### Spotlight

**AUB professors snap up 2013 national research excellence awards**

The research of four professors from AUB landed them the 2013 CNRS Annual Research Excellence Award, in three categories: information technology, shared by Wassim Masri from engineering and Ahmad Nasri from computer science; food security, won by Mohammad Farran from agriculture, and neurology, won by Dr. Ahmad Beydoun from AUBMC. **READ MORE**

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- PSPA lecture "Why Reforms Fail: Understanding Political and Administrative Challenges in Lebanon and Libya,' **Feb. 17, 12noon, West Hall, Aud. C** READ MORE
- Architecture and Design lecture "The Nature of the City," **Feb. 17, 6:30pm, Architecture Lecture Hall** READ MORE
- "Perspectives on Health Promotion: Cases from Non-Communicable Diseases and Injuries," conference, **Feb. 18-19, West Hall, Aud. A** READ MORE
- WAAUAB Quiz Night, **Feb. 19, 7pm, Faculty Lounge** READ MORE
- PSPA lecture "Cognitive Reasoning, the Study of Bureaucracy, and the Importance of Public Administration," **Feb. 20, 12noon, West Hall, Aud. C** READ MORE
- CASAR lecture "Malcolm X, the Arab World, and Geographies of Liberation: a discussion and book launch," **Feb. 21, 12noon, Building 37** READ MORE
- Darwazah Student Innovation Contest, **Feb. 21, 5pm, OSB, Maamari Aud.** READ MORE
- Zaki Nassif Program Music Festival “Unfolding a New Generation,” concert by winners of Zaki Nassif
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