



# Sustainable Development Goals



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Cities are hubs for ideas, trade, culture, science, production, social development, and other human activities. They play a crucial role in enabling people to achieve social and economic advancement. It is essential to mobilize support to ensure that policymakers are convinced of the need to include access to information in national and regional development plans.

Alnoor University stood out among its Iraqi counterparts at the University Theatre Festival organized by the Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research for the year 2025, winning the Best Stage Set Design Award out of participation from twenty-seven Iraqi universities. It is worth noting that Alnoor Cinema and Theatre Troupe, which was recently established, took part in the festival under the Student Activities Department. The actors and crew members of the troupe come from various colleges and departments of the university, including Applied Arts, Pharmacy, the English Language Department at the College of Education, as well as Visual Techniques and Anesthesia in the College of Health and Medical Technologies. The participation was crowned with a promising and serious outcome through the university's support and nurturing of young and creative talents. Alnoor University Theatre is expected to be inaugurated soon, serving as an international launching platform for purposeful theatrical and cinematic activities that promote noble and lofty values within society. In celebration of this achievement, Professor Dr. Yassin Taha Al-Hajjar met with the participating students and their instructors and awarded them certificates of appreciation, in the presence of the Scientific Assistant, the Dean of the College of Applied Arts, the Media Advisor, and the Assistant Dean of the college.

