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# Electronic Newsletter



### AOU Hosts Research Forum to Foster Innovation and Academic Exchange – Bahrain

The Arab Open University recently organized a Research Forum bringing together faculty members to exchange research experiences and promote a culture of innovation and scholarly collaboration. The event opened with an inspiring address by Branch Director Dr. Najma Taqi, who highlighted the role of research in advancing knowledge, academic excellence, and community service. During the forum, eight faculty members presented their research papers and shared their experiences in conducting and publishing scientific research.



### AOU Celebrates Student Amjad Kazem Ahmed's Achievement – Bahrain

The Arab Open University proudly celebrates its outstanding student, Amjad Kazem Ahmed, for his inspiring strength and determination. Amjad successfully completed his treatment for sickle cell anemia using CRISPR gene-editing bone marrow transplantation, while continuing to excel academically despite the challenges.



### AOU Kuwait Dean Honored at Gulf Youth Day Event – Kuwait

GCC countries celebrated Gulf Youth Day under the theme "One Promising Gulf Youth" through the Youth Creativity Award in Data and Artificial Intelligence, organized by Qatar's Ministry of Sports and Youth. The event brought together young Gulf talents in data, statistics, and digital innovation, and honored Dr. Issa Al-Harbi, Dean of the Faculty of Computer Studies at AOU Kuwait.



### AOU Participates in Namaa Volunteer Center Launch – Kuwait

Representing the university, Dr. Salah Al-Hammadi, Branch Director, and Dr. Dalal Al-Oumi, Assistant Dean of the Faculty of Business Studies, attended the launch ceremony of the Namaa Volunteer Center, organized by Namaa Charity under the Social Reform Society. The participation reflected the university's commitment to promoting volunteerism, social responsibility, and collaboration with community and charitable organizations.



### AOU President Opens Careers and Training Fair – Oman

Prof. Mohammed bin Hamdan Al-Badi, President of the Arab Open University, opened the AOU Careers and Training Fair in Oman. The fair aims to connect students with employers and introduce them to available professional development and career opportunities.



### FCS Hosts Talent Expo for Digital Innovation – Oman

The Faculty of Computer Studies organized the FCS Talent Expo 2026 to showcase students' innovative projects and entrepreneurial tech ideas in AI, cybersecurity, software development, and emerging technologies. The event also featured a panel discussion with public and private sector representatives on supporting student projects, empowering youth, and transforming creative ideas into real initiatives aligned with Oman Vision 2040.