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The Monthly Employee Newsletter

November 2020

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Economics Department Lecturer

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Birthday Wishes

Kardan University wishes a happy birthday to all of our employees who celebrate their birthdays in November.



Wahidullah Ibrahimkhail

November 2



Ahmad Zaki Ludin

November 4



Sarbajeet Mukherjee

November 6



Faisal Hashimi

November 6





Alauddin Qurishi
November 8



Jahanzeb Ahmadzai
November 11



Ahmad Khetab
November 22



Roohullah Hassanyar
November 13

Employee of the Month



Ms. Sajida Mohammad Tayyeb
Economics Department Lecturer

We are pleased to announce Ms. Sajida Mohammad Tayyeb as our Employee for November 2020. Ms. Tayyeb is an inspiring, committed, and dedicated employee of Kardan University.

Ms. Sajida has been immensely cooperative with her students, who are on the verge of graduation to complete their final project. She is handling the online sessions of the department with diligence.

Additionally, she has been deeply involved in developing the Departments and the Faculty of Economics' Strategic Plan for the past month. She is also working with the DRD to conduct the upcoming National Conference on SDGs. She is a very dedicated employee, kind teacher, and energetic colleague. The whole department is happy to work by her side

We congratulate her on this achievement and wish her the best of luck in her future endeavors.

New Employees Introduction



Mr. Abdullah Salihy

Graphic Designer

Mr. Abdullah Salihy joined Kardan University as a Graphic Designer in the Office of Communications. Mr. Salihy holds a bachelor's degree in Fine Arts with a specialization in Graphic Design from Kabul University.

He has served as a Graphic Designer and Social Media Officer at Charmaghz and worked with different national and international organizations since 2018. He will be available via email at a.salihy@kardan.edu.af



Mr. Rohullah Hassanyar

Student Involvement Officer

Mr. Rohullah Hassanyar joined Kardan University as the Student Involvement and Events Officer.

Mr. Hassanyar completed his bachelor's degree in Computer Science from Kardan University in 2020. He holds a diploma in Information and Communication Technology from the National Institute of Management and Administration. He has worked as Partner Development Officer with Vice National Development Organization and as a Branch Manager with AIESEC, Afghanistan. He can be reached via r.hassanyar@kardan.edu.af



Mr. Matiullah Hussain

Quality Control Engineer

Mr. Matiullah Hussain joined Kardan University as a Quality Control Engineer for our Strategy and Growth Office on October 10, 2020. Mr. Hussain pursued his Bachelor's Degree in Civil Engineering from Shaikh Zayed University.

He brings in years of experience in the field of Engineering. He has previously served as a Quality Control Engineer & Field Engineer with Danish Assistance to Afghan Rehabilitation and Technical Training, Quality Control Engineer with Aimal Champ construction company, Site Engineer with Innovative technical solution Inc (ITSI Gilbane), and worked with several national and international organizations. He will be available via email at m.hussain@kardan.edu.af

Promotion of Faridullah Ahmadzai



Mr. Faridullah Ahmadzai, a former Construction Engineer, is promoted as a Project Manager at the Strategy and Growth Office. Mr. Ahmadzai has completed his master's degree in Structural Engineering from Kabul Polytechnic University.

He will be responsible for overseeing, planning, managing, and tracking the Kardan University Campus Project's progress. He will manage all aspects of the campus project process, working closely with engineers and architects to develop plans, establish the schedule and project budget, and lead the project team. He will be available via email at f.ahmadzai@kardan.edu.af

Kardan University Celebrates Academic Excellence Awards Ceremony (2020)

Kardan University celebrated the Academic Excellence Awards Ceremony (2020) on Sunday, November 1, 2020, in Conference Hall Taimani Campus—bringing together graduate and undergraduate students, families, Faculty Deans, and the University's leadership to this prestigious academic event.

Academic Excellence Awards Ceremony is a significant event that recognizes students' academic achievement during the previous (spring 2020) semester by offering merit-based scholarships and Academic Excellence Certificates. This time 90 students from the University's nine departments were among the awardees of this great achievement.

"I feel proud to be among you, celebrating your academic achievement in the previous semester. Despite the many challenges we had during the spring 2020 semester, including quarantine and movement restrictions, transitioning to the online learning system, and socioeconomic constraints, your performance has been outstanding," said Meena Rahmani, Vice-Chancellor for Academic Affairs of Kardan University.

She further added, "during the past month, we have conducted more than 100 academic events, including workshops, seminars, training programs, conferences, symposiums, guest speaker sessions, and the moot court to provide a better learning environment for students."



"Academic Excellence Award is not just an award—it is a way of recognizing the students' true efforts during a semester. It is also a motivating factor for me to do better academically and benefit from receiving a merit-based scholarship. Achieving this award for consecutive times makes me and my family proud.

Therefore, I encourage my fellow students to work hard and win this competitive award during their study tenure at Kardan University," said Musawer Danishyar, BPSIR student.

Kardan University is committed to recognizing the merit and offering financial assistance to students at the end of each semester.

This has been a practical approach to boosting students' academic performances and their desire to get quality education in the country's most recognized academic institution. It also serves as a motivating factor for students to strive and keep accomplishing incredible things in their future endeavors.

Kardan University consistently endeavors to recognize students' academic achievements and ensure integrating and institutionalizing Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) education, especially SDG 4: Quality Education, through the University's undertakings and initiatives on different fronts.

To read more about sustainability initiatives at Kardan University, please visit www.kardan.edu.af/sustainability



For Your Consideration

AUTUMN

Who doesn't enjoy observing the leaves from the trees and plants changing into multi-colored works of art before finally falling away? The bare and vulnerable branches that are created reveal the true and beautiful scenery underneath. There are many reasons why we should love fall, here are just a few.



The Trees Change Color

In Kabul, all four seasons are very apparent. The spring season is green, the summer is hot, the winter is cold, and the fall is full of magnificent colors. The maple trees are incredibly vibrant with red and golden-yellow, and combinations of both colors called "tree stars".

This season is perfect for taking beautiful scenic photos and spending time outdoors. Nothing can relax and rejuvenate you more than enjoying nature and its surrounding scenery.

The Weather is Perfect

Autumn is the "cooling off" month right between the blazing summer and chilling winter. Saying goodbye to summer is natural as the cooler temperature of fall start rolling in.

Autumn is a great time to break out the jackets, coats, boots, scarves, and hats to prepare for the change in season.

It is also the perfect time to start making hot cocoa and lighting a fire in the fireplace. This season creates an ideal setting for a sense of comfort, warmth, and reflection.

The Sun Hangs Low in the Early Morning

While 5:00 pm sunsets aren't everyone's cup of tea, daylight savings time offers stunning views of the sun in the sky during daybreak.

The glitter of frost or rain from the night before is always a beautiful sight. Did we mention how perfect the lighting is for the all-important selfie after that early morning run? And who did not enjoy that extra hour of rest on the first morning of daylight savings?

Fall is Full of Family Holidays

Autumn is the season to be thankful and to be surrounded by the people you love. It is the perfect time to change your decorations by adding orange, red and yellow colors and pulling out the spice-scented candles.

The holiday season encourages you to spend time thinking about what you and your family have been through in the last year, as well as the memories you have made together while looking forward to a new and exciting year.





Story

Once upon a time, there was a Kingdom. The King there only had one leg and one eye, but he was intelligent and kind. Everyone in his kingdom lived a happy and healthy life because of their King.

One day the King was walking through the palace hallway and saw the portraits of his ancestors. He thought that his children would walk in the same hallway one day and remember all the ancestors through these portraits.

But, the King did not have his portrait painted. Due to his physical disabilities, he wasn't sure how his painting would turn out.

So he invited many famous painters from his and other kingdoms to the court. The King then announced that he wants a beautiful portrait made of himself to be placed in the palace. Any painter who can carry out this should come forward. He will be rewarded based on how the painting turns up.

All of the painters began to think that the King only has one leg and one eye. How can his picture be made very beautiful? It is not possible, and if the picture does not turn out to look beautiful, then the King will get angry and punish them. So one by one, all started to make excuses, and politely declined to make a painting of the King.

Suddenly, one painter raised his hand and said that I would make a beautiful portrait of you that you will surely like. The King became happy hearing that and other painters got curious. The King permitted him, and the painter started drawing the portrait. He then filled the drawing with paints. Finally, after taking a long time, he said that the portrait was ready!

All of the courtiers and other painters were curious and nervous, thinking—How can the painter make the King's portrait beautiful because the King is physically disabled? What if the King did not like the painting and gets angry? But when the painter presented the portrait, everyone in the court, including the King, left stunned.

The painter made a portrait in which the King was sitting on the horse, on the one-leg side, holding his bow and aiming the arrow with his one eye closed. The King was delighted to see that the painter has made a beautiful portrait by cleverly hiding the King's disabilities. The King gave him a great reward.

Moral: We should always think positively of others and ignore their deficiencies. We should learn to focus on the good things instead of trying to hide weaknesses. If we think and approach positively, we will solve our problems more efficiently, even in a negative situation.



Achievements

Dr. Sayed Abdul Moiz

We are pleased to announce that Dr. Abdul Moiz, Dean, Faculty of Economics, published his second recent paper in a Scopus Indexed Journal titled "Predictors of Customer Satisfaction in Commercial Banks' Context." The article can be reached on the following link:

<https://www.jardcs.org/abstract.php?id=6147>



Mohammad Anwar Asghari

Coordinator, English Language Programs



Kardan University is truly committed to achieving its set goals of providing education with great distinction and excellence. It has undoubtedly been a giant buttress in uplifting my professional career initially as an English proficiency instructor to promoting to Diploma Co-coordinator.

Since I became part of Kardan University, it has been an incredible journey among such professionals whose cooperation in both academic and administrative domains significantly influences my overall professional growth.

I am overwhelmingly appreciative of all my teaching faculty for depicting diligence in teaching service and providing me with constructive feedback pertaining to any departmental issue and on time task implementation response, which indeed is a real sign of cooperation.



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