**In the beginning, I am very pleased to welcome you to the gate of Deanship of Student Affairs in Alamjmaah University that will provide its services for all researchers of faculty members, female and male students and society members.**

**Undoubtedly, information has become the most essential element in the development of any nation in our era. The standard of measuring any advanced nation is the amount of knowledge and information it possesses; and therefore this era has been called: "Information Era". It is very obvious that academic libraries are the most important knowledge and information repositories. Thus; Deanship of Libraries Affairs has started developing its libraries as university libraries are working on providing information resources and objects in different forms. Also, Deanship of Libraries Affairs provides textbooks and services for all users in a very convenient environment. It also seeks to make some electronic resources and databases available for all users as it is in pursuit of supporting the educational process. In the near future, students will be trained how to utilize these electronic resources. Since the three basic missions for any university to tackle are research, education and teaching and community service, Almajmaah university libraries is in pursuit of tackling these three missions so it is providing information resources for scientific research and improving the educational process. Moreover, Deanship is seeking to design a program for communicating with the surrounding community.**

**Deanship of Libraries Affairs has not stopped at the traditional role of a library, but it also does its best to keep up with the latest technology that serves researchers such as mechanizing libraries. To do this, a contract was signed with one of the pioneer companies in the field of publication and libraries services to mechanize catalogs of university libraries through inserting bibliographic data of the groups and ensuring quality bibliographic recording pursuant to international criteria. The company has started working effectively on this project, and hopefully it will be over not later than four months. They will start planning to establish a digital institutional repository for Almajmaah University on the internet that provides all scientific production for teaching staff. Currently, Deanship is now improving its website to be a gate provides everything users need no matter the distance and time differences. Since information technology always presents new things rapidly, Deanship's efforts will be constant to keep up with the latest technology in storing books.**

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