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LAUNCHING

The School of

Continuing Education

at Nile University

It is time to announce that Nile University's School of Continuing Education (NUSCE) has launched at full power!

NUSCE provides practical, up-to-date, and on-the-job training and seeks to provide individuals and corporates

with diverse, innovative, and empowering life-long learning opportunities, thus, promoting for career

enhancement, organizational excellence, and continuously developing the community.

Looking forward to start seeing their influence on our NU community!

PARTNERSHIPS

NILEPRENEURS PARTNERING WITH THE ASSOCIATION FOR THE SUSTAINABLE QUALITY OF LIVING (ISTIDAMA)



We are delighted to announce our partnership with The Association for the Sustainable Quality of Living (Istidama) to give an award for fighting the impacts of climate change in Africa, the results of which will be announced, and the winners will be honored, during the COP27 Conference in Sharm el Sheikh from November 6 to November 18.

This cooperation encourages initiatives towards a better green future for Africa and the world, as well as to advance innovative projects in information technology, industry, energy, environmental sustainability, and natural resources.

ACHIEVEMENTS

PROF. AHMED RADWAN AMONG SCOPUS TOP 2% SCIENTISTS IN THE WORLD

We would like to congratulate Prof. Ahmed Radwan for being recognized among Scopus top 2% scientists in the world and ranked this year #47 out of 1779, and in the whole career #121 out of 1755 scientists in the field of electronics and electrical engineering worldwide.



	Single Year	Whole Career	No. of authors worldwide in this stud
2022 Report	47/1779	121/1755	82803
2021 Report	41/2258	139/2233	105029
2020 Report	65/1882	193/1861	87611
2019 Report	76/377	251/253	Not Available



BIO-HYBRID SOFT ROBOTICS LABORATORY, NU'S LATEST LAB

Nile University has proudly announced about its Bio-hybrid Soft Robotics Laboratory (BHSRL) which is now open and added to the list of labs at NU.

The Bio-hybrid Soft Robotics Laboratory at Nile University is the first lab in Africa and the Middle East for soft robotics according to the MIT Media Lab site. We are aiming to build complete embodied intelligence soft robotics systems that encapsulate all means of actuation, sensing, smart materials, and morphological computation, supported by digital design and fabrication means. The lab was established through a grant from ASRT to transfer soft robotics technology from worldwide research entities to Egypt.

EVENTS





THE CELEBRATION OF THE 49TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE GLORIOUS OCTOBER WAR VICTORY

Nile University invited NU family members to attend the celebration of the 49th Anniversary of the Glorious October War Victory on Thursday, 20 October 2022, at 7:00 pm in UB2 Auditorium.

The University hosted the cultural "Salon" of H.E. Dr. Ahmed Gamal El-Din and October heroes' members of the salon who were honored and awarded plaques from NU. Attendees also enjoyed the performance of the Arabic "Takht" band.

NILEPRENEURS BOOTCAMP LIVE AND IN ACTION



80 startups out of 120 that applied to NilePreneurs incubation programs have passed the screening phase and now have advanced to the second phase of the Bootcamp.

At the beginning of the day, Mohamed Amr, director of engineering incubator, thanked the teams for their efforts during the last period. Then, Ahmed Abu Al-Yazid, director of Launch SaaS incubator, talked to them about the problems of the pitch deck and how to overcome them in the next stages, and Ahmed Fakhry spoke about "business development": What are the basics of Business Development? Why is business development important? he explained that when it comes to organizational growth, business development acts as the thread that ties together all of a company's functions or departments, helping a business expand and improve its sales, revenues, product offerings, talent, customer service, and brand awareness.



NILEPRENEURS AT GITEX GLOBAL 2022

NilePreneurs participated in the GIA forum with two speeches; one delivered by Dr. Heba Labib, Director of Innovation, Entrepreneurship and Competitiveness Center at Nile University and Director of NilePreneurs, and another delivered by Eng. Ahmed Saleh, Head of Strategy and Innovation at NilePreneurs.

GIA is one of the largest Government, Industry, and Academia collaboration initiatives in the MENA region that aims at bridging the gap among the three ecosystems to enhance economic and social development.

The forum was held on the 12th of October as a part of the GIA Hub running from the 10th to the 13th of October at GITEX. Visitors enjoyed these insightful discussions on topics like "Challenges and opportunities in accelerating the cooperation between Governments, Industry and the Academia."

NU CLUB FESTIVAL





The Student Life Office wanted to help make the student experience a safe and enjoyable one!

Thus, the office along with NUSU organized a Club Festival on Tuesday and Wednesday October 4th and 5th. The festival's aim was to encourage students participate in extracurricular activities that will enable them to learn, make new friends and leave with a worthwhile degree and a lot of great memories.

BLOOD DRIVE CAMPAIGN

The Medical Services Department hosted a blood drive campaign in coordination with the Student Life Department on Thursday 18th of October from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm as a part of NU service to the community. The blood drive was a cooperation between NU medical office and the national blood transfusion bank of the Ministry of Health (MOH).

We are proud of our students who have generously decided to donate their blood to those who would need it one day for life and death situations.

CONFERENCES, SESSIONS, AND WEBINARS

NU 1ST ANNUAL INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM FOR ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEACHING



The English Department at Nile University was proud to host the First Annual International Symposium for English Language Teaching online on October 29, 2022 under the title "The challenges and opportunities of the Post-Covid English Classroom: Returning to Campus".

The Department was pleased to have Nathan Waller from Macmillan MENA region as the plenary speaker. 14 presentations from six countries (Egypt – UK – USA – Japan – Bangladesh - El Salvadore) were delivered revolving around the post covid classroom and its challenges and opportunities. Topics ranged from grit, motivation, leadership, e-learning applications, and professional development. Participants from different parts of the world attended and gave positive feedback.





ENGLISH DEPARTMENT SERIES OF WEBINARS

On September 9th, Dr. Ahmed Hassan, Dean of the School of Information Technology and Computer Science at Nile University, and President of the Egypt Branch of the International IEEE, participated in a virtual panel discussion organized by the Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum Knowledge Foundation, entitled "Arabic Language and Virtual Space," as part of the activities of the Initiative "In Arabic" which is one of the Foundation's initiatives aimed at encouraging Arabs to use their mother tongue through their communication on the internet and social media

ABAQERA SHOW NU TEAM



Shout out to our beloved NU Al Abaqera Team who are shortlisted to compete in the Al Abaqera 5th season by the famous TV Presenter Essam Youssef.

Let's all wish them the best of luck!

SCHOOL VISITS











This month, Nile University participated in different schools' fairs and visits to spread awareness, good vibes, and connect. Wishing all the lovely students we've met to join us on an exciting journey.

- El Alsson British and American Schools
- Greenland Pre Vert International School Zayed Campus
- The American International School in Egypt West Campus
- The International School of Choueifat City of 6 October
- The International School of Choueifat Cairo
- Narmer American College
- The American International School in Egypt Main Campus
- Genisis International School
- · Heritage International School
- Pyramids School

STUDENT LIFE

MENTAL HEALTH WEEK AT NU



It was such an important step that the Student Life office organized a mental health week!

The Mental and Emotional Wellbeing Campaign included a wide variety of wellness information and resources. As known, the Student Life office provides counseling and mental health support services through its Counseling Center.

Thus, the Student Union along with the Student Life office organized a Zumba class for NU Ladies and Yoga session for all students to promote their wellness and mental health. In addition, an online webinar about mental health took place to answer all students' questions and give the best tips for high productivity during academic stress.



TEDX NILE UNIVERSITY

TEDx NileUniversity held an amazing event on the 15th of October in NU's auditorium and open area with 11+ speakers, 2 performances, 9 sponsors, and 2 partnerships. The main theme of the event was "FEARLESS to the next level", which is all about self-development, soft skills, success, and entrepreneurship stories featuring many entrepreneurs and CEOs.

Speakers:

- Nada Chatila
- · Anwer Abo Reeda
- Mohamed Abdel Fatah
- Hossam El Emam
- · Shorook Ghalab
- ·Mireille Barsoum
- Abeer El Elithy
- Kareem Amr
- · Ibrahim Saleh
- Mostafa Atef

Performers:

- NUMC
- Walid Khairy

The event was a huge comeback to the club, which eventually ended up being a success. Thanks to TedxNU heads and members who are the reason for such an event to come to life.





ENACTUS NU ORIENTATION FOR THEIR NEW MEMBERS

"We don't create businesses; we create people, and people create businesses."

Those are the words highlighted by Enactus NU as they welcome and introduce its members for their second season.

Enactus NU praised the integrity and devotion of their previous members, who worked together to secure a \$5,000 Ford fund to ensure the success of their inaugural season. Nile University is extremely proud of you. Your commitment and hard effort in developing the entrepreneurial abilities and skills of NU students are undeniable.





NU FOOTBALL TEAM FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT



First congratulations to NU football team for winning the tournament. Secondly, we had the honor to host this event that the following universities participated in:

- AAST Arab Academy for Science, Technology and Maritime Transport
- The British University in Egypt
- Galala University

And of course, we simply need to thank our super SU that organized this great event along with the admirable sponsors that filled our day with joy and energy.

- FilGoal.com
- Red Bull
- Cold Stone Creamery
- Abu Dhabi Islamic Bank
- Seven Catering
- Evolve



NU STRONGEST MAN EVENT

Our SU, in collaboration with TEDxNileUniversity, came up with an idea for an intense competition for athletes to determine who will hold the title of NU's Strongest Man

The competition's goal was to motivate students to adopt a healthier lifestyle and develop their muscles safely and sustainably. The competition was divided into 3 categories separately: Crossfit, Weightlifting, and Calisthenics where Coach Kareem Amr, Coach Ahmed Shoukry and Coach Omar Hegazy were the judges for and who have announced the awards for the winners. The winners in second and third place received a one-month subscription to Aplus Gym. The winner of the NU Strongest Man award received a one-year membership to A Plus Gym and a bag with assistive equipment.

- NU Strongest Man: Adham Desoky
- NU Strongest Lifter: Amr Gamal
- NU Fittest Man: Adham Desoky
- NU Bodyweight Master: Youssef Amr

It was a pleasure to have our honorable sponsors A Plus Gym and Adamant Box.

STUDENT UNION KAYAK



"Adventure is out there you just have to kayak to it."

NUSU have organized a kayaking day to take in the beauty of the river's water during a warm, golden sunset for NU students on Saturday,

October 22nd.



NU MUSIC CLUB AT SAKIA EL SAWY

An exceptional performance was given by Nile University Music Club during Sakia El Sawy sponsored by WE on Wednesday, October 19th and it was an unforgettable night.

SAMAR ELGA, NU STUDENT AT COY17

Samar Hassan Elga, a senior Mechanical Engineering student, is participating in COY17. COY17 is an annual event under the banner of YOUNGO – The Official Youth Constituency of the United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC). She showed distinguishing and active work in the environmental field as a team member in Youth Love Egypt Foundation (YLF), who is organizing the COY17 conference.

