



Jordan University of Science and Technology
Faculty of Computer and Information Technology
Department of Computer Science

Subject: EAB meeting minutes

Meeting no.: 5

Date: 20/3/2022

Place: CS meeting room

Attendees	Dr Omar Al Zoubi, Dr Ahmad Al Zoubi, Eng. Reema Al Sallal, Dr. Mohammad al Refai, Eng. Ahmad Jaradat, Er. Ahmad Al Ashmawi
Absent	Sami Maleh, Yazan Azzam Qadoumi, Yahya Al Najjar, Hussein Hiyassat Mohammad Mitso, Raed Hmaedy, Zahi Abu Sarhan, Dawood Sahili Bashar Sadi Hasan, Shahd Alkhatib, Ahmad Santarissy, Dr. Eyad Alazam Ahmad Abdulkareem AlSallal, Ma'en Al Qutob, Abdullah Mohammad Samer Adnan, Abdalrahman Ajlouni, Ali Fadel
Recorded By	Dr. Mohammad Al Refai
Agenda	The purpose of this meeting is to discuss the vision, mission, objective, and study plan of CS program as well as understand market need and training/employment opportunities.
The meeting progress	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Discussing the Computer Science plan with the corresponding companies and stakeholders to achieve the continuous improvement of the CS curriculum to cope with recent trends in the IT industry. <p>a. We showed SE103 description as an example.</p> <p>b. The representative from True Programmers talked about a recent agreement between their company and the IT college@ JUST. This agreement provides support to the undergraduate students at the IT college as explained in the following points:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. True programmers will hold sessions to the IT students to discuss the main challenges that face them and propose solutions.2. work together with students to help them specifying their career paths.3. provide presentations, demos, and free online courses for students.

	<p>4. Offer several practical training positions -every year- for the IT students in True Programmers company.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The representatives from Mawdoo3 indicated that their company is currently focusing on NLP and sentiment analysis, and they have the willing to support the CS department by mentoring students who are using such ML techniques in their graduation projects. We discussed with Mawdoo3 representatives that the current CS curriculum includes Machine learning and AI courses, and that we are managing to have AI programs -Bachelor and Master levels- soon. • To bridge the gap between industry and academia, we all agreed on the need to have mentors from industry to supervise/co-supervise students while working on their graduation projects. Mawdoo3 and True programmers' representatives expressed the willingness of their companies to provide such mentors upon request to cooperate with the CS staff on supervising graduation projects.
Actions	The actions will be taken by the department council based on the above recommendations.