

University: Al-Mustaqbal University

Country: Iraq

Web Address: <https://uomus.edu.iq/en/default.aspx>

SDG1 No Poverty

1.4.3 Does your university as a body organize training or programs to improve access to basic services for all?

Yes,

Al-Mustaqbal University is located in a rural area. Therefore, its outreach represented by training and programs that improves the access of our local community to basic services is biased towards the people living in this area. Multiple initiatives and activities that aim at providing these rural areas have been conducted. These initiatives include providing clean and affordable energy ensuring food security by providing good quality seeds to farmers that are struggling to achieve their basic needs.

- Installing a [water heater powered by solar power](#) to a number of buildings in Babylon Province such as the Shrine of Prophet Abraham.
- Installing [an irrigation system powered by solar energy](#). The system was first installed in the gardens of MUC to see its feasibility and efficiency in providing irrigation without consuming energy. Since its success, it has been installed in several farms located in the rural areas surrounding MUC.

