

Centre for South Valley Development Studies and Research: examines projects for comprehensive development of Upper Egypt and the New Valley in particular. It also supports projects related to the fields of constant development in agriculture, water, human resources, and medical services. The centre executes about 20 projects annually.

Foreign Language Centres: include: English Language Centre (ELC), French Language Centre (FLC), German Language Centre (GLC) and Russian Language Centre (RLC). These centres offer language courses to graduate students and supervise the execution of international language fulfillment requirement and grant authenticated certificates.

Centre for Environmental Studies and Research: undertakes integrated environmental studies and research aiming at the development, protection, and economic use of environmental resources. Besides, the centre promotes the concept and culture of environmental awareness.

Electronic Microscope Unit: offers research and diagnostic services to all specializations of the various faculties. The services offered cover biological and non-biological fields.

Computer and Information Network Centre: provides services to all university faculties, designs programs, offers computing consultations, training courses, and supervises the operation of Assiut University information network.

The Genetic Engineering and Molecular Biology Research Centre: provides advanced technological training to all researchers in the fields of genetic engineering and molecular biology and tissue culture to all researchers in these fields

The Mycological Centre: assists in academic and applied research in the field of mycology. This centre also includes the mycological library thus becoming a distinguished centre in the region.

Research Projects

The university has accomplished about 200 research projects, and 69 projects for the development of higher education. The research projects include the fields of underground water, development of animal, plant, fish, and poultry production. Also, the projects cover the areas of environmental protection, industrial development, rationalization of consumption and power, architectural layout and landscaping, professional diseases, and the development projects of higher education and all its strategies.

World Bank Information Centre:

This centre was inaugurated in Assiut University at Sugar Research and Technology Institute on the 22nd

of December 2005. The functions of the centre in collaboration with the World Bank and Assiut University are to provide wider space for obtaining development information for the first time in Upper Egypt. It helps in obtaining information about the activities of the bank, recent issues and publications; and it provides training on methods of electronic search. The centre also provides training courses for officials of civil associations in Upper Egypt.

University Services

The Traffic Unit: to issue and renew driver's and vehicle licenses.

Real Estate and Property Documentation Unit: to provide all services of documentation and authentication of property and real estate.

Clubs: include Assiut University Club, Assiut University Staff members Club and Assiut University Administrative Staff Club.

Faculty Members Housing: including 236 on campus apartments, and 108 out-of-campus apartments.

Guest House: provides 64 comfortable rooms, 4 deluxe suites, all are highly furnished, In addition to a restaurant with a capacity for 500 persons. The restaurant hall is used for holding different celebrations. Also there's a newly prepared hall for the same purpose in Assiut University Club.

Foreign Ministry Documentation Office: provides an on-campus service of documentation of certificates and official documents.

Banks: there are four banks on campus: Egyptian National Bank (ENB), Misr Bank (MB), Commercial International Bank (CIB) and HSBC Bank.

International Conferences, Cultural Agreements, And Foreign Relations

The university holds an average of 75 local and international conferences annually. From the date of its establishment until the present time, the university has held 185 academic and cultural cooperation agreements with renowned universities and institutions representing countries such as: United States of America – Germany – Switzerland – Italy – Russia – France – India – Albania – Canada – Poland – Austria – Britain – Czech – Argentina – Ukraine – Japan – Romania – Syria – Yemen – Tunisia – Spain – Algeria – Palestine – Hungary – Thailand - South Korea – Ireland – China – Morocco – Sudan –Belgium Mozambique – Kuwait – Somalia – Sweden-Saudi Arabia – Holand - Iraq.

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Faculty of Information and Computer

Science:

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University Hospital



Olympic Village



Conference Hall



Central Restaurant



University Dormitories



Mycological Centre



Soccer's Playground



Olympic Swimming Compoud

Assiut University



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Assiut University was established in 1957 as the first university in Upper Egypt. The university Logo is made up of an armour in the centre of which is the Sun disc (slogan of Akhenaton to symbolize Ancient Egypt) shedding light on the name of the university written in normal Kufi letters (to symbolize the Arab era). From the Sun come out the sun-rays in shape of hands stretching out with goodness, while the letters forming the name of the university tower up towards the light of the Sun.

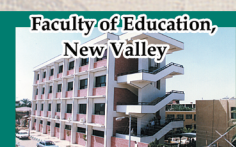


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Faculty of Education,
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Sugar Technology
Research Institute



Faculty of Social Work



Faculty of Arts



South Egypt Cancer
Institute



Faculty of Computer and
Information Sciences

Assiut University

In Upper Egypt, Assiut University has pioneered in preparing highly qualified graduates with the basic specialized academic knowledge and training expertise on the various necessary skills. Besides, the university offers an abundance of programs complying with the contemporary world changes.

Mission, Vision and Objectives

Assiut University aims at providing privileges and chances for constant development to cope with the ever accelerating scientific and technological developments. The university strives to achieve its mission through:

- Preparing technically specialized cadres in a variety of fields to meet the demands of the community and the requirements for total development, and preparing highly qualified graduates of modern specializations demanded by the labor market.
- Constant development of undergraduate and graduate programs to cope with the scientific and technological advancement.
- Conducting scientific and applied research and studies related to community problems and development programs in Upper Egypt.
- Offering consultative experiences to productive authorities and institutions for the sake of community service and environment development.
- Assuring noble human values, deepening the value of national belonging, and preserving the genuine principles of the community.
- Supporting and strengthening the academic and cultural relations with other universities and academic institutions at the Egyptian, Arab and International levels.

Human Resources

Faculty members: 2792.
Assistant Lecturers and Demonstrators: 1602.
Administrative staff: 18020.
Service assistance Jobs: 5303.

University Faculties and Institutes

The university includes the number of nineteen (19) faculties and two institutes which are Faculty of Science – Faculty of Engineering – Faculty of Agriculture – Faculty of Medicine – Faculty of Pharmacy – Faculty of Veterinary Medicine – Faculty of Commerce – Faculty of Education – Faculty of Law – Faculty of Physical Education – Faculty of Nursing – Faculty of Specific Education – Faculty of Education (New Valley Regional Campus) – Faculty of Social Service – Faculty of Arts – Faculty of Information and Computer Science – Faculty of Agriculture (New Valley) – Faculty of Veterinary Medicine (New Valley) - Faculty of Dentistry, while the institutes are: Sugar Technology Research Institute – South Egypt Cancer Institute (SECI).

Degrees Granted by the University

Undergraduate Stage:

The University grants the Bachelor's Degree. The number of graduates who graduated from the university since its establishment has reached a percentage of 65.57% males and 34.43% females. The current number of the registered students is 64704. The number of foreign students in the undergraduate stage is 42. The University's Student Welfare Budget provides annual financial assistances to 13400 students, and the amount of money distributed reached L.E. 2,610,936. The University also provides books with reduced prices.

Open Education Centre:

Open Education Centre was established at the Faculty of Commerce in February 1990. The number of the enrolled students in the current year is 3253 students, while the number of the graduates until July 2011 was 2057 graduates. Open Education Centre started at the Faculty of Law at the beginning of the academic year 1997/98. The number of the currently enrolled students is 4870 students, while the number of the graduates was 613 graduates. Study duration at the Centre is four years as a minimum,

Post-Graduate Stage:

Assiut University grants the degrees of: Diploma, Master and Ph.D. The total number of degrees granted is as follows:

25214 Diplomas (Percentage: 64% Males – 36% Females).

6622 Master Degrees (Percentage: 73% Males – 27% Females).

2976 Ph.D. Degrees (Percentage: 74% Males – 26% Females).

Current enrolled graduates are: 17179 graduates for Diploma, 3116 graduates for the Master's Degree, and 1506 graduates for the Ph.D. Degree.

The number of the foreign graduate students currently registered is as follows: 23 students for the Diploma, 62 for the Master's Degree, and 192 for Ph.D. Degree. These foreign students are from Yemen, Libya, Palestine, Syria, Kuwait, Oman, Sudan and Nigeria.

The educational and research processes are aided by more than 155 auditoriums with different capacities, 253 classrooms, in addition to 364 student and research laboratories. Moreover, the university has high quality and distinguished facilities to hold local and international conferences through its 51 vast variety Halls and Conference Rooms with ranging capacity from 30 to 1500 persons.

Student Services

University Libraries:

The university has 28 branch libraries in addition to a central library which all include academic and reference books (about 14046 references) and 14 internet points. There is a digital library for scientific research according to the information systems and technology of Higher Education. The library subscribes in the international data – base, thus making more than 23000 periodicals available in the various fields of knowledge and science. Moreover, the university provides 3 quiet air-conditioned study halls with a capacity of 1400 students.

University Dormitories:

The university provides accommodation for students in its hostels and dormitories which currently have the capacity for 13495 students (Percentage: 34.5% Males – 65.5% Females). The number of students who benefits from the university dormitories is 29.2 % of the total number of the regular university students.

Central Restaurant:

With its 18 restaurants, the university provides about 50750 student meals daily.

Activities and Sports:

The University offers a challenging support for all students' activities, social and medical care.

Olympic Village:

The university's Olympic Village includes the following playgrounds and arenas:

- Soccer's playground with a capacity of 12000 spectators.
- New indoor arena that includes playgrounds for handball, basketball, and Volleyball and that is suitable for all double- player games, with a capacity of 1500 spectators
- Two squash courts with a capacity of 48 spectators each.
- Table tennis halls with a capacity of 50 spectators each.
- Digital clock for 40 individual games.
- Tennis compound that includes two main courts.
- Physical fitness halls (Gymnasiums) with a capacity of 30 spectators each.
- Olympic Swimming compound with a capacity of 1000 spectators.

University Hospitals

The university hospitals include the main hospital with 1655 beds, 90% of which is free of charge, Woman Health Hospital with 328 beds, and the Pediatrics Hospital with 530 beds. The number of nursing staff is 1935, medical services staff: 2544,

Technicians: 551. The total number of annual surgeries; major and minor is 75000 surgeries with a daily ratio of 250 surgeries. The number of annual out-patients who receive medical care at the clinics reaches about 500,000 patients. Besides, students' hospital provides 68 beds with specialized clinics, and a number of 520 annual surgeries. The annual number of patients is about 22000 students.

South Egypt Cancer Institute (SECI)

The institute includes 375 beds in departments of chemo therapy, radio therapy, surgery, chronic pain, pediatric tumors, diagnostic department, and diagnostic and research laboratories concerned with the fields of different tumors. The institute offers directions for the prevention and treatment of tumors.

Veterinary Hospital

This hospital aims at offering services which are necessary for preserving animal and poultry, besides clinical training for students of veterinary medicine in the various fields.

University Farms

The university farms occupy the area of 80 acres which serve productive and research fields. The farms include: animal production, poultry production and fish production farms. There are also 11 departments representing 13 specializations related to the faculty of agriculture. The university owns another farm at Al Ghorrayeb with an area of 180 acres for field and orchard crops. Besides, the university farms also include a horticultural plantation unit, seed production and reproduction unit which comes in the first place among all other universities, honey production unit, food manufacturing unit, and dairy production unit. The faculty of agriculture is currently reclaiming 200 acres at Assiut Valley.

Special Units and Environment Service

Assiut University has established special units and centres for community service to cooperate and provide experience in the various fields to specify problems of production, and provide solutions and suitable alternatives. It also undertakes training courses and programs to qualify technical cadres of personnel in those fields. The total number of special units and research centres reaches 76 throughout the university's administration and faculties.

Some Centres: Brief Notes

Centre for Consultative Studies and Engineering:

It aims at fulfilling the demands of the society in preparing engineering projects, making plans and designs, selecting tenders, and supervising project execution. The number of executed projects amounts to 120 project annually.

