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Spotlight

AUB Opening Ceremony #aub2015

AUB invites you to attend the AUB Opening Ceremony 2014-15, on September 8, 2014, at 12:00 noon, in Assembly Hall. All are welcome. [READ MORE](#)

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CEREMONY**
2014-15

News

Newly appointed Title IX Coordinator to support AUB and AUBMC efforts to ensure an equitable environment

In support of ongoing efforts to respond to gender-related discrimination and harassment issues, the Provost's Office has announced the appointment of AUB's first Title IX Coordinator, Trudi Hodges. [READ MORE](#)

AUB research team identifies Lebanese microalgae with food and fuel potential

An AUB research team has identified a number of algae species in Lebanon that show promising potential as super foods, as well as possible sources of fuel. [READ MORE](#)

AUB greets its 61 new faculty members

Sixty-one new faculty members are joining the American University of Beirut this fall, bringing with them their diverse cultural backgrounds and a wide range of expertise. [READ MORE](#)

Al Khaleej: 'Old newspapers illuminate the spirit of the Lebanese Renaissance'

Al Khaleej reports on AUB's President's Club exhibition about 'AUB Student Handwritten Magazines (1899-1933)' which was organized last May. [READ MORE](#)

Al Jazeera: 'Libya air strikes: escalation of proxy war?'

Al Jazeera interviews AUB IFI Director Rami Khouri on the situation in Libya. [READ MORE](#)

The Daily Star: 'Why you shouldn't lose your virginity under the influence:'

Events

Upcoming events

- **WAAAUB sixth annual Legacy Ceremony**, Sept. 1, 6pm, West Hall, Bathish Aud. [READ MORE](#)
- **AUB Art Galleries and Collections exhibition 'VIDEO FORECAST: A Selection of Video Art from Central Asia,'** Sept. 4 - Oct. 24, AUB Byblos Bank Art Gallery, Ada Dodge Hall [READ MORE](#)
- **WAAAUB Quiz Night**, Sept. 11, 7pm, Blue Note Café [READ MORE](#)
- **HSO I Chi Iota Honor Society at AUB, Sigma Theta Tau International Honor Society of Nursing, 'HSO Research Conference and Chartering Ceremony: Advancing the nursing research agenda in Lebanon,'** Sept. 12 -13, Issam Fares Hall [READ MORE](#)

Announcements

- Check out issue 12 of EHSRM's 'Stay Safe' newsletter [READ MORE](#)
- Varsity Practices and Try-outs [READ MORE](#)
- New Minor in Semitic Studies [READ MORE](#)
- Nadim Makdisi Memorial Fund - Call for Proposals [READ MORE](#)
- AUB-NCC Samir and Claude Abillama Eco-Entrepreneurship Award 2015

paper'

The Daily Star reports on a study which was led by Professor Lilian Ghandour that highlights a strong association between using alcohol and/or drugs at sexual debut and various practices that increase youth health risks. [READ MORE](#)

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- AUB student video contest [READ MORE](#)
- Join AUB University for Seniors (UFS) at the Med Café this September. A portion of the branch revenue will support UfS activities as part of the Café's CSR! [READ MORE](#)

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