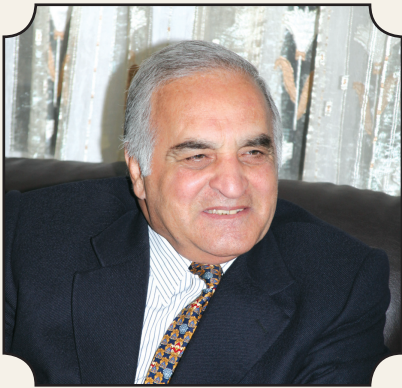
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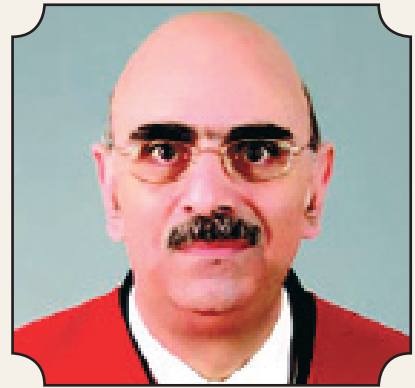
holds a Ph.D. in plant breeding from the University of Wisconsin - Madison / Wisconsin - United States of America in 1973.



- Prof. Adel Mahasneh
holds a Ph.D. in microbiology and biotechnology from the University of Edinburgh 1977 .



- Prof. Hashim Masa'ed
holds a doctorate degree in civil engineering in 1990 from Purdue University in America.



- Prof. George Hazboun
holds a doctorate degree in private international law - France.



- Mr. Osama Al Khalili
Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the Middle East for the engineering, electronics and heavy industries since 1988 and until now.



- Dr. Abdul Malik Al Jaber
holds a Ph.D. from Northwestern University School of business administration-U.S.



- Prof. Mustafa Mohammed Mahilan
holds a Ph.D. in computer engineering to analyze the signals biomedical, University of Aberdeen: United Kingdom 1987-1991.



- Prof. Fawzi Banat
holds a Ph.D. from the University of (McGill) Canada, 2004.



Amal Tahir Nseir
holds a Ph.D. in literature and criticism (the Umayyad period), the University of Jordan, 1995.



- University President, Prof. Nabil Shawagfeh
holds a Ph.D. in mathematics from Clarkson University 1983, United States.

The new Board of Trustees of Al-al-Bayt University holds its first meeting

The newly pointed Board of Trustees of Al-al-Bayt University held its first meeting chaired by His Excellency Prof. Mohammed Ahmed Hamdan, Chairman of the Board of Trustees, where several issues related to the University have been discussed.

At the beginning of the meeting, Prof. Hamdan expressed his high appreciation of the Royal great confidence for appointing him as Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Al-al-Bayt University, as well as for his fellow members and pray to Almighty to grant success to all Board members to serve Al-al-Bayt University so as to achieve its objectives and mission of upgrading this scientific place for the service of Jordan and the Arab and Islamic nation to play its role as a centre of global excellence. Prof. Hamdan was pleased with that meeting, which brought together a group of academics making qualified specialists and economists, whose choice came as the fruit of truth for this post among the public and private sectors to support the process of higher education and the advancement of universities in proportion with the requirements of the next stage, within a clear vision of the Board will seek hard to adhere to them. The partnership among the members aims at achieving the objectives for the success of this University, and for its benefit in various aspects of academic, administrative and educational services. He also added that the Board of Trustees would be supportive and a major supporter of the University administration by various means



and available possibilities to ensure the continuity of maintaining the independence of the University as one of the national leading universities that seeks the development of future generations who are able to take responsibility. President of Al-al-Bayt University, Prof. Nabil Shawaqfeh, reviewed the progress of the University, its future plans and programs that have been implemented, and those which will be implemented in the future, noting that the University has developed a strategic plan in the light of the requirements of data stage to move towards development in all projects to contribute to the strengthening process of the University to serve the University and the surrounding community. Indicating that there are ambitious projects the University is still seeking to achieve in the future, which would contribute to the advancement of the University at the advanced level, where re-consideration of many of the academic plans and development of faculties and disciplines aligned with market needs and for community service and promotion have also been performed. The Board elected His Excellency, Dr. Mohamed Mahmoud Al-Dhunaibat, as Vice-Chairman of the Board of Trustees. The Board has also formed among its members two committees;

an academic one, headed by Dr. Mahmoud Douiri, and the membership of Prof. Engineer Mustafa Mahilan, Prof. Hashim Masaeed, Dr. Amal Nasir, Dr. Fawzi Banat, and the other is an administrative and financial committee, chaired by Prof. Dr Adel Mahasneh and the membership of HE, Dr. Hamza Haddad, Prof. Hashim Masaeed and Dr. George Hazboun; in addition to the restructuring the Committee of the management of the Investment Fund. The Board has also referred to the draft of the proposal of instructions of the Board of Trustees, submitted by His Excellency the President of the Board to the Administrative and Finance Committee to be studied and made recommendations to the Board for approval; in addition to many other decisions, including approval of the appointment of vice-deans who do not hold the rank of full professor in the light of the new law of the universities. The meeting was attended by HE Dr Mohamed Mahmoud Dhunaibat, HE Prof. Mahmoud Ayed Mohammed Dwairy, HE Dr. Hamza Ahmed Haddad, Prof. Adel Mahasneh, Dr. Abdel Malek Jaber, Prof. Engineer Mustafa Mahilan, Prof. Dr. Hashim Masaeed, Dr. Amal Taher Muhammad al-Nasir, Dr. Fawzi Ahmed Banat and Mr. Osama Khalili.

On behalf of His Highness Prince Faisal Bin Al Hussein, Al-al-Bayt University President sponsors the celebration of the Jordanian Astronomical Society on its establishment for 23 years

On behalf of His Highness Prince Faisal Bin Al Hussein, Al-al-Bayt University President, Prof. Nabil Shawagfeh sponsored the celebration of the Jordanian Astronomical Society on its establishment for 23 years at the Royal Cultural Center.



The Head of this Society, Dr. Hanna Sabat, the Dean of Astronomy and Space Sciences Institute at Al-al-Bayt University reviewed the interests of this Society and its various activities especially with regard to astronomical monitoring where it organized several evenings of astronomical observation and worked on the establishment of astronomical clubs in collaboration with all relevant institutions. Dr. Sabat added that the Society since its establishment carried the slogan of transferring astronomy from being a hobby to be an academic methodology and from individual initiatives to institutional frameworks.

This slogan was translated in practice at the issuance of the Royal Decree to establish the Institute of Astronomy and Space Sciences in 1994 at Al-al-Bayt University.

Engineer Khalil Consul, Vice-President of the Arab Union for Astronomy and Space Sciences said that this celebration comes among the most important activities of the Federation, conferences, seminars and workshops organized by the Arab Union for Astronomy and Space Sciences is an Arab competent in the areas of space, astronomy, atmosphere and everything related to these disciplines of basic and applied sciences. A professor of physics at the University of Jordan, Dr. Sami Mahmoud,

mentioned in a speech the activities of the voluntary associations that deal with astronomy and help bridge the relationship between the community and the scientific astronomical Assembly praising the role of culture in enhancing the community related to astronomy and stimulating eco-tourism. At the end of the ceremony, which was sponsored by the General Delegate of His Highness Prince Faisal Bin Al Hussein, Prof. Shawagfeh and a number of public and private institutions and individuals who contributed in supporting the activities of the Association, a generous view of the panorama of this Society was included.

Cooperation between Al-al-Bayt University and the Body of Developing Areas in the fields of investment, training and strategic planning

President of Al-Bayt University Prof. Nabil Shawaqfeh discussed with the Chairman of the Council of the Body of Developing Areas, Dr. Bilal Bashir the ways to strengthen cooperation between the University and the Body of Development Areas, especially King Hussein Bin Talal Developing Area in Mafrq for attracting investment and training, carrying out joint projects, creating job opportunities and community services, finding mobility economic development in the region and developing a strategy for joint action between the both sides.

Prof. Shawaqfeh confirmed the necessity of introducing people to the importance of Al-Hussein Developing Area in Mafrq to inform the community on the most important advantages of this region; and to inform them of their role in the development of the region, indicating that the University is ready to hold training courses and provide expertise, studies, research, scientific and



environmental advice on new projects and hold meetings, to identify the region and its benefits, indicating that the University began opening new specialties appropriate to the area of development, particularly in engineering.

Dr. Bashir reviewed the developing projects that will be in the region and the role of the Body of Developing Areas in activating the process of developing areas surrounding them, indicating that the authority is seeking to facilitate investors and attract them as strategic partners for the establishment of many projects that will benefit the public and the citizens and serving Mafrq area, indicating that Al Hussein Developing Area aimed at strengthening the economic capacity in the Kingdom, attracting investment and creating an advanced

investment environment for economic activities based on royal directives, stressing that Al-al-Bayt University is a partner and a platform for intellectual and scientific work in this region and will be activating the participation through drawing up a strategy for scientific development by forming joint committees for this purpose.

The meeting was attended by Rami Al Qusoos, the Executive Director of Mafrq Developing Area, the Head of Local Economic Development Area, Ms. Areej Zghellat, and the Director of Marketing Mr. Jawad Al-Dabbas, Vice-Presidents of the University Prof. Jihad Al-Majali and Prof. Hashim Masaeed.

Al-al-Bayt University President meets HE, the Kuwaiti Cultural Attaché, marking the end of his work in Jordan



On the occasion of ending his mission in Jordan the University President, Prof. Nabil Shawaqfeh praised His Excellency's, Dr. Hamad Al-Duaij, efforts and his role in strengthening the bonds of cultural and academic cooperation between the two brotherly peoples of Jordan and Kuwait. He also thanked his interests in Kuwaiti students studying in Jordan and his continues tireless efforts of follow up and guide them during their educational life in the University.

For his part, Dr. Duaij introduced his thanks and appreciations to the President of the University and its staff on their cooperation. HE also expressed his appreciation and admiration of Al-al-Bayt University for its role in guiding the Kuwaiti students and following their studies and in overcoming obstacles in their path; in addition to its interest in arming students with science and knowledge, development and excellence and prepare them for involvement in the labor market to reach high level and become the focus of attention of students coming from outside Jordan.

University President meets President of the Council of Islamic Affairs in the State of Maryland in the U. S. A.



Al-al-Bayt University, President, Prof. Nabil Shawaqfeh discussed with the President of the Council of Islamic Affairs in the State of Maryland in the United States of America, Dr. Mohamed Bashar Arafat and in the presence of the Cultural Attaché of the U.S. Mr. Jeffrey Lurie ways to enhance cooperation in the exchange of students and holding conferences and seminars of mutual interest and strengthen the bonds of communication and understanding between peoples in various regions of the world by students of science and the exchange of scholarships and training courses, scientific visits and the holding of special programs for introducing civilizations.

Prof. Shawaqfeh assured the importance of studying and understanding the experience of others and their cultures closely referring to the League's interest in sending many students in study missions, as well as the organization of scientific visits for faculty members to view other cultures through programs designed for this purpose.

Dr. Bashar focused on the importance of sending students from the United States of America to study at Al-al-Bayt University for short-and long-term to get to know Jordan and its own role in the real definition of Islam.

The meeting was attended by the Vice-Presidents of the University Prof. Hashim Masaeed and Prof. Nasser Al Khawaldeh in addition to the Dean of the Faculty of Sharia, Prof. Mohammed Al-Zaghoul and Mrs. Basma Amawi from the American Embassy in Amman.

The University President discusses cooperation between Al-al-Bayt and the Federation of Jordanian Women

Prof. Nabil Shawaqfeh, Al-al-Bayt University President discussed with the Chairperson of the Jordanian Women's Union Ms. Nuha Ma'aytah ways to enhance cooperation in the field of counseling and training sessions and awareness programs, educational programs and communication skills oriented for students and the women's sector.

Prof. Shawaqfeh assured the University's keenness to serve the women's sector, indicating that the University is open to everyone to benefit from the expertise offered by the University in various fields, stressing the importance of pilot projects and production sectors for the advancement of women and community service.

Mrs. Ma'ayteh expressed her thanks for the great role played by the University, in cooperation with the Jordanian Women's Union and served as the women's sector has become an important tributary in building the society.

Mrs. Ma'ayteh reviewed the role of the Women's Union and its ability in offering services as it includes 12 branches and 145 Society for charity and volunteer work and productivity of the sector for the advancement of women.

The meeting was attended by Ms. Aminah Omari, Chairman of the Federation of Jordanian Women in Mafraq and Ms. Kaltham Mariash, Secretary of the General Federation of Jordanian Women.

Accepting students from Thailand at Al-al-Bayt University



Al-al-Bayt University Vice-President Prof. Jihad Al-Majali has discussed with a delegation from the University of Prince Songkla Fatani in Thailand, headed by the Dean of the Faculty of Islamic Studies, Prof. Yousif Talib, ways to enhance cooperation and to benefit from the experiences of Al-al-Bayt University in the field of Islamic studies, language and teaching Arabic language and the possibility of signing a memorandum of understanding between the two sides to send students from Thailand to study Islamic civilization and culture and learn Arabic at Al-al-Bayt University.

Prof. Majali assured that the University is ready to receive students from Thailand to study at the University. He also confirmed the role of the University in the service of Muslim communities, indicating that foreign students receive all the care and attention in Al-al-Bayt University in Jordan due to the Royal directives to the service of Arab and Islamic countries.

The Thai delegation expressed admiration of the level of progress and development of the University and its keenness to convey the message of the University and make it known for all.

The meeting was attended by the Vice-President, Prof. Nasser Al-Khawaldeh and the Dean of the Faculty of Shari'a, Prof. Mohamed Al-Zughoul, and the former Dean of the Faculty of Islamic Studies at the Prince of Songkla University, Dr. Ismail Ali, and the ssistant Dean of the College Prof. Sa'd Abdel-Qader.

The visiting delegation toured the Campus, including the Centre of languages and language laboratories and the Faculty of Sharia.

President of the University confirms: 'Students as center of the educational process and its blessed fruit.'



Al-Bayt University President, Prof. Nabil Shawaqfeh confirms that the students are at the center of the educational process and its blessed fruit in this University, which holds the noblest name, and was established by His Majesty the late King Hussein Bin Talal, God rest his soul, to be the source of science and knowledge for this generation.

It is a qualitative resource for academic education in the world that has received every care and attention of His Majesty King Abdullah II, who gives the bulk of his attention to the outstanding role of this educational and cultural place in the world that serves the youth. The President assured during meeting the new

students, the importance of their integration into the atmosphere of this educational family so as to gain mutual respect, express their opinions and accept the opinions of the others and face the challenges of the era. Prof. Shawaqfeh encouraged the students to participate in the University activities, the Council of Students and join the activities and events

offered by the University, engage in university life, enjoy social and cultural rights, indicating that the University has provided all the supplies to create the appropriate atmosphere for students throughout the duration of their studies by mentioning many of the projects carried out by the University to serve them.

The Dean of Students' Affairs Dr. Khalil Hajaj has delivered a speech welcoming the new students, explaining the activities carried out by the Deanship of Students' Affairs to serve the creativity and activities of students.

At the end of the meeting which was attended by the Vice Presidents Prof. Jihad Al-Majali, Prof. Hashim Masaeed, Prof. Nasser Khawaldah, Deans of Faculties, Prof. Shawaqfeh responded to questions and queries raised by the students about the many concerned issues.

President of the University sponsors the celebration of the new students



Al-Bayt University President, Prof. Nabil Shawaqfeh has sponsored the celebration of the Deanship of Students' Affairs on the occasion of receiving the new students at the University. At the beginning of the ceremony, the Dean of Students' Affairs Dr. Khalil Haija delivered a speech in which he geared the attention of the University towards the students in all aspects of serving their march at the University and taking into their own hands to develop their abilities, presenting an overview of many of the services offered by the University for students and promote events and activities that serve them.

The Head of the Student's Council at Al-al-Bayt University, Fauzan Khawaldah, reviewed the efforts made by the presidency of the University to provide the educational environment by service facilities and leading

educational contributed to a paradigm shift to areas of students' affairs.

The student, Khawaldah, expressed his thanks and appreciation to the presidency of the University for its continued cooperation with the Council and the

follow-up to the problems faced by the students in various fields. It has spared no effort in creating the appropriate conditions to the success of the process of the University life for all students.

The ceremony included some national poems submitted by the national poet, Habib Zyoud, who expressed patriotism and wise to the Hashemite leadership. The ceremony also included some artistic pieces of music, songs and popular folklore dances, played and introduced by the Choir of the University.

The ceremony was attended by the Vice-Presidents of the University Prof. Jihad Al-Majali, Prof. Hashim Masaeed, Prof. Nasser Khawaldah Deans and Heads of Departments, Directors of departments and a large gathering of University students.

The University President inspects services utilities in the University



The President of University, Prof. Shawagfeh confirmed the importance of providing best services and care for students during their academic life, said during his visit of checking utilities and services at the University.

The Vice-Presidents of the University Prof. Jihad Al-Majali, Prof. Hashim Masaeed and Prof. Nasser Al Khawaldeh accompanied the University President in this tour. Service facilities and canteens for the students at the University are now available. The importance of employing all energies in bringing about development and attention to provide hygiene meals to students has also been emphasized.

During his tour, the President of the University asked the students on the quality of food provided to them and the prices and quality of services and the suggestions to improve that, stressing the desire of the whole on the importance of quality, and high standards, noting that the University has adopted the method of free competition between companies approved to provide the service to be competitive for the interest of students at the University.

President of the University launches a campaign: “Because I love Jordan, I’m going to participate



Al-Bayt University President, Prof. Nabil Shawaqfeh has launched in the presence of Mafrqa Governor, Mr. Ali Nazal, the meeting of (Because I love Jordan, I’m going to participate). This is organized by the campaign of ‘We Are All Jordan: Youth Body’ in collaboration with the Centre for the Leaders of Tomorrow at Al-al-Bayt University.

Prof. Shawaqfeh assured that this launch of the campaign of ‘because we love Jordan to participate’ comes at the time of the parliamentary elections and the counting of leadership dedicated to the nation promising initiative that urges the largest number of voters who are young people to participate in the parliamentary elections, indicating that the parliamentary elections are an opportunity to share positive and influential force in youth community.

Mr. Tariq Shatanawi, the coordinator of the work of the leaders of tomorrow, confirms in his speech that participation in the elections is the right of every man and woman; and it means increasing the dose to exercise democracy and a fundamental pillar in the building and the rise of the homelands.

At the end of the campaign, Prof. Shawagfeh in the presence of a large gathering of faculty members and students signed the document that marked the beginning of this campaign.

Al-al-Bayt University receives a new batch of U.S. Peace Corps Volunteers

Al-Bayt University President, Prof. Nabil Shawagfeh, in the presence of the Governor of Mafrq, Mr. Ali Nazzal and the U.S. Vice Ambassador in Amman Mr. Larry Mandel received the second group of Peace Corps Volunteers at the University, who will receive training and learning Arabic language and will be introduced to the customs and traditions of Jordan, and will do volunteer work in various areas of the Province of Mafrq. They are 42 American volunteers.

Prof. Shawagfeh pointed out that the University has developed an integrated program for volunteers to learn Arabic language through introducing them to the customs and traditions and the mechanism of their interaction with the community during their stay with Jordanian families in the villages of the Governorate of Mafrq in order to activate the concepts of dialogue and mutual understanding, coexistence and blending of



cultures praising the role of the U.S. Peace Corps in the promotion of this curriculum and the performance of their humanitarian, educational and social development.

Mafrq Governor, Mr. Nazzal assures that the Governorate is still ready to provide all necessary facilities for those volunteers to carry out humanitarian tasks and access to the cultures of our dear country.

The Vice Ambassador, Mr. Mandel states that this fourteenth group has arrived to the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan and the second in Al-al-Bayt University to do volunteer work, praising the work done by the University of Al-al-Bayt for the rehabilitation and education

of the first group, which met with success, have been circulating the idea to the rest of the Peace Corps in various countries around the world .

This reception was attended by the Vice-President of the University for Scientific Faculties Prof. Hashim Masaeed and the Dean of Students' Affairs, Dr. Khalil Hajaj and the General Manager of the U.S. Peace Corps in Jordan, Dr. Alex Boston. This event was celebrated by a number of songs and national and popular folklore dances in Arabic and English as a welcome to the volunteers who will spend two months at the University of Al-al-Bayt and Mafrq Governorate.

Farewell Hajj delegation to the Holy Land



Prof. Hashim Masaeed, the Vice President of Al-Bayt University, assures the importance of adherence to exercise discipline and good values through the performance of Hajj. He said during his farewell the

mission Hajj of Al-al-Bayt University, which included 19 students and a supervisor from the University that there is a need to give the good reputation of the mission through communication and maintain cooperation

between all during the pilgrimage. He wished them a blessed pilgrimage and commendable effort and a happy return to the homeland.

The farewell ceremony was attended by the Vice President of Administrative and Finance Prof. Jihad Al-Majali, Vice President of Faculties of Humanitarian Affairs, Prof. Nasser Khawaldah and the Dean of Students' Affairs, Dr. Khalil Hajaj and a large collection of students and administrators at the University.

A graduation ceremony of the students participating in recitation of the Holy Qur'an at summer centers

A ceremony on the occasion of graduation of students participating in recitation of the Holy Qur'an was held under the patronage of Al al-Bayt University Acting President, Prof. Jihad Al-Majali. This ceremony was organized under the supervision of the Islamic Cultural Centre in collaboration with Bilal Ben Rabah Mosque at Al-al-Bayt University.

Sheikh Mohammed Zyoud, Imam of Bilal Ben Rabah Mosque indicated that every Muslim should teach his children the Holy Qur'an and urge them to read, recite its verses and understand its meanings and purposes. He also called for the establishment of schools for



learning the Qur'an, referring to the importance of the Hashemite Competition of reciting the Holy Qur'an by heart, organized by the Kingdom annually and throughout the Islamic world.

At the end of the ceremony, the Vice-President, Prof. Al-

Majali handed over certificates and prizes to the graduates. 30 students have participated in this summer course at the Islamic Cultural Centre at the University to recite parts of the Holy Qur'an Al-Tajweed for two consecutive months.

A Poetic Session at Al-al-Bayt University



The Deanship of Students' Affairs at Al-al-Bayt University in cooperation with the Poets' Forum of Jordan of the Nabiteen's poetry and the Preservation of Heritage organized a poetic session in which poets from Jordan and the United Arab Emirates presented a number of

poems. The participant poets from the UAE are: Mohammad Abdallah Buraiki, Omar Al Ameri and Saeed Al Hajri who presented a group of popular poems characterized by simplicity, accuracy and clarity of the goals and objectives of all the noble and wonderful

smoothness of poetry.

Emad Al-Ghazo, a poet from Jordan, also presented a collection of Nabatian poems indicating that poetry is an integral part of our heritage and the Arab conscience, which mimics the order of the heart.

It is noteworthy that this meeting was directed by Dr. Khalil Hajaj, Dean of Students' Affairs at Al-al-Bayt University, who assured that this session comes within the Arab brotherhood evenings to strengthen relations and exchange of cultures between Jordan and the UAE.

A Play to strengthen the importance of elections at the University

The Deanship of Students' Affairs at Al al-Bayt University has organized in cooperation with the Ministry of Political Development a drama entitled "the biography of the elections" which included sketches urges citizens to participate in the process of the elections and the selection of the parliamentarian, who represents the best representation, and also stresses the importance of



women's participation in the elections.

This play will be also played through the program of open days with

Jordanian universities and in collaboration with the Centre for Life, to invite young people and motivate them to participate in the parliamentary elections.

A campaign to recycle solid waste at Al-al-Bayt University



Prof. Jihad Al-Majali, Vice President of Al al-Bayt University of Administration and Financial Affairs has launched a solid waste recycling campaign organized by the Institute of Earth and Environmental Sciences at the University.

The campaign aims to highlight students' awareness to maintain the cleanliness of the campus and to make use of waste in waste recycling; in addition to the importance of continuing to collect various wastes in cooperation with the private sector.

Prof. Majali indicated that organizing such campaigns came within the environmental activities to stimulate the students and the community to maintain a hygienic environment.

Prof. Al-Majali, Deans of the Faculties and a collection of interested people participated in the campaign on campus; and they briefed the efforts to make it a success.

Chairman of the Board of Trustees, Prof. Mohamed Hamdan inaugurates the Second International Conference in Linguistics at the University

The Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Al-Bayt University, HE. Prof. Mohammad Hamdan has sponsored the event of opening the Second International Conference in Linguistics on the lexicographical Arabic: Achievements and Prospects, in the presence of Al-al-Bayt University Acting President, Professor Hashim Masaeed and the Vice-Presidents :Prof. Jihad Al-Majali and Prof. Nasser Al-Khawaldeh. This event has been organized by the Faculty of Arts and Humanities at the University of Al al-Bayt and the participation of 80 scientists and scholars from eighteen Arab, Islamic and foreign countries.



The Dean of the Faculty of Arts and Humanities, the Chairman of the Conference Committee Prof. Fawaz Abdul Haq said in his speech that this conference, which included 80 scientists and scholars from 18 Arab, Islamic and foreign countries came to study Arabic because of its importance, the language of the Holy Qur'an, and the language of the people of Paradise. It has become of a global importance where everyone, far and wide, looks forward to learning it, adding that the interest in Arabic as it is the language of the Holy Qur'an and the language of the nation. Its identity

is the primary motivation for us to have more interest in studying the languages.

Chairman of the Arabic Language Department, Dr. Mohammed al-Absi said that the Deanship of the Faculty of Arts and Humanities, took upon itself the responsibility to continue to overcome constraints in the ways of scientific research which was observed as one of the fruits of the field of competition and hard work and research by holding lectures, seminars, forums and international conferences dedicated at the Faculty of Arts , noting that the prospects for Arab and Islamic heritage were opened

in 2004 and for the prospects in language-audio track were opened in 2008 and of the critical discourse in the field of inherited narrative in the light of modern criticism in 2009 to study the prospects of language in the field of the current lexicography.

The Agent of the Institute of learning Arabic at the Islamic University of Imam Muhammad bin Saud, Dr. Muhammad bin Naff'Al-Al-Anzi said on his part that the scholars of the Arab nation were keen to make a dictionary aims to maintain the language of the Holy Qur'an. They produced a rich dictionary which in its material and varieties of its entries, indicating the geniuses of the Arabs after being enlightened by Islamic civilization.

The conference included work-sheets papers on topics of Arabic lexicography, computing, lexicography craft, and other various research projects.

Under the auspices of Her nobility Zein Bint Nasser, the opening of the final meeting workshop of the Nomads' Health Project

Her nobility, Zein Bint Nasser, the adviser and member of the Board of Trustees of the Hashemite Fund for the Development of Jordanian Badia, Chairperson of the Advisory Committee for Nomads Health Project, assured that health care in the desert areas of Jordan poses a special challenge to health service providers because of the distances. She said in a speech read on behalf of Her, by the Governor of Mafrq, Mr. Ali Nassal in the final meeting of the health project workshop of the nomads, organized by the Faculty of Princess Salma Bint Abdullah of Nursing in collaboration with the Faculty of Nursing at the University of Philadelphia at Al-Bayt University, said that the government services are represented in the Ministry of Health and the Royal Medical Services. Health care is sparing no effort in providing adequate health care, within the material and human resources available, and said that it requires health strategy coordination to contribute to the integration and consolidation efforts," and here, "She says, "I like to come from officials, academics and community to adopt the recommendations of this project which I hope will be contributed to valuable clarification, evaluation or development of typical interventions in partnership with service providers to improve access to reproductive health care and health care for children and improve the quality of care provided."

The Director of the project, Dr. Jalian Handt of Britain showed



in her speech the importance of this project in the rural areas to assess the health status and behavior of researchers from health services and practices of nomadic communities in the area of reproductive health and the health of children and evaluation of care services. He provided thanks to the Ministry of Health and the Centre for Badia Research and Development, the University of Al al-Bayt and the University of Philadelphia.

The Dean of Princess Salma Faculty of Nursing, Dr. Omar Al-Rawajfeh pointed out that the concept of nursing has expanded and become more inclusive and nursing care has also become not only for competent persons, but for communities which have become an integral part of these nursing care. At a time when nursing has proved a remarkable development in the world in general and in this country in particular, the access to the needs of the community has become an urgent necessity. It became necessary to determine the data needs within the community and within the understanding of its components and its properties. It was therefore necessary to conduct scientific studies that provide accurate health databases to be relied upon to provide proper care for these communities.

He added that the participation of Princess Salma Faculty of Nursing in the Health Project of the Bedouins comes from the mission of the Faculty to offer services for the community and the need to work to bridge the gap between theoretical sciences in the nursing courses and the problems of the real community.

The closing meeting was attended by the Acting-Vice-President of the University Prof. Hashim Masaeed, the Vice President for Administrative and Financial Affairs, Jihad Al-Majali, Vice-President of the University for Faculties of Humanities, Prof. Nasser Al-Khawaldeh. The Workshop included two working sessions; the first chaired by Dr. Mohammed Bishtawi of Al-Bayt University, the Head of the research team Health Project of the Nomads in a paper on research methodology and its results. The second, chaired by Dr. Fadia Hasna, from the University of Philadelphia, with the participation of Dr. Adel Balbisi from the Ministry of Health and the Director of Al-Mafrq Health Directory, Dr Sulaiman Affash on the challenges and achievements of the health care system in the Northern Badia.

Al-Ma'ayteh lectures about the upcoming parliamentary elections



The political adviser of the Prime Minister spokesman for the parliamentary elections, Samih Maaytah, assured that the elections will be held in accordance with the provisions of the law away from interventions to create a parliament that reflects the will of the voters.

He said during a lecture entitled the upcoming parliamentary elections, the prospects for change, organized by the Deanship of Students' Affairs at Al-al-Bayt University in collaboration with the Institute of the House of Wisdom, and was attended by the Vice-President, Prof. Jihad Al-Majali, that parliamentary elections will be fair and absolutely impartial that aims to restore confidence to the constitutional

institution of the Council of Representatives, referring to the fact that the change will require a serious citizen, and that all citizens should participate in the upcoming parliamentary elections to decision-making through the selection of efficient representatives most capable of dealing with all issues of the homeland.

He referred to the need to combat all forms of corruption during the electoral process, especially the political money in order to avoid imbalances and gaps that hit parliaments prior, adding that eliminating the phenomenon of political money and buying votes should be community-based and stems from the conviction of the electorate, stressing the government's commitment to refer

offenders to the judicial authorities to take legal action towards them.

Al-Ma'ayteh considered the success of the next election requires the commitment of the provisions of the law if the voter to participate in the voting process, calling on citizens not to make judgments about the unfairness of the pre-election deal with the government must seriously take into account the respect for the will of the voters.

On his part, Dr. Mohammad Meqdadi, Dean of Bayt Al-Hikmah confirmed that the University is aware of spreading the importance of participating in the upcoming parliamentary elections among the students.

Al-Bayt University salutes the memory of Al-Esra' and Al-Mi'raj



Within the celebrations of Al-al-Bayt University of Al-Esra' and Al-Mi'raj anniversary, Dr. Bahjat Habashneh, a professor of comparative religion and Islamic faith in the Faculty of Shari'a at the University delivered a speech about the importance of this incident and its impact on Muslims, noting that this

miracle came to prove the sincerity of prophethood of Prophet Muhammad, may God bless him.

Dr. Habashneh reviewed the march of the respectful Prophet from the moment of His movement at night from Al Aqsa Mosque in Jerusalem down to the Prophet's vision for the signs of his Lord there, and that

the human mind cannot accept and understand these events, but it is the ability of God and the attention given to the Holy Prophet, may God bless him. The lecturer noted that this linkage between the Grand Mosque and Al Aqsa Mosque came to be the symbol of the honor of this nation.

Dr. Habashneh pointed out that there are many attempts to undermine Islamic culture and Islamic religious symbols distortion and falsification of facts, calling on all to adhere to Islamic moral character, interdependence and communication for the interest of the nation.

Lecture on the reality of Muslims in the West

At the invitation of the Faculty of Sharia at Al-al-Bayt University, the President of the General Federation of French Muslims and the Secretary General of the European Islamic Conference, Dr. Mohamed Beshari gave a lecture entitled "Reality of Muslims in the West" has dealt with the experience of Islam in the West and the reality of Muslims in it, and the main challenges they face. He spoke about the geographical and intellectual concept of the West. Among the main activities carried out by Muslim communities in Europe, was establishing some institutions, organizations and advisory councils and Islamic



universities to serve the Muslims, which had the greatest impact in providing true image of Islam and its interaction with the humanitarian community.

The Lecturer assured that all the records of the various themes addressed in the future carry a good impact for Islam and Muslims, but this requires more

effort, work and support from good people of the nation.

At the end of the lecture which was run by the Dean of the Faculty of Sharia', Prof. Mohamed Ali Al-Zaghoul, the lecturer answered the queries raised by the students about the reality of Muslims and the challenges they face.

A Lecture on the line of family counseling in each House

At the invitation of the Faculty of Princess Salma Bint Abdullah of Nursing at Al-al-Bayt University the legal adviser of the Jordanian Women's Union, lawyer Manal Al-Nidami, and Rasha Khaza'aleh, the social worker of the Guest House of the Child in Irbid Branch, gave a lecture on the line of family counseling.



This lecture comes as part of the academic course, Community Health Nursing, taught at the University. Lawyer Manal Al- Nidami talked about the history of the Jordanian Women's Union which was founded in 1946 under the name of the Women's Union as a voluntary non-profitable foundation with a clear methodology and, where the Union provides several services, including dealing with social development to children and women. Al-Nidami has also focused on the most important programs offered by the Jordanian Women's Union and the program line of family counseling, which aims to enable Jordanian women

to face their problems and find appropriate solutions to the assistance of specialists from the European Union, in addition to the program of legal literacy, which aims to deliver legal information needed by any person as law of personal status and legal literacy in the community, and services also provide the health service in mobile clinics and litigation free service offering these services in strict confidence.

Meanwhile, the social worker, Rasha Khaza'aleh, talked about the program of the Guest House of the Child, which provides hosting services for the child and his separated parents in the Guest House legally; in addition

to follow the mentoring program with parents to help with conflict resolution. She also talked about the line of family counseling, which aims to enlighten the conflicting parties of the reasons of conflict and provide solutions through social meetings between the parties in the presence of social workers.

At the end of the lecture directed by the Head of Community Health Nursing and Mental Health at the University, Dr. Mohammad Al-Bishtawi, an extensive dialogue between students and the two guests took place about the services of Jordanian Women's Union and the problems faced by society.

A Lecture on the parliamentary elections at the University

The Deanship of Students' Affairs in collaboration with the Institute of Bayt al-Hikma at Al-al-Bayt University organized a lecture entitled "A legislative representative or a services representative". The lecture dealt with the upcoming parliamentary elections and political life in Jordan, in which Dr. Ahed Mashaqba of political sciences at the Institute of the House of Wisdom at the University discussed the specifications of the parliamentarian, who aspires to the voter of Jordan as that the Council of Representatives must be a legislative one not on services as stipulated by the law of procedure of the House of Representatives, stating that we need a Deputy at a high level of culture, education, and are fully aware of the constitution of



Jordan and political life in Jordan and The challenges, to know their rights and duties, laws and regulations and be able to take the political decision for the rational interest of the country.

He said that we need a new electoral law that meets the desire of all Jordanians at all levels. Calling on students to participate actively in the elections and have democratic participation to sort

the sincere leadership in its loyalty to serve the nation and its citizens away from self-interest.

At the end of the lecture, controlled by Dr. Yousif Migdadi, acting, Dean Assistance of Students' Affairs at the University, a discussion has been held about the need of a legislative representative not of a services representative.

A lecture on the woman in the Badia and the parliamentary elections



A lecture has been held at Al-al-Bayt University in cooperation with the Hashemite Fund for Badia Development of Jordan and the Ministry of Political Development entitled "Women in the Badai and elections."

Dr. Hani Akhu-Rshideh from the Institute of Bayt Al-Hikma in the University talked about the role of the Hashemite Fund for Badia Development of Jordan in

enhancing the developmental role of women in the desert, as well as to improve the social and economic reality for the people of the desert of Jordan and to contribute to efforts to address the problems of poverty and unemployment.

Mr. Ali Khawaldih, Director of the Civil Society Institutions at the Ministry of Political Development, talked about the law of temporary election

for the year 2010 and promote the participation of women apparent in the elections in order to motivate women and encourage them to exercise their political rights and civil rights such as the right to vote in elections and stand for people's congresses and parliamentary elections and participation in women's organizations and freedom of expression and equality.

At the end of the lecture which was attended by a number of faculty members, students at the University, a number of women and those interested in the governorate of Mafraq, a discussion was held between the lecturers and the audience.

A Lecture on women's participation in political life



At the invitation of the Department of History at Al-al-Bayt University, the Chairperson of Queen Zein Al Sharaf's Mafraq Charity Society Ms. Amna Al-Omari gave a lecture on women's participation in political life in Mafraq. She mentioned that the number of women's associations in Mafraq is 22 women's associations, where volunteer work and charitable services are carried out by the

quest to provide all types of social assistance programs and some modest simple presents for supporting the empowerment of women politically, socially and economically.

Noting that this Society nowadays has a significant role in order to activate the role of women in political participation and parliamentary elections and strengthen the role of women as candidates and voters,

and to educate women to have a clear role in society.

Dr. Anwar Al-Khalidi, head of History Department at the University, delivered a speech in which he indicated the Royal support by His Majesty King Abdullah II and Queen Rania Al-Abdullah of women's role and importance of participation in various walks of life and the allocation of quota for women in municipalities and parliament to participate in political decision-making.

At the end of the lecture which was attended by Dean of the Faculty of Arts and Humanities, Pro. Fawaz Al-Zboon and a large gathering of faculty members and students, a dialogue between the lecturer and the audience was expanded.

A Lecture on the Influence of Arabic on the Italian language

Within the celebrations of the Italian Embassy of the week of Italian language and cultural systems, the Department of Modern Languages, Faculty of Arts at Al-al-Bayt University organized a number of activities and lectures attended by the Assistant of the Italian Cultural Counsel, Dr. Daniela, where she emphasized the importance of such meetings, which comes as part of celebrations of the Italian Embassy week and Italian culture, where so-called the tenth Forum and this year is called Italian and the Italian of others, such activities indicate the importance of cultural exchange and language. Dr. Ahmed Olimat, Head of Modern Languages at the University gave a lecture entitled "the influence of Arabic on the Italian language" in which he referred to the loan terms and



words from Arabic entered the Italian language. He discussed the reasons of these loan words, that have helped the entry of this language to Italy, where he pointed out that one of the first means is the Arab presence of Islam in southern parts of Italy, which lasted nearly 200 years and the Islamic conquests and the land that was under the control of Arab and Muslim governments. He continued, for six centuries of these means of trade, the third means was the translation of

scientific terms that entered many of the scientific terminology from Arabic to Italian, such as algebra, which is still running under the name of reparation and also terms algorithm.

During the lecture, a number of students from the Modern Language Department read a number of Italian poems translated into Arabic. The lecture was attended by a number of faculty members and a number of University students.

Constructing a complex for students' activities at a cost of three million JDs at Al al-Bayt University



A cooperation agreement for constructing a complex for students' activities at a cost of up to three million, three hundred forty-three thousand, seven hundred and eighty JDs has been signed at Al-al-Bayt University.

The agreement was signed by Nabil Shawagfeh, the University President, and the project director Engineer Mohamed Emira, on behalf of Umrah Company of Engineering and Construction that executes this project.

Prof. Shawagfeh, the University President assured the importance of constructing such an integrated complex for raising the students' social, cultural and sport level so as to be prepared for participating in various sports and other activities to serve the University and Mafrq Community due to the unavailability of such a complex with the specifications offered, within the area of Mafrq.

It should be mentioned that the area of this complex is of 8000 square meters and can accommodate 2500 people as closed halls of multi-uses that include multi-purpose halls for use in different activities: squash court, four rooms for athletics; pointing out that this project is among the many vital projects implemented by the University to serve the educational institutions and for the service of the University students. It should be also noted that the duration of the completion of this project is (720) days.

The signing of this agreement was attended by the Vice-Presidents of the University, Prof. Hashim Masaeed and Prof. Nasser Al Khawaldeh and the Dean of Students' Affairs, Dr. Khalil Hajaj, in addition to the Director of the Central Tenders Mr. Abdul-Latif al-Majid and the Director of the Office of Construction, Engineer Salah Khaza'aleh in the University; and the Assistant Director of Amra's Engineering and Construction Company, engineer Mohammed Alian.

A cooperation agreement between Al- al-Bayt University and Abdul Hameed Shoman Foundation for a computer lab at the University

President of Al-al-Bayt University, Prof. Nabil Shawaqfih, assured the role of civil institutions to support projects and activities of the Jordanian universities through their initiatives in this area. He pointed out- during the signing of this cooperation agreement with the General Director of Abdul Hameed Shoman Foundation, His Excellency Mr. Thabet Al-Taher to establish a computer lab for the Centre for Developing the Performance of the Teaching Staff at Al-al-Bayt University, that the efforts of this Foundation are highly appreciated to support the activities of the University as this Foundation possesses a high reputation in the area of support.

Prof. Shawaqfih confirmed the importance of continuing cooperation and coordination between the University and Abdul Hameed Shoman Foundation to set up joint projects aims at benefiting from the experiences of both sides in the development of education within the University to continue to hold meetings that would contribute



to the interest of both parties.

Prof. Shawaqfih stressed the keenness of the University of enhancing communication and openness with all institutions of the community in order to promote the level of performance required in providing an outstanding service to our students and improve the infrastructure and campus facilities to coincide with the requirements of the next stage in the development and modernization.

General Manager of Abdul Hameed Shoman Foundation, His Excellency Mr. Thabet Al-Taher, for his part, praised the efforts of the presidency of the University, which was able in a short period to achieve a number of achievements for the development of University education and commensurate with the needs of this present time, especially the quantum leap that we

witness in this area now. His Excellency, Al-Taher, pointed out that the signing of this agreement was based on a common desire to tighten closer links between Abdul Hameed Shoman Foundation and Al -al-Bayt University to strengthen the role of the University in the performance of its duties to the fullest extent of developing education, reviewing the activities and projects of the Foundation towards contributing to the support of all programs and various scientific research.

Under the terms of the agreement is establishing a computer lab at the Center of Developing Teaching Staff Performance at the University by providing different devices to be dedicated to teaching members in the training and qualification among the programs that are adopted for this purpose.

Memorandum of Understanding between the University and the Arab Foundation for Sustainable Development to provide grants and assistance for students

A memorandum of understanding between Al-al-Bayt University and the Arab Foundation for Sustainable Development has been signed by the University President Prof. Nabil Shawaqfeh and the Company Foundation regional director Samar Dudin to provide grants and assistance for students to study and raise the level of social awareness.

University President Prof. Shawaqfeh confirmed the continuous readiness of the University to open up with all the voluntary organizations to serve local communities and for the benefit of the youth of our areas, especially the remote ones.

Prof. Shawaqfeh added that the University will support such initiatives that work to achieve the desired development in all fields. He also declared that there is a significant interest by the University for the implementation of programs related to the local community which are evident in cooperation with stakeholders and in particular in the field survey of the Economic and social services done by the University to demonstrate the



reality of the situation of these areas and what is needed in the fields of health and educational social services and others.

Prof. Shawaqfeh assured the importance of focusing on joint ventures between the universities and such institutions that care for pioneer projects which include the implementation of various programs for the development of the surrounding communities of the universities. He also pointed out that there are talents and capabilities at the University that can sustain the development of the work of the community through the available programs and specializations that contributed to the provision of community service as required and especially focusing on the research and scientific view to the advancement of these communities.

The Regional Director of the Arab Foundation for Sustainable Development, Samar Dudin, appreciated the efforts of Al al-Bayt University of initiating the signature of

this memorandum, which focused on cooperation and coordination to activate and develop the local community through the provision of scholarships, cultural development and access to provide the required service in this area, pointing out that the company is concerned with community empowerment of the youth to find leading solutions to the development of community and civic participation, volunteerism and cooperation with partners in the governmental sectors civil and private ones, too.

Dudin has added that the pioneer programs of the development include the fund of Mus'ab Khorma that caters for educating and empowering the youth, the community and the child development that would contribute to the service of the areas who are in need of educational and health services, youth and other pilot projects to achieve sustainable development.

A joint cooperation agreement between Al al-Bayt University and the Arab Group for Education and Training



A joint cooperation agreement was signed between Al al-Bayt University and the Arab Group for Education and Training, the representative of Al Faisal International Academy, and that for gaining help of members from the teaching staff from the University to teach at the programs implemented by the Arab Group for Education and Training with the Saudi universities.

The agreement was signed by Al-Bayt University President, Prof. Nabil Shawaqfeh and Dr. Basim Sarayreh, the Arab Group for Education and Training Chief Executive.

It should be noted that the University has signed several agreements with the Arab Group for Education and Training in the field of training, education and master's programs offered jointly with the University of Ohio in the USA.

Al-al-Bayt University distributed parcels of good over orphan families in Mafraq Governorate

Among the initiatives launched by Al al-Bayt University during the month of Ramadan in collaboration with the local community in the province of Mafraq, the University has distributed good of parcels to poor and needy families and orphans in the Association of Sponsoring orphans in Mafraq.

Al al-Bayt University President Prof. Nabil Shawaqfih stressed during the ceremony of distributing the packages that the mission of the University is openness up to the various segments of the community so as to provide all possible services and assistance necessary especially during this holy month. The University is aware to distribute parcels of groceries for needy families from different areas of the province to contribute for providing assistance to these families to improve their living conditions and their economic development. The President assured that the University continues the charitable work through coordination and cooperation with charities and voluntary institutions in the province so as to ensure its humanitarian



objectives and the delivery of aid to the needy groups.

Dr. Jihad Al-Shrafat, the Director of the Islamic Cultural Centre in the University indicated that the University has enacted good years is the concern to be close to the pulse of the community to share concerns and issues and seek in the service by extending a helping hand to children at all levels and in all areas, including the field of charity and on humanitarian basis of its cultural and humanitarian noble role trodden by its founder, His Majesty King Hussein, may God have mercy on Him, and is now enhanced by His Majesty King Abdullah II, may God bless Him, so as to consider this approach as a guiding torch to be followed by others.

Mr. Mosa Shdeifat , the Association of Orphan's Chairman in Mafraq Governorate praised this initiative noting the role of the University in supporting the associations and institutions in Mafraq Governorate for their advancement. The University does not hesitate in supporting citizens and serving the local community institutions, particularly the Associations that sponsor the orphans and for the advancement of their charity works to the benefits of the orphans and the needy. The ceremony of distributing the parcels of good was attended by the Vice President, Prof. Hashim Masaeed and the Director of Mafraq Development Office, Mr. Adel Kana'an.

Renewal the appointment of Prof. Hashim Masaeed as a Vice-President of Al-al-Bayt University

A renewal of the appointment of Prof. Hashim Masaeed as a Vice-President of Al-al-Bayt University for another three years has been agreed on.

Prof. Masaeed holds a Ph.D. in civil engineering since 1990 from Purdue University in America, a master's degree in civil engineering from Yarmouk University, and a bachelor's degree in civil engineering from the University of Jordan in 1982.



in many academic and administrative positions at the University of Science and

Technology in 1986, and at the Hashemite University. He was also appointed as a General Director of the Organization of the Public Transport Sector during the period from 2006 to 2008.

Prof. Masaeed has much scientific research, published more than 70 scientific papers in international journals and conferences and he also supervised more than 20PhD. and Master Theses.

Board of Trustees of Al-al-Bayt University decides to appoint Prof. Nasser Al-Khawaldah Vice-President of the University

The Board of Trustees at Al-al-Bayt University decided to appoint Prof. Nasser Al-Khawaldah as a Vice-President for the Faculties of Humanity sciences at the University.

Prof. Al-Khawaldeh has obtained his Ph.D. from the University of Nebraska in the United States of America in 1997 in the specialty of Educational Sciences. He was appointed as a member of the staff at the Faculty of Education at the University of Jordan. He worked at Yarmouk University and the International University of Islamic



Sciences and in the United Arab Emirates University, too.

Al-Khawaldeh has also served as the Director of Teaching Practice Program and as the Head of the Department of Curricula and

Instructions at the University of Jordan. He was also appointed a Dean of the Faculty of Humanities and Education and Director of the Centre of Quality and Development of Performance in the International University of Islamic Sciences.

Prof. Al-Khawaldah was the advisor to the Minister of Education in Yemen from 1999 -2000.

He has supervised a good number of Masters and PhDs. Theses; and he has more than 36 scientific research publications in addition to several books relevant to university affairs.