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## AAU participate in the UAE 47th National Day Celebrations

On the occasion of the UAE 47<sup>th</sup> National Day, Al Ain University of Science and Technology, at Abu Dhabi campuses, launched a variety of heritage activities and events reflecting the spirit of the Union. This emphasized the keenness of the AAU family to participate in this national celebration.

The Celebration, this year, included various shows such as; military parade, Youla, folk dances, and some poems, all of which expressed the joy of citizens in this memorable and auspicious day, and their loyalty and gratitude to the wise leadership. Also, student Abdul Majid Mohammed from the College of Business sang a song entitled "Dar Al Wafa", expressed the love and belonging to the homeland. In addition, there were some platforms such as; a heritage exhibition, cultural tents, falcons' show, traditional food that reflected the UAE's heritage and culture.

Representatives from the loyalty and belonging document headed by Dr. Abdullah Al Shaibani, the Executive Chairman of the document participated in the event, Where, AAU family and the

visitors signed the "Loyalty and Belonging Document" presented to His Highness Sheikh Khalifa bin Zayed Al Nahyan, President of UAE, Their Highness the Rulers of the Emirates to express the deepen belonging to the nation and loyalty to its wise leadership.

On this occasion, Dr. *Noor Aldeen Atatreh*, the AAU Chancellor seized the opportunity to congratulate H.H Sheikh Khalifa Bin Zayed Al Nahyan the President of the United Arab Emirates, H.H. Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid Al Maktoum the Vice President and Prime Minister and Ruler of the Emirate of Dubai, H.H Sheikh Mohammed bin Zayed bin Sultan Al-Nahyan, the Crown Prince of Abu Dhabi and Deputy Supreme Commander of the UAE Armed Forces may Allah bless them all, the UAE nation and the AAU's family on the UAE 47th National Day. Dr. *Atatreh* assured that the national celebration this year is sui generis as it coincides with the Year of Zayed, praying to Allah the Almighty to save the UAE and perpetuate security and prosperity under the wise leadership.

Dr. Amer Qasem, AAU Vice President, said that since the UAE establishment, it is achieving success at various levels. The most recent achievement is launching the satellite "Khalifa Sat", which demonstrates the ability to overcome challenges to achieve more success according to founder Zayed vision.

It is worth mentioning that the academic and administrative staff, AAU students and visitors attended the university celebration of the UAE 47th National Day to express their love, loyalty and belonging to the UAE.

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