

Upcoming This Week



## **ARAB COMICS IN THE CURRICULUM: The AUB Libraries' Collection**

The AUB Libraries in partnership with the Mu'taz and Rada Sawwaf Arabic Comics Initiative at AUB present the exhibition "Arabic Comics in the Curriculum".

The exhibition will take place in Mahmoud Malhas Common Room, in West Hall. It will be opened at 6:00 pm on Monday March 7, and will continue on March 8, 9 and 10, opening daily from 9:00 am to 8:00 pm.

## **Exhibition: The Arab Nude: The Artist As Awakener**

The AUB Art Galleries and Collections present their showcase exhibition for AUB's 150th anniversary: "The Arab Nude: The Artist As Awakener".

The exhibition will be held concurrently at both AUB galleries: the AUB Byblos Bank Art Gallery (Ada Dodge Hall, AUB Upper Campus) and the AUB Rose and Shaheen Saleeby Museum (Sidani Street, Hamra). It will be curated by Kirsten Scheid and Octavian Esanu.

The exhibition will be opened at 6:00 pm, on Tuesday March 8, at the AUB Rose and Shaheen Saleeby Museum. It will include a one-day conference on March 11.

Opening hours in both locations will be 12:00 noon to 6:00 pm, Tuesday - Saturday. The exhibition will continue in both locations until August 1.

## **Concert: Embrace the Classics**

In celebration of AUB's 150th anniversary, the AUB Music Club presents its concert "Embrace the Classics", on Tuesday, March 8, 2016 at Assembly Hall.

Ticket price is 5,000 LL.

Tickets can be purchased at the door, or at the Music Club's stand near West Hall. Proceeds from the event will be earmarked to support the Embrace Fund and the AUB Music Club Embrace is an awareness support network for mental health in Lebanon and the Middle East affiliated with the Department of Psychiatry at AUBMC.

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**Note to Editors**

**About AUB**

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