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# Number of courses/modules related to environment and sustainability offered

Number of courses/modules related to environment and sustainability offered in the academic year 2019-2020=308 courses.

University of Babylon Council Decisions about embedding Sustainable Development Courses at Undergraduate and Postgraduate studies in all Study Programs for the academic year 2019-2020, according to University Act no.: 1782 dated in 18,6,2019 (The University Act issued in Arabic language and herewith the translation of the Act in English

There are seventy-seven academic specialized departments divided by 19 Faculties at the university. Each department embedded Courses of Teaching **Sustainability Development** as courses within 2hrs per week; means 24 hrs. per one semester that student should study annually. These courses are weighted as 2 credited units for each semester. It means that the undergraduate student has to study annually this subject which appropriate with his chosen department and according to general specializations: Before graduation, student have to collect credits of courses related with SDGs annually. It means four courses with different syllabus through the whole period of study program

## Courses of Sustainable Development according to the Faculties depending on UN SDGs:

Students of Medicine, Nursing, Pharmacy, Dentistry have to study the Sustainability Development aims at achieving:

SDG1 No poverty,

SDG2: No Hunger,

SDG3 Good health and well-being,

SDG15 Life and Land

Students of faculties of Education, Science, Information Technology have to study the Sustainability Development aims at achieving:

SDG1 No poverty

**SDG2: Zero Hunger** 

#### **SDG13** Climate Action

#### **SDG14** Life below Water

Students at Faculty of Law have to study the Sustainability Development aims at achieving;

SDG1 No poverty,

SDG2: No Hunger,

SDG4 Quality Education,

**SDG5** Gender Equality

**SDG10 Reduced Inequalities** 

SDG12 Responsible Consumption and production

SDG16 Pease, Justice and Strong Institutions

Students of Engineering and Material Engineering have to study the Sustainability Development aims at achieving:

SDG1 No poverty,

SDG2: No Hunger,

SDG6 Clean Water and Sanitation.

SDG9 Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure

SDG12 Responsible Consumption and production

SDG12 Sustainable Cities and Communities,

**SDG13** Climate Action

**SDG14** Life below Water

SDG15 Life and Land

Students at Faculty of Fine Arts, Arts, Economics and Administration have to study the Sustainability Development aims at achieving:

SDG1 No poverty,

SDG2: No Hunger,

SDG12 Responsible Consumption and production

## **SDG12 Sustainable Cities and Communities**

SDG8: Decent Work and Economic Growth.

Students at Faculty of Physical Education and Sport Sciences have to study the Sustainability Development aims at achieving:

SDG1 No poverty,

SDG2: No Hunger,

SDG3 Good health and well-being,

**SDG5** Gender Equality

SDG15 Life and Land

Postgraduate Students have to study and pass obligatory subjects related with all seventeen goals of SGGs issued by UN in 2015, for 2hrs per week; means 24 hrs per semester in the first semester of study program.

The Following details is an example about the course offered into Engineering and IT departments for the first level of this academic year:

# Sustainable Development:

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Course Name	Sustainable Development
Number of credit	2 Credit hours/week / 24 hrs. per one semester
hours	2 ساعة معتمدة
Course Type	Theoretical
Previous ourses	n/a
Share Courses	n/a
Description	The objectives of this course aims to identify the student with the Organizing Concepts of Sustainability, Triple bottom line (TBL) of Sustainability, Sustainable Development: Definition and Defining Principles, Establishing Goals (What Sustainable Development specifically seeks to achieve?), Creating Indicators (How Sustainable Development is measured?).
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1		Organizing Concepts: What do we mean by sustainability?, and What do we mean by Triple Bottom Line (TBL) of sustainability?. The Concept of Sustainable Development: Definition and Defining Principles.
2		Establishing Goals (What Sustainable Development specifically seeks to achieve?). Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) (2015-2030), Set of 17 Goals, by UNDP and Leaders from 193 Countries of the World.
3		SDGs: 1-END EXTREME POVERTY IN ALL FORMS BY 2030. 2-END HUNGER, ACHIEVE FOOD SECURITY AND IMPROVED NUTRITION AND PROMOTE SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE.
4		SDGs: (Cont.): 3-ENSURE HEALTHY LIVES AND PROMOTE WELL-BEING FOR ALL AT ALL AGES. 4-ENSURE INCLUSIVE AND EQUITABLE QUALITY EDUCATION AND PROMOTE LIFELONG LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES FOR ALL.
5		SDGs: (Cont.): 5-ACHIEVE GENDER EQUALITY AND EMPOWER ALL WOMEN AND GIRLS. 6-ENSURE AVAILABILITY AND SUSTAINABLE MANAGEMENT OF WATER AND SANITATION FOR ALL
6		7-ENSURE ACCESS TO AFFORDABLE, RELIABLE, SUSTAINABLE AND MODERN ENERGY FOR ALL. 8-PROMOTE SUSTAINED, INCLUSIVE AND SUSTAINABLE ECONOMIC GROWTH, FULL AND PRODUCTIVE EMPLOYMENT AND DECENT WORK FOR ALL. 9- BUILD RESILIENT INFRASTRUCTURE, PROMOTE INCLUSIVE AND SUSTAINABLE INDUSTRIALIZATION AND FOSTER INNOVATION.
7		Examination.
8		SDGs: (Cont.): -REDUCE INEQUALITY WITHIN AND AMONG COUNTRIES. 10 11-MAKE CITIES AND HUMAN SETTLEMENTS INCLUSIVE, SAFE, RESILIENT AND SUSTAINABLE ENSURE SUSTAINABLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION PATTERNS 12-
9		SDGs: (Cont.): 13- TAKE URGENT ACTION TO COMBAT CLIMATE CHANGE AND ITS IMPACTS. 14- CONSERVE AND SUSTAINABLY USE THE OCEANS, SEAS AND

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WCCK		MARINE RESOURCES FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT.
		15- PROTECT, RESTORE AND PROMOTE SUSTAINABLE USE OF
		TERRESTRIAL ECOSYSTEMS, SUSTAINABLY MANAGE FORESTS,
		COMBAT DESERTIFICATION, AND HALT AND REVERSE LAND
		DEGRADATION AND HALT BIODIVERSITY LOSS.
10		SDGs: (Cont.):
		16-PROMOTE PEACEFUL AND INCLUSIVE SOCIETIES FOR
		SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT PROVIDE ACCESS TO JUSTICE FOR
		ALL AND BUILD EFFECTIVE, ACCOUNTABLE AND INCLUSIVE
		INSTITUTIONS AT ALL LEVELS.
		17- STRENGTHEN THE MEANS OF IMPLEMENTATION AND
		REVITALIZE THE GLOBAL PARTNERSHIP FOR SUSTAINABLE
		DEVELOPMENT
11		Creating Indicators (How Sustainable Development is measured?).
		Sustainable Development Indicators (Selected Indicator Initiatives):
		- Commission on Sustainable Development
		- Consultative Group on Sustainable Development Indicators
		- Wellbeing Index
		- Environmental Sustainability Index
12		Sustainable Development Indicators (Selected Indicator Initiatives): (Cont.)
		- Genuine Progress Indicator
		- Global Scenario Group
		- Ecological Footprint
		- U.S. Interagency Working Group on Sustainable Development Indicators
13		Sustainable Development Indicators (Selected Indicator Initiatives): (Cont.)
		- Costa Rica
		- Boston Indicator Project
		- State Failure Task Force
1.4		- Global Reporting Initiative
14		Discuss students researches.
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