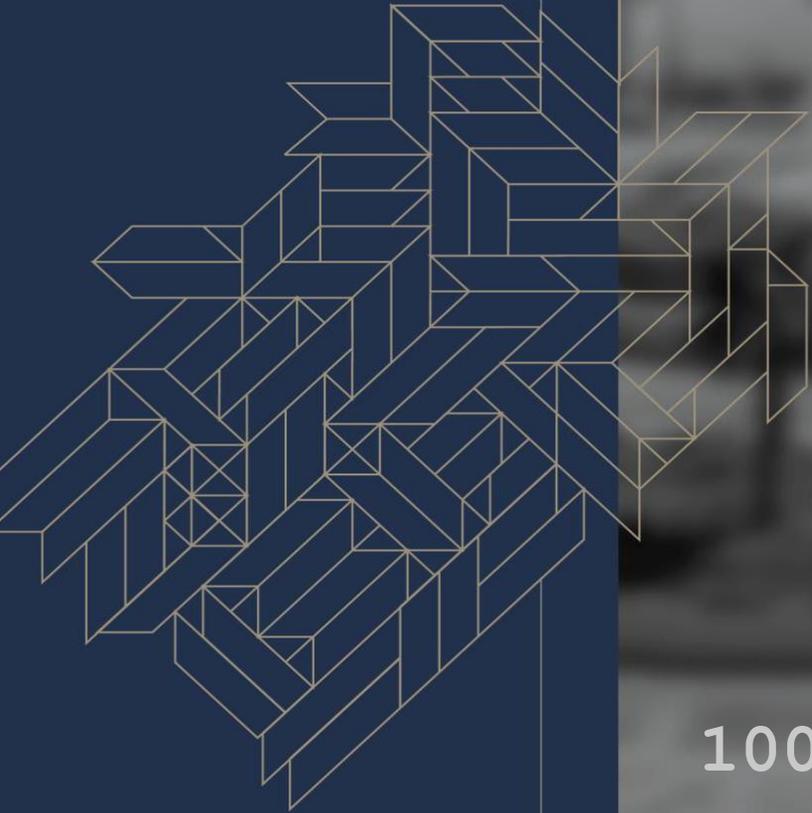




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100% Renewable Energy
Pledge

2024-2025

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Imam Abdulrahman Bin Faisal University (IAU) actively involved in renewable energy production and usage within the campus. It participated in various energy related events.

Find below some of our renewable energy related activities.

1. Renewable Energy Sources in IAU Campus





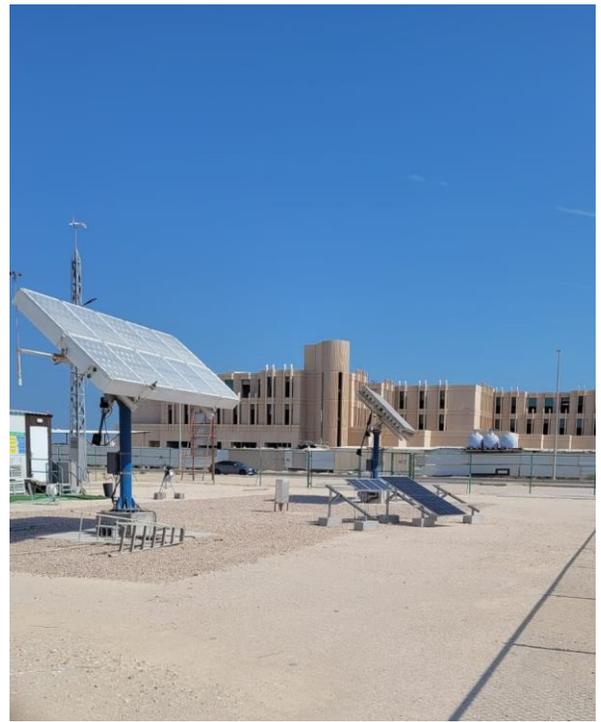
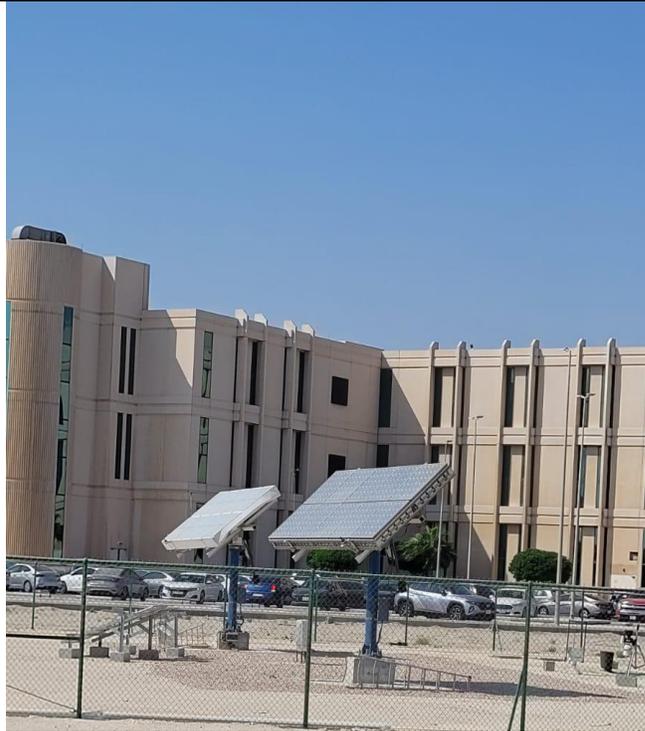
In all IAU Campuses the roofs of the buildings are installed with Solar panels



Solar Plants at IAU Open Spaces for Renewable Energy



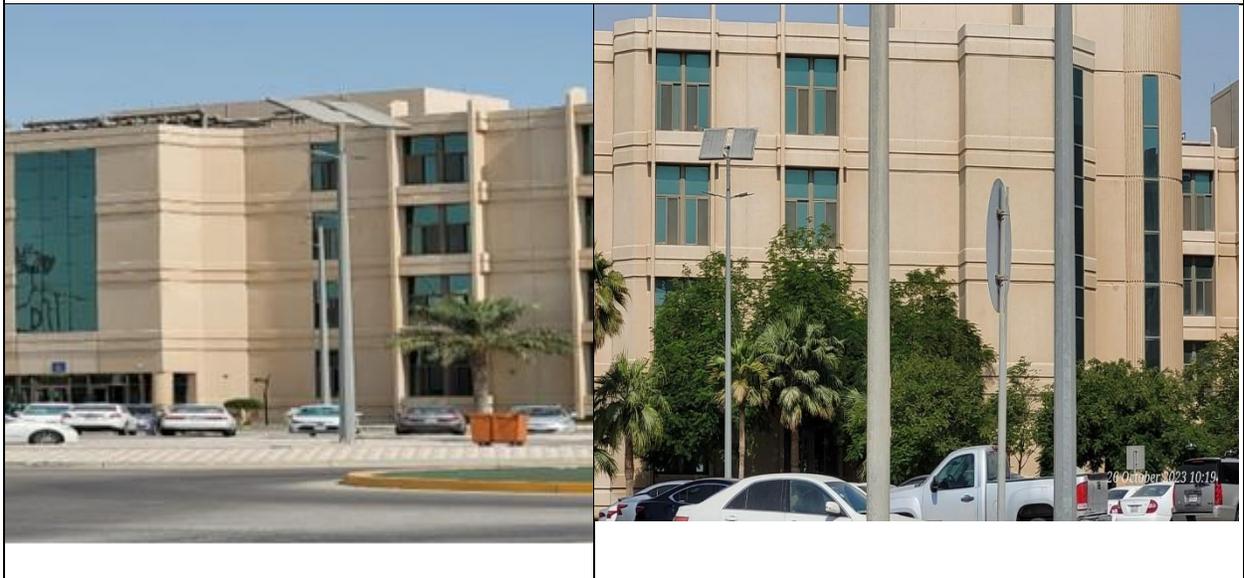
Solar Panel as substitute to conventional electricity installed in the campus as part to reducing Greenhouse gas emission



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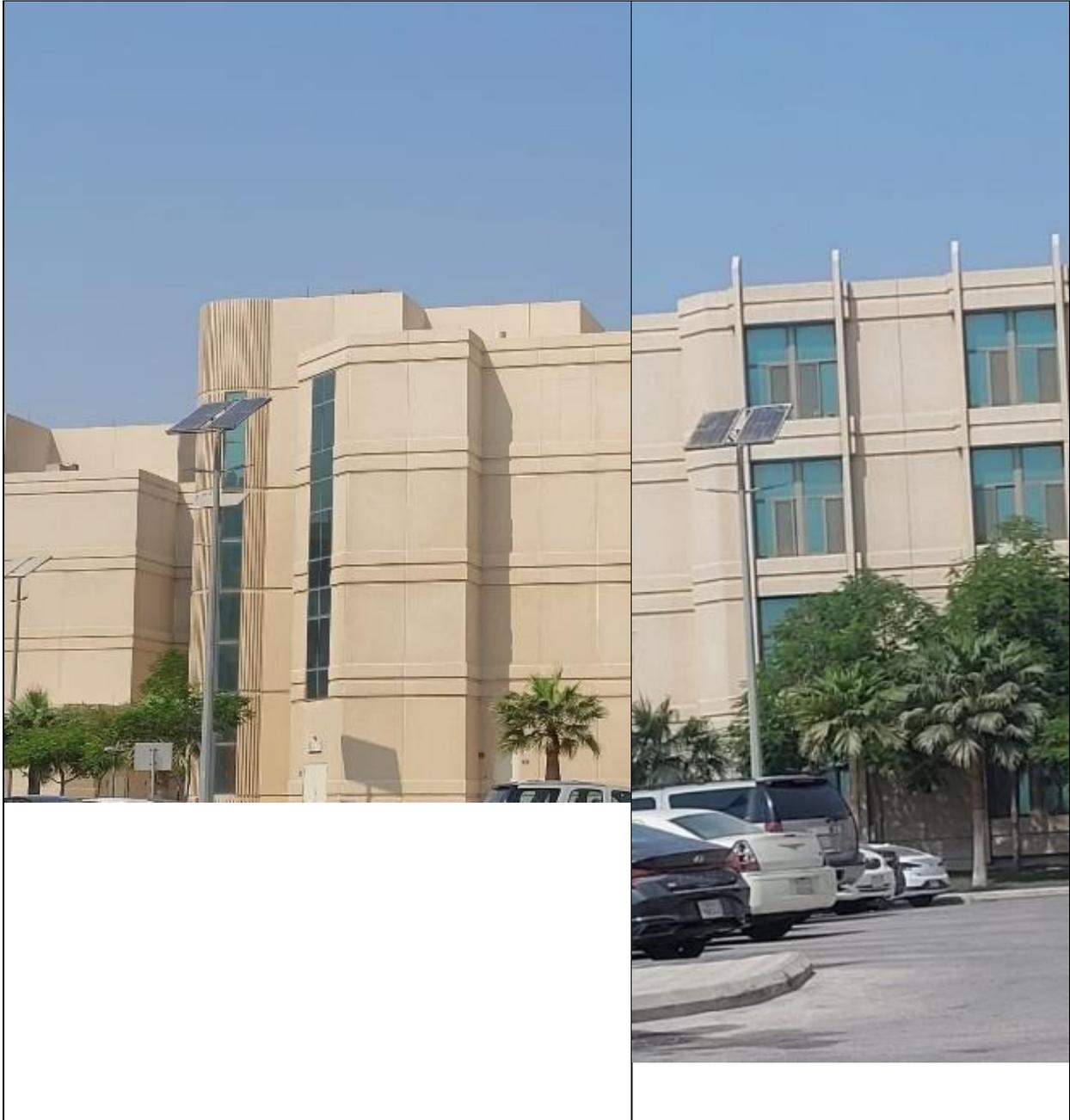


Solar Panel as substitute to conventional electricity installed in the campus as part to reducing Greenhouse gas emission





Solar Panels spread at IAU Campuses





Solar Panels installed all over the campus to provide energy for the purposes of lighting, heating, cooling, running university laboratories, etc.

Renewable Energy Usage in Campus



Example of Energy Efficient Appliances Usage: Solar energy for map direction and board and light outside

EXAMPLES OF SIGNAGE & SOLAR LIGHTS IN IAU CAMPUS



CG

CODE	CODE OF SIGNAGE	TYPE OF SIGNAGE	NUMBER OF SIGNAGE
CG-01	CG-01	Directional	2

LOCATION OF EACH SIGN

DR-1

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DR-1: In front of the gate of East Campus, opposite building D1

- A3 المكتبة المركزية Central Library
- H4 مستشفى طب الأسنان Dental Hospital
- D8 مبنى العيادات المساندة Supportive Clinics Bldg
- A2 قاعة متعددة الاستخدام Multipurpose Hall
- D2 مبنى الإدارة 2 Administration Bldg.2
- D1 مبنى الإدارة 1 Administration Bldg.1
- A16 الملتقى السنوي لجامعة المجموع الجامعة المجموع

GATEWAY SIGNS



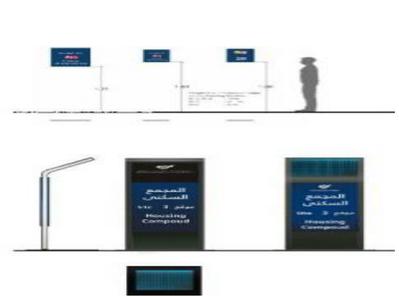
CAMPUS MAPS



BUILDING IDENTIFIERS



DIRECTIONAL SIGNS



OUTDOOR SIGNAGE IN C1-EAST CAMPUS

CM-2

ZONE-1	CODE OF STORAGE	TYPE OF STORAGE	NUMBER OF STORAGE
The Tower from the gate of the campus until the library building	CM-2	Directional Signage	3



LOCATION OF EACH SIGN
CM-2 The sign from the gate of the campus until the library building



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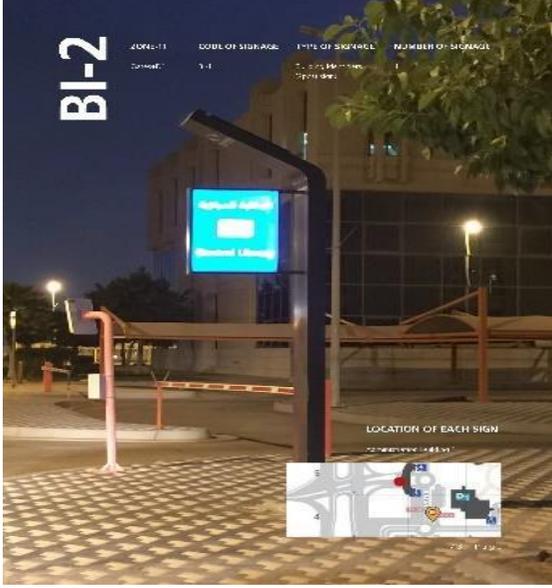



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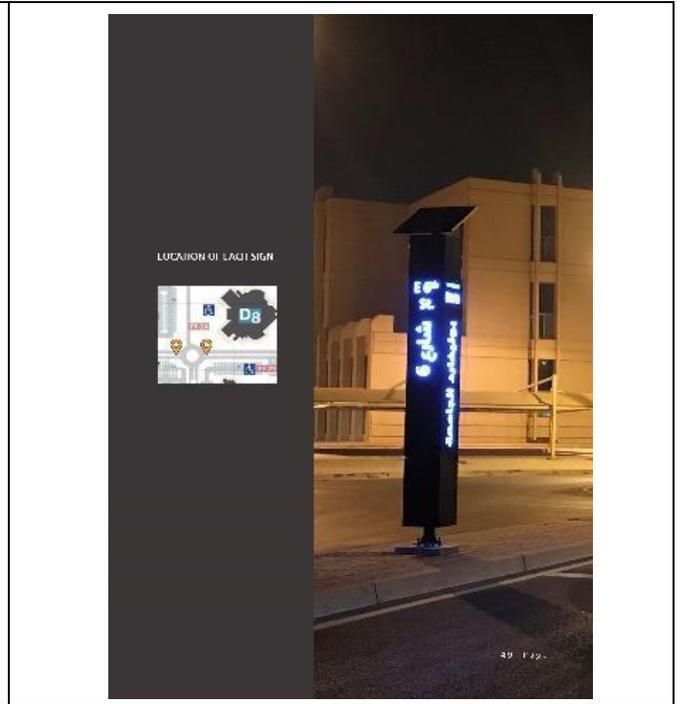
ZONE-1	CODE OF STORAGE	TYPE OF STORAGE	NUMBER OF STORAGE
Central	BI-2	Information Signage	1

LOCATION OF EACH SIGN
BI-2 The sign from the gate of the campus until the library building

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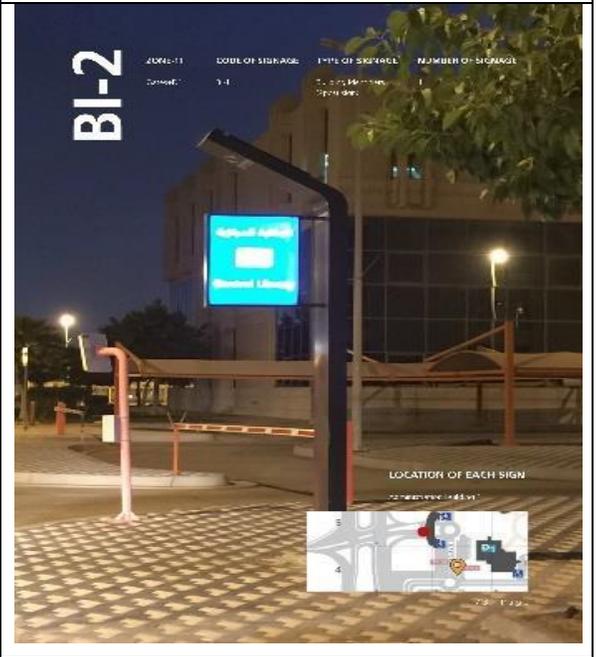
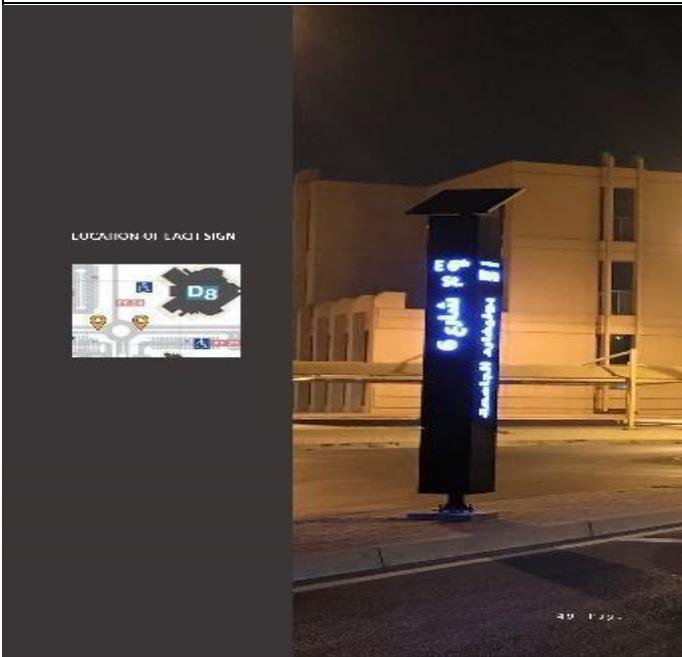
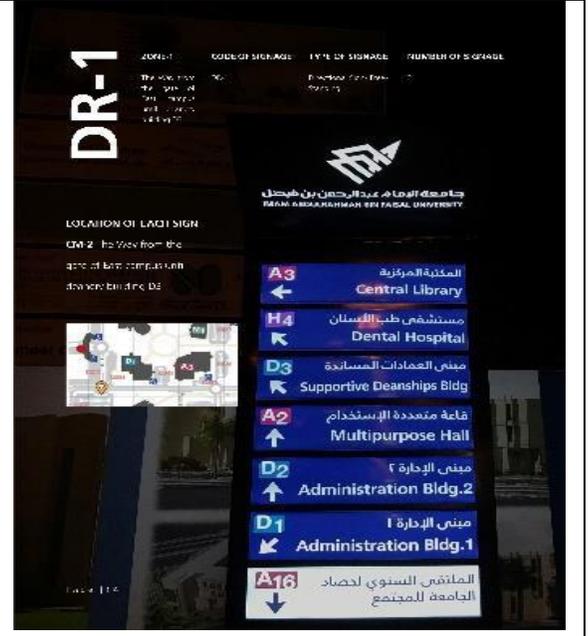
NIGHTVIEW OF SOLAR OUTDOOR SIGNAGE IN IAU CAMPUS



NIGHTVIEW OF SOLAR OUTDOOR SIGNAGE IN IAU CAMPUS



DAY-VIEW OF SOLAR OUTDOOR SIGNAGE IN IAU CAMPUS



Signage & Solar Lights in IAU Campus



DAY-VIEW OF SOLAR OUTDOOR SIGNAGE IN IAU
CAMPUS

Description:

Currently, solar energy is used only for campus lights and signage in main campus.

The mega project is in pipeline to install solar panels in the university to have an alternate source of energy, which will help to be less dependent on electricity and reduced the electricity consumption.

Wind power plants are installed in IAU Campus as part of alternate sources of energy. Based on the initial observations and usage relevance to IAU campus many Wind power plants are going to be installed on the open spaces of IAU.

2. IAU College of Engineering Students won Second Place for Project producing Biofuel from Coffee Beans

We are proud of the Achievement of the students of #College_of_Engineering from the Department of Mechanical Engineering and Energy, Abdullah Al-Harbi, Jarrah Al-Qassim, Saud Al-Sarhani, Ibrahim Al-Yousifi, and Ghazi Al-Otaibi, who secured second place in the CITEthon Hackathon with their project to produce biofuel from coffee beans.



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3. IAU Consulting Center for Buildings Energy

The given webpage link (refer to About section and Scope of work section) describes about the “consulting center for buildings energy”, a body accredited by IAU Institute of Consulting Studies to deliver training and consulting services in field of engineering related rationalization of energy consumption. Its scope of work includes training, education and workshops in the areas of sustainability, green buildings and energy conservation. It also includes energy efficiency studies and audits of existing buildings; consultations about the efficiency of air conditioning systems; and consultations about the solar energy.

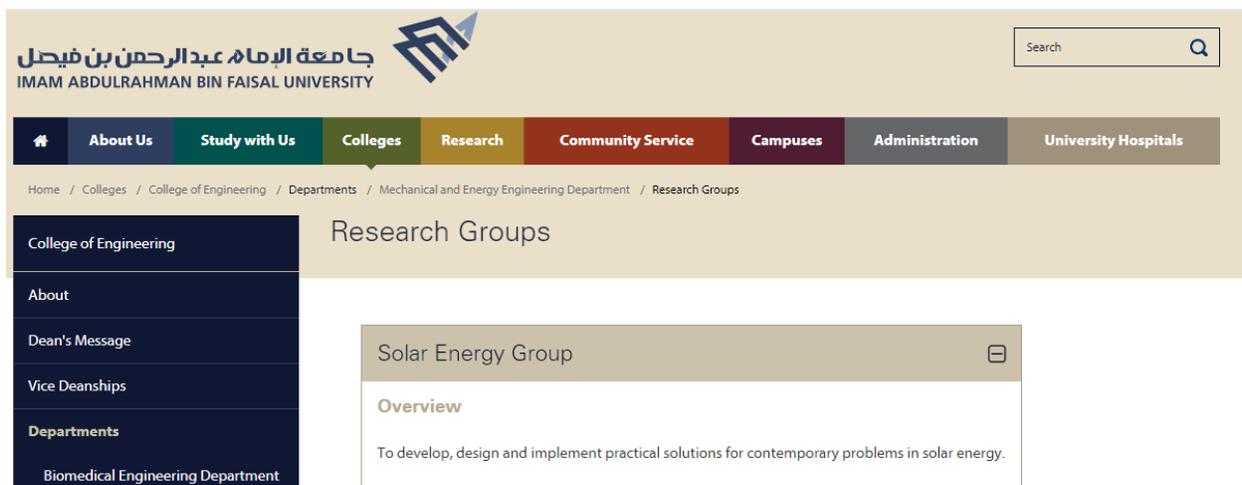
The screenshot shows the website for the Consulting Center for Buildings Energy at Imam Abdulrahman Bin Faisal University. The page has a dark blue header with navigation links: E-SERVICES, EMAIL, STUDENTS, HUMAN RESOURCES, ALUMNI, LIBRARY, ADMISSION, NEWS, EVENTS, JOBS, DIRECTORY, CONTACT, and عربي. Below the header is the university logo and name in Arabic and English, along with a search bar. A secondary navigation bar includes: About Us, Study with Us, Colleges, Research, Community Service, Campuses, Administration, and University Hospitals. The main content area has a breadcrumb trail: Home / Administration / Centers / Institute of Consulting Studies / Services / Experience Houses / Consulting Center for Buildings Energy. On the left is a dark blue sidebar menu with links: Institute of Consulting Studies, About, Dean's Message, Organizational Structure, Services, Experience Houses, Publications, Gallery, Our Partners, and Contact Us. The main content area is titled 'Consulting Center for Buildings Energy' and contains the following sections:

- About**: It is a body accredited by IAU Institute of Consulting Studies to deliver training and consulting services in field of engineering related rationalization of energy consumption.
- Vision**: Toward a specialized hub for consulting services and training in field of buildings energy.
- Mission**: High quality services of innovative methods for achieving development socially, economically, and environmentally.
- Objectives**:
 - To invest the capabilities available at the university in terms of laboratories, simulation software,

<https://www.iau.edu.sa/en/administration/centers/institute-of-consulting-studies/services/experience-houses/consulting-center-for-buildings-energy>

4. Research Groups at IAU for Renewable Energy

The given webpage link (refers to research groups section) shows the presence of the **research groups** in the College of Engineering of IAU. The research groups include **solar energy group, wind energy group, and air conditioning and energy storage group**. These research groups aim to develop, design, and implement **practical solutions for contemporary problems** in solar energy, wind energy, and air conditioning and energy storage. The objectives of these groups encompass conducting **market-relevant commercial research**, supervising students, cooperating with research, and publishing high-quality papers.



The screenshot displays the website interface for Imam Abdulrahman Bin Faisal University. At the top, the university's name is written in Arabic and English, accompanied by its logo. A search bar is located in the top right corner. Below the header is a navigation menu with categories: Home, About Us, Study with Us, Colleges, Research, Community Service, Campuses, Administration, and University Hospitals. The breadcrumb trail indicates the current location: Home / Colleges / College of Engineering / Departments / Mechanical and Energy Engineering Department / Research Groups. On the left, a sidebar menu lists various sections: College of Engineering, About, Dean's Message, Vice Deanships, Departments, and Biomedical Engineering Department. The main content area is titled "Research Groups" and features a card for the "Solar Energy Group". The card includes an "Overview" section with the text: "To develop, design and implement practical solutions for contemporary problems in solar energy."

<https://www.iau.edu.sa/en/colleges/college-of-engineering/departments/mechanical-and-energy-engineering-department/research-groups>



5. Mechanical and Energy Engineering Laboratories at IAU

The given webpage link (refer to Mechanical and Energy Engineering Laboratories) shows the presence of the **Mechanical and Energy Engineering Laboratories** in the College of Engineering of IAU. Among various labs, **the renewable energy lab** is the one that has essential equipment with full instrumentation to allow students to investigate the effective use of **solar energy** as a renewable, environmentally friendly energy source.

The screenshot shows the website for Mechanical and Energy Engineering Laboratories at Imam Abdulrahman Bin Faisal University. The page has a dark blue sidebar with a menu including 'College of Engineering', 'About', 'Dean's Message', 'Vice Deanships', 'Departments', 'Programs', 'Academic Calendar & Registration Scheule', 'Labs and Equipment', 'Biomedical Engineering Laboratories', 'Civil & Construction Engineering Laboratories', and 'Environmental Engineering'. The main content area is titled 'Mechanical and Energy Engineering Laboratories' and lists five labs: Thermodynamics Lab, Fluid Mechanics Lab, Refrigeration and Air Conditioning Lab, Heat and Mass Transfer Lab, and Renewable Energy Lab. The Renewable Energy Lab section is expanded to show an 'overview' with the text: 'The Renewable Energy lab houses some essential equipment with full instrumentation to allow'.

<https://www.iau.edu.sa/en/colleges/college-of-engineering/labs-and-equipment/mechanical-and-energy-engineering-laboratories>

6. IAU Hosts International Webinar on Higher Education and Sustainability

Dammam – Imam Abdulrahman Bin Faisal University (IAU), represented by the Deanship of Academic Development, hosted an international webinar titled "University Education for Sustainability: Building Skills for Lifelong Impact" on Tuesday, November 26, 2024. The event was attended by Dr. Abdullah Al-Muhaidib, Vice President for Academic Affairs, who emphasized the university's commitment to sustainability through education and its role in empowering faculty members.

The webinar aimed to advance the integration of sustainability in higher education and enable faculty members to adopt practices that align with the Sustainable Development Goals. The event drew 245 participants, including faculty members and national and international experts.



<https://www.iau.edu.sa/en/news/iau-hosts-international-webinar-on-higher-education-and-sustainability>

7. IAU Strategic Plan 2018-2025

The given webpage link shows the **Strategic plan of IAU 2018-2025**. This plan explained its alignment between **KSA Vision 2030** and **IAU strategic goal V-Sustain IAU campus environment**.

Under IAU Strategic Goal V, refer page no. 100, 101, 144, and 147, which describes about the **Renewable Energy**

- Initiative 3.2.4,
- Initiative 3.2.5



https://www.iau.edu.sa/sites/default/files/iau_straplan_en_20jun2019.pdf



8. Consulting Center of IAU towards Sustainable Built Environment

The given webpage link (refer 2nd paragraph first 4 lines) describes about a consultancy center established by College of Architecture and Planning of IAU. This center aims to take a leading role in directing the community towards a more sustainable built environment. It organizes a number of short training courses and offers professional services to both the public and private sectors.

<https://www.iau.edu.sa/en/colleges/college-of-architecture-and-planning/deans-message>



9. Research groups on Energy at IAU

The screenshot shows the website interface for Imam Abdulrahman Bin Faisal University. At the top, there is a navigation menu with items: Home, About Us, Study with Us, Colleges, Research, Community Service, Campuses, Sustainability, Administration, University Hospitals, and Open Data. Below the menu is a breadcrumb trail: Home / Colleges / College of Engineering / Departments / Mechanical and Energy Engineering Department / Research Groups. The main content area is titled "Research Groups" and lists five groups: Solar Energy Group, Wind Energy Group, Robotics and Control Group, Air Conditioning and Energy Storage, and Material, Management, and Policy. Each group name is in a dark green box with a white plus icon to its right. On the left side, there is a sidebar menu for the "College of Engineering" with sub-items: About, Dean's Message, Vice Deanships, Departments, Biomedical Engineering Department, Civil & Construction Engineering Department, Environmental Engineering Department, and Department of Basic Engineering Sciences.

<https://www.iau.edu.sa/en/colleges/college-of-engineering/departments/mechanical-and-energy-engineering-department/research-groups>

10. IAU Achieves 100% in the Field of Improving Energy Efficiency Consumption 2022

Imam Abdulrahman bin Faisal University obtained 100% in the scorecard for the year 2022 and the excellence award for the first category in the field of improving energy efficiency consumption, during a ceremony honoring distinguished government agencies in improving energy consumption for the year 2022, which was held by the Saudi Center for Energy Efficiency, in the presence of the Vice President for Administrative and Financial Affairs, head of the university's energy efficiency team, Prof. Dr. Abdulwahed Al-Mazrou, and many officials and representatives of government agencies. The university's win came for achieving 100% in the scorecard, which includes achieving levels of commitment in energy consumption after implementing a set of internal initiatives to improve energy consumption rates in all university facilities and buildings and university hospitals, including the application of the necessary standards to raise the efficiency of consumption, the adoption of the necessary models and guidelines, and the holding of technical workshops.



<https://www.iau.edu.sa/en/news/iau-achieves-100-in-the-field-of-improving-energy-efficiency-consumption-2022>

11. Signed a memorandum of understanding with the Gulf Laboratory Company for Electrical Equipment Inspection.

His Excellency the President of IAU Prof. Dr. Abdullah Al-Rubaish, signed a memorandum of understanding with the **Gulf Laboratory Company for Electrical Equipment Inspection**. The company was represented by CEO Eng. Saleh Al-Omari, in the presence of the Dean of the College of Engineering, Dr. Murad Al-Thubaiti.



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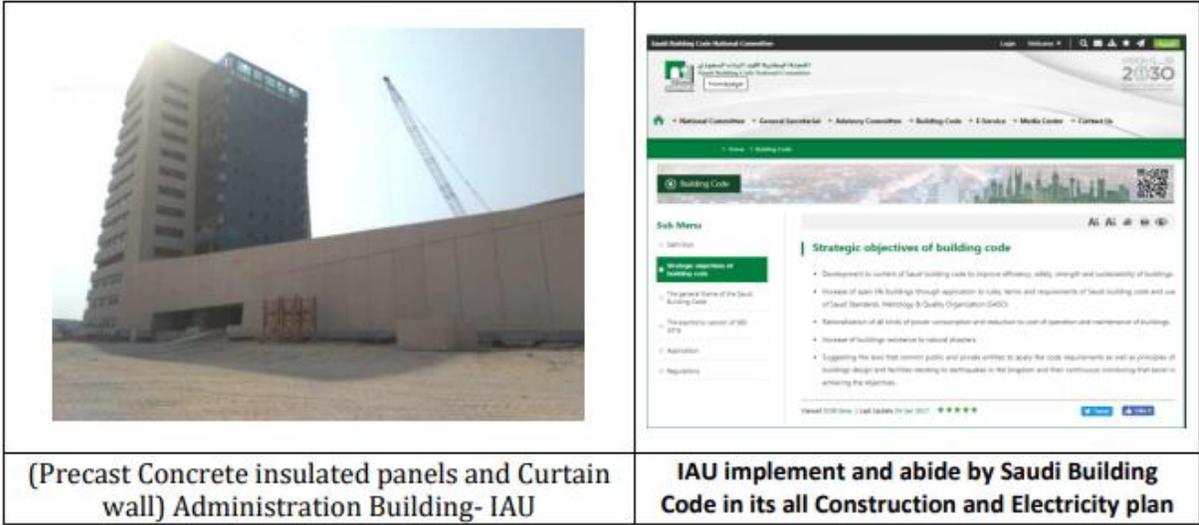
12. Energy Efficient Building Practice at IAU

The given PDF link describes energy efficient usage in IAU in the following Parts:

- PART A: Sustainable system for Outdoor Signage
- PART B: Optimized Eco-friendly Buildings

Part A





PART B





https://www.iau.edu.sa/sites/default/files/resources/energy_efficient_building.pdf

13. IAU Initiatives to achieve higher Energy Efficiency

The given PDF link explains the initiatives taken by IAU to achieve higher energy efficiency.



Photo solar systems installation initiative to reduce monthly electricity bill payments:

SHUTTLE OPTION 1

Shuttle V Electric
Transit Buddy LS
Passenger LE Hard
Door Shuttle



SHUTTLE OPTION 2

Marsheel
DN-34C Series
14-Seater Enclosed
Electric Resort Car



Electric and affordable shuttle buses for the student and faculty

https://www.iau.edu.sa/sites/default/files/resources/reduce_overall_energy_consumption_2022.pdf

