

## **The university franchise**

### **1 .The concept of university franchises**

A university franchise is a concept that expresses the strengths of a university, and in which the security forces cannot interfere without prior approval from those responsible. There is a close link between the concept of university franchises and academic freedom, the concept of university franchises assumes that the university president is qualified and authorised to maintain order and security at the university.

### **2. University Franchise Royalties**

The university franchise concept requires a set of conditions, as follows:

- The autonomy of the teaching staff
- Perpetuate the values of tolerance and non-discrimination.
- Ensure the safety of personnel and maintenance of equipment and structures.
- Ensuring compliance with health, safety, and environmental regulations.
- Respecting appropriate dress.
- Commercial activities are not permitted without authorisation from the appropriate authorities
- The university is a public space that offers a public service to the community.

### **3. University campus actors الجهات الفاعلة في الحرم الجامعي**

A campus university is a British term for a university situated on one site, with student accommodation, teaching and research facilities, and leisure activities all together. It is derived from the Latin term campus, meaning "a flat expanse of land, plain, field. It includes individuals and organisations that define the relationship between them and the proper functioning of the campus.

The following bodies regulate these relations:

- **The Rector of the University and the management staff** رئيس الجامعة والطاقم الإداري

(Vice-Presidents, Secretary General of the University, Deans of the Faculties, Directors of the Institutes, Vice-Deans, Vice-Directors, Secretaries General of the Faculties and Institutes, Heads of Departments, Deputy Heads of Departments)

- **The Board of Directors** مجلس الإدارة

Comprises representatives of the State and elected officials from the university family and the major employment sectors.

- **University Ethics Council** مجلس أخلاقيات الجامعة

It is a special body made up of senior members of the teaching staff with a reputation for good behaviour and ethical standards. It guarantees compliance with university ethics and deontology,

- **Disciplinary council** المجلس التأديبي

These bodies ensure that students comply with the general rules of discipline and that order is maintained on the premises of the University.

- **Joint Commission** اللجنة المشتركة

These are committees responsible for considering all individual employee matters.

It consists of an equal number of institution representatives and elected employee representatives.

#### 4. Cultural and sporting activities الأنشطة الثقافية والرياضية

- **Scientific Club** النادي العلمي :for practising scientific and cultural activities organised by students within the Institution
- **Cultural and sports associations** الجمعيات الثقافية والرياضية : are accredited and licensed not-for-profit voluntary groups whose members pool their knowledge and resources to promote and encourage activities in a wide range of non-political areas.

#### 5. Social partners شركاء اجتماعيون

- **Workers' trade unions** النقابة العمالية : are a legal structure for workers to have representation and defence of their interests.
- **Student unions** الاتحادات الطلابية : These are associations whose aim is to defend the interests of students, to promote the standards of education and to help to create the conditions for good teaching practice .