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AUB to hold student fair on science, math and technology

Beirut, Lebanon- 25/04/2012 - The Education Students Society and the Science and Math Education Center at AUB are organizing the Eighteenth Annual Science, Math and Technology Fair on the weekend of April 28 and 29, 2012, at the American University of Beirut. The fair provides students from schools throughout Lebanon with the opportunity to share scientific, mathematical and technological projects with their peers from other schools. The fair is open to the public.

The opening ceremony of the fair will be held at 2pm on April 28, while the exhibition will be open to the public all day on Sunday, April 29 from 11am to 6pm in West Hall.

A full program is attached.

The Fair aims to encourage and reinforce schools' efforts in:

- Developing students' scientific and mathematical inquiry and critical thinking skills
- Providing a relevant, hands-on, out-of-class dimension to science and mathematics instruction
- Promoting creativity, initiative, collaborative skills, and independent thinking among students
- Encouraging school/parent/student involvement in the learning process

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Note to Editors

About AUB

Founded in 1866, the American University of Beirut bases its educational philosophy, standards, and practices on the American liberal arts model of higher education. A teaching-centered research university, AUB has more than 600 full-time faculty members and a student body of about 8,000 students. AUB currently offers more than 100 programs leading to the bachelor's, master's, MD, and PhD degrees. It provides medical education and training to students from throughout the region at its Medical Center that includes a full service 420-bed hospital.

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