



Department of Oriental Languages

The Research Plan for the Department of Oriental Languages (2025-2029)



Objectives	Activities	Mechanisms	Outputs	Success Indicators	Implementation Period	Funding Source	Responsible Party
1- Excellence in scientific research in terms of novelty of the topic and diversity of research subjects.	Activating cultural agreements and joint supervision protocols.	Establishing scientific channels with Turkish universities like Istanbul University, Marmara University, Ankara University, and Iranian universities.	Joint supervision of scientific theses (Master's and PhD).	Cultural exchange activity between the department and Turkish and Persian-speaking countries, and the internationalization of the research process with those countries.	2025 - 2029	The Faculty's budget, with the Cultural Relations Administration at the Faculty and University.	The Academic Department
	Diversifying literary, linguistic, and translation schools of thought.	Directing research and theses towards modern trends in literature and language.	Increased demand for enrollment in postgraduate studies.	Increased demand for enrollment in postgraduate studies.	2025 - 2029	The Faculty's budget.	The Academic Department
2- Encouraging enrollment in postgraduate studies for department graduates and international students.	Creating new regulations for postgraduate studies (credit-hour system).	Enrollment of distinguished students from the faculty, counterpart faculties, and other institutes of Oriental studies.	Students who are competitive with postgraduate students in other universities through a high-level program.	Increased student demand, with a percentage increase over the previous year.	2025 - 2029	The Faculty's budget.	The Academic Department



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			Master's and PhD programs.	At the local and regional levels.			
3- Increasing the effectiveness of curricula and postgraduate programs and ensuring they meet the required professional and scientific standards and the expectations of stakeholders.	Linking curricula to modern trends.	Introducing modern courses with applied aspects, such as comparative studies.	Research that demonstrates the link between the student and the job market.	Application of research findings in the professional field.	2025 - 2029	The Faculty's budget.	The Academic Department
4- Local and international publishing.	Participation in local and international conferences.	Selecting modern and contemporary topics.	High-value, internationally recognized research that raises the university's ranking.	Increase in the scientific value of publications, leading to more citations by other researchers.	2025 - 2029	The Faculty's budget.	The Academic Department



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5- Building bridges of cooperation with business organizations for the job market.	Concluding agreements with local and international entities.	Inviting visiting professionals and holding workshops with them.	Creating training opportunities for students that qualify them for the workforce.	Annual placement of a number of students in the job market.	2025 - 2029	The Faculty's budget.	The Academic Department
6- Academic cooperation with experts.	Cooperation with cultural attachés and embassies in Cairo.	Inviting visiting professors, cultural attachés, winners of international awards, ambassadors, and public figures.	Guidance from influential figures in the current cultural movement to keep abreast of contemporary developments and key international issues.	Research and theses characterized by creativity, innovation, and staying current with new developments.	2025 - 2029	The Faculty's budget.	The Academic Department
7- Preparing cadres in the field of scientific research.	Keeping up with new developments in scientific research and modern scientific studies.	Requesting the appointment of one teaching assistant for the Turkish division and one for the Persian division annually.	Scientific cadres capable of achieving the department's mission.	Assistant staff obtaining international grants and scholarships.	2025 - 2029	The Faculty's budget.	The Academic Department



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		(Mechanism continued from previous page) for the top graduates of the batches. The last year of the plan, i.e., the academic year 2028-2029, to ensure the continuity of research and academic work.					
8- Local, regional, and international contributions.	Obtaining membership in local and international research societies and attending their events.	Joining local and international societies.	Membership of 40-50% of the department's faculty in 4-5 local and international scientific societies.	Acceptance of research papers in international journals and publications.	2025 - 2029	The Faculty's budget.	The Academic Department
9- Enriching the cultural movement regionally and internationally.	Participating in international conferences with research papers.	Submitting papers to conferences that are modern and relevant to the times.	Acceptance of department members' research for international publication and their invitation to chair sessions at international conferences.	The number of accepted papers for publication is no less than 80% of the total papers submitted to international conferences.	2025 - 2029	The Faculty's budget.	The Academic Department
10- Developing...	Linking curricula...	Updating...	Research...	Applying results...	2025 -	Budget...	The Department



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10- [Developing] Interdisciplinary, economic, and social services in various cognitive and scientific fields.	[Linking curricula] with interdisciplinary and social trends.	[Updating courses] to serve economic and social aspects.	[Research that] demonstrates the link between the curriculum and society.	Research in interdisciplinary and social services.	- 2029	The Faculty	The Academic [Department]



Research Priorities for the Department

- **First: Turkish Language– Master’s and PhD Levels:**

- Comparative Literature
- Theater
- Documents
- Literary Criticism
- Turkish Folk Literature
- Turkish Linguistics
- Translation

- **Second: Persian Language– Master’s and PhD Levels:**

- Literature in its various branches in different eras, excluding the modern and contemporary period.
- History in different eras, excluding the modern period.
- Applied linguistic studies on old texts from different eras, excluding the modern and contemporary period.

Topics on which research will be suspended:

- **Persian Language– Master’s and PhD Levels:**

- Modern and contemporary literature in its branches.
 - Modern history.
 - Linguistic studies on the modern and contemporary period.
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Annex 1

Survey of the opinions of the members of the Department of Oriental Languages for the preparation of the Five-Year Research Plan (2025/2029)

Dear Colleagues,

Greetings,

The committee for preparing the research plan in the Department of Oriental Languages is preparing the Five-Year Research Plan for 2025/2029. This is to keep pace with scientific development and to enhance the level of research in the department. Therefore, we hope for your participation and input regarding the following elements of the questionnaire:

Basic Information

1. Name of faculty member in the department:

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2. Job Title/Rank:

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3. Specialization:

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Information Specific to the Research Plan

4. **List the intellectual output you have produced during the last ten years.**
5. Identify the subject areas in which research should be suspended in the upcoming period.
6. **What are the research priorities that should be focused on in the department's research plan for 2025-2029 (ranked by priority)?**
7. **Suggest interdisciplinary research areas that should be focused on in the department's research plan for 2025/2029 (ranked by priority).**



Annex 2

Survey of the opinions of stakeholders from the Department of Oriental Languages - Helwan University for the preparation of the Five-Year Research Plan – (2025/2029)

Dear Colleagues /

Greetings,

The Department of Oriental Languages is preparing its research plan to address the research needs of the community and to keep pace with scientific and professional development locally, regionally, and globally.

Therefore, we hope for your participation and input to establish a mechanism for linking scientific research with actual needs and solving problems related to the professional field, and to strengthen avenues of cooperation with you.

Basic Information

1. Name:
2. Workplace:
3. Academic Qualification:
4. Position/Job:
5. Years of Experience:

Information Regarding the Utilization of the Department's Research

6. Are the results of the scientific research conducted by the department utilized in your workplace?
 1. Yes () [Go to Q8]
 2. No ()
7. If the answer is (No), what are the reasons for non-utilization from your point of view? (More than one answer can be selected)
 - () Failure to communicate the results of the scientific research conducted by the department to workplaces.
 - () The research conducted by the department does not reflect the reality of the needs and problems faced at work.

() Lack of support from officials for utilizing research in the professional field.



Lack of mechanisms within the department to market the scientific research it produces.

Other (please specify):

8. Can scientific research contribute to the development of work in your organization's field?

1. Yes

2. No [Go to Q10]

9. What are the aspects of this development?

10. From your point of view, what is the mechanism that ensures the effective contribution of scientific research in solving problems related to your fields of work?

Developing a research plan in the department that aligns with the needs of the community and professional work.

Continuous communication with professionals to identify the real problems they face.

Other (please specify):

11. What are the priorities for research areas in your field of work?

Thank you for your kind cooperation

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