



# Sustainable Development Goals



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Encouraging the establishment of peaceful communities where no one is marginalized is essential for achieving sustainable development. This involves ensuring that everyone has access to justice, building effective and accountable institutions that are inclusive at all levels, and significantly reducing illicit flows of money and weapons. Additionally, it includes enhancing the recovery and return of stolen assets and combating all forms of organized crime..

### College of Law

The College of Law and Political Science at Alnoor University organized a scientific event titled “Cultural Diversity in Iraq: Challenges of Authority and Opportunities for Coexistence,” in collaboration between the Continuing Education Unit and the Human Rights Unit of the college, and in coordination with the Iraqi Center for Documentation of Extremism Crimes. The event began with the opening of an exhibition showcasing students’ works that expressed their perspectives on the concept of cultural diversity from legal, humanitarian, and intellectual angles. This was followed by two scientific lectures: the first, delivered by Professor Dr. Qais Nasser Rahi, discussed *cultural diversity and the challenge of authority*, while the second, presented by Assistant Professor Dr. Ahmed Mustafa Ali, Dean of the College of Law at Alnoor University, addressed *opportunities for coexistence and integration in Iraqi society*. At the conclusion of the event, participants were honored with certificates of appreciation and symbolic shields in recognition of their contributions to the success of this academic gathering. Prior to the start of the activity, Professor Dr. Ismail Abdulwahab, Assistant President of Alnoor University for Scientific Affairs, received the delegation of the Iraqi Center for Documentation of Extremism Crimes in his office, where they discussed prospects for joint academic cooperation and ways to strengthen scholarly efforts in promoting the values of diversity and coexistence.

