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#### **Chat with librarian?**



Female: 08:00 AM - 12:00 AM

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#### Welcome to Kalemat UAEU Library Newsletter

December is the month of collecting achievements and statistics during year but it is a special month on so many levels, remembrance and celebrations marking the Golden Jubilee, the 50th anniversary of the founding of the state by Sheikh Zayed and his brothers, the rulers of the Emirates. The country and our university celebrated with the nation and so did the UAEU library. This edition of the library newsletter will cover some of those highlights. Along with bringing to light some of the important services the library offers the UAEU University Community.

#### Prepared and edited: Shamma Alameri December 2021

After the issuance of the Vice Chancellor decision No. 154 for the year 2021 regarding my assignment for the position of the UAEU Libraries Director, I am honoured to work with you as one distinguished team.

I also welcome you all and express my happiness to work with you as partners in the development of the UAEU Libraries. I am fully confident in your ability to accomplish your tasks efficiently and effectively and work in a team spirit to achieve progress and provide best practices in serving faculty members, students, and researchers. Good Luck to you all!

Dr. Hamad Bin Seray UAEU Libraries Director



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## Libraries Digitization Department

Digital libraries are organized collections of information resources and associated tools for creating, archiving, sharing, searching, and using information that can be accessed electronically. The major purposes of digitization are to enhance access and improve preservation of library materials. UAEU Libraries has started this service since 2014.

The UAEU Libraries Deanship Digitization Unit offers the following Scanning services:

- Theses and dissertations: UAEU theses and dissertations are uploaded to UAEU Scholar works online website for global access through downloading and online reading. These materials are accessible worldwide.
- Materials for special needs students: We do scan and type (Arabic scripts) for the UAE University special needs students' books and other learning materials.
- Faculty members: Similar scanning services is provided to UAE University faculty members' books and other teaching materials.
- UAE Institutions/community: The same scanning benefit is extended to UAE higher educational institutions such as Higher Colleges of Technology (HCT), Presidential Affairs, the Police Department, Zayed University, and National Medical Library and so on.

Thesis & dissertation uploaded	Scanning form NML/ UMI/UAEU	Inter- loan Library	UAEU year books	Zuechel	Image Editing	Typing Abstract
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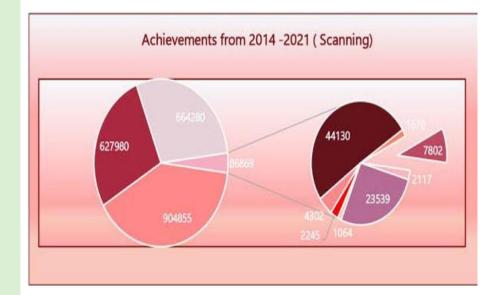
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## Libraries Digitization Department

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For the more information, Of our work please check the following links;

<u>Digitization - Digitization - LibGuides at United Arab Emirates University</u>
CHSS Journals Digitized by UAEU libraries Digital Unit:
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<a href="https://scholarworks.uaeu.ac.ae/">https://scholarworks.uaeu.ac.ae/</a>



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#### **Department also Provide 3D Printing Services:**

Since 2015, the UAEU Main Libraries have supported the completion of many affordable educational projects for engineering students as well as faculty members from several Colleges at UAEU

UAEU Libraries have offered free 3D printing services for Engineering students and other University projects. This paper provides the background to this implementation of 3D printing as a library service offered by the library and discusses and how the UAEU libraries managed 3D printing services to support more than 240 to 500 student projects. At the end of the initial three-semester-long project, the volume of projects from the Mechanical engineering students only increased from 240 to 500 per year.

#### Uses of 3D printing at UAEU libraries can be grouped as follows:

A. Engineering Applications,







B. Medical Applications

C. Arabic and Islamic Calligraphy





D. Art and Design





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E. Intellectual Property



#### 3D PRINTING APPLICATION CHALLENGES:

3D printing has many benefits including its contribution to flexibility in design, customization and rapid prototyping and manufacturing. However, there are some challenges that need to be understood and addressed through research and technological development.

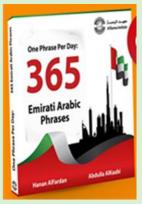
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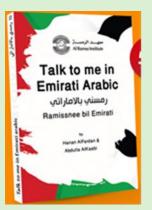
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# New Print Books

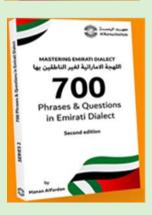












Recently, a collection of interesting printed books issued by the AlRamsa Institute has joined the Emirates collection in the UAEU Libraries. They are all new, and their release period ranges between 2020 and 2021. Topics revolve around learning the Emirati accent in the Arabic language. It includes three educational levels:

1. Emirati Arabic: First level

2. Emirati Arabic: Second level

3. Emirati Arabic: Third level.

As for the rest of the group, its titles: One phrase per day: 365 Emirati Arabic phrases, Talk to me in Emirati Arabic: Ramissnee bil emirati and 700 Phrases & Questions.

AlRamsa is an Emirati institute and it accredited educational organization by the Knowledge & Human Development Authority, Dubai Government.



### Latest Library News!!





#### The new Sheikh Zayed Platform

In the evening of the 2<sup>nd</sup> of Dec 2021, to commemorate the national celebrations for the UAE 50<sup>th</sup> Jubilee. The new Sheikh Zayed Platform was officially launched in UAEU Library that now has a special collection of works pertaining to the history of Sheikh Zayed. The launch took place in the presence of the Chancellor of the United Arab Emirates University, HE Zaki Anwar Nusseibeh and Libraries Director, Dr. Hamad Bin Seray. along with other dignitaries HE Dr. Maitha bint Salem Al Shamsi Minister of State and presence of senior officials of the city of Al Ain like Sheikh Mohammed bin Rakad and university employees.

#### **Libraries National Day Celebrations**

Libraries Deanship of UAEU celebrated the National Day with a display of several historical themed events like, traditional sittings and furniture an exhibition of toys, and other heritage pieces that included an amazing collection of jewelry, and "Dhaka Altayben" a display of a modelled stall all with the olden day merchandise. In addition, there was plenty of traditional food accompanied by the music of traditional national songs. The library's activities had resonated with the activities and events happening across the whole university.



### Latest Library News!!



### The Libraries Deanships End of Year Ceremony

The Deanship of Libraries organized an end of year award ceremony and lunch for all library staff in recognition for their hard and great efforts throughout 2021. Awards were present by Dr Hamda Bi Saray. All staff enjoyed and engaged in entertaining activities breaking down the barriers in a warm environment between library team members.



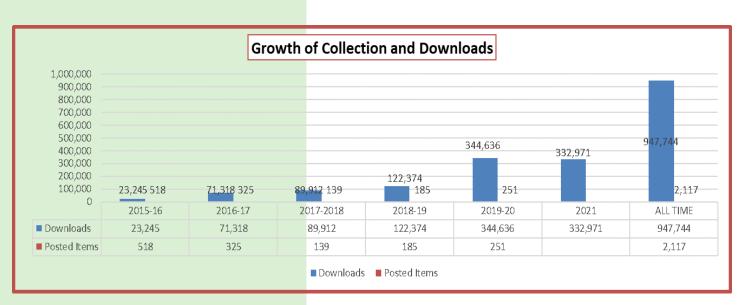
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### Insights: some interesting Statistics in 2021

#### The Last Statistics for Library all Resources in 2021

Format	Arabic	English	Other	Total
EBOOKS	19510	317269	30519	367298
EJOURNALS/EMAGAZINES/ENEWSPAPERS	2923	91684	15198	109805
PRINTBOOK	84685	45085	1851	131621
THESIS/DISSERTATIONS	11189	59224	2051	72464
JOURNALS/MAGAZINES /NEWSPAPERS	1489	3208	154	4851
Other (Map, Video, Visual Materialetc.)	206	40495	2235	42936
Total	120002	556965	52008	728975

#### ScholarWorks the Library Institutional Repository Statistics





## Snapshot: statistical UAEU Library summary

#### The Top most on demand Titles in 2021

Item Title	Item OCLC Number	Circulation Count
When breath becomes air /	909925278	61
Guyton and Hall textbook of medical physiology /	900869748	45
The diving bell and the butterfly /	36896594	37
النظرية العامة للإلتزام وفقا لقانون المعاملات المدنية و أحكام الشريعة الإسلامية /	1103826174	34
التنظيم الدستوري للسلطات الاتحادية في دولة الامارات العربية المتحدة: دراسة تحليلية نقدية /	1103853947	29
العماد في العمليات المصرفية وفق قانون المعاملات التجارية الاتحادي الإماراتي و القوانين ذات الصلة /	1107150738	29

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Numbers of external library users from other universities, institutions, Alumni and members of the community

Number of students and faculty attending outreach programs for information literacy and training, workshop events organized by the library both in virtual and physical format

10,785

The number of borrowed and circulated material from the library



### 656,11

### 715,426

### 1,4M

### 952,945

### Snapshot: statistical UAEU Library summary

#### **Discovery Analytics Searches**

Page visitors: From May 2020 –May 2021 the library discovery OCLC and search engine had recorded over 88000 users worldwide.

Source: Discovery data with google analytics

#### Journals, Books, &print Databases

All Resources across All Disciplines: Available licensed electronic content from Publishers and Print collection

#### **Total electronic Downloads**

Activity & Usage Major E Resources: E\_journals & E\_books. An estimate number of total usage full text or e learning supporting material from all e Resources as provided by vendors and publishers

All statistics gathered using COUNTER a universal compliant metric system

#### Readership of UAEU Scholarly Content

Downloads Globally: Digital Commons, ScholarWorks latest count for all time readership of UAEU repository from 2015 to Dec 2021



## Snapshot: statistical UAEU Library summary

2,117

The total number of theses available through the library's website

332,971

The total number of theses downloaded in 2021 was



## Library Communication Channels

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