

Students' Activities

(Coordinator: Zalfa Feghali)

MA Brown Bag

- **Thursday, January 12, 2006**
Rana Issa, **A Feminist Reading of Edward Said**
- **Monday, February 20, 2006**
Ali Hocine Dimerdji, TBA
- **Monday, April 10, 2006**
Zalfa Feghali, **Tracing the Author Function**

Other Activities TBA

May Memorial Lecture

- **May 26, 2006**
Distinguished speaker, TBA

Mission Statement

The Anis Makdisi Program in Literature was inaugurated in October 2002. It promotes and supports an interdisciplinary dialogue and an openness to different cultural forms and traditions in the study of literature, in keeping with the approaches elaborated in the work of Anis K. Makdisi. The aim of this transformative program is to encourage and develop literary and humanistic studies at AUB; and to foster intellectual exchange among members of different departments, their students, and visiting scholars.

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Panels and Workshops

- **Wednesday, November 9, 2005, 6:00–8:00 pm**
West Hall, Auditorium B
Yusra Muqaddim, Mona Amyuni, Georges Dorlian (moderator), **A Panel on Sabah-Kharrat Zouein**
- **Monday, November 12, 2005, 6:00–8:00pm**
West Hall, Bathish Theatre
In collaboration with the Zaki Nassif Music Program, Minister of Culture Tarek Mitri, **The Role of Music in the Formation of the Citizen**
- **Wednesday, February 22, 2006, 6:00–8:00 pm**
West Hall, Auditorium B
Nour: The Women's Encyclopaedia
(A Panel discussion)
- **Saturday, March 25, 2006, 9:30 am–3:30 pm**
West Hall, Auditorium B
AUB Book Club, in collaboration with AMPL, **Workshop on Issues in Literary Translation (from Arabic into English)**
- **Tuesday May 16, 2006**
West Hall, Auditorium B
Babithat, Panel Discussion on Feminist Language and Discourse, (organized by Jean Said Makdisi)

General Lecture Series

- **Monday, October 31, 2005, 6:00–9:00 pm**
West Hall, Auditorium B
Ludwig Ammann, **Conservative Reform in Contemporary Western Islamic Thought: Tariq Ramadan, A Case Study**
- **Wednesday, November 23, 2005, 5:00–8:00 pm**
West Hall, Auditorium B
His Excellency 'Abd al-'Aziz Khoja, Saudi Ambassador, **أمسية شعرية**

- **Wednesday, January 25, 2006, 6:00–8:00 pm**
West Hall, Auditorium B
Andreas Pflitsch, **Idwar al-Kharrat and the Involuntary Autobiography**
- **Wednesday, March 1, 2006, 6:00–8:00 pm**
West Hall, Auditorium B
Julia Genz, **Comparative Literary Perspectives of Europe/Germany and Lebanon**
- **Tuesday, March 7, 2006, 6:00–8:00 pm**
West Hall, Room 204
Dimitri Gutas, **Greek, Arabic, Latin. History and the Transmission of Knowledge in the Medieval Mediterranean**
- **Thursday, March 9, 2006, 6:00–8:00 pm**
West Hall, Auditorium B
Dimitri Gutas, **The Triumph of Reason: The Absence of Mysticism in the Philosophy of Ibn Sina**
- **Monday, March 13, 2006, 6:00–8:00 pm**
West Hall, Auditorium B
Akram Najjar, **The Short Story Experience** (Discussion of issues related to short stories as well as readings by Akram Najjar of some of his work)
- **Thursday, March 16, 2006, 5:00–8:00 pm**
West Hall, Room 204
سلوى بكر، **تجربتي الروائية**
- **Thursday, March 23, 2006, 6:00–8:00 pm**
West Hall, Auditorium B
Robin Ostle, **Excellence in Modern Arab Literature**
- **Friday, March 24, 2006, 6:00–8:00 pm**
West Hall, Auditorium B
Merlin Holland (Oscar Wilde's grandson), **Confounding the Critics; Surviving the Scandal; The Remarkable Reputation of Oscar Wilde**

- **Wednesday, April 5, 2006, 6:00–8:00 pm**
West Hall, Auditorium B
Centennial Khalil Takieddine
- **Wednesday, April 19, 2006, 6:00–8:00 pm**
West Hall, Auditorium B
لقاء مع الروائية إيمان حميدان يونس
(بالإشتراك مع فالييري كروزه)

Conferences and Exhibitions

- **Wednesday, November 16–Friday November 18, 2005, 3:00–8:00 pm**
Wednesday and Thursday, International College, Imad Taher Auditorium
Friday, Nicely Hall 409
أيام إلياس خوري in collaboration with AMPL
- **Monday, December 12–Saturday, December 17, 2005**
International College, Imad Taher Auditorium
with a lecture to be delivered on Wednesday, December 14, 5:00–7:00 pm, West Hall, Auditorium B
Huda Taleb-Srage, **Gender Iconography through the Stamps of the Arab World** (Exhibition)
- **Thursday, April 27, 2006–Saturday April 29, 2006**
West Hall, Room 204
مؤتمر في الموسيقى والمسرح
بإشراف أكرم الرئيس (يعلن عنه لاحقاً)
- **Friday, May 19, 2006–Sunday, May 21, 2006**
West Hall, Room 204
Prose Poetry Conference (قصيدة النثر العربي)