

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

The **Engineering and Science Services Unit** provides high-quality training and services to the industrial community in Egypt and the Middle East. Its programs include intensive courses, professional certificate programs, distance education, customized training, collaborative certification programs with international agencies, technical assistance and applied research to help the local industry meet the challenges of the international market. In the fiscal year 2011 – 2012, the unit offered ten professional programs, ten international certificates and more than 180 intensive courses, serving 5,000 trainees (engineers and scientists).

The **Management Center** provides programs that serve senior executives and middle managers by applying the latest management concepts and best practices to today’s marketplace. In the fiscal year 2011 – 2012, the Management Center offered 214 programs, including regular and corporate programs, as well as short courses (22), through its four institutes. It served 3,525 enrollees through a total of 15,232 training hours in Cairo, three Egyptian governorates, Lebanon, Saudi Arabia and the United Arab Emirates.

The **Kamal Adham Center for Television and Digital Journalism** provides professional training to the broader Egyptian and international broadcast and journalism communities, in addition to its Master of Arts program. Media professionals take workshops in voice coaching, video editing, studio production, camera operation and television scriptwriting. Facilities include a state-of-the-art television studio, digital newsroom, video editing labs, and HD professional video cameras serving the New Cairo and Tahrir Square campuses. The center also collaborates with international agencies to conduct public service and digital journalism projects.

The **International Executive Education Institute (IEEI)** was established in 2008 to provide world-class, executive development programs, in partnership with leading business schools in Europe, North America and Asia. In 2011 – 2012, IEEI expanded its open-enrollment and company-specific programs, growing its alumni to 698 senior executives from 227 leading organizations in Egypt and the region. In 2010, IEEI launched the Real Estate Academy, in partnership with the National University of Singapore, and followed in 2012 with the launch of the Retail Academy. IEEI expanded its academic institutional partnerships in 2011 to include Koc University and Sabanci University in Turkey.

The **Citadel Capital Financial Services Center** is dedicated to enhancing financial education and research through the use of high-tech financial information technology, fulfilling the need for real and timely financial data flow and contributing to the development of new financial products and applications through an array of databases and software. More than 1,500 AUC students, faculty, staff and alumni have benefited from the center’s resources for the past six years.

The **Goldman Sachs 10,000 Women Entrepreneurship and Leadership Program**, in partnership with the Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania, has the mission of enhancing the growth and development of female entrepreneurs in the Arab region through a unique blend of classroom learning, mentoring and networking activities. Qualified graduates are provided with access to finance through the Social Fund for Development. To date, the program has graduated 270 entrepreneurs.

UNIQUE FEATURES AND SPECIAL SERVICES

The **Rare Books and Special Collections Library** is a research-level facility consisting of more than 35,000 books, as well as world-class holdings of vintage photographs, maps and archival collections in different subject areas, particularly Egyptology, Islamic art and architecture, contemporary regional architecture, photography, politics and culture.

The **Mohamed Taymour Writing Center** provides services to assist faculty members, as well as graduate and undergraduate students, to improve their communication and writing skills.

The **Office of Student Support** provides student-centered services through psychological counseling, academic mentoring, learning and physical disability accommodations, and conduct of ethics to all students.

Special accreditation

AUC’s undergraduate programs in construction engineering, electronics engineering, mechanical engineering and computer science are accredited by ABET. AUC’s undergraduate programs in accounting and business administration, as well as the master’s program in business administration, are accredited by the Association to Advance Collegiate Schools of Business International (AACSB). The Bachelor of Science in chemistry is accredited by the Canadian Society for Chemistry (CSC). The Intensive English and English 100 programs are accredited by the Commission on English Language Program Accreditation (CEA). AUC’s Management Center is accredited by the Accrediting Council for Continuing Education and Training (ACCET), and the School of Continuing Education is accredited by the International Association for Continuing Education and Training (IACET).

AUC Press is recognized as the region’s leading English-language publisher, with more than 1,000 publications in print and up to 100 new scholarly and general books each year, in addition to Arabic literature in English translation.

The **Center for Arabic Study Abroad (CASA)** offers superior-level, intensive Arabic-language training for American undergraduate and graduate students, as well as professors, specializing in various areas of Middle East studies.

The **Career Center (formerly Career Advising and Placement Services)** provides quality career services to students, alumni and employers in the areas of career planning and employment through a centralized, comprehensive program. Students and alumni benefit from career-advising sessions, in addition to career exploration and internship programs. They have access to more than 5,000 career opportunities announced annually by more than 500 employers.

RESEARCH

Teaching research methods is an integral part of AUC’s academic programs. Individual faculty efforts, internally and externally funded projects, and activities conducted by the University’s research centers represent AUC’s strong commitment to research and service in the region.

AUC’s Research Centers

Access to Knowledge for Development Center (A2K4D)	John D. Gerhart Field Station in El Gouna
AUC Forum	Middle East Studies Center (MESC)
Center for Migration and Refugee Studies (CMRS)	Prince Alwaleed Center for American Studies and Research
Center for Translation Studies (CTS)	Research Advisory Council
Cynthia Nelson Institute for Gender and Women’s Studies	Social Research Center (SRC)
Desert Development Center (DDC)	Office of Institutional Research (OIR)
Economic and Business History Research Center (EBHRC)	Office of the Associate Provost for Research Administration
El-Khazindar Business Research and Case Center	Office of Sponsored Programs (OSP)
John D. Gerhart Center for Philanthropy and Civic Engagement	Yousef Jameel Science and Technology Research Center (YJ-STRC)

For more details, please refer to the 2012 – 2013 AUC Fact Book on the Office of Institutional Research website: www.aucegypt.edu/research/IR.

LIBRARIES AND LEARNING TECHNOLOGIES

Libraries and Learning Technologies includes the AUC Library, the Rare Books and Special Collections Library, and the Center for Learning and Teaching. The AUC Library and the Rare Books and Special Collections Library offer one of the most extensive research collections in Egypt. Current holdings include 538,680 print volumes (books and periodicals), 82,000 periodical subscriptions in print and electronic format, and 241 databases.

SPORTS AND ATHLETICS

AUC offers an extensive variety of on-campus sports programs for all students. In the 2011 – 2012 National Universities Tournament, AUC teams won third place overall, competing against 33 national and private universities in 30 different sports, and the women’s team ranked second among women’s teams from other universities. A total of 327 student athletes represented AUC at that tournament, winning 38 medals (10 gold, 11 silver and 17 bronze).

PHYSICAL PLANT

The main AUC campus is located in the New Cairo district on a 260-acre site. The total built area of the campus is 200,000 square meters. In addition, AUC Tahrir Square provides facilities for continuing education located in the center of Cairo. Two additional large, multipurpose buildings in Zamalek and Heliopolis serve as satellite campuses, and faculty and staff housing units are located throughout the Cairo metropolitan area. The total area of the University’s owned and leased space is approximately 375,000 square meters.

OPERATING BUDGET

Fiscal year**	2011 – 2012	2012 – 2013*
Operating expenses	\$180,116,000	\$159,428,000

INCOME

63.1%	Academic program tuition
15.4%	Endowment income and annual gifts
4.4%	Auxiliary enterprises
8.4%	Educational enterprises
6.6%	Research
2.1%	Miscellaneous

EXPENDITURES

49.7%	Academic and academic support
17.7%	Administration and general
4.8%	Auxiliary enterprises
15.3%	Operations and plant management
6.0%	Educational enterprises
3.5%	Research
2.9%	Contingency and miscellaneous

*2012 - 2013 operating budget as of May 2012
** FY13 is only a 10-month period (September 1, 2012 - June 30, 2013)

In 2011 – 2012, AUC awarded \$412,030 and LE 43,490,666 in student financial aid. Other awarded scholarships included achievement scholarships (\$9,401,460), sports scholarships (\$306,392) and cultural scholarships (\$138,395). In addition, work-study undergraduate students earned \$137,239, work-study graduate students earned \$44,170 and graduate fellowship students earned \$3,326,900 toward tuition payments. Faculty, staff and their dependents were provided the equivalent of \$5,173,346 in tuition waivers as part of fringe benefits. Other scholarships included the Leadership for Education and Development (LEAD) program, as well as named and presidential scholarships.

GRADUATES AND ALUMNI

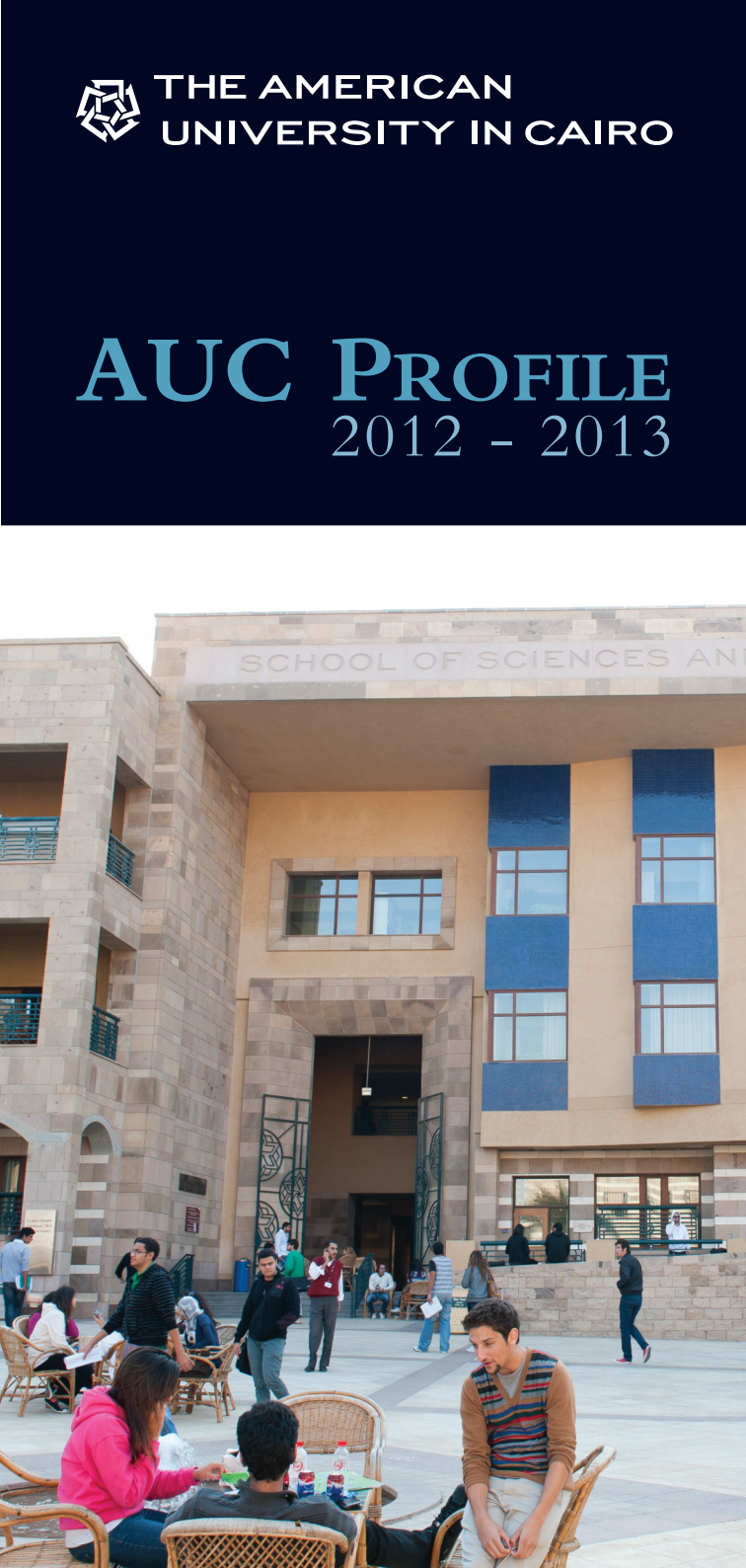
AUC has 29,018 graduates of degree programs. There are also more than 10,000 alumni from the Arabic Language Institute, the Center for Arabic Study Abroad (CASA) and study-abroad programs. Additional thousands have been students in AUC’s nondegree, certificate and diploma programs and in short-term classes. The alumni association has listings for 32,145 active alumni.

RECENT GRADUATION PATTERNS

Graduation Dates	Undergraduate Students	Graduate Students	Annual Totals
February 2006	422	112	
June 2006	347	137	1,018
February 2007	448	125	
June 2007	385	124	1,082
February 2008	326	133	
June 2008	362	141	962
February 2009	332	141	
June 2009	446	116	1,035
February 2010	411	160	
June 2010	449	134	1,154
February 2011	389	107	
June 2011	458	140	1,094
February 2012	404	133	
June 2012	515	175	1,227

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AUC PROFILE
2012 - 2013

Founded in 1919, The American University in Cairo (AUC) is a premier English-language institution of higher learning. The University is committed to teaching and research of the highest caliber, and offers exceptional liberal arts and professional education in a cross-cultural environment. AUC builds a culture of leadership, lifelong learning, continuing education and service among its graduates, and is dedicated to making significant contributions to Egypt and the international community in diverse fields. Chartered and accredited in the United States and Egypt, it is an independent, not-for-profit, equal-opportunity institution. AUC upholds the principles of academic freedom and is dedicated to excellence.

AUC’s English-language environment is designed to promote proficient use of learning tools as well as enhance students’ critical thinking capabilities, language and personal skills. AUC considers it essential to foster in students an appreciation of their own culture and heritage and their responsibilities toward society. The University’s aim of promoting international understanding is supported by means of scholarship, learned discourse, a multicultural campus environment and a diversified publishing program.

AUC has highly qualified faculty members from the United States, Egypt and 26 other countries. The University places emphasis on excellence in teaching, research and creative endeavors, and AUC faculty members provide intellectual and scientific contributions to Egypt and the region.

The enrollment of students from 95 different countries during the Fall 2012 semester is indicative of the geographical and cultural diversity of AUC’s student body.

INSTITUTIONAL ACCREDITATION
AND AFFILIATIONS

- AUC is accredited in the United States by the Middle States Commission on Higher Education, 3624 Market Street, Philadelphia, PA 19104, tel 267.284.5000.
- In Egypt, AUC operates within the framework of a 1975 protocol with the Egyptian government, which is based on a 1962 cultural relations agreement between the governments of Egypt and the United States.
- In the United States, AUC is licensed to grant degrees and is incorporated in the State of Delaware.
- On April 28, 2011, AUC became the first university in Egypt to be accredited by the National Authority for Quality Assurance and Accreditation of Education (NAQAEE), a government body formed in 2007 with the purpose of establishing quality standards for Egypt’s educational institutions.
- AUC is governed by a Board of Trustees and is administered by a chief executive officer appointed by this board. Richard A. Bartlett is the chairman of the Board of Trustees, and Lisa Anderson is the president of AUC.

ACADEMIC PROGRAMS

Enrollment figures in the following tables are given by major. Individuals with double majors are counted twice in their respective majors. Totals are given by headcount.

UNDERGRADUATE DEGREE PROGRAMS	Fall 2010	Fall 2011	Fall 2012
<i>School of Humanities and Social Sciences</i>			
Anthropology	15	11	9
Arab and Islamic Civilizations	3	3	n/a
Arabic Studies	2	2	3
Art	49	48	43
Egyptology	10	6	7
English and Comparative Literature	23	27	30
History	59	75	76
Honors Program in Political Science	5	8	13
Modern History	3	n/a	n/a
Music Technology	n/a	4	15
Performance	n/a	n/a	1
Philosophy	21	23	13
Political Science	306	265	297
Psychology	93	75	89
Sociology	18	18	14
Theatre	25	20	22
<i>School of Business</i>			
Accounting	128	175	176
Business Administration	391	393	440
Economics	208	210	183
Management of Information and Communication Technology	n/a	8	10
<i>School of Global Affairs and Public Policy</i>			
Communication and Media Arts	226	170	132
Integrated Marketing Communication	205	160	126
Journalism	82	106	43
Journalism and Mass Communication	20	5	2
Middle East Studies	12	10	9
Multimedia Journalism	n/a	n/a	66
<i>School of Sciences and Engineering</i>			
Actuarial Science	53	61	59
Architectural Engineering	217	288	332
Biology	70	73	74
Chemistry	25	22	17
Computer Engineering	81	108	122
Computer Science	94	82	102
Construction Engineering	286	299	302
Electronics Engineering	164	164	177
Engineering (specialty undeclared)	n/a	5	n/a
Mathematics	27	23	15
Mechanical Engineering	341	372	398
Petroleum Engineering	150	195	202
Physics	36	59	83
<i>Undeclared</i>			
(includes English Language Institute)	1,456	1,819	1,797

GRADUATE DEGREE PROGRAMS

	Fall 2010	Fall 2011	Fall 2012
Doctoral Degrees			
<i>School of Sciences and Engineering</i>			
PhD in Applied Science	8	11	21
PhD in Engineering	6	9	13
Master's Degrees			
<i>School of Humanities and Social Sciences</i>			
Arabic Studies	54	53	40
Community Psychology	9	10	7
Counseling Psychology	n/a	2	31
Egyptology and Coptology	n/a	6	12
English and Comparative Literature	23	31	23
Family and Child Counseling	23	26	1
Family and Couples Counseling	1	1	n/a
Political Science	87	74	68
Sociology and Anthropology	29	25	33
Teaching Arabic as a Foreign Language	43	42	39
Teaching English as a Foreign Language	44	38	37
<i>School of Business</i>			
Business Administration	152	137	144
Economics	35	37	29
Economics in International Development	45	36	43
Finance	n/a	n/a	8
<i>School of Global Affairs and Public Policy</i>			
Gender and Women’s Studies	25	26	27
Global Affairs	n/a	3	24
International Human Rights Law	66	56	43
Journalism and Mass Communication	67	65	60
Law	37	28	25
Middle East Studies	60	53	46
Migration and Refugee Studies	31	33	23
Public Administration	5	32	52
Public Policy	1	12	52
Public Policy and Administration	103	73	37
Television and Digital Journalism	19	22	35
<i>School of Sciences and Engineering</i>			
Biotechnology	59	55	52
Chemistry	18	26	31
Computer Science	48	50	41
Computing	5	3	2
Construction Engineering	45	54	58
Electronics Engineering	13	34	41
Environmental Engineering	13	15	12
Environmental Systems Design	2	5	3
Mechanical Engineering	31	33	28
Nanotechnology	9	16	32
Physics	12	14	16
Product Development and Systems Management	7	3	1
Robotics, Control and Smart Systems	n/a	7	7
<i>Graduate School of Education</i>			
International and Comparative Education	27	41	68

ATTRIBUTES OF STUDENTS SEEKING DEGREES

	Fall 2010	Fall 2011	Fall 2012
Total Undergraduate Degree Students	4,760	5,244	5,329
Total Graduate Degree Students	1,224	1,259	1,323
Total Students Seeking Degrees	5,984	6,503	6,652
Gender			
Male	47.0%	46.7%	46.0%
Female	53.0%	53.3%	54.0%
Nationality			
Egyptian	90.3%	90.5%	92.0%
Other	9.7%	9.5%	8.0%

NONDEGREE PROGRAMS

	Fall 2010	Fall 2011	Fall 2012
Graduate Diplomas			
Applied Psychological Intervention for Forced Migrants and Refugees	7	3	n/a
European Studies	1	n/a	n/a
International and Comparative Law	n/a	3	3
Islamic Studies	2	2	n/a
Migration and Refugee Studies	19	14	9
Arabic Language Institute	98	71	68
Center for Arabic Study Abroad	23	44	36
Other (study abroad and all others)	433	192	188
Total Nondegree Students	569	321	296

ATTRIBUTES OF ALL ACADEMIC STUDENTS

	Fall 2010	Fall 2011	Fall 2012
Total: All Academic Students	6,553	6,824	6,948
Gender			
Male	46.6%	46.6%	46.3%
Female	53.4%	53.4%	53.7%
Nationality			
Egyptian	84.4%	86.9%	88.7%
Other	15.6%	13.1%	11.3%

FACULTY

Currently, AUC has 431 full-time faculty members in active teaching positions, in addition to 347 part-time faculty members (who teach the equivalent of an instruction load equal to 163 full-time faculty). AUC also has an academic program enrollment of 6,948 students, with a faculty to student ratio of 1 to 11.7. The total number of full-time faculty members, including those on sabbatical and other release time, as well as librarians, researchers and administrators with faculty status, is 500. Their nationalities are Egyptian (51 percent), American (31 percent) and others (18 percent).

SCHOOL OF CONTINUING EDUCATION

The School of Continuing Education (SCE) provides certificate programs, noncredit semester-length courses and customized courses of variable length to fulfill the continuing educational needs of individuals and organizations in Egypt and the Middle East. SCE’s regularly scheduled courses and certificate programs are offered at AUC Tahrir Square, AUC New Cairo, Heliopolis, Zamalek and El Gouna, and customized courses may be conducted on site at the organization’s facilities. Ten laboratories allow for state-of-the-art computer and English-language training at AUC Tahrir Square. Special summer programs provide academic enrichment and skill development for youth.

ENROLLMENT FISCAL YEAR 2011 – 2012 Headcount*	
SCE DIVISIONS	
Arabic and Translation	1,503
Business Studies	3,372
Computer and IT Studies	338
English Studies	10,397
Youth and Special Studies	2,628
SCE Totals	18,238

* Headcount: Each individual is counted once, whether enrolled in one or more than one program during the fiscal year.

Attributes of SCE Students		Total Students		Gender Male Female		Nationality Egyptian Other	
FY 2011 – 2012		18,238	58.0%	42.0%	94.8%	5.2%	
Educational Background							
Below secondary education							17.2%
Secondary education							19.1%
Bachelor’s degrees							62.7%
Master’s degrees							0.6%
Doctorates							0.4%