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## Upcoming events at the American University of Beirut

Beirut, Lebanon- 11/03/2013 - The American University of Beirut is organizing the following events in the coming days:

- **Lecture: 'CIRAD in the Mediterranean: A cooperation built on food security'**

The Environment and Sustainable Development Unit (ESDU) at the Faculty of Agriculture and Food Sciences at the American University of Beirut is organizing a lecture entitled "CIRAD in the Mediterranean: A cooperation built on food security," by Jean-Francois Tourrand, on Tuesday, March 12, 2013, at 12 noon, at the Faculty of Agricultural and Food Sciences, Wing A, Room 310.

Jean-Francois Tourrand, PhD, is a researcher and Head of the Mediterranean Mission at CIRAD (Centre de Cooperation Internationale en Recherche Agronomique pour le Developpement), Montpellier - France.

- **Lecture: 'Scenography- or the Art of Making Architecture Talk'**

The department of Architecture and Design at the American University of Beirut is organizing a lecture by Uwe R. Brückner entitled "Scenography- or the Art of Making Architecture Talk" on Wednesday, March 13, 2013 at 6:00 pm in the Architecture Lecture Hall at the Dar Al-Handassah Architecture Building.

- **Lecture: 'The New Safety Regulations in Building Permits'**

The Engineering and Architecture Chapter of the Worldwide Alumni Association of the American University of Beirut (WAAAUB) are organizing a lecture entitled "The New Safety Regulations in Building Permits" by Engineer Elie Bsaibes, the President of the Order of Engineers and Architects-Beirut, on Friday, March 15, 2013 at 6:30 pm in Charles Hostler Center Auditorium. Registration starts at 6:00 pm.

- **Piano Recital: 'Students Today Pianists Tomorrow 3'**

The Faculty of Arts and Sciences, Department of Fine Arts and Art History at the American University of Beirut is organizing a piano recital by Vartan Agopian's students entitled "Students Today Pianists Tomorrow 3" on Saturday, March 16, 2013 at 7:00 pm in Assembly Hall.

Students will be performing works by: Bach, Beethoven, Chopin, Tchaikovsky, Debussy, Khachaturian and others.

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**Note to Editors**

**About AUB**

Founded in 1866, the American University of Beirut bases its educational philosophy, standards, and practices on the American liberal arts model of higher education. A teaching-centered research university, AUB has more than 600 full-time faculty members and a student body of about 8,000 students. AUB currently offers more than 100 programs leading to the bachelor's, master's, MD, and PhD degrees. It provides medical education and training to students from throughout the region at its Medical Center that includes a full service 420-bed hospital.

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