



The Arab Academy hosts the meeting of the Arab working group for Artificial Intelligence

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The Arab Academy for Science, Technology and Maritime Transport, Al Alamein branch hosted the meetings of the Arab working group for artificial intelligence to discuss the first draft of the unified Arab Strategy for artificial intelligence.

The meeting was attended by Prof. Dr. Khaled Wali, Director of the Department of Communications and Information Development at the league of Arab states, Prof. Dr. Sally Radwan, Advisor to the Minister of Communications and Chairman of the Arab team, His Excellency Dr.Ismail Abdel Ghafar Ismail Farag, President of The Arab Academy for Science, Technology and Maritime Transport, and members of the Technical Secretariat of the Council of Arab ministers.

In his speech, His Excellency Dr.Ismail Abdel Ghafar Ismail Farag, President of The Arab Academy, welcomed the attendance, pointing out that the file of artificial intelligence deserves attention, and said: "artificial intelligence is the future, and the main engine of the Fourth Industrial Revolution". Abdel Ghafar said, "it is a pleasure and pride to be among you today at the Arab Academy, one of the organizations affiliated with the league of Arab states, the House of expertise, the technical arm, today the Academy completes • a year of leadership and excellence in education and training to serve the Arab nation from the headquarters country, the Arab Republic of Egypt.

The president of the Academy continued: I welcome you to the new city of Al Alamein, one of the fourth generation cities built by the Arab Republic of Egypt on the Mediterranean coast.

He stressed that artificial intelligence is considered one of the main pillars on which the technology industry is based through the ability of digital machines and computers to perform certain tasks that mimic and resemble those performed by intelligent beings, by exploiting the development and technological expansion in the fields of the Internet of things and digital twinning.

He pointed out that the work strategy within the Academy depends on quality and excellence through goals and vision in line with scientific progress and the needs of the labor market. He stressed that the academy, with its branch in the new city of Al Alamein, becomes the first university in Egypt to establish a faculty of artificial intelligence in order to support innovation, creativity and smart learning to create a stimulating environment for building these intellectual skills.

In this context, the economic and Social Council of the league of Arab states issued a decision to establish the Arab Center for artificial intelligence, which is hosted by the Arab Academy at its branch in the new city of Al Alamein.

For her part, Professor Dr. Sally Radwan, advisor to the minister of communications and Information Technology and head of the Arab team, said, I would like to express my





sincere thanks and appreciation to Professor Dr.Ismail Abdel Ghafar Ismail Farag for attending and hosting the meetings of the Arab working group for artificial intelligence. She explained that the aim of the meeting was to come up with a vision for the strategy to be presented to the Executive Office to be the nucleus of the unified Arab Strategy, expressing her aspiration for a constructive and fruitful meeting that comes out with a principled vision worthy of this distinguished society.

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