



Yarmouk University

**Faculty of
Sharia and
Islamic Studies**

Ph.D. in Islamic Education

Program Overview

The program provides students with advanced research skills in the rooting and critical educational studies. It equips them with skills related to learning and teaching of Islamic education and guides them toward further public discussions on societal issues, problems, and contemporary challenges.

Program Objectives

- Deepening students understanding of Islamic terminology, concepts and theories and their contemporary applications.
- Analyzing Sharia texts (i.e Qur'an and Sunnah) and other Islamic literature texts using scientific methodology.
- Addressing special and relevant Islamic Education topics through problemsolving and critical research skills.
- Demonstrating Islamic values and ethics in the work environment.
- Communicating with others in a flexible and positive manner.
- Employing effective and recent information technology skills to understand Islamic Education topics.
- Excelling in professional conduct.

Program Importance

The importance of the Ph.D. program in Islamic Education lies in its study of Sharia subjects in a contemporary educational language, enabling enrollees to find scientifically rooted solutions to educational, social, and psychological problems. The program also supports students in developing professional skills to effectively communicate their research results and engage in educational and social consultation projects and programs.

Targeted Groups and Accepted Majors

- * Hold a BA degree with at least a 'Good' grade.
- * Hold an MA degree with at least a 'Very Good' grade.
- * The MA degree should be in Islamic Education (IE) or any of the fields of Sharia sciences. In case of equal GPAs among applicants, priority will be given to those with an MA in IE.
- * Any other agreed conditions by the relevant councils.

Job Areas

- * Teaching positions in educational and higher education institutions, locally and internationally.
- * Advisory positions in social services and family consultation institutions.
- * General Iftaa' Department.
- * Office of the Chief Justice.
- * Sharia courts.
- * Family reform offices.
- * Ministry of Awqaf and Islamic Affairs, e.g., Imam in mosques.
- * Family protection centers.
- * Positions in research centers specialized in the field of study.

Credit Hours and Tuition Fees

Number of credit hours: (54) credits

Tuition fees per credit hour:

- * For Jordanians (in dinars): 100 dinars
- * For internationals (in dollars): 350 dollars
- * Admission fees are paid at the beginning of the first semester.

Study Plan Overview

The study plan for the Ph.D. in Islamic Education consists of:

- * Mandatory specialization requirements: 21 credit hours, and 18 credit hours for the doctoral dissertation.
- * Elective specialization requirements: 15 credit hours.
- * A written(cognitive aptitude test)in the field of specialization.
- * Passing the TOEFL exam according to the Higher Education Council's decision.
- * Passing the recitation and memorization exam of Surah Al-Baqarah before scheduling the dissertation defense.

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