The Center for Civic Engagement and Community Service (CCECS) aims to develop a culture of service and civic leadership within the AUB community. A primary goal of this interfaculty center is to provide opportunities for faculty and students of all backgrounds at AUB to study and respond to social and civic issues of critical importance to the Lebanese people and to the Middle East.

The Center upholds this goal, and seeks connections between civic engagement and liberal learning. It supports and encourages leadership, scholarship, volunteerism, and community partnerships by

- promoting the integration of service to society with academic study and research in a variety of disciplines;
- encouraging responsibility and leadership through volunteer services; and
- creating close links with the community.