



University Leader Meeting
Students Assessment: A Mandatory Requirement for Accreditation
Workshop
Assuit University ~ November, 2006

The workshop was conducted on ٦ November ٢٠٠٦ at Assuit University under the title of "students Assessment A Mandatory Requirement for Accreditation".

Eight universities attended the workshop, The British Council shared in the preparation of the workshop.

The number of attends from different universities were as follows:

University	Number of attendees
Assuit	-١٢٥-
Mania	-٥١-
South Valley	-٣٢-
Sohag	-٤٣-

Speakers:

Students Assessment Design Reform, Experience and Lessons Learned (Dr. Salwa El Mogali)

Assessment Design and its Relation to NARS and ILOs (Dr.Arthur Brown)

Role of Internal and External Evaluators in Students Assessment (Dr. Arthur Brown)

Different Models for Students Assessment under Egyptian Constrains (Dr. Robert Schofield)

Roles of Key Players in Student Assessment (Dr. Faisal Younis)

Development of Egyptian Code of Practice for Student Assessment (Dr Hala Salah)

Professional Questionnaires for the attendees were done in respect to the indicative standards and the indicative contucts.Accordinsg to the statistical analysis of the questionnaires, the results mentioned highly significant agreement of the attendees on the most of the nominative points.



Faculties staff members' Comments:

- Modification of Faculties' bylaws is required to enhance the new quality system.
- Transparency and adequate application of students' assessment are required.
- The assessment methods should cover all ILo's stated in the course.
- Training of staff members is required.
- Publication of the assessment criteria for students is essential in the process of evaluation.
- Emphasis should be put on evaluation of the semester activities and periodic examinations.
- Number of admitted students' in the different universities should be reduced to be suitable for the Faculties' resources.
- Emphasis on student's feed back is essential.
- Marking and grading criteria for different examinations should be developed and published for students.
- We need more clear Code of Practice for assessment.
- The need for more strict procedure to improve the concepts of Faculty Staff members.
- There is a need for internal and external evaluation.
- Matching between methods of teaching and assessment.
- Responsibility of the University to follow the graduates in the fieldwork.
- Supply the new universities with equipment and facilities to raise the standards of educational system.
- More involvement of the students in the assessment.
- More contribution of the Universities and Faculties in the assessment of the students.
- Continuous evaluation of the performance of Faculty staff members.
- Improve the teaching to get better results of assessment.
- Develop library and IT facilities at the Faculty level.
- Develop Questions bank.