Ministry of Higher Education of Sciences

Scientific supervision and evaluation device

Department of Quality Assurance and Academic Accreditation

Accreditation Department

Description of the academic program

College of Law and International Relations
Department of International Relations and Diplomacy

2024-2023

the introduction:

The educational program is considered a coordinated and organized package of academic courses that includes procedures and experiences organized in the form of academic vocabulary, the main purpose of which is to build and refine the skills of graduates, making them qualified to meet the requirements of the labor market. It is reviewed and evaluated annually through internal or external audit procedures and programs such as the external examiner program.

The description of the academic program provides a brief summary of the main features of the program and its courses, indicating the skills that students are working to acquire based on the objectives of the academic program. The importance of this description is evident because it represents the cornerstone of obtaining program accreditation, and the teaching staff participates in writing it under the supervision of the scientific committees in the scientific departments.

The previous guide in light of the latest developments in the educational system in Iraq, which included a description of the academic program in its traditional form (annual, quarterly), in addition to adopting the description of the academic program circulated according to the book of the Department of Studies, M. 3/2906, dated 5/3/2023, with regard to programs that adopt the path Poland is the basis for its work.

In this area, we can only emphasize the importance of writing descriptions of academic programs and courses to ensure the smooth conduct of the educational process.

Concepts and terminology:

Description of the academic program: The description of the academic program provides a brief summary of its vision, mission, and objectives, including an accurate description of the targeted learning outcomes according to specific learning strategies.

Course Description: Provides a necessary summary of the most important characteristics of the course and the learning outcomes that the student is expected to achieve, demonstrating whether he or she has made the most of the available learning opportunities. It is derived from the program description.

Program Vision: An ambitious picture for the future of the academic program to be a developed, inspiring, motivating, realistic and applicable programme.
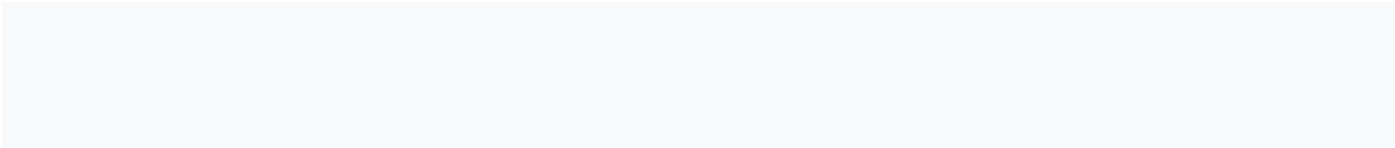
The program's mission: It briefly explains the goals and activities necessary to achieve them, and also defines the program's development paths and directions.

Program objectives: These are statements that describe what the academic program intends to achieve within a specific period of time and are measurable and observable.

Curriculum structure: All courses/study subjects included in the academic program according to the approved learning system (semester, annual, Bologna track), whether it is a requirement (ministry, university, college, or scientific department), along with the number of study units.

Learning Outcomes: A ready set of knowledge, skills and values that the student has acquired after the end of effective academic achievement and must determine the learning outcomes to fail and thus achieve product achievements.

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1. Program vision
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2. Program message
For students of international relations and diplomacy to be familiar with the origins, principles, foundations and rules of political science at the official, popular and international levels and to graduate specialists who possess political knowledge and the ability to manage state affairs at the local, national and international levels.

3. Program objectives
• Preparing qualified people to delve deeply into the study of political science, equipped with the method of scientific thinking and the ability to conduct academic research and investigate scientific truth in the field of political thought and political systems.

• Preparing specialized cadres to work in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, universities, international and regional organizations, and jobs related to media, public relations, and teaching human rights and democracy.
• Encouraging scientific research in the fields of political studies, research and political theories.
• Providing scientific consultations to relevant ministries and state departments, international and regional organizations, and civil society institutions.

4. Programmatic accreditation
Associated with the Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research / Program accreditation has not been obtained

5. Other external influences
the library

6. Program structure				
Program structure	Number of courses	Study unit	percentage	comments *
Enterprise requirements	1. Arabic language 2. Computer 3. English language 4. The crimes of the Baath regime	2 2 9 all stages 1	15%	Basic Basic Basic Basic
College requirements	1. Human rights 2. Comparative political and constitutional systems	2 2	76%	Basic Basic
Department requirements	1. Introduction to political science 2. Introduction to the study of law 3. History of international relations 4. Principles of economics 5. Principles of international relations 6. Political sociology 7. Local governments 8. Public international law	3 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	1%	Basic Basic Basic Basic Basic Basic Basic Basic Basic Basic

	9. Ancient and medieval political thought	2		Basic
	10. Arab political systems	2		
	11. The contemporary political system in contemporary Iraq	2		Basic
	12. International organizations	2		Basic
	13. Public policy	3		Basic
	14. Arab-Islamic political thought	2		Basic
	15. Introduction to the study of strategy	3		Basic
	16. Political systems in Asia	2		Basic
	17. Modern Western political thought	2		Basic
	18. International economic relations	2		
	19. Diplomacy	2		Basic
	20. Political parties			Basic
	21. Political systems in Europe and the Americas	3		Basic
	22. Contemporary Western political thought	2		Basic
	23. Contemporary Arab Islamic political thought	2		Basic
	24. Regional and international political systems	3		Basic
	25. Foreign policy	2		
	26. Political research			Basic
				Basic
summer training				
Other				

* Notes may include whether the course is core or elective.

Year/level	Course or course code	Name of the course or course	Credit hours	
			theoretical	practical
The first	IRD20101	Introduction to political science		
The first	IRD20102	History of international relations	3	
The first	IRD20103	Political and constitutional systems	2	
The first	IRD20104	Introduction to the study of law	2	
The first	IRD00109	human rights	2	
The first	IRD20107	Arabic	3	
The first	IRD10106	Principles of political science in English	2	
The first	IRD10105	Principles of economics	1	
The first	IRD00108	the computer	2	1
the second	IRD20201	Political Sociology	2	
the second	IRD20202	The political system in contemporary Iraq	2	
the second	IRD 100207	Public international law	2	
the second	IRD10203	Ancient and medieval political thought	2	
the second	IRD20204	Arab political systems	2	
the second	IRD20206	Local governments	2	
the second	IRD20208	the computer	1	1
the second	IRD20205	Principles of international relations in English	2	

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the second	IRD20209	Principles of international relations	3	
the second	IRD202010	The crimes of the Baath regime in Iraq	1	
Third	IRD10301	In English, public policy	2	
Third	IRD20305	Modern Western political thought	3	
Third	IRD20306	Public policy	2	
Third	IRD20307	Introduction to the study of strategy	3	
Third	IRD20308	International economic relations	2	
Third	IRD20302	International organizations	2	
Third	IRD20303	Political systems in Asia and Africa	3	
Third	IRD20304	Arab-Islamic political thought	2	
Fourth	IRD10403	Contemporary Islamic political thought	2	
Fourth	IRD20404	Political systems in Europe and the Americas	2	
Fourth	IRD20405	Scientific research method	2	
Fourth	IRD20406	International politics in English	2	
Fourth	IRD20407	Diplomacy	2	
Fourth	IRD20408	Regional political systems	2	
Fourth	IRD10403	Contemporary Arab Islamic political thought	2	
Fourth	IRD20404	Foreign Policy	3	
Fourth	IRD20405	Contemporary Western political	3	

		thought		
Fourth	**IRD20401**	**political parties**	**2**	

28.Expected learning outcomes of the program .	
Knowledge	
Preparing efficient cadres to provide the community with cadres specialized in political science in all its branches, focusing on the branch of international relations and diplomacy.	Working in government institutions as a political research assistant in international relations and diplomacy
Skills	
Appropriate and sufficient qualification to bear responsibility for the burdens of the profession to prepare specialists in political science and international relations, whether in the government or private sector.	Applying the principles of political science in all its branches applicable locally and globally in governmental and private institutions that are closely related to the specialty.
Mastering, developing and enhancing the skills and abilities of the department's graduates.	Working in government ministries related to the specialty and providing consultations in this aspect with proficiency
Value	
Analysis	Enabling the student to prepare reports to analyze events on the political scene
Application	Enabling the student to translate theoretical concepts into practical procedures that translate political events approved by laws and instructions

29. Teaching and learning strategies
- Lectures
- homework
- Reports and research
- Continuous guidance
- Open and ongoing discussions
- Follow up on the work of institutions related to the department

30. Evaluation methods
Daily surprise exams
Monthly exams
Mid-year and end-of-year exams
Grades are given for class participation and homework

1. The teaching staff					
Faculty members					
Scientific rank	**Specialization**		**Special requirements/skills (if any)**	**Preparing the teaching staff**	
	General	**flour**		**Angel**	**lecturer**
Prof. Muhannad Abd Rashid	Political Science	The International	Analyzing political events by participating in political and news programs on local and international channels		
M.M. Hamza Rahim Shehab	Political Science	Politics	Writing scientific research related to strategic and security studies and sharing them in local and international journals		
Prof. Dr. Breez Fattah Younis	Political Science	Public international law			
Prof. Dr. Faisal Muhammad Aliwi	English	criminology			
M.D. Jassim Mohammed Ahmed	the law	Political systems			
M.D Hanan Ali Ibrahim	Literature	The International Politics			
M.D. Abbas Fadel Abbas	Political Science	International Relations			
M. Nazir Mahmoud Amin	Political Science	International Relations			
M. M. Ahmed Adel Ibrahim	the law	Public international law			
Prof. Dr. Ahmed Sajer Jassim	Literature	Political history			
M.M. Asan Jumaa Fadel	the law	Public international law			
M. M. Samir Sabah Muhammad	Political Science	International Relations			

Professional development
Orienting new faculty members
Paying attention to scientific research by new teaching staff to have positive effects in lecturing and benefiting from keeping pace with changes in the international arena by providing the department with new scientific research and adhering to ministerial administrative and scientific instructions, and requiring new teaching staff to complete all courses and requirements that qualify them to teach in the department and to train them before. Old teachers by attending their lectures to benefit from the delivery process.
Professional development for faculty members
Developing the process of delivering information to the student by adopting modern learning strategies integrated in theory and practice, as well as field visits to institutions related to the specialty and participating in conferences, seminars and workshops that increase the teacher's information in the field of his specialization as a teacher and develop his ability and ability to perform his scientific and administrative tasks, and prepare a plan for developing Their skills through holding development courses (personal, administrative, legal, financial).

32. Acceptance criterion
Associated with the Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research
33. The most important sources of information about the program
Iraqi government universities, Arab and international universities, and workshops and seminars held in this regard
34. Program development plan
It depends on the college's policy and plans for development by keeping up with continuous updates in the main departments specialized in program development.

Program skills chart

Value		Skills				Knowledge				Essential or optional	Course Name	Course Code	Year/le
C2	C1	B4	B3	B2	B1	A4	A3	A2	A1				
●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	Basic	Introduction to political science	IRD20101	
●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	Basic	History of international relations	IRD20102	
●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	Basic	Political and constitutional systems	IRD20103	
●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	Basic	Introduction to the study of law	IRD20104	The fi
●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	Basic	human rights	IRD00109	
●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	Basic	Arabic	IRD20107	
●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	Basic	Principles of political science in English	IRD10106	
●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	Basic	Principles of Economics	IRD10105	
●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	Basic	the computer	IRD00108	
●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	Basic	Political Sociology	IRD20201	
●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	Basic	The political system in contemporary Iraq	IRD20202	
●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	Basic	Public international law	IRD 100207	
●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	Basic	Ancient and medieval political thought	IRD10203	

•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**Arab political systems**	**IRD20204**	**the sec**
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**Local governments**	**IRD20206**	
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**the computer**	**IRD20208**	
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**Principles of international relations in English**	**IRD20205**	
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**Principles of international relations**	**IRD20209**	
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**The crimes of the Baath regime in Iraq**	**IRD202010**	
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**Modern Western political thought**	**IRD20305**	
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**Public policy**	**IRD20306**	
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**Introduction to the study of strategy**	**IRD20307**	
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**Economic relations**	**IRD20308**	**Thir**
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**International organizations**	**IRD20302**	
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**Political systems in Asia and Africa**	**IRD20303**	
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**Arab-Islamic political thought**	**IRD20304**	
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**Public policy in English**	**IRD20301**	
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**Contemporary Islamic political thought**	**IRD10403**	
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**Political systems in**	**IRD20404**	

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											Europe and the Americas		
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**Scientific research method**	**IRD20405**	
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**International politics in English**	**IRD20406**	
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**Diplomacy**	**IRD20407**	
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**Regional political systems**	**IRD20408**	**Four**
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**Contemporary Arab Islamic political thought**	**IRD10403**	
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**Foreign Policy**	**IRD20404**	
•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	Basic	**Contemporary Western political thought**	**IRD20405**	

• Please check the boxes corresponding to the individual learning outcomes
from the program subject to evaluation