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His Royal Highness Prince Dr. Faisal bin Mishaal bin Saud bin Abdulaziz, Governor of Qassim Region, sponsored the "Second International Scientific Meeting for Camels" under the slogan "Camels 2024: Sustaining Heritage", organized by Qassim University represented by the College of Veterinary Medicine, in conjunction with the Year of Camels 2024, in partnership with the Emirate of Qassim Region and the branch of the Ministry of Environment, Water and Agriculture in Qassim, on Sunday, October 3, 2024, which lasts for two days, in the presence of His Excellency the President of the University, Prof. Dr. Muhammad bin Fahd Al-Sharekh, and the university's vice-rectors. And heads of government agencies, with the participation of 20 local and international speakers and a group of specialists in the field of camels from 6 countries, at the Conference Center in the University City.

His Highness also witnessed the paragraphs of the ceremony, starting with the Holy Quran and the royal anthem, and watched a visual presentation talking about the Kingdom's interest in camels, and the university's efforts, in addition to introducing the meeting in its second edition, which aims to introduce the latest scientific and research developments in the fields of camel health, diseases and economics locally and internationally, in order to contribute to the development of this important economic wealth and to support the Kingdom's Vision 2030, as well as determining the nature and size of health problems facing investment in the camel sector, and developing plans and scientific recommendations to treat them.

After that, His Highness the Governor of Qassim Region was briefed on the accompanying exhibition, which contains 20 corners, including a corner for the College of Veterinary Medicine, the College of Agriculture and Food, the University Veterinary Hospital, and a number of participating entities and companies to display veterinary products and devices and guidance publications in the field of camels and their care, as well as toured the scientific poster exhibition with the participation of 53 scientific posters for faculty members and students interested in this field, and at the end of the celebration, His Highness honored the sponsors and partners of the organization.

During his patronage of the meeting, His Highness the Emir of the region directed the establishment of a comprehensive scientific center for camel research, to be one of the first centers at the level of Saudi universities, and to be a reliable scientific reference specialized in the field of camel research, and focuses on studying the various aspects related to camels, from the environmental, veterinary and health aspects, in addition to developing camel breeding practices, improving their breeds and reducing tampering with camels, as well as providing advanced studies and research that keep pace

with the aspirations of the wise leadership and contribute to achieving the Kingdom's Vision 2030, which pays great attention to heritage. National and for the development of various sectors.

His Highness pointed out that the center will have close cooperation with a number of concerned authorities, most notably the Camel Club and the Ministry of Environment, Water and Agriculture, with the aim of enhancing national efforts in preserving the cultural and developmental heritage associated with camels, supporting farmers and breeders by providing them with the latest research and technologies, promoting scientific research in this field, and to be a scientific beacon that serves future generations and supports efforts to develop the camel sector.

His Highness the Prince of Qassim stressed that the university's launch of a postgraduate program to detect tampering with camels, and the launch of the camel center, will make this university a pioneer and unique scientific center for camel research at the level of universities in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, appreciating the university's efforts to hold this meeting, which he recalled with him the past days when he attended in 1427 the first meeting, pointing out that holding it was an initiative that is the first of its kind at a time when there was no interest in camel science.

His Highness said: I was not surprised at the university, led by Prof. Dr. Muhammad bin Fahd Al-Sharekh, and all the colleagues who organized such a meeting to complement the past efforts, asking God Almighty to help them in everything related to camel research, and to cooperate with all concerned authorities, whether in the camel club or in the Ministry of Environment, Water and Agriculture, and all parties interested in this matter in order to serve this heritage on the occasion of the Year of the Camels, and to be hopefully Almighty the best help for everyone who cares about the affairs of Camels.

For his part, His Excellency the Dean of the College of Veterinary Medicine, Dr. Yousef Al-Saedi, Chairman of the Organizing Committee, stressed that organizing this meeting comes within a series of scientific initiatives and activities at the university, based on its mission and strategic objectives towards promoting research and development, exchanging knowledge between researchers, stimulating innovation, and building scientific networks between various researchers and scientific institutions, which enhances its contribution to the scientific community locally and internationally.

He added: Today, we highlight in the sessions of this meeting the camels as an important heritage that draws conscience for development, development, understanding what is new and unique, and coming up with recommendations that contribute to the development of this field for the benefit of humanity, in response to the directions of our wise leadership, supported by God, and in light of the unlimited national support from the rulers, may God protect and protect them, and as a contribution to national development, in conjunction with the Year of Camels 2024.

Al-Saedi explained that this meeting, which includes a group of scientists, expertise and cadres working in the fields of camels, with whom we meet to discuss and study, through 20 speakers and 53 scientific posters, and this meeting also covers 6 main objectives and axes of the most important economic and social challenges facing the camel sector, distributed over eight scientific sessions over two days, to discuss recent developments in the diagnosis of camel diseases and detection of tampering, modern techniques in camel breeding, international, clinical and surgical interventions in camels, as well as technology Camel products manufacturing and safety, camel breeding and care, and the socio-economic challenges they face.

He added: One of the most prominent achievements of this meeting is the announcement of a graduate program concerned with detecting tampering and cheating in camels, and also includes a scientific center specialized in detecting manifestations of tampering and cheating in camels that contributes to the rehabilitation and graduation of specialists in detecting the wrong practices to which this important heritage is exposed, and exercises the role of education and awareness in combating this tampering, stressing that this program and that center are two unique achievements that distinguish the university internationally as it is the first university ever to launch An academic program and a specialized scientific center concerned with combating tampering and cheating with camels because of its important economic and development dimensions.

Al-Saedi also thanked and appreciated His Highness the Emir of the region for his support and sponsorship of this forum, which comes under his guidance, as well as thanked His Excellency the President of the University for his support and follow-up, the university's vice-rectors and all its entities, the organizational and scientific committees, the organization's partners and sponsors, asking God Almighty that this forum achieves its goals and aspirations.

This meeting aims to develop a modern and future plan to increase the productivity of camels by identifying the latest research developments in the fields of treating the problems of infertility, genetic improvement, camel nutrition, manufacturing and safety of their products, in addition to identifying the results of research on the use of camels and their products and the possibility of using them in the diagnosis and treatment of human diseases, in addition to reviewing the economic and social aspects of camels and highlighting the role of camels as a popular and national heritage, and holding various exhibitions for companies and authorities related to the needs of camels and their products.

The President of the University Witnesses the Signing of a Memorandum of Understanding between the College of Business and Economics and Etiqrar Business Services Company

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His Excellency the President of the University, Prof. Muhammad bin Fahd Al-Sharekh, witnessed on Sunday, November 17, 2024, the signing of a memorandum of understanding between the university, represented by the College of Business and Economics, and Iqraf Business Services Company, in the presence of His Excellency the Vice President for Educational Affairs, Dr. Fahd bin Suleiman Al-Ahmad, His Excellency the Vice President for Graduate Studies and Scientific Research, Dr. Walid bin Saleh Al-Battah, and the supervisor of the Department of Knowledge Exchange and Scientific Events, Dr. Mishari bin Saleh Al-Enezi, at the main campus in the university city.

The MoU was signed by His Excellency the Dean of the College of Business and Economics, Dr. Faisal bin Abdullah Al-Fuhaid, and His Excellency the CEO of Etiqrar Business Services, Mr. Saeed bin Saad Al-Shahrani, with the aim of supporting and developing the skills and knowledge of accounting students through the Distinguished Accountants Program.

The MoU also aims to strengthen cooperation in the field of qualifying accountants for the labor market, and help students acquire the skills of preparing financial statements and the ability to read them and make decisions based on them, in addition to sufficient knowledge of the most important tax and zakat treatments, and the ability to prepare returns in accordance with the controls in force in the Kingdom.

The areas of cooperation in the MoU include introducing students to the most important professional certificates that qualify them more for the labor market, providing them with effective communication skills in establishments and the ability to submit a CV clearly and professionally.

The University and the Ministry of Commerce Sign a Memorandum of Cooperation in the Fields of Translation and Training

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The University, represented by the University Agency for Educational Affairs, signed a memorandum of cooperation with the Ministry of Commerce, represented by the Ministry's Agency for Shared Services, on Wednesday, October 30, 2024, with the aim of cooperating in establishing the Nama volunteer team to translate the statutory documents of the Ministry of Commerce, as this memorandum comes within the framework of the university's keenness to activate community partnership and enhance joint cooperation with various parties.

The memorandum was signed by His Excellency the Vice President for Educational Affairs, Dr. Fahd bin Suleiman Al-Ahmad, and His Excellency the Undersecretary of the Ministry of Commerce for Shared Services, Mr. Mazen bin Muhammad Al-Harthy, in the presence of His Excellency the Dean of the College of Languages and Humanities, Prof. Ibrahim bin Suleiman Al-Lahim, and the Head of the Department of English Language and Literature, Dr. Yasser bin Abdulrahman Al-Buti, at the Ministry's headquarters in Riyadh.

The memorandum aims to establish the Namaa volunteer team to translate the statutory documents of the Ministry of Commerce from Arabic into English, and also aims to provide seats for cooperative training for graduates of the Department of English Language and Literature according to the capabilities of the Ministry of Commerce, in addition to holding introductory meetings on the labor market in accordance with the Kingdom's Vision 2030 for university graduate students.

Under the patronage of the Prince of Qassim region. The University Intends to Hold the Second International Scientific Meeting for Camels under the Slogan "Sustainability of Heritage"

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The university, represented by the College of Veterinary Medicine, intends to hold the second international scientific meeting for camels under the slogan "Camels 2024: "Sustainability of Heritage", under the patronage of His Royal Highness Prince Dr. Faisal bin Mishal bin Saud bin Abdulaziz, Governor of Qassim Region, during the period from 5-7 November 2024 AD, 3-5 Jumada I 1446 AH, which is held in partnership with the Emirate of Qassim Region and the branch of the Ministry of Environment, Water and Agriculture in Qassim.

The forum aims to identify the latest scientific and research developments in the fields of camel health, diseases and economics locally and internationally, in order to contribute to the development of this important economic wealth and to support the Kingdom's Vision 2030, determine the nature and size of health problems facing investment in the camel sector and develop plans and scientific recommendations to treat them, and develop a modern and future plan to increase camel productivity by identifying the latest research developments in the fields of treating infertility problems, genetic improvement, camel nutrition, manufacturing and safety of their products, and identifying The results of research on the use of camels and their products and the possibility of using them in the diagnosis and treatment of human diseases, in addition to reviewing the economic and social aspects of camels, highlighting the role of camels as a popular and national heritage, and holding various exhibitions for companies and authorities related to the needs of camels and their products.

The University and the General Authority for Statistics sign a memorandum of cooperation to enhance partnership in the fields of statistics, research and training

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Today, Wednesday, August 21, 2024, the University and the General Authority for Statistics signed a memorandum of cooperation with the aim of strengthening their partnership in the fields of statistics, research and training, where the agreement was signed by His Excellency the President of the University, Prof. Muhammad bin Fahd Al-Sharekh, along with His Excellency the President of the General Authority for Statistics, Dr. Fahd bin Abdullah Al-Dosari, in the presence of His Excellency the Vice President for Business Development and Community Partnership, Dr. Majid bin Fadhi Al-Enezi, at the Authority's headquarters in Riyadh.

The memorandum of cooperation included several tracks, including cooperation in developing and supporting academic programs specialized in statistics, providing external review of courses, as well as enabling researchers to use interactive maps in estimating and analyzing statistical data, in addition to exchanging statistical data and indicators and conducting statistical surveys, in addition to providing lectures, seminars and workshops in the field of statistics and common fields, and the agreement also included cooperation in the field of volunteer opportunities to serve the Qassim region, and providing cooperative and summer training opportunities for students University.

The memorandum comes as part of the university's endeavors to achieve its strategic goals, and to contribute to an influential and effective role in development work by building bridges of cooperation between it and government agencies in various sectors, keeping pace with the development witnessed by the Kingdom in all fields, as the university harnesses all its efforts to everything that would enhance the Kingdom's position, in order to achieve the goals of Saudi Vision 2030.