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The Fourth Annual RESEARCH FORUM

28 - 29 March 2016

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Day One

Monday 28 March 2016

9:30 - 9:40	Opening Address Professor Abdulla Y. Al Hawaj, Managing Director
9:40 - 9:50	Research strategy for Ahlia University Professor Mansoor Alaali, President
9:50 - 10:00	Research Forum: Goals and focus Dr María del Mar de Fez Laso, Dean, College of Graduate Studies & Research
10:00 - 10:25	Energy for the future: The year 2030 and beyond Professor Shawqi Mohamed Al Dallal, College of Engineering
10:25 - 10:40	Break
11:00 - 11:20	Impact of smart phone use on the musculoskeletal system: A preliminary study Dr Dalia Mohamed Shewitta, College of Medical & Health Sciences
11:20 - 11:40	Integrated reporting: New framework for corporate reporting Dr Gagan Kukreja, College of Business & Finance
11:40 - 12:00	Testing the reliability and validity of a proposed scale Dr Said Taan Al-Hajjar, College of Arts, Science & Education
12:00 - 12:30	Break
12:30 - 12:50	Teacher Professionalism Dr Mohamed Hasan Mohamed, College of Arts, Science & Educations
12:50 - 13:10	Compose Walsh sequences Dr Ahmad Hamza Al Cheikha, College of Arts, Science & Education
13:10 - 13:30	Developing a fuzzy database for heart disease prediction Ms Jenan Moosa Hasan, College of Information Technology
13:30 - 14:20	Poster Session and Book Exhibition
14:20 - 15:20	Lunch
15:20 - 15:40	Arabian intellectuals - Their role and meaning Dr Ismail Noori Mseer, College of Arts, Science & Education
15:40 - 16:00	A robust authentication scheme using smart mobile devices Dr Hasan Abdulredha Saleh Kadhem, College of Information Technology
16:20 - 16:40	Appreciation to Contributors

Day Two

Tuesday 29 March 2016

09:30 - 09:40	Opening Address Dr María del Mar de Fez Laso, Dean, College of Graduate Studies & Research
09:40 - 10:05	Keynote Speech Environmental management and sustainable development Professor Amer Al-Roubaie, Adviser for Capacity Building & Academic Collaborations
10:05 - 10:25	Financial deepening Dr Abdullah Al-Hassan, College of Business & Finance
10:25 - 10:45	Employing sound bites in the TV news: A comparison between the media agenda of Al Jazeera & Al Arabia channels regarding the 2011 Tunisian events Ms Maryam Al Sherooqi, Master in Mass Communication & PR - Recent Graduate
10:45 - 11:05	Medical decision making aided by physicians' leadership: Mediated by social capital in a social networking environment Dr Anjum Razzaque, College of Business & Finance
11:05 - 11:25	Investment in higher education and economic growth: Saudi Arabia model 1974-2013 Dr Nassima Debab and Dr Allam Hamdan, College of Business & Finance
11:25 - 12:00	Break
12:00 - 12:20	Establishing Bahrain as a competitive medical tourism hub in the region: A directive study Mr Ahmed Hussain, Master of Business Administration - Recent Graduate
12:20 - 12:40	A gender perspective of discrimination at work: Evidence from the Bahrain banking sector Ms Layla Al Halwachi, Brunel University PhD (WR) Programme: Current Student
12:40 - 13:00	Factors affecting strategic decision effectiveness in higher education institutions Ms Esra Al Dhaen, Brunel University PhD (WR) Programme: Current Student
13:00 - 13:20	Semantics knowledge representation using advanced object-oriented techniques Ms Samya Hasan Yaqoob Yusuf, College of Business & Finance
13:20 - 14:20	Poster Session and Book Exhibition
14:20 - 15:20	Lunch
15:20 - 15:40	An efficient approach in near duplicate document detection using shingling-MD5 Dr Suresh Subramanian, College of Information Technology
15:40 - 16:00	The impact of AAOIFI accounting standards on earnings quality: The case of Islamic banks in Bahrain Dr Adel Mohammed Sarea, College of Business & Finance
16:00 - 16:20	The relationship between oil price and stock market index: An empirical study from Kuwait Dr Ahmed Al Hayky and Mr Nizar Naim, College of Business & Finance
16:20 - 16:30	Increasing Citations: the "Bahrain Scholar" project Dr Adel Mohammed Sarea, College of Business & Finance
16:30 - 16:45	Appreciation to Contributors