



## Deanship of Research

**Vision:** To establish conducive research environment and support that enable KFUPM take an international leadership role in innovative and quality research in cutting edge knowledge and technologies in key areas of significant socio-economic impact.

**Mission:** To provide a stimulating environment and continuous support that empower KFUPM faculty and researchers to enhance its national, regional and international leadership in quality research and scholarly activities in science, engineering, management and other related fields of significant importance to the Kingdom and worldwide.

## RESEARCH CALENDAR (2013 – 2014)

### RESEARCH OFFICE SUBMISSION DEADLINES

First Semester (131)			
SABIC/Fast Track Proposals	Sunday	September 08, 2013	Dhul-Qaadah 02, 1434 H
KFUPM Internal Proposals, Research Group Proposals, Junior Faculty Research Grant, Sabbatical Leave/Release Time, Book-writing, Arabic Book Translation, Societal Grant Proposals, Startup Research Grant	Sunday	September 22, 2013	Dhul-Qaadah 16, 1434 H
KFUPM Undergraduate Research Grant	Sunday	September 22, 2013	Dhul-Qaadah 16, 1434 H
Distinguished University Professorship	Sunday	November 17, 2013	Muharram 14, 1435 H
Excellence in Research Award	Sunday	December 29, 2013	Safar 26, 1435 H
Best Project Award	Sunday	January 05, 2014	Rabi-I 04, 1435 H
Deadline for Processing Invoices dated from 01 July – 20 December 2013 for DSR funded project for the Fiscal Year 2013 is Sunday, December 22, 2013 (Safar 19, 1435 H)			
Second Semester (132)			
Fast Track Proposals	Sunday	February 02, 2014	Rabi-II 02, 1435 H
British Council Award (Summer 2014)	Sunday	February 09, 2014	Rabi-II 09, 1435 H
International Summer Scholarly Program – 2014	Sunday	February 09, 2014	Rabi-II 09, 1435 H
KFUPM Internal Proposals, Research Group Proposals, Junior Faculty Research Grant, Sabbatical Leave/Release Time, Book-writing, Arabic Book Translation, Societal Grant Proposals, Startup Research Grant	Sunday	February 16, 2014	Rabi-II 16, 1435 H
KFUPM Undergraduate Research Grant	Sunday	February 16, 2014	Rabi-II 16, 1435 H
Major Research Equipment Grant	Sunday	March 02, 2014	Jumada I 01, 1435 H
Deadline for Processing Invoices dated from 01 January – 23 May 2014 and all other Financial Transactions including Business Trip Request before Summer Audit for DSR funded project for the Fiscal Year 2014 is Sunday, May 25, 2014 (Rajab 26, 1435 H)			

### NSTIP RESEARCH PROPOSAL SUBMISSION DEADLINES

(First Semester – 131)			
Pre-proposals	Sunday	November 10, 2013	Muharram 07, 1435 H
Detailed Proposals	Sunday	December 29, 2013	Safar 26, 1435 H
Revised Proposals	Sunday	February 02, 2014	Rabi-II 02, 1435 H
(Second Semester – 132)			
Pre-proposals	Sunday	March 16, 2014	Jumada I 15, 1435 H
Detailed Proposals	Sunday	May 04, 2014	Rajab 05, 1435 H
Revised Proposals	Sunday	May 25, 2014	Rajab 26, 1435 H

Deadline for Processing all other Financial Transactions before Summer Audit and Receiving NSTIP Business Trip Request for the Academic Year 2013 – 2014 is Sunday, May 04, 2014 (Rajab 05, 1435 H)

### KACST ANNUAL PROGRAM SUBMISSION DEADLINES

(First Semester – 131)			
Pre-proposals	Sunday	September 22, 2013	Dhul-Qaadah 16, 1434 H
Detailed Proposals	Sunday	November 10, 2013	Muharram 07, 1435 H
Revised Proposals	Sunday	December 15, 2013	Safar 12, 1435 H
(Second Semester – 132)			
Pre-proposals	Sunday	February 23, 2014	Rabi-II 23, 1435 H
Detailed Proposals	Sunday	April 06, 2014	Jumada II 06, 1435 H
Revised Proposals	Sunday	April 27, 2014	Jumada II 27, 1435 H

### CONFERENCE ATTENDANCE REQUEST BLACKOUT DATES

First Semester (131)			
Faculty Reporting Week	Sun - Thu	18 - 29 August 2013	11 - 22 Shawwal 1435 H
First Week of Classes	Sun - Thu	01 - 05 September 2013	25 - 29 Shawwal 1435 H
Final Exam Period (Including One Week before Final Exam)	Sun - Wed	22 December 2013 - 08 January 2014	19 Safar - 07 Rabi-I 1435 H
Second Semester (132)			
First Week of Classes	Sun - Thu	26 - 30 January, 2014	25 - 29 Rabi-I, 1435 H
Final Exam Period (Including One Week before Final Exam)	Sun - Wed	11 - 28 May, 2014	12 - 29 Rajab, 1435 H

\* Faculty Members are not Supported for the Conference Attendance for the following:

- During the Blackout Dates Periods and
- During any Official Summer Assignments Periods

Deadline for Receiving Conference Attendance Request for the Academic Year 2013 – 2014 is Sunday, May 10, 2014 (Rajab 11, 1435 H)

#### SEPTEMBER 2013

10	Shawwal 1434			Dhul Qadah		11
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 ٢٥	2 ٢٦	3 ٢٧	4 ٢٨	5 ٢٩	6 ٣٠	7 ١
8 ٢	9 ٣	10 ٤	11 ٥	12 ٦	13 ٧	14 ٨
15 ٩	16 ١٠	17 ١١	18 ١٢	19 ١٣	20 ١٤	21 ١٥
22 ١٦	23 ١٧	24 ١٨	25 ١٩	26 ٢٠	27 ٢١	28 ٢٢
29 ٢٣	30 ٢٤					

#### NOVEMBER

12	Dhul Hijjah			Muharram 1435		1
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1 ١٧	2 ١٨
3 ١٩	4 ٢٠	5 ٢١	6 ٢٢	7 ٢٣	8 ٢٤	9 ٢٥
10 ٢٦	11 ٢٧	12 ٢٨	13 ٢٩	14 ٣٠	15 ١	16 ٢
17 ٣	18 ٤	19 ٥	20 ٦	21 ٧	22 ٨	23 ٩
24 ١٠	25 ١١	26 ١٢	27 ١٣	28 ١٤	29 ١٥	30 ١٦

#### JANUARY 2014

2	Safar				Rabi-I		3
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
			1 ٢٩	2 ١	3 ٢	4 ٣	
5 ٤	6 ٥	7 ٦	8 ٧	9 ٨	10 ٩	11 ١٠	
12 ١١	13 ١٢	14 ١٣	15 ١٤	16 ١٥	17 ١٦	18 ١٧	
19 ١٨	20 ١٩	21 ٢٠	22 ٢١	23 ٢٢	24 ٢٣	25 ٢٤	
26 ٢٥	27 ٢٦	28 ٢٧	29 ٢٨	30 ٢٩	31 ٣٠		

#### MARCH

4		Rabi-I			Jumada-I		5
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
30 ٢٩	31 ٣٠					1 ٢٩	
2 ١	3 ٢	4 ٣	5 ٤	6 ٥	7 ٦	8 ٧	
9 ٨	10 ٩	11 ١٠	12 ١١	13 ١٢	14 ١٣	15 ١٤	
16 ١٥	17 ١٦	18 ١٧	19 ١٨	20 ١٩	21 ٢٠	22 ٢١	
23 ٢٢	24 ٢٣	25 ٢٤	26 ٢٥	27 ٢٦	28 ٢٧	29 ٢٨	

#### MAY

7		Rajab			Shaaban		8
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
				1 ١	2 ٢	3 ٣	
4 ٤	5 ٥	6 ٦	7 ٧	8 ٨	9 ٩	10 ١٠	
11 ١١	12 ١٢	13 ١٣	14 ١٤	15 ١٥	16 ١٦	17 ١٧	
18 ١٨	19 ١٩	20 ٢٠	21 ٢١	22 ٢٢	23 ٢٣	24 ٢٤	
25 ٢٥	26 ٢٦	27 ٢٧	28 ٢٨	29 ٢٩	30 ٣٠	31 ٣١	

#### JULY

9	Ramadhan			Shawwal		10
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1 ٤	2 ٥	3 ٦	4 ٧	5 ٨
6 ٩	7 ١٠	8 ١١	9 ١٢	10 ١٣	11 ١٤	12 ١٥
13 ١٦	14 ١٧	15 ١٨	16 ١٩	17 ٢٠	18 ٢١	19 ٢٢
20 ٢٣	21 ٢٤	22 ٢٥	23 ٢٦	24 ٢٧	25 ٢٨	26 ٢٩
27 ٣٠	28 ٣١					

#### SEPTEMBER

11 Dhul Qadah			Dhul Hijjah			12
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 ٦	2 ٧	3 ٨	4 ٩	5 ١٠	6 ١١
7 ١٢	8 ١٣	9 ١٤	10 ١٥	11 ١٦	12 ١٧	13 ١٨
14 ١٩	15 ٢٠	16 ٢١	17 ٢٢	18 ٢٣	19 ٢٤	20 ٢٥
21 ٢٦	22 ٢٧	23 ٢٨	24 ٢٩	25 ١	26 ٢	27 ٣
28 ٤	29 ٥	30 ٦	31			

#### OCTOBER

11 Dhul Qadah			Dhul Hijjah			12
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1 ٢٥	2 ٢٦	3 ٢٧	4 ٢٨	5 ٢٩
6 ١	7 ٢	8 ٣	9 ٤	10 ٥	11 ٦	12 ٧
13 ٨	14 ٩	15 ١٠	16 ١١	17 ١٢	18 ١٣	19 ١٤
20 ١٥	21 ١٦	22 ١٧	23 ١٨	24 ١٩	25 ٢٠	26 ٢١
27 ٢٢	28 ٢٣	29 ٢٤	30 ٢٥	31 ٢٦		

#### DECEMBER

1 Muharram			Safar 2			
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 ٢٨	2 ٢٩	3 ٣٠	4 ١	5 ٢	6 ٣	7 ٤
8 ٥	9 ٦	10 ٧	11 ٨	12 ٩	13 ١٠	14 ١١
15 ١٢	16 ١٣	17 ١٤	18 ١٥	19 ١٦	20 ١٧	21 ١٨
22 ١٩	23 ٢٠	24 ٢١	25 ٢٢	26 ٢٣	27 ٢٤	28 ٢٥
29 ٢٦	30 ٢٧	31 ٢٨				

#### FEBRUARY

4 Rabi-II			Rabi-II 4			
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
						1 ١
2 ٢	3 ٣	4 ٤	5 ٥	6 ٦	7 ٧	8 ٨
9 ٩	10 ١٠	11 ١١	12 ١٢	13 ١٣	14 ١٤	15 ١٥
16 ١٦	17 ١٧	18 ١٨	19 ١٩	20 ٢٠	21 ٢١	22 ٢٢
23 ٢٣	24 ٢٤	25 ٢٥	26 ٢٦	27 ٢٧	28 ٢٨	

#### APRIL

6		Jumada-II			Rajab		7
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
		1 ١	2 ٢	3 ٣	4 ٤	5 ٥	
6 ٦	7 ٧	8 ٨	9 ٩	10 ١٠	11 ١١	12 ١٢	
13 ١٣	14 ١٤	15 ١٥	16 ١٦	17 ١٧	18 ١٨	19 ١٩	
20 ٢٠	21 ٢١	22 ٢٢	23 ٢٣	24 ٢٤	25 ٢٥	26 ٢٦	
27 ٢٧	28 ٢٨	29 ٢٩	30 ٣٠				

#### JUNE

8 Shaaban			Ramadhan			9
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1 ٣	2 ٤	3 ٥	4 ٦	5 ٧	6 ٨	7 ٩
8 ١٠	9 ١١	10 ١٢	11 ١٣	12 ١٤	13 ١٥	14 ١٦
15 ١٧	16 ١٨	17 ١٩	18 ٢٠	19 ٢١	20 ٢٢	21 ٢٣
22 ٢٤	23 ٢٥	24 ٢٦	25 ٢٧	26 ٢٨	27 ٢٩	28 ٣٠
29 ٣١	30 ٣٢					

#### AUGUST

10 Shawwal			Dhul Qadah 11			
SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
31 ٥					1 ٥	2 ٦
3 ٧	4 ٨	5 ٩	6 ١٠	7 ١١	8 ١٢	9 ١٣
10 ١٤	11 ١٥	12 ١٦	13 ١٧	14 ١٨	15 ١٩	16 ٢٠
17 ٢١	18 ٢٢	19 ٢٣	20 ٢٤	21 ٢٥	22 ٢٦	23 ٢٧
24 ٢٨	25 ٢٩	26 ٣٠	27 ٣١	28 ١	29 ٢	30 ٣

FIRST SEMESTER (131)

SECOND SEMESTER (132)

SUMMER SESSION (133)

EXAMS PERIOD