



Yarmouk University

**Faculty of  
Tourism and Hotels**

# Master's in Tourism

## Program Overview

The Master's program in Tourism at Yarmouk University is your way to achieve your goals and develop your business. The Faculty of Tourism and Hotels at Yarmouk University offers the pioneering Master's Program in Tourism in Jordan at the postgraduate level, and has been conferring Master's degrees in Tourism since 1999. This program holds the distinction of being the first in the Arab world to award the same degree, following the universities of the Arab Republic of Egypt.

This initiative was created to address the demands of both the local and Arab markets, taking into account the rapid evolution of the tourism and hospitality sectors in recent years. As hospitality establishments expanded their offerings to meet the increasing

demands of global markets, the tourism industry experienced significant growth due to economic, social, commercial, and industrial advancements worldwide. This led to a pressing requirement for skilled professionals capable of delivering top-notch services to visitors, emphasizing the importance of comprehensive education in tourism and hotel management across all levels and areas of specialization to meet the academic institutions' need for qualified instructors in government and private educational institutions.

## Program Vision

Enhancing education in tourism and related fields in a competitive ethical and innovative setting, both locally and regionally.

## Program Mission

Our mission is to advance the tourism industry at both local and regional levels by preparing exceptional professionals in tourism and hospitality management through high-quality education, research, and community engagement that align with overall development initiatives.

## Program Objectives

- Training specialized administrative personnel in the tourism industry to navigate the growing competition in local, regional, and Arab markets.
- Offering a chance for tourism and hotel sector employees to expand their expertise and advance their professional growth.
- Drawing in students and professionals from Arab nations seeking to improve their career prospects and pursue postgraduate education.
- Establishing a network of productive partnerships with numerous international universities via the program.
- Preparing competent academic staff to teach at public and private universities, institutes, and colleges.
- Assisting in offering tourism advisory services and conducting research in both public and private domains.

## Program Importance

- The first of its kind locally and regionally
- Distinguished teaching staff
- Diverse and distinctive university environment
- Strong infrastructure with TEDQUAL international accreditation
- QS rating (101-150)
- Teaching in English
- The presence of thesis and comprehensive tracks

## Targeted Groups and Accepted Majors

- Holders of a Bachelor's degree in any of the fields of knowledge related to the tourism sector.
- Tourism and hotel management graduates from a mix of Jordanian universities, both public and private, as well as institutions from Arab and foreign nations.
- Individuals with degrees in administrative sciences, languages, journalism, media, and other fields relevant to the tourism and hospitality sector in Jordan.
- Employees engaged in a range of tourism and hotel operations, such as hotels, restaurants, resorts, theme parks, airlines, and more.
- The student must have a bachelor's degree with a good or higher grade.

## Job Areas

If you aspire to enhance your knowledge and leadership abilities to take on leadership roles in tourism management, or if you aim to acquire an academic credential that will pave the way for your postgraduate studies in this field, enrolling in the tourism program is a wise investment for your future. It presents a valuable opportunity to stand out in the expanding job market and positions you to secure promising career prospects in various sectors.

1. The tourism and travel sector in all its fields
2. Hotel establishments sector of all categories
3. Airlines
4. Tourism events
5. Tourist restaurants sector

6. Government sector (tourism)
7. Specialized tourist transportation companies
8. Tourism and travel offices
9. Academic institutions specialized in hospitality and tourism

## Credit Hours and Tuition Fees

- The program consists of 33 credit hours.
- Credit hour fees for Jordanian students: 70 dinars per hour
- Credit hour fees for non-Jordanian students: 225 US dollars per hour

## Study Plan Overview

- The comprehensive examination course's study program plan consists of 33 accredited study hours, covering English language courses designed to equip graduates with the necessary knowledge and skills to excel in the hospitality and tourism sector in local, Arab, and international markets.

- The thesis track comprises 24 study hours, with 15 compulsory hours, 9 optional hours, and 9 hours dedicated to the student's thesis submission.



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