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## Summary of the milestones achieved by the department of Mechanical Engineering

The significant milestones achieved by the department of Mechanical Engineering during the current academic year 1439-1440 are as follows:

- **1.** The bachelor's program in mechanical engineering has the full accreditation from the NCAAA, thus becoming the second program in mechanical engineering in KSA to obtain full accreditation along with the mechanical engineering program at King Saud University. The MED at College of Engineering now is Accredited by ABET as well as NCAAA.
- **2.** New bachelor's degree curriculum plan and registration of students started from the first semester of the academic year 1439-1440.
- **3.** The Master of Science program in Mechanical Engineering has been approved in specialization: Renewable Energy and Environment. Admission to the program opened.
- **4.** Successful completion of 24 graduation projects, the project of Dr. Sofiene Mellouli achieved the second place and the project of Dr. Mustafa Abdel Mohaiman achieved the third place in the innovation competition organized by the Center of talent and creativity and entrepreneurship at King Khalid University.
- **5.** Arranged 16 training courses, attended by 227 students from different departments.
- **6.** Arranged two training courses at the level of the Deanship of Community Service and Continuing Education, attended by 27 trainees.
- **7.** Arranged 6 scientific visits to the following organizations: Al-Shakira desalination plant, Abha power station, Water treatment plant in Abha, Almarai Company in Khamis Mushait.
- **8.** Publication of 51 research articles in scientific journals indexed in Science Citation Index (ISI), 6 research publications in scientific conferences and 4 chapters in scientific books.
- 9. The department received the award of the Best Cited Researcher at KKU (Dr. Irfan).
- **10.** Participating in the 14<sup>th</sup> scientific research day at King Khalid University with 3 scientific research publications by the following faculty: Vineet Tirth, Ahmed Salil and Fahmy Oamoun.
- 11. The football team won the award of the champion for the College of Engineering in 2018.
- **12.** The Department won the second place in the annual cross-country race (1440H) (Dr. Mohamed Abdel Basset).

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