



Yarmouk University

**Faculty of
Archaeology
and Anthropology**

Master's in Management of Cultural Resources

Program Overview

The Master's program in Management of Cultural Resources focuses on equipping students with the skills needed to manage and conserve cultural heritage. It offers specialized education on topics and practical practices for preserving archaeological materials and managing cultural heritage sites in our region. The program also emphasizes scientific research skills and includes the preparation of a master's thesis in one of the specialization topics. Graduates gain both theoretical knowledge and practical skills in cultural resources management, enabling them to continue their education or effectively enter the labor market.

Program Objectives

The program aims to provide students with:

- Theoretical knowledge
- Practical and research skills related to managing and conserving cultural resources

These skills prepare students to work in the field and pursue further studies in cultural resources management and related disciplines.

Program Importance

The program is essential for several reasons:

1. It supplies the labor market with specialists in managing and conserving cultural resources, trained according to current scientific developments.
2. It opens new academic and professional opportunities for students, enabling them to continue postgraduate studies and enroll in doctoral programs at Western universities.
3. It enriches academic research and enhances university education standards.

The program offers the following features:

1. Integration of theoretical aspects, training, and practical skills necessary for the conservation of archaeological materials and the management of cultural heritage sites.
2. A focus on problem-solving scientific research to improve conditions at cultural heritage sites in the region.
3. An interdisciplinary approach that attracts students from various academic backgrounds.
4. Two specialization tracks: Cultural Resources Management and Conservation of Cultural Resources, allowing students to focus on their specific interests.
5. English as the medium of instruction, facilitating further studies or work with international bodies and attracting foreign students.

Targeted Groups and Accepted Majors

Applicants must:

1. Hold a Bachelor's degree from an accredited university.
2. Meet the foreign language requirement as per university instructions.
3. Fulfill any other conditions set by relevant committees and councils.

Job Areas

Graduates can pursue professional, teaching, or supervisory roles in public and private institutions, including:

- Department of Antiquities
- Museums
- Cultural heritage institutions
- Universities
- Engineering offices specializing in restoration
- Organizations concerned with antiquities and heritage in Jordan and the region
- Foreign archaeological missions

Credit Hours and Tuition Fees

The program requires 33 credit hours, plus any prerequisite courses decided by the Department's graduate studies committee based on the applicant's Bachelor's degree specialization.

Tuition is 70 JOD per credit hour for Jordanian students, and 225 USD for non-Jordanians.

Study Plan Overview

The study plan covers advanced and specialized topics in the two tracks: management and conservation of cultural resources. It includes:

- Planning and development processes for cultural heritage
- Approaches and methods for cultural heritage management
- Conservation processes for cultural heritage

Additionally, it focuses on scientific research methods and offers specialized courses for each track, such as:

- Methods of interpreting and presenting cultural heritage
- Technical means for preparing a thesis in cultural resources management
- Methods of analyzing and conserving archaeological materials and structures
- Managing conservation projects for students preparing a thesis in conservation of cultural resources



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