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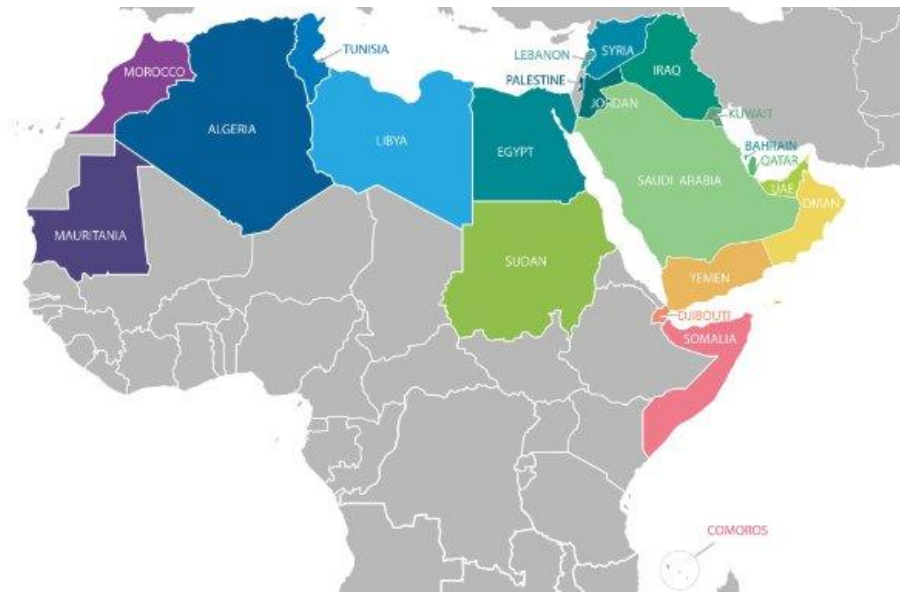لتقنية المعلومات والاتصالات

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AICTU IN 2020

The Arab Union of Information and Communication Technologies (ICT) Associations is an Arab civil society organizations affiliated with Arab associations and institutions active at the Arab countries in the ICT sector

or active in one of its sectors. 2020 has been a challenge

for the full year although the Arab Union of ICT Associations worked on to achieve several objectives by building organizational structures that facilitate and ensure access to these objectives.

AICTU established activities and events in all its forms in order to enhance the status of the Union and to develop its financial and human resources, cooperate with legislative organizations to enact laws and regulations related to ICT and expand its Networking with counterparts from regional and international organizations.

ANNUAL GENERAL ASSEMBLY

2020 included conducting the General Assembly of the Arab Information and Communication Technology which been held on Monday, July 27, 2020, Virtually on Zoom, The President of the AICTU, Mr. Ubaydli, presented a press report on the meeting of the General Assembly of the Union, which been conducted at the presence of the technical and information societies from the member states of the Union, which so far includes seven Arab countries: Egypt, Kuwait, Lebanon, Jordan, Palestine, Morocco, and Bahrain, represented by a number of Academics and experts in information and communication technology in the Arab world.

It is noteworthy that the new board of directors was formed of nine members representing six associations: BTECH from Bahrain, INTAJ from Jordan, PCA from Lebanon, EITESAL from Egypt, PITA from Palestine, and APEPI from Morocco.

AICTU seeks to achieve a number of goals and works to develop Arab laws and regulations related to information and communication technology, to represent the members of the Union to defend the moral, financial, economic and professional interests of interest to the Union and its members, and to encourage cooperation between national and Arab companies active in the information industries and markets, and work towards developing Forms of this cooperation, contributing to removing obstacles from his path, and working towards the professional advancement of its members.

BOARD MEEETINGS

29Th September 2020

The 9th AICTU Board Meeting held on 29 September 2020 with the attendance Board of Directors, discussed the 2020 Action Plan and agreed that the boards would share their views, aspirations and appropriate additions that would contribute to the development of the Action Plan.

A meeting was coordinated with the tripartite committee (Bahrain, Egypt, Palestine) to discuss the proposal of "The Education Sector Challenges Project and the Role of the Technology Sector in facing these challenges. "The conditions for AICTU's membership were studied with Board members and opinions were shared.

27th October 2020

The 10th AICTU Board Meeting was held on 27 October 2020 with the attendance Board of Directors, for a discussion on continuing with its plans to support and develop the ICT sector in Arab countries and the members initiatives.

The Conditions of AICTU Membership System has been studied together, with agreed on some amendments proposed by the members as the final regulation has been adopted.

New members from Sudan and Syria were invited by the union and awaiting their response to join us. Also, we discussed the upcoming events related to technology and communications in the Arab countries where members can share event details to participate.

25th November 2020

The 11th AICTU Board Meeting held on 25 October 2020 with the attendance Board of Directors, The meeting included follow-up of previous decisions concerning the AICTU with the board members. The team of AICTU provided the members information and details of GITEX 2020 for those who wish to participate the exhibition.

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MEMBERS NEWS

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Information and Communications
Technology Association - Jordan

PCA
Professional Computer Association of Lebanon
جمعـية المعلومــاتيــة المهــنية في لبنــان

Int@j held awareness session webinar called **" GrowJo (Market Expansion) Incentive Program"**, to help companies better understand about this valuable project that was scheduled Monday, December 21st 2020 at 5:00PM

Webinar Agenda includes:

A description of the project

What is in it for the companies?

What is the required criteria and documents to apply?

Deadliness and Timeframes

The first National Digital Conference on Education Technology in Lebanon proposes a law to promote national digital production was held online on 22 & 23 October 2020.

An interview with Mr. Camille Moukarzel on the program "Ahla Sabah" on Lebanon TV.

Watch the interview

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Biggest ICT Event in Bahrain is coming on March 21. See you there!

JOIN THE LEADING ICT EVENT IN BAHRAIN

23rd - 25th March 2021

Gulf Convention Center, Gulf Hotel, Bahrain

OUR MESSAGE

AICTU continues the hard effort in the field of ICT industry and production, through the promotion of joint cooperation between Arab technology companies in the market for communications and information in the Arab countries.

We are expanding at the Arab World and our aim to include all the Arab countires with the aim of supporting and enhancing the status of ICT sectors at the region

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