#### The Topics:

- > The archaeology and heritage of Kurdistan.
- The role of historical studies in consolidating citizen's loyalty and belonging.
- Geography, citizenship and national loyalty.
- The Media and its role and influence on the loyalty and nationalism of the Kurdistani citizenship.
- Political awareness and loyalty and nation building process.
- > Loyalty, patriotism, social and anthropological research.
- Loyalty and nation building from a social and psychological perspectives.
- Loyalty and nation building from the perspective of education.
- Loyalty and nation building from the perspective of religion and law.
- Loyalty and nation building from a geopolitical perspective.
- > Loyalty, nation building, planning, and social policy.
- Language and loyalty.

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#### The Aims:

- > This Conference promotes and facilitates new multifaceted approaches to one of the core issues of our time, namely loyalty and nation-building and will explain why and in what respects they succeeded or failed. The Conference encourages academics and scholars to meet and exchange ideas and views in an international forum stimulating respectful dialogue. This event will afford an exceptional opportunity for renewing old acquaintances, making new contacts, networking, and facilitating partnerships across national and disciplinary borders. The conferences present those taking part with three unique dimensions of experience, encouraging interdisciplinary discussion, facilitating heightened intercultural awareness and promoting international exchange. The Kurdistani nationbuilding, refers to the ways in which national identities are constructed and communicated. The experience of nation building in Kurdistan Region of Iraq primarily refers to a domestic process in which the regional government attempt to overcome pre-existing cultural, ethnic, linguistic, or religious divisions in order to forge a national identity and consolidate the loyalty of the Kurdistani individual toward Kurdistan.
- Loyalty is related to the process of association and interaction of individuals with groups and communities. All these elements are connected to the Homeland, the people, and the community. The people of Kurdistan, like many other nations in the region, faced and are still facing many multidimensional challenges and obstacles related to the issue of loyalty, citizenship and patriotism.
- > The College of Arts at Salahaddin University, proudly commemorated its 50th anniversary of its founding at its first international conference, considers it as its duty to make the question of loyalty and patriotism and the problems of belonging and citizenship a matter of academic issue. The main purpose of this conference is to investigate the reality of the Kurdistani citizen's loyalty and belonging, the level of citizenship and patriotism, The Conference tries to answer the following questions: Does Nation Building Increase the Strength of Citizen Loyalty? What are the main challenges facing the process of nation building, patriotism and belonging? How can we build up citizenship? How do we classify the problems of individual's belonging to Kurdistan? What are the reasons for the weakness and strength in the process of nation-building, and nationalization of individual in Kurdistan? How can we develop a sense of belonging and citizenship?



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## Important Dates:

- Announcement of the conference on(1/10/2022)
- Receipt of paper summaries between (15/10 30/11/2022)
- Receipt of research between (15/11 20/1/2023)
- Holding the conference on (1-2/3/2023)

# **Requirements and Regulations**

- paper must be written within the framework of the conference's objectives and themes prepared according to the terms and criteria of academic research.
- > The paper should not have been previously published or presented at any previous conferences.
- The number of pages should not exceed (20) pages and not be less than (10) pages, the size (A4) of which are: margins, references, and attachments.
- After sending an e-subscription form and verifying registration in the conference, the partner will be notified under the username and password that allows him/her to send an electronic picture of the paper summary, and must be on a Microsoft Word program. Or write writer, provided that the font is written in Kurdish (Unikurd Goran) size: 14 and the font in Arabic (Traditional Arabic) size: 14 and the Times New Roman font: And the font is 12, to the margins of the page at the top and bottom (2.5 cm), to the right (1.5 cm) and to the left (2.5 cm). and Harvard's system should be considered in writing the paper.
- > The languages of the conference are: Kurdish, Arabic and English.
- Summaries must not exceed (200-400) words.
- > Abstracts and the papers will be reviewed.
- ➢ If a joint paper is written, at least one researcher must attend the conference.
- The researcher must attach a summary of his/her C.V. in one of the languages (Kurdish, Arabic or English)
- The approved paper will be published in a special volume of Salahaddin University's journal for Humanity Science and on the conference's website.
- Participants in the conference abroad should pay \$100, and researchers from the Kurdistan Region and inside Iraq will be paying \$50 to participate in research instead of: (Publishing research, bagging, staying and eating conference days).

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