

Welcome Note from the Dean of the College of Law



Dr. Pasquale Borea
Dean, College of Law

Dear Students and Colleagues,

The current Academic Year marks the fourth year of operation of the College of Law. We are very proud of having our first batch of students who will graduate at the end of Semester 2 this Academic Year. College of Law achieved so many goals during the last few years and it is now consolidated as a unique Law programme in Bahrain. Our Law Clinic, started last Academic Year, has become a must for Law students who have the opportunity to interact with Lawyers from local and international Law firms based in Bahrain, discussing real legal cases which are pending in local courts. A number of guest lectures took place during the first semester and more lectures and events are scheduled in Semester 2.

The international learning experience of Law students has been enhanced through the participation in the 23rd Willem Vis Moot Court competition in commercial arbitration which will be concluded with the competition in Vienna from 18th to 24th March 2016. The RUW Moot team is fully committed in achieving the best results, competing with Law teams from more than 300 Universities worldwide. The RUW Moot team has already achieved an extraordinary success which gives RUW the best hope for Vienna. In fact, RUW hosted the 6th Middle East Pre-Moot competition in commercial arbitration and the RUW team scored 3rd out of the 13 Law teams participating in the regional competition. Moreover, the RUW Moot team has received 2 out of the 5 awards available, one for the best memorandum for respondent submitted for the Vienna competition and one for the best oralist, which has been awarded to one of our top students, Ms. Nayla Ramadhan.

The 6th Middle East pre-Moot competition has been a truly successful event, hosting on campus more than 80 students coming from 8 different countries across the Middle East and more than 60 Lawyers, Judges and legal professionals from top international and local Law firms who acted as arbitrators in the competition. This event, which marked the RUW 10TH Anniversary, has perfectly served the college of Law mission of linking the University with the legal professions' industry and providing an excellent opportunity for the students to develop employability skills. The success of the Moot team and the awards received represent a testimony of the excellent quality of the Law programme at RUW. This is the most rewarding recognition for the strong commitment of the College of Law teaching staff and students.

New and more exciting challenges are yet to come in the second Semester of this Academic Year. I am sure that the College of Law will be able to achieve the best results that our students deserve.

Dr. Pasquale Borea, Ph. D.
Dean of the College of Law

Faculty Of The Month

Dr. Hisham Al-Azzawi, Head of Department of Architectural Design, College of Art & Design



Dr. Hisham Al-Azzawi

Dr. Hisham Al-Azzawi holds a PhD in Urban Design & Planning. With over thirty years of experience in both academic and professional fields, he has broadened his interests throughout these years at various levels. He is an AIA, "American Institute of Architects", Associate, and has a LEED, "Leadership in Energy and Environment Design", certificate. He worked as an international education specialist and afterwards became the Director of the Arabic Department at ERES, one of the leading companies for educational evaluation services in California, USA. He has worked in both governmental and private sectors as a senior architect and urban designer in Iraq and in the region. He was the director of the Regional Bureau in Iraq, one of the pioneer consultations firms in Baghdad, leading a team of over thirty engineers and architects. He worked as an educational expert with the Arabic Institute for Technical Education, an Educational Arabic collaborated entity.

At the academic level, he taught undergraduate and postgraduate courses in theories of architecture and urban design. He also supervised many Master Degree theses and was awarded by various letters of thanks from Ministries, Universities and some other educational institutions for outstanding participation in the field of carrying on seminars, lectures, exhibitions and workshops

RUW proudly announces the launch of "RUW Conference on Women and Society"

RUW is proud to announce the launch of RUW Conference on Women and Society. The conference will take place from 20-21 April 2016 at the Royal University for Women. The conference is being organized as part of RUW 10th Anniversary celebration of the establishment of RUW and its contributions to women's higher education in Bahrain and the Gulf. The RUW Conference on Women and Society will explore the dimensions and nuances of "Women and Society." Employing multi- and interdisciplinary approaches, this conference will be a platform to discuss the relationship between women and society in historical, social, legal and creative contexts. The key topics that will be explored are: women in business and leadership, in creative environments, across cultures, legislation and human rights, innovation and technology. The conference web link is <http://ruw.edu.bh/conference>.



The Future of Higher Education Strategies in Bahrain revealed at Royal University for Women



On February 15, Royal University for Women welcomed at its campus Prof. Riyadh Yousif Hamza, General Secretary of Higher Education Council in a lecture titled "Higher Education Strategies in Bahrain". Diplomats, academics and higher education officials attended the engaging lecture. The lecture covered vital subjects revolving around the strategies and vision of higher education in the Kingdom of Bahrain. During the lecture, Prof. Riyadh Yousif Hamza discussed the results and studies of the Higher Education Council for the past years, which aided in mapping out the future strategies accordingly. Prof. Hamza mentioned how the strategies are developed, what they are based on, for example aiding the shift of Bahrain from natural resources based economy to a diversified knowledge based economy. The general secretary also stressed on the importance of quality and producing the skills required with high quality, developing skills that are needed in the present and in the near future, indicating that there are vocational courses that are specifically targeted to develop much needed skills. Reflecting on the event, Prof. Mazin Jumaah, President of Royal University for Women, stressed on the importance of the lecture and the cooperation between universities, the higher education council and the labor market as it is the linkage and communication between the different channels that will drive the educational sector and the Kingdom of Bahrain forward.

RUW Participates in the National Charter Truck Event at UoB



On February 14, RUW actively participated in the National Charter Truck Event where all Bahraini Universities participated by designing a truck symbolizing the National Charter. Prof. Mazin Jumaah, Dr. Mona Suri, Dr. Janon, OSA & PR staff, RUW Student Council and some students attended the event at UoB from 10:30 am till 5:00 pm. Students and staff rode on the decorated RUW truck.

Ruw College Of Law Hosted The 6th Middle East Pre-moot Competition In International Commercial Arbitration Ruw Moot Team Reached Semi-finals And Got Two Awards



In cooperation with BCDR, U.S. Government CLDP, UNCITRAL and CILE of University of Pittsburg, the College of Law organized the Middle East Pre-Moot Competition in International Commercial Arbitration which took place at RUW from 9th to 13th February 2016. 13 Law University teams from 8 Middle Eastern Countries participated in the competition which was judged by over 60 top Law firm Lawyers, Judges and legal professionals acting as arbitrators of the competition between university teams. The Pre-Moot has been structured with a three days training and two days of eliminatory rounds competition amongst the participating teams. The Pre-Moot is a program in preparation of the Willem Vis annual competition in International Commercial Arbitration which takes place in Vienna every year in March. Every year teams around 300 Universities worldwide compete. RUW College of Law Moot team proudly reached the Semi-Finals ending in the top four best teams out of the 13 participating teams. The RUW team has been also awarded of the Best Memorandum for Respondent Award and one of the RUW team members, Ms. Nayla Ramadhan has been awarded of the Best Oralist Award. This excellent results give good hope for the competition the team will attend in Vienna from 18th to 24th March and made proud the RUW College of Law Dean, Dr. Pasquale Borea, who congratulated the team and the main coach, Dr. Maria Casoria, for the excellent result achieved.

RUW acknowledges the achievements of the College of Law Moot Team Members in the 6th Middle East Pre-moot Competition



As a step towards acknowledging and appreciating the considerable effort and time the College of Law Moot team members dedicated during the preparation for The 6th Middle East Pre-Moot Competition which took place at RUW from 9th to 13th February and their great achievements in reaching semi-finals and receiving two awards, a recognition program was organized during RUW Senate Meeting No. 81 held on March 03, 2016, to recognize the Moot team members. RUW president, Professor Mazin Jumaah, presented certificates of appreciation to the team members; the Students and the Coaches.

In Celebration of National Charter Day; RUW Welcome Leading Politicians in Lively Debate



On February 24, Royal University for Women welcomed at its campus members of the Shoura Council of the Kingdom of Bahrain as guests as well as female members of parliament in a lively discussion with the students of the Royal University for Women. The event held in celebration of the anniversary of the National Charter of the Kingdom witnessed the participation of Royal University for Women students in a dialogue with prominent female politicians including Shoura Council members H.E. Ms. Fatima Al Kooheji, H.E. Ms. Nancy Koudhri, H.E. Ms. Hala Ramzi Fayiz, as well as Parliament member Deputy Dr. Jameela Al Sammak. The leading female politicians were welcomed at the Royal University for Women by Prof. Mazin Jumaah the President of the Royal University for Women, high officials, Deans of the Colleges and students. The leading politicians participated in the discussion with the students discussing the significance of the charter, the developments after the charter and its subsequent effects on the Kingdom of Bahrain, limitations and future prospects of development. Prof. Mazin thanked the officials for their participation in the event and lauded the open nature in which they answered the questions and how they have set an example for the female students to follow with their leadership and important roles within the Kingdom of Bahrain. Royal University for Women reaffirmed their ties with the Shoura council and the Parliament and extended best wishes to the Kingdom of Bahrain, its leadership and Bahrainis on the anniversary of the national charter.

College of Law participates in the preparatory meetings for the launch of "Youth Against Extremism" Conference



On February 14th and 21st, College of Law represented by Dr. Amer ElSaedi, Assistant Professor, participated in the first and second meeting called by "Isa Cultural Center" to prepare for the "Youth Against Extremism" Conference which will take place from 10-11 April 2016. The conference is organized by the Isa Cultural Center in cooperation with all Bahraini Universities, and it is expected to witness wide-range participation from both inside and outside Bahrain due to the importance of the conference. The active participation of the RUW will be through the membership of the University in the Advisory Committee of the Conference and the participation of the College of Law students in the conference. Moreover, the students of the College of Art & Design will contribute by designing an exhibition in line with the conference as well as designing the conference logo.

CAD Participates in the Opening Ceremony of Bahrain International Garden Show (BIGS)

On February 24, The College of Art & Design Participated in the Opening Ceremony of Bahrain International Garden Show (BIGS). The huge Mosaic Mural which was created by the CAD foundation and other level students under the supervision of instructors and Art Reach Bahrain Volunteers, was showcased at the Bahrain International Garden Show (BIGS) which took place under the patronage of HRH Sheikha Sebeeka Bint Ibrahim Al Khalifa from 24 - 28 of February. The mural received huge compliments from HRH and from the exhibition visitors. The mural was highly admired by HRH and all visitors of the exhibition. HRH also highly admired and appreciated the way RUW had offered support to the Art Reach Bahrain group and was very impressed by the collaborative work of our students and faculty with their group. As a very generous gesture from HRH, the mural had been presented to RUW and HRH has requested for the mural to be incorporated with a special design which should be placed at a suitable venue on the RUW campus' premises.



Alumna of the Month



Background Information

Name: Ms. Aysha Al Araifi

Graduation Year: 2009

Professional Occupation:

Co-Founder and Head Chef at Bossy Kitchen

Involvement at RUW:

First Batch Graduate 2009, First Vice President of the RUW Student Council, First RUW Representative at AIESEC, First RUW Representative in Bahrain Model United Nations.

Her Words:

"I was very fortunate to be the first batch to graduate from RUW to graduate in BSc in Banking and Finance and Minor in Liberal Arts. It gives me such pride to be part of a community of strong willed and highly achieving ladies. Royal University of Women has sculpted its graduates to be well rounded individuals, and have pushed us to reach for our dreams and not to be limited to our background studies. Being a graduate of Banking & Finance, they have given us the opportunity to internship placement program at a global bank located in Bahrain BNP Paribas, where we have applied what we learned from RUW into the workplace. I have served since then in the banking and public relations sector, until I have found my true calling in Culinary. My passion for culinary arts was there ever since I was a teenager, and it grew furthermore when I interned in Global Peace Initiative of Women in Manhattan, NYC. Being exposed to so many different cultures and palates of flavors, I knew when I came back to Bahrain, I would plan out a business in the food industry. Later when I got married, I have shared this passion and drive with my husband and we started our business together called Bossy Kitchen, a healthy urban eatery that caters to all different lifestyles and food restrictions presented in a fusion and modern way. I have all of this to thank RUW for pushing its graduates to become the leaders they truly are, and for nurturing us in an environment of women empowerment in all industries."

Recent Achievements:

- Dubai World Hospitality Championship - Bahrain Team - Third Place 2014
- Winner of Chef Wolfgang Puck's Mystery Culinary Challenge in Bahrain 2015
- Time Out Highly Commended Best Cafe Award of 2015
- Bahrain Entrepreneurship Award Finalists 2016

Achievements during University Years:

- Bahrain Universities Model United Nations – ECOSOC Chair, December 2010
- Raised with Promise Africa over BD 8000 to build an orphanage in Africa, August 2010
- Winner of a team at the Global Entrepreneurship Week Hosted by Young Arab Leaders and Zain and won BD 5000 for best business plan, November 2009
- Chair of Security Council - Bahrain Universities Model United Nation 2009
- AIESEC Salaam Trainee at Global Peace Initiative of Women in Manhattan, NYC, June- August 2009
- Helped in raising money for Gaza in a charity bazaar in Bahrain City Centre with New Dawn Society, January 2009
- Delegate of Senegal in the annual Bahrain Universities Model United Nations, Dec 2008
- Team Leader and Co-founder of Promise Africa Campaign, raised BD 7000 to open a hospital in poor village in Africa, September 2008
- Delegate at General Arab Insurance Forum (GAIF), Bahrain, February 2008
- Handling logistics and escorting the American press for President Bush's visit to Bahrain 2008
- MEPI Student Leaders Program: Selected by the US embassy out of many university students for a summer leadership program initiated by the US Department of State; 6 week intensive program on leadership and American studies, July and August 2007
- Delegate at AIESEC Middle East North African Leadership Development Seminar Morocco 2007
- AIESEC Leadership Award June 2007
- RUW Leadership Award 2006
- Attended an AIESEC International Annual Conference, 2006 in Poland, with 700 delegates from across 103 countries as reward for being an achiever volunteer

Mosaic Workshop in Collaboration with Art Reach Bahrain



On February 3, 7, 9 and 13, the group of women volunteer artists "Art Reach Bahrain" started and began a collaboration with RUW that we hope will further develop and flourish as part of RUW's commitment and engagement with the community. This was organised for course FDN 106 by Dr Janon Kadhom, Dr Rashmi Jalotta, Dr Shweta Kinra, Ms Khadija Saeed, with Art Reach Bahrain volunteers. Art Reach Bahrain create Mosaic art work that is donated to the community as part of a "city beautification" initiative. The first project within this collaboration involved the students of the College of Art and Design. Over a period of 2 weeks the students worked under the supervision of their instructors and the volunteer artists in creating a huge Mosaic Mural that was showcased at the Bahrain International Garden Show (BIGS) which took place under the patronage of HRH Sheikha Sebeeka Bint Ibrahim Al Khalifa from 24-28 Feb. 2016. In the first day, Ms. Lena Dajani and Ms. Rula from Art Reach Bahrain gave a presentation of the art of Mosaics and how it is conducted. They also explained the mission of the project that will be conducted with the CAD students. On the following days the students had a complete hands-on experience of how to do Mosaic artwork.

Recycle Runway Competition, Dubai



From February 10 to February 13, Fashion student Ms. Aysha Abdulmalek participated as a competitor in the Recycle Runway competition in Dubai, under supervision of RUW Fashion instructors Dr Nessesreen Emelegy and Dr Shweta Kinra. Ms. Aysha Abdulmalek was very interested to participate in the competition and she designed a creative dress with the concept of using different types of recycled materials in her design; her inspiration was the Stereotypical Gender Role for women, which is cleaning/cooking with still managing to look absolutely dashing! She used sponges and wooden spoons, knives and forks as recycled material. She also created matching accessories to portray an entire "kitchen" feeling. She uploaded her project on her Instagram page with the name of RUW. It was a great experience for her to participate in the competition, which will help her much in her future career as Fashion designer.

CAD Filed Trip to Al Jasra Hand Crafts Centre & Bahrain National Museum



On February 21, The CAD undergraduate fashion students of the second and third year were taken for a visit to Al Jasra Handicrafts Centre and Bahrain National Museum. This was organised by Dr Shweta Kinra Kalra and Dr Nessesreen Emelegy. Firstly, they visited Al Jasra Handicrafts Centre. They had a good round in the centre as they learned about pottery making, cloth weaving, wood working, basket weaving and sadow making, which are created by using the traditional methods. The visit to Al Jasra helped the students understand the amazing traditional handicrafts in Bahrain. Following this, they visited Bahrain National Museum. This museum is one of the first museums in the Gulf which opened in 1988. The visit to the museum helped the students to understand the traditional costumes worn by people in the Middle East and especially by people in Bahrain.

CAD Filed Trip to Delmon Furniture Factory



On February 29, IDN 272 students visited Delmon Furniture Factory. This was coordinated by Dr Mustafa and Ms Khadija Saeed. The objectives of this trip were to have the interior design students see and physically experience the material which is wood, how it is manufactured and its use in various forms, applications, and processes. It was quite a different and an enjoyable experience to be out in the field as students were fascinated to see how one of the oldest existing materials is manufactured into the different essential products.

CAD Alumna Guest speaker

On February 9, a guest speaker, Ms. Muneera AlKhalifa, was invited to give a lecture to RUW year 2 and 3 students in Fashion Design. The event was organised by Dr Shweta Kinra, Dr Nessesreen Emelegy, and Ms Khadija Saeed. Ms. Muneera shared her background and experience in Fashion design with an aim to influence students positively while providing them with a glance of what to expect within the coming years. Specifically, shedding light on the process of developing their fashion design projects. She spoke with our students about her final project and all the procedures she had to follow to complete the project. She also told our students about her trip abroad to collect materials for her final project; as she also brought some of her final designs to present to our students. In addition she shared the experience she owned from participating in RUW events and activities and she encouraged our students to do the same.

CAD Field Trip to BIGS (Bahrain International Garden Festival)

On February 28, Students of Foundation and Graphic went on a field trip to the Bahrain International Garden Festival, as they were part of the team who created a Mosaic with the Art Reach Bahrain group. This was supervised by Ms Sarah Al Hammer, Shk May Al-Khalifa, Dr Rashmi Jalota and Ms Verdian Coetzee. The Mosaic was a part of the festival's displays. They also had a great experience as different countries had participated in the Garden Show. They were able to see the different technologies used in different parts of the world. It was also a treat to see view the beautiful flowers and plants. All-together it was a great experience and exposure for the students. The students also felt proud and happy to see their work displayed and appreciated.

CBFS participates in Junior World Entrepreneurship Forum (JWEEF)



On February 16 & 17, The BUS 302 Entrepreneurship class supervised by Dr. Ilene Valian Agana attended a 2-day Junior World Entrepreneurship Forum (JWEEF) at Radison Blu Hotel, Kingdom of Bahrain. The Forum was participated by local young entrepreneurship personalities, industry experts, government officials and academia members who shared their experience in entrepreneurial journey. It promotes and accelerates junior entrepreneurship globally. The goal for this forum is to educate the youth who are willing to start an entrepreneurial journey, foster entrepreneurship as a career opportunity in Bahrain. The students' participation enhanced their awareness on the economic vision of Bahrain 2030 which aims to create opportunities for the private sector that will play a huge role in the growth and productivity in Bahrain.

CBFS hosts a Guest lecture on "Business Communication and Negotiations"



On February 18, Mr. Alex has been invited to the Business Communication Course as an expert in Organizations and Negotiations to share with the students the real life practice of business communication and the different challenges within organizations. Discussions were extended to the transaction analysis and how to use it in both the individual and the professional lives. Mr. Alex then used a case study to provide more hands-on experience with regard to business communication and negotiations.

Capacity Building workshop on "Blended Learning"



On February 18, a workshop on 'Blended Learning' was conducted by Ms Deena Elshamy, E-learning Specialist, to all faculty members. The title of the workshop "Why and how should I Blend Technology in my Teaching?". Blended Learning Models and The 3-Step Approach to Planning your Blend were covered in the workshop.

Capacity Building workshop on "Embedding Employability"



On February 04, a workshop on "Embedding Employability" was conducted by Dr. Chris Coutts, Education Consultant, to all faculty members. The purpose of the workshop is to provide the faculty members with the knowledge needed on embedding employability in the courses by identifying skills embedded in the courses using intended learning outcomes.

RUW Hosts a Seminar titled "Emerging Cyber Threats: a Future Outlook" organized by ISACA



On February 14, RUW hosted a seminar titled "Emerging Cyber Threats: a Future Outlook" organized by ISACA Bahrain Chapter. The seminar was delivered by Mr. Leonard Ong, International Vice President of ISACA.

OSA hosts a Guest lecture on "Envision Your Future"



On February 9, Ms Thajiba Al Doseri, RUW Social Worker, in collaboration with the Bahraini Family Society organized a lecture titled "Envision Your Future.". The Guest Speaker was Mr. Omar Al Hamar -Bahraini Trainer & Lecturer. Mr. Omar highlighted the importance of setting goals in life. He coached the participants on how to set goals and the effective ways that can be used to succeed in personal and professional life. The event was well attended; a total of 35 students and 8 Staff, 1 Parent participated and it was covered by Bahrain TV.

Personal Development Workshop "Getting In touch with Motivation"

On February 11, OSA organized a personal Development Workshop "Getting in touch with Motivation" by Mr. Alexander Firmin, Leadership Consultant and Trainer from Chapel House UK. This workshop guided 21 participating students on how to achieve success by gaining a better understanding of what motivates them. They were also coached on how to access their core drivers to reach their goals successfully.

Workshop on "Innovation & Positive Mindset"

On February 16, OSA organized Personal Development Workshop: Innovation & Positive Mindset by Khalifa Al Mannai. This workshop was designed to help students develop individual and group skills for generating innovative ideas. Through the workshop, 26 students learned ways to apply these ideas to overcome current issues and challenges in different industries and settings.

Library Orientation

On February 9 & 17, Library conducted two orientations, one for UG students and other for PG students. Students were introduced to Library facilities, services and given an overview of searching library holdings and subscribed online databases.

Workshops on Online Databases / PROQUEST and EBRARY/ Turnitin

During the month of February, RUW library conducted six workshops on online databases for students of all colleges. Three combined workshops on Proquest and Ebrary on 7th, 17th and 18th February for Law, CAD-PG and CBFS students, along with showing searching techniques to retrieve precise information, students were shown how to save searches in 'My Research' and 'Bookshelf' for future use. PG students were also introduced to the procedure of submitting their assignments through Turnitin – anti plagiarism software, another workshops on Ebrary was conducted for CBFS students on 17th Feb, 2016 showing them the provision of highlighting and adding notes to the searches. Total 40 students were trained through these workshops. Another workshop for law students was conducted on 28th Feb, 2016 educating them on searching library holdings using various strings, through website and Quick Link. They were also shown the access of online databases through Website. 17 students attended this workshop.

What R U saying?

ماذا يعني لك الوطن؟

مرير محمد شعبان



قال الشاعر:
ولي وطنٌ آيتُ آلِ أبيعُ ولا أرى غيري له الدهر مالكا
قال شاعرٍ آخر:
وطني لو شُغِلْتُ بالخلد عنه نازعتني إليه في الخلد نفسي

الوطن هو الحب، الحب والائتماء والولاء والعطاء. الوطن هو الهواء الذي نتنفسه والبيت الذي نعيش تحت سقفه، هو الأمان الذي لولاه لعشنا في جحيم ولا أمان. الوطن هو الأمر والأب معاً، هو الحياة بأبهرها. يظل علينا ويوفر لنا كل ما نتمناه دون أن نطلب مقابل سوى مقابل واحد وهو الحفاظ عليه وعدم بيعه بأي ثمن لاحقاً. لا يشعر بأهمية الوطن إلا من يتعد عنه ويفترق و يسافر بعيداً، فالحب يشده إلى الوطن والحلم القوية لا تتقطع إلا بانقطاع الحياة. يا ترى كيف يبغ الناس وطنهم ويشعرون بالراحة والطمأنينة لا وألف لا ، لن يشعر من يبيع وطنه بالراحة أبداً لماذا؟ لأنه سوف يعيش بلا سقف وبلا أمان. الوطن ليس مجرد مكان ولا منطقة أرض نعيش على ترابها، ولا أسمر يجمعنا فقط او ارضاد جوبه نتبعها كل يوم.

هو الهواء الذي نتنفسه والنهر الذي نبتوي منه ، هو الدم الذي يجري في عروقتنا ليختنا شريان الحياة ، هو الإبحار والكبرياء والكرامة والإحساس بالوجود ، هو الهوية الثابتة التي لا تغيرها الظروف ولا المسافات ولا يقل من قيمتها السفر عبر المحيطات والقارات ولا يؤثر في جوهرها الأموال والنقصون وتكون الدنيا فيها يرحل كل شيء على وجه الأرض ويبقى الوطن خالداً في القلوب والعقول والأذهان.

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MABROOK!!

CONGRATULATIONS RUW!

RUW has been awarded the **Best Memorandum for Respondent Award** in the 6th Middle East pre-moot competition in international commercial arbitration and one of the RUW team members, **Ms. Nayla Ramadhan** has been awarded of the **Best Oralist Award**.

RESEARCH FORUM PRESENTATIONS

- On February 02, Dr. Rashmi Jalota, Assistant Professor, College of Art & Design, presented a topic on "Religious & Mythopoetic Content in Modern Indian Painting (Circa 1875 – 2000)".
- On February 02, Dr. Eugenie Samier, Assistant Professor, Centre for General Studies, presented a topic on "Leadership Styles for the Healthcare Field".
- On February 16, Dr. Abdulrahman Shaheen, Assistant Professor, Centre for General Studies, presented a topic on "The values of citizenship".
- On February 16, Dr. Amer El Saeedi, Assistant Professor, College of Law, presented a topic on "Development of criminal legislation in the Kingdom of Bahrain for the crime of money laundering".

RUW JOINERS

Mr Varghese Mathew, plumber.

WEDDING BELLS

Ms Mai Alaali, Officer, Quality Assurance & Accreditation Unit, got married in February 2016.