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What Is The Innovation Club?

Welcome to the Innovation Club, an inspiring community at GJU where creativity meets practical impact. We empower students to explore new ideas, embrace technology, and solve real-world challenges through innovation. We bring together forward-thinking minds from diverse backgrounds, fostering an environment where students can develop their skills, collaborate on projects, and turn concepts into meaningful solutions. Join us as we host workshops, events, and projects that inspire, educate, and ignite the spirit of innovation at GJU and beyond.

Vision

We aim to create a space where every student feels inspired to think outside the box and turn their ideas into something real. Our vision is to empower students at GJU to make a lasting impact, whether it's on campus, in their communities, or in their future careers. We see a future where innovation, teamwork, and a passion for problem-solving become second nature to our members, helping them grow into confident, resourceful leaders who are ready to tackle any challenge.

Mission

Our mission is to bring curious minds together and fuel a passion for creating real change. We're here to support students at GJU as they explore new ideas, learn hands-on skills, and collaborate on projects that matter. By offering workshops, events, and a community of like-minded innovators, we aim to equip our members with the tools and confidence they need to turn ideas into impactful solutions that make a difference.

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Events Success Stories

Royal Jordanian Air Academy visit

The Innovation Club at the German Jordanian University organized a visit to the Royal Jordanian Air Academy. The visit allowed participants from different disciplines to learn about aviation systems from engineers and specialists in this field. They explored the main components of the aircraft under the supervision of engineers from the academy, and toured the mechanical, electrical and communications workshops. The tour also included a visit to King Hussein's airplane. Additionally, the participants learned about the systems used in international flight exams.



Universities and Artificial Intelligence Technology

The Innovation Club members' participation in the first three-day international conference titled: Universities and Artificial Intelligence Technology at the Grand Hyatt Amman. The conference, which was organized by the Arab Universities Union, included many activities, workshops, and the participation of strong speakers in the fields of artificial intelligence, along with the participation of many Arab and foreign countries.



IEEE MESYP2023 R8 Conference

The Innovation Club at the German Jordanian University participated in the IEEE MESYP 2023 R8 conference held at Hilton Amman Hotel. Club President, Mohannad Awawdeh, took part in the opening ceremony, marking a strong presence. The conference focused on space, astronomy, and the use of AI in these fields through insightful workshops and discussions. Students engaged with experts, gaining valuable knowledge to share with their community. The club was recognized for its active role, and President Mohannad Awawdeh received the Best Ambassador Award among Jordanian public and private universities.



Innovation Club Ramadan Iftar 2024

The Innovation Club organized a Ramadan Iftar attended by 120 club members. The Dean of Innovation, Technology Transfer and Entrepreneurship at GJU, Dr. Nidal Al-Shwawreh, gave an introductory speech about the Deanship of Innovation, Technology Transfer and Entrepreneurship. The event featured Ramadan-themed competitions and fun challenges. Students shared a joyful Iftar meal on campus in a warm Ramadan atmosphere. The evening concluded with lively motor activities filled with excitement and energy.

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Alumni Reunion – Jabal Amman

DI-TECH@GJU, in collaboration with the Innovation Club, organized the GJU 2024 Alumni Reunion, which included GJU alumni and entrepreneurs.

A great event to share the post-graduation entrepreneurial experience with fond memories! Our special guests for the evening were the King Hussein Cancer Foundation and Center and the Royal Jordanian Film Commission – Jordan!



Falling Walls Lab Competition-DAAD Regional Office

DI-TECH@GJU, in collaboration with the Innovation Club, organized the Falling Walls Lab presented by the DAAD Regional Office in Amman.

Falling Walls Lab fosters discussion on research and innovation and promotes the latest scientific findings among a broad audience from all parts of society.

We look forward to honoring the people who are finding solutions to these challenges at the Falling Walls Science Summit.



Ready For Tomorrow Session

DI-TECH@GJU, in collaboration with the Innovation Club, organized a session hosting experts from the Business and Professional Women Association (BPWA).

During the session, the students were informed about Standout Project as part of the "Ready for Tomorrow" initiative. The event was an excellent opportunity for German Jordanian University students to learn about entrepreneurship and the available work readiness initiatives in the ecosystem.



Minister of Interior Visit

Part of the visit of the Minister of Interior, Mazen Al-Farayeh, to the Deanship of Innovation, Technology Transfer and Entrepreneurship and reviewed some of the students' projects.

Mohannad Awawdeh, talked about the work mechanism of the Innovation Club, the nature of the activities that the club organizes, and the importance of the role of the club at the German Jordanian University.

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Entrepreneurship and Innovation management program

School of Applied Technical Sciences (SATS), in collaboration with the DI-TECH@GJU and the Innovation Club organized the opening ceremony of the Entrepreneurship and Innovation Management Master Program, under the patronage of His Excellency the Minister of Digital Economy and Entrepreneurship, Engineer Ahmed Al-Hanandeh.

The ceremony included a panel discussion from entrepreneurs in Jordan and speeches by the GJU President, Prof. Alaaldeen Al-Halhouli, and Dean of the SATS, Prof. Iyas Khader.



REM 2025 Conference – Dead Sea

The Innovation Club had the honor of participating in the organizing committee of the 22nd International Conference on Research and Education in Mechatronics (REM 2024).

This was a two-day event held at the King Hussein Bin Talal Convention Center in the Dead Sea, Jordan, hosted by the German Jordanian University, under the patronage of University President, Prof. Alaaldeen Al-Halhouli, and under the supervision of conference chair, Dr. Hisham ElMoaqat.

The conference contained many research papers on eight main topics in various fields. It was a unique conference and a great opportunity to contribute to the field of mechatronics.



Demo Day – Part of Entrepreneurship Course

The Innovation Club organized a Demo Day at the German Jordanian University, Jabal Amman, as part of the Entrepreneurship Course, with the participation of the distinguished jury members - Dr. Nidal Al-Shwawra, Fatima Qais Al-Rawi, Areej Al-Yousef, Malak Al-Ahmad, Nada Kharoub and Eng. Ahmed Al Seif. The future of entrepreneurship looks bright.



Jordan Film Academy – Opening Ceremony

DI-TECH@GJU, in collaboration with the Innovation Club, had the honor of organizing the opening ceremony of the Jordan Cinema Academy (JCA) under the patronage of Her Highness Princess Rym Ali. The event was graced by the presence of GJU President, Prof. Alaaldeen Al-Halhouli, and Mr. Mohannad Albakri, Managing Director of the Royal Film Commission – Jordan.

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13th Career Fair

We are delighted to have played a key role in organizing this year's 13th Career Fair Day at the German Jordanian University, organized by DI-TECH@GJU.

It is a great event that connects students with industry leaders and career opportunities.

The day was smoothly managed by Mohannad Awawdeh, President of the club, who served as the event manager and kept things on track.

We were also honored by the presence of the President of the German Jordanian University, Alaaldeen Al Halhouli, and the Dean of DI-TECH, Dr. Nidal Alshwawrah, whose support highlights the university's dedication to enhancing students' career readiness.

Etidal Eriqat, another valued club member, played an important role in translating for the Portuguese Ambassador during the event.



Launch- Circularity Hub for EV Batteries

We're proud to have helped organize the launch of the Circularity Hub for Spent C-Hub for EV Batteries at the German Jordanian University, a groundbreaking initiative in partnership with EDAMA - Energy, Water and Environment, the Ministry of Environment and Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH Jordan.

This project marks a transformative step toward sustainable and circular practices for electric vehicle batteries in Jordan and beyond. We also extend our gratitude to Mohannad Awawdeh who served as the MC, bringing energy and enthusiasm to the event.



Orange Workshop - GJU Main Campus

DI-TECH@GJU, in collaboration with the Innovation Club, hosted a successful five-day workshop by Orange at the German Jordanian University, aimed at enhancing participants' career development.

The training covered essential topics such as change management, emotional intelligence and stress management, AI tools, CV writing and LinkedIn profile development, and Giglancing.



Ministry of Digital Economy and Entrepreneurship (MoDEE) Visit

The Innovation Club visited the Ministry of Digital Economy and Entrepreneurship (MoDEE).

The visit included a tour of the Ministry's departments and the nature of their work. We also explored their innovative programs and projects, including the "Hackathon Leap Forging", "Qussati" and "Summation".

MoDEE is a pioneering ministry in the region and very special. When you look at it closely, you will find a lot of opportunities for young people.

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His Majesty King Abdullah II bin Al Hussein Visiz – GJU 20th



The Innovation Club celebrates “20 years of success” at the German Jordanian University under the patronage of His Majesty King Abdullah II Ibn Al Hussein.



Makers Collective Event

The Innovation Club participated in the “Makers Collective” organized by the Crown Prince Foundation (CPF).

It was a valuable opportunity to see all the projects and ideas of Jordanian youth in public and private universities, institutions and organizations.

We are very proud of the German Jordanian University’s booth and students’ projects.



Fostering Career Opportunities for Female Graduates in Jordan

Under the patronage of the British Ambassador in Jordan, the Innovation Club supported the organization of the “Fostering Career Opportunities for Female Graduates in Jordan” event at the German Jordanian University. The event brought together leaders and alumni to address the gender gap and promote inclusivity in the workforce.

Together, we are shaping a brighter and more equitable future



Library Day – Main Campus

The German Jordanian University’s Library, in collaboration with the Innovation Club, organized the Library Day on the campus of the German Jordanian University under the patronage of the university President, Prof. Alaaldeen Al-Halhoulin, and in the presence of universities and schools. The event included a robotics workshop, a book gallery, and other activities.

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Genius Group Event



The Innovation Club hosted the Genius Group event, a day of creativity, teamwork, and friendly competition. Students participated in four engaging challenges: building a mini rocket, constructing a spaghetti and marshmallow tower, solving social problems, and a fast-paced general knowledge quiz. The event highlighted students' talents, innovation, and collaboration, making it a proud achievement for the club.



Generation Z Conference

The Innovation Club participated in "Generation Z in the Driver's Seat: Leading the Next Industrial Revolution", hosted by the Institute of Industrial and Systems Engineers. A two-day conference at the Four Seasons Hotel included many interesting sessions and speakers. It was a valuable opportunity for Generation Z.



Global Entrepreneurship Monitor in Jordan

The Innovation Club participated in the launch ceremony of the Global Entrepreneurship Monitor (GEM) in Jordan, organized by DI-TECH@GJU.

This gathering sought to build on the key findings of the Global Entrepreneurship Monitor (GEM) report by fostering open discussion among stakeholders, experts, and policymakers. Attendees explored practical solutions and strategies to address pressing challenges and opportunities in the entrepreneurship ecosystem.



Is'aa Job Search Club - BDC

The Deanship of Innovation, Technology Transfer and Entrepreneurship, in collaboration with the Business Development Center (BDC), held a 14-day training program, "Is'aa" Job Search Club, for Innovation Club and GJU students. Over 52 hours of training, participants gained essential job market skills.

The program concluded with a ceremony where His Excellency former Minister of Labor Nayef Stetieh honored the students for their dedication and excellence.

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Alnajmat Exhibition Visit

The Innovation Club organized a visit to the AlNajmat Exhibition under the patronage of Her Royal Highness Princess Rym Ali.

The exhibition celebrates the most influential female artists of Arabic music and cinema from the 1920s to the 1970s, with a special section dedicated to honoring Jordanian female artists.



Royal Hashemite Court Visit

The Innovation Club visited the Royal Hashemite Court by special invitation for students of the German Jordanian University.

A number of the club's board members met with His Excellency Yousef Al-Issawi, Chief of the Royal Court, where the club President, Mohannad Awawdeh, spoke about the club's mission and its role at the German Jordanian University.



Green Links Hackathon

The Deanship of Innovation, Technology Transfer and Entrepreneurship, in collaboration with the Business Development Center (BDC), held a 7-day "Green Links Hackathon" to select and develop 15 green projects, with the support of His Excellency Nayef Stetieh and Prof. Malek Al-Sharairi.

The Innovation Club played a key organizational role as part of its ongoing commitment to serving the community and the nation.



The Expert on Campus (EOC) program is an innovative initiative organized by the DI-TECH@GJU in collaboration with the Innovation Club, designed to enrich the academics and students' experience by hosting distinguished experts and professionals from diverse fields such as technology, engineering, business, arts, humanities, entrepreneurship, and more. The program aims to provide an interactive platform for dialogue between students and experts to exchange knowledge and experiences, inspire students by exposing them to the latest trends and challenges in the job market and research fields and strengthen ties between the university, the local community, and industry leaders.

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Business Iftar

DI-TECH@GJU, in collaboration with the Innovation Club, hosted GJU's largest "Business Iftar," bringing together entrepreneurs, alumni, students, and business leaders under the patronage of Prof. Alaaldeen Al-Halhouli. The event was a space for networking, sharing ideas, and showcasing student and alumni achievements, reflecting GJU's leadership in regional entrepreneurship.



IMPACT Conference

Innovation Club participated in the Immersive Metaverse and Augmented Reality Congress and Technology Conference (IMPACT). The IEEE Computer Society's IMPACT Conference at the Olive Tree Hotel featured a valuable panel discussion and several workshops presented by experts in the field.



Team Iftar

The Innovation Club held a Ramadan Iftar for its members to present effective ideas for the development of the club and its effective contribution to the German Jordanian University.



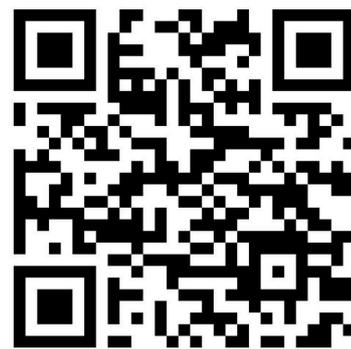
Madaba Innovation Trail

"Madaba Innovation Trail" is a unique initiative organized by the Innovation Club at the German Jordanian University (GJU), designed to bridge cultural heritage and industrial development with innovation and entrepreneurship. Through field visits to archaeological sites and industrial facilities in Madaba Governorate, participants explored the region's rich history and economic potential while being inspired to develop creative solutions based on their observations.

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