



Yarmouk University

**Faculty of
Archaeology
and Anthropology**

Master's in Archaeology

Program Overview

The Master's program in Archaeology focuses on teaching the science of archaeology and enhancing students' abilities in critical thinking, research, and scientific analysis. The curriculum covers specialized topics in prehistoric, ancient, classical, and Islamic archaeology, as well as applied sciences in archaeology.



Program Objectives

The program aims to provide students with:

- Theoretical knowledge
- Practical and research skills in archaeology

These competencies enable students to pursue advanced studies in various archaeological fields and engage effectively in professional archaeological work and research.

Program Importance

The program is essential for several reasons:

1. It supplies the labor market with specialists trained in various fields of archaeology, aligning with the latest scientific advancements.
2. It guides students towards further studies, including doctoral programs at Western universities, enriching academic research and improving university education standards in archaeology.

Key features of the program include:

1. Effective integration of theoretical knowledge, field training, and essential skills for managing and planning archaeological sites.
2. A focus on problem-solving research to improve the condition of archaeological sites in the region.
3. An interdisciplinary approach that attracts students from various academic backgrounds, including history, geography, sociology, and geology.
4. Multiple specialization tracks covering periods from prehistory to the Islamic era, allowing students to focus on their academic and professional interests.
5. Instruction in English, facilitating further studies at international universities and enabling participation in international research and field projects. This also allows foreign students to join the program.

Targeted Groups and Accepted Majors

Applicants must:

1. Hold a Bachelor's degree from an accredited university.
2. Meet the foreign language requirement as per university instructions.
3. Fulfill any other conditions set by relevant committees and councils.

Job Areas

Graduates can pursue professional, teaching, or supervisory roles in institutions related to archaeology, including:

- Ministry of Tourism and Antiquities
- Department of Antiquities
- Museums.
- Foreign archaeological missions.
- Cultural heritage institutions within the country, such as the Ministry of Culture, Ministry of Municipal Affairs, Public Security, and Tourism Police.

Credit Hours and Tuition Fees

The program requires 33 credit hours, plus any prerequisite courses decided by the Department's graduate studies committee based on the applicant's Bachelor's degree specialization.

Tuition is 70 JOD per credit hour for Jordanian students, and 225 USD for non-Jordanians.

Study Plan Overview

The study plan covers advanced and specialized topics in archaeology, including:

- Archaeological theories
- Scientific research in archaeology, archaeological methods, and fieldwork

Additionally, the study plan offers specialized courses in various archaeological fields such as architecture, art, and methods of interpreting archaeological sites and materials from different periods. This helps students prepare for the comprehensive exam or complete a master's thesis in archaeology.



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