

Memorandum of Understanding Between The Hashemite University and Clean City Environmental Supplies Trading Company

First Party:

The Hashemite University, represented by the President of the University, Prof. Khaled Al-Hayari, or his duly authorized delegate (hereinafter referred to as “the First Party”).

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Second Party:

Clean City Environmental Supplies Trading Company, represented by the CEO, H.E. Ambassador Hasan Al-Wahdani, or his duly authorized delegate,
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Preamble

Driven by the First Party's commitment, through its Innovation and Entrepreneurial Projects Center, to strengthen collaboration with industrial, agricultural, business, and environmental sectors inside and outside Jordan; to link academic outcomes with practical application; and to promote entrepreneurship and innovation towards achieving a "clean and sustainable campus";

And recognizing the Second Party as part of **Al Nasser Investment Group**, a pioneer in integrated waste management (including solid, hazardous, medical, pharmaceutical, electrical, and electronic waste) since 1967, with a vision to apply the latest environmental practices aligned with local and international standards and to build partnerships with universities to enhance sustainability;

And believing in the importance of fostering innovation and safe e-waste disposal while leveraging such materials in sustainable entrepreneurial projects that benefit students, youth, researchers, and entrepreneurs;

The two parties have agreed to sign this Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to formalize their cooperation under the following articles.

Article 1:

The preamble is considered an integral part of this MoU and shall be read as one with it for all purposes and intents.

Article 2: Areas of Cooperation

This MoU aims to:

- Establish effective and sustainable mechanisms for collecting, sorting, and recycling electronic waste on the First Party's campus.
- Provide and distribute specialized sorting containers owned by the Second Party within the campus, including:
 - Plastic waste
 - Electronic equipment
 - Metals (e.g., iron and aluminum)
 - Other recyclable materials
- Organize awareness and educational programs (workshops, courses, lectures) for students, academic, and administrative staff on the importance of safe e-waste disposal.

- Explore the possibility of providing or manufacturing recycling and sorting machines (e.g., for plastic bottles and aluminum cans) for the campus through direct sale or rental at preferential rates.
- Organize joint training programs, conferences, and exhibitions in the fields of environment, sustainability, and electronic waste management.
- Exchange technical, scientific, and professional expertise and consultations between both parties.
- Support research and innovation collaboration in environmental sustainability and e-waste management.

This MoU serves as a framework to facilitate communication and coordination between both parties. They shall jointly define priorities, roles, and responsibilities for each agreed activity or project according to their respective capacities.

Article 3: Commitments of the First Party

The First Party shall:

- Provide the proper environment and mechanisms for efficient and safe management of electrical and electronic waste, in cooperation with the Second Party and in compliance with applicable regulations.
 - Appoint two contact persons (one primary and one alternate) to coordinate with the Second Party regarding waste delivery and documentation.
 - Facilitate access for the Second Party's vehicles to collection points and ensure waste readiness for pickup as scheduled.
 - Disclaim the Second Party's responsibility for any confidential or personal data contained within the delivered electronic waste, once destroyed or erased by the Second Party.
 - Fully cooperate to ensure smooth and effective waste management operations.
 - Provide academic, scientific, and technical support for entrepreneurial activities organized by the Second Party, within available resources.
 - Facilitate the use of university facilities (halls, labs, workspaces) as needed and within regulations.
 - Encourage student participation in joint initiatives and activities.
 - Co-organize hackathons and entrepreneurial competitions with the Second Party to develop innovative environmental and social solutions, and support the most promising outcomes for implementation.
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Article 4: Commitments of the Second Party

The Second Party shall:

- Provide comprehensive e-waste management services to the First Party, from secure transport to final treatment, in compliance with environmental and legal standards.
 - Collect and transport electronic waste from the designated sites on campus to its licensed treatment center, using specialized vehicles and following a mutually agreed schedule.
 - Process all collected waste safely and environmentally through dismantling, recycling, and treatment at its Ministry of Environment–licensed facility.
 - Document each collection through signed delivery receipts detailing quantities and dates, provide copies to the First Party, and retain records for five years.
 - Coordinate continuously with the First Party’s representatives to ensure smooth and efficient collection operations.
 - Provide specialized trainers and experts in green entrepreneurship and sustainability to deliver awareness and technical workshops each academic semester, subject to the Second Party’s capacity.
 - Offer consultancy and feasibility studies for environmental entrepreneurship projects proposed by the First Party.
 - Contribute to attracting funding and sponsors for joint projects.
 - Support and incubate applicable graduation projects in environmental and sustainability fields.
 - Participate in evaluation committees for graduation projects related to environmental innovation upon invitation.
 - Collaborate in organizing joint hackathons and competitions aimed at developing practical, innovative solutions to environmental and sustainability challenges, by:
 - Providing technical and logistical support.
 - Supplying real-world data, simulation environments, or problem statements.
 - Assisting in judging and evaluating entries.
 - Adopting and supporting promising ideas for implementation as viable projects or products.
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Article 5: Media and Promotion

Both parties shall coordinate through their respective media departments on the principles of publicity, branding, and logo usage for each joint activity or project, in accordance with their media policies and through mutually agreed promotional plans.

Article 6: Confidentiality

Both parties agree to maintain the confidentiality of any information related to or arising from this MoU or its annexes. Neither party may disclose such information to any third party without prior written consent from the other.

Article 7: Intellectual Property Rights

Both parties commit to respecting and fully implementing intellectual property rights in accordance with applicable laws and regulations, prior to the commencement of any joint activity.

Article 8: Liability and Exclusivity

This MoU creates no legal or financial obligations between the parties. It is intended solely to facilitate collaboration in student and youth activities. This MoU is **non-exclusive**; each party may engage in other partnerships as deemed appropriate, unless otherwise agreed in writing for specific joint programs designated as exclusive.

Article 9: Governing Law

This MoU shall be governed by the laws and regulations of the **Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan**. Any disputes not resolved amicably shall be subject to the jurisdiction of the **Amman Courts (Palace of Justice)**.

Article 10: Correspondence

All communications related to this MoU must be in writing and delivered in person, by fax, courier, registered mail, or email.

Article 11: Amendment

This MoU may be amended by mutual written consent. Termination of the MoU does not affect ongoing joint projects initiated prior to termination unless both parties agree in writing to cease them.

Article 12: Duration

This MoU is valid for **one year** from the date of signing and shall be automatically renewed unless either party notifies the other in writing of its intention not to renew at least one month prior to expiration, without any penalties or financial obligations.

Article 13: Joint Working Group

Upon signing, a **joint working team** shall be formed from both parties to develop and follow up on an action plan for implementing this MoU.

Article 14: Copies

This MoU consists of a preamble and fourteen articles (including this one) and is issued in **two original Arabic copies**, each party retaining one copy for implementation.

First Party:

The Hashemite University

Prof. Khaled Al-Hayari

Second Party:

Clean City Environmental Supplies Trading Company

Ambassador Hasan Al-Wahdani