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Al-Balqa Applied University (BAU) demonstrates a strong commitment to student representation and democratic engagement, aligning closely with the principles outlined in the QS Student Union metric. The university has established a comprehensive and decentralized structure for student participation, ensuring that students are actively involved in institutional life through organized and representative bodies.

Student representation at BAU is managed under the supervision of [the Deanship of Student Affairs](#), which oversees multiple student unions, clubs, and associations across all faculties and campuses. These bodies function as a recognized student union structure at the university level, representing both undergraduate and postgraduate students. They serve as a vital link between students and university administration, advocate student interests, organize events, and provide a wide range of academic and social support services.

Through this inclusive framework, BAU ensures broad representation, including international students and students with disabilities, while fostering leadership development and civic engagement. The structure enables students to participate in decision-making processes and leadership roles, with elected representatives in various student bodies, reflecting democratic practices consistent with QS requirements.

This integrated system highlights BAU's dedication not only to fulfilling the core requirement of having a recognized student union, but also to fostering an active, participatory, and democratically engaged student community.



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## Democratic Student Representation at BAU

Student scientific associations exist at faculties of Al-Balqa Applied University (BAU) to serve as academic extracurricular support agencies for their student population. The university officially provides "**Instructions for Student Scientific Associations at Al-Balqa Applied University**" with specific rules governing these associations.

### **Democratic Student Representation at BAU: Annual Election Process**

The Student Scientific Associations in BAU colleges successfully carry out democratic student representation through their yearly voting processes. The elections function under leadership from the Dean of Student Affairs and the Higher Elections Committee to provide students with governance participation. Student representatives embrace three duties following their election: addressing academic and scientific matters, improving cultural and social activities, and enhancing student-administrator and student-faculty relationships. The method promotes democratic principles while fostering student involvement across the university space according to BAU's commitment to these values.



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Al-Balqa Applied University (BAU) has established comprehensive regulations governing student scientific associations, as outlined in the official document titled "Instructions for Student Scientific Associations at Al-Balqa Applied University." These regulations were enacted based on the decision of the University's Council of Deans No. 2018/2017/510, dated February 5, 2018.

#### Key Provisions of the Regulations:

##### 1- Establishment and Objectives:

Each college within BAU forms a "Student Scientific Association" to represent its students, with its headquarters located on the college campus.

##### 2- The objectives of these associations include:

- Representing students and addressing their academic concerns with the college administration.
- Participating in supporting the academic, cultural, and social journey of university students.
- Providing opportunities for positive academic interaction between students, faculty, staff, and the college administration.



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- Fostering a spirit of dialogue, respect for diverse opinions, and enhancing cooperation.
- Encouraging participation in various purposeful student activities that contribute to the advancement of the educational process.
- Promoting a sense of belonging to the nation and its leadership.
- Facilitating constructive engagement with local communities and their institutions, in coordination with the college administration, to achieve the university's goals.
- Collaborating with the college administration to provide assistance to needy students, with prior approval.
- Maintaining the university's reputation and property.

### 3. Membership and Elections:

- The General Assembly comprises students enrolled in the college seeking a degree (Bachelor's or Diploma) and attending classes.
- The Administrative Body of the association consists of elected members from the General Assembly, with a minimum of five members and not exceeding the number of academic departments in the college.



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#### 4. Eligibility criteria for candidacy include:

- A cumulative GPA of at least "Good."
- Enrollment in at least 12 credit hours during the election semester.
- Completion of at least one semester at the college.
- At least two semesters remaining before graduation, excluding the election semester.
- No prior disciplinary actions.

#### 5.Operational Guidelines:

- Associations must operate within the university's regulations and are prohibited from engaging in activities beyond their specified objectives.
- Meetings and activities should be conducted on campus in designated areas approved by the college administration.
- Members are expected to adhere to university regulations, association bylaws, and work towards achieving the association's goals.



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الجمعيات العلمية الطلابية  
في جامعة البلقاء

Instructions for Student Scientific Associations at Al-Balqa Applied University

الرئيسية / محافظات



نتائج انتخابات الجمعيات  
العلمية الطلابية في  
«البلقاء التطبيقية»

نتائج انتخابات الجمعيات العلمية الطلابية في «البلقاء التطبيقية»

Sample of election Results



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## Global and National Integration of Student Associations at Al-Balqa Applied University

Al-Balqa Applied University (BAU) actively promotes student leadership, community engagement, and international collaboration by integrating student associations into wider national and global networks. **A key example is the Medical College Students Association, affiliated with the International Federation of Medical Students' Associations – Jordan (IFMSA-Jo).**

Through this affiliation, BAU medical students participate in national and international initiatives focused on health, human rights, and sustainability, enhancing their leadership skills and global outlook. The BAU Local Committee of IFMSA-Jo, established in 2020 and granted full membership in 2022, reflects the university's successful integration into a recognized network of future medical professionals.

This initiative highlights BAU's commitment to empowering students and supporting impactful, student-led contributions to both society and the medical field.



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Who we are



IFMSA-Jo/BAU LC

Al-Balqa Applied University Local Committee was established in 2020 by a number of enthusiastic medical students and it was under the supervision of the National Team of Officials back then and from that moment, BAU LC Team of Officials was making a huge success in every project established until BAU LC have gained the full membership in March 2022 at the Jordanian University of Science and Technology in the 20th National General Assembly, and by that moment, BAU LC became a full member in the international federation of medical students associations (IFMSA).

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IFMSA-Jo/BAU LC



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*Local Officers*



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Sample of IFMSA-Jo/ BAU's activities



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In addition to its global outreach, Al-Balqa Applied University ensures that its student union is fully integrated into the broader **National Student Union framework** in Jordan. This affiliation strengthens the representation of BAU students at the national level, enabling them to actively participate in shaping student policy, sharing experiences with peers across other universities, and contributing to collective student development initiatives. Through this national affiliation, BAU students gain access to cross-institutional dialogue, national forums, and leadership training programs, reinforcing their role as influential agents of positive change within both academic and societal spheres.



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## **Structure and Activities**

BAU-LC operates under IFMSA-Jo as six separate Standing Committees whose mission is to tackle fundamental public health and sustainable development aspects. Through its activities, SCOPH (Public Health) conducts health education programs that include World Health Day observance and anti-smoking initiatives targeting preventive medical services and health enhancement. Through the BAU-LC integration into IFMSA-Jo, the organization has taken an important step that ensures sustainability, combined with equity and innovation, penetrates all aspects of student life. BAU strengthens its position as Jordan's transformative higher education institution by developing medical leaders with academic excellence, social consciousness, and a global worldview. The union stands as an example that shows students can lead meaningful change that becomes vital to national development and global well-being.

- SCORA implements health education programs about AIDS prevention and reproductive health rights while delivering educational content on sensitive subjects.
- The SCORP organization defends human rights and promotes peace by delivering workshops and organizing campaigns. It also engages in



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volunteering activities focused on helping refugees and marginalized population groups.

- SCOME's medical education division functions to improve teaching excellence by organizing peer-to-peer educational programs, conducting curriculum assessments, and pursuing educational programs that focus on student-centered learning.
- COPE & SCORE (Professional and Research Exchange) creates transformative overseas exchange programs that enhance academic and cultural development for BAU students while enabling them to conduct clinical and research activities abroad.

These student union committees develop leadership abilities, research skills, and volunteer opportunities for BAU-involved students, building their capabilities to support local communities and global society.



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#### **Another key example is the IEEE Al-Balqa Applied University Center Branch.**

The IEEE Student Branch at Al-Balqa Applied University (BAU) represents a dynamic platform for fostering technological innovation, professional development, and student engagement within the global engineering community. Established in 2018, the branch operates under the umbrella of IEEE—the world’s largest professional association dedicated to advancing technology for the benefit of humanity. Since its founding, the BAU IEEE branch has grown to include more than 90 members, led by a team of 13 officers who organize and manage its diverse activities. The branch has actively contributed to student development through participation in major events such as the IEEE Grand Tech Conference, organizing technical visits like those to the National Electricity Company, and delivering specialized training courses, including MATLAB workshops at the Faculty of Engineering. Through awareness booths and outreach activities, the branch also promotes IEEE’s mission and opportunities among students. Overall, the IEEE BAU Student Branch plays a significant role in enhancing students’ technical skills, leadership capacities, and engagement with the broader engineering and technology community.



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IEEE Al-Balqa Applied University Center Branch.



**BAU has won three prestigious IEEE awards locally and internationally**



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BAU Branch recognized with the IEEE Jordan Section Outstanding Student Branch (Medium) Award for the term 2024–2025



Executive Committee for IEEE BAU PES / IAS Joint Chapter



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## **The Student Scientific Association of the Faculty of Business at Al-Balqa Applied University**

This official student office maintains contact between college students and administrators, advancing their academic and professional development. The association creates essential links between college students and administration personnel, stimulating their involvement in campus activities. This leadership group is selected through annual voting during transparent procedures that maintain inclusion across all association members. Academic departments across the college establish the number of representatives on their board of members. The electoral process follows the rules and criteria stated in the official “Student Scientific Associations Bylaws” established by BAU.



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[Sample of Student Scientific Association of the Faculty of Business](#)



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#### **Student Clubs at Al-Balqa Applied University (BAU)**

Al-Balqa Applied University (BAU) is home to a diverse range of student clubs that play a vital role in enriching campus life and promoting student engagement. Among the most prominent are the Technological Agriculture Club, Information Technology (IT) Club, Medical Cadets Club, Doctor's Touch, and Theater Troupe. These student-led initiatives offer platforms for students to explore and enhance their leadership abilities, creative talents, and civic responsibility, thereby enabling them to become proactive contributors to their communities.

The University adopts a participatory and inclusive approach to support student leadership and extracurricular involvement. This commitment aligns with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs), particularly those related to quality education, reduced inequalities, and sustainable communities. Student organizations form an integral part of BAU's institutional framework, fostering an environment where students are encouraged to grow intellectually, socially, and environmentally.

In addition to these clubs, BAU hosts a variety of other dynamic student organizations, including:



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Name of Club		link of website/ sample of activites
1	ACI Students Chapter (ACI BAU)	<a href="#">ACI Students Chapter (ACI BAU)</a>
2	(Yamar) student team	<a href="#">(Yamar) student team</a>
3	IEEE-BAU-Center	<a href="#">IEEE Al-Balqa Applied University SB</a>
4	IEEE BAU Robotics and Automation Chapter	<a href="#">IEEE BAU Robotics and Automation Chapter</a>
5	Soultaem	<a href="#">Soultaem</a>
6	Contrast BAU	<a href="#">contrastbau</a>
7	Doctor's fingerprint	<a href="#">Doctor's fingerprint</a>
8	Nursing Students Association	<a href="#">Nursing Students Association</a>
9	English Candles	<a href="#">English Candles</a>
10	English Langage Club	<a href="#">English Langage Club</a>
11	IEEE Al-Balqa Applied University SB	<a href="#">IEEE Al-Balqa Applied University SB</a>
12	Engineering Technology Club	<a href="#">Engineering Technology Club</a>
13	CISCO Networking Academy-BAU-FET	<a href="#">CISCO Networking Academy-BAU-FET</a>
14	Che-fet Chemical Engineering Students Union	<a href="#">Che-fet Chemical Engineering Students Union</a>
15	Water and Salt Volunteer Team	<a href="#">Water and Salt Volunteer Team</a>
16	Faculty of Amman's CULTUR Club	<a href="#">Faculty of Amman's Volunteer Club</a>
17	Nashama Team_ Amman Faculty	<a href="#">Nashama Team_ Amman Faculty</a>
18	Nashama Team_ Faculty of Medicine	<a href="#">Nashama Team_ Faculty of Medicine</a>
19	Beach volleyball team_ Faculty of Aqaba	<a href="#">Beach volleyball team_ Faculty of Aqaba</a>
20	Nashama Team_ Faculty of Ajloun	<a href="#">Nashama Team_ Faculty of Ajloun</a>
21	Public Service Club	<a href="#">Public Service Club</a>
22	NABD club	<a href="#">Balqa Renovators Initiative</a>
23	Balqa Renovators Initiative	<a href="#">Sanabel Al-Baqaa Team</a>
24	Sanabel Al-Baqaa Team	<a href="#">Sanabel Al-Baqaa Team</a>
25	Eco_Club_BAU	<a href="#">Eco_Club_BAU</a>
26	Bau Irbid - نشمي البلقاء	<a href="#">Bau Irbid - Nashmi</a>
27	Youth Innovation Club	<a href="#">Youth Innovation Club</a>
28	Medical Club_BAU	<a href="#">Medical Club – Al-Balqa</a>
29	IEEE-RAS	<a href="#">Football Team_ female students</a>
30	Sport Teams	<a href="#">Deanship of Student Affairs</a>
31	Youth Creativity Team	<a href="#">Public Service Club</a>
32	Public Service Club_ Faculty of Aqaba	<a href="#">Public Service Club_BAU_Center</a>



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These clubs collectively contribute to the holistic development of students, preparing them to become future leaders equipped with the knowledge, skills, and ethical grounding necessary to address contemporary societal challenges.