New building of Issam Fares Institute for Public Policy at AUB to be inaugurated through series of events in May

Beirut, Lebanon- 12/05/2014 - The Issam Fares Institute for Public Policy and International Affairs at the American University of Beirut will be inaugurating its new building on the Green Oval at the end of May. To celebrate the move, IFI will be holding a series of inaugural events throughout the month of May.

All events will be in English and will take place at the IFI auditorium, unless indicated otherwise. (map)

Wednesday May 14, 12-1pm | 5th floor
ICRC: Today’s Challenges and Priorities after 150 Years of Humanitarian Action
Coinciding with Week-Long Photo Exhibition of ICRC’s Work

Friday May 16, 5-6.30pm
Despite all Difficulties - Syrian Civil Society before the Revolution - Workshop Co-sponsored with the Asfari Institute for Civil Society and Citizenship at AUB - Event will be in Arabic

Monday May 19, 9am-6pm
Addressing the Impact of the Syrian Refugee Crisis on Lebanon - Full Day Conference

Wednesday May 21, 9am-6pm
Building the case for Sustainable Transportation in the Arab World - Full Day Conference

Friday May 23, 12-2pm
Overview of Policy Research Institutes in the Arab World, 2010-2014
Please click here for the full calendar of our Inaugural Month.

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