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## **AUB to celebrate naming of a chemical reaction discovered by one of its professors**

Beirut, Lebanon- 03/10/2013 - The American University of Beirut Office of the Provost is holding a ceremony to celebrate the naming of the Davis-Beirut Reaction, a chemical reaction discovered by AUB Professor Makhluf J. Haddadin in collaboration with Professor Mark J. Kurth from the University of California, Davis.

The discovered chemical reaction will potentially have a number of valuable medical applications.

The ceremony will be held on October 8, 2013 at 7pm in Bathish Auditorium, West Hall.

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### **Note to Editors**

#### **About AUB**

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