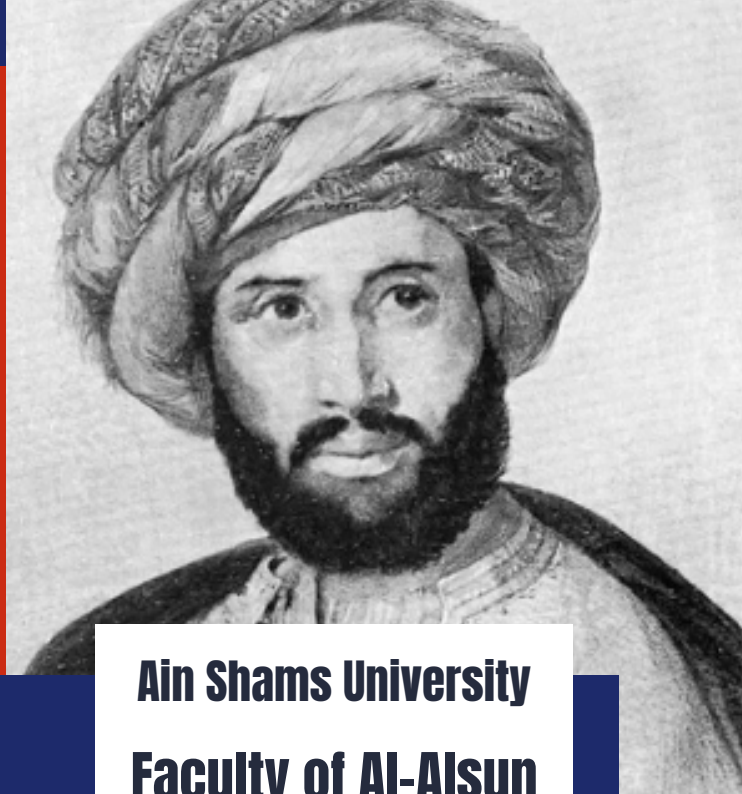


# Program Admission Requirements

- Passing both written and oral admission tests (minimum score: 60%) is required for acceptance
- Applicants for the simultaneous interpreting minor must pass a physical exam confirming clear hearing, sight, and articulation.



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## Written Translation and Simultaneous Interpreting Program in **English**

# Why the Written Translation and Simultaneous Interpreting Program in English?

1 The program is based on the latest educational systems.

2 It provides its students with comprehensive knowledge, which ultimately qualifies and distinguishes them in the job market, as compared to peers of the same major, from other universities.

3 It comprises a number of curricula that develop the student's personality and boost his/her intellectual, academic, practical and professional skills.

4 It aims at grooming professional translators and interpreters capable of catering for market needs, locally, regionally and internationally.

5 Students get the chance to join a competitive UN-sponsored training program.



## Language of Instruction

Specialized courses are taught in **English** as the primary language, in addition to courses taught in **Arabic**, as well as in **French**, **Spanish**, or **German** as a second foreign language.

## Number of Study Years / Credit Hours Required for Graduation

4 academic years / 144 credit hours distributed across 4 levels over 8 semesters (each semester lasts a minimum of 14 weeks)

The student can choose to specialize in either of the two following specializations: Written Translation OR Simultaneous Interpreting.

To specialize in the latter, the student must score 90% or higher in the Introduction to Oral Interpretation course from and into Arabic, in addition to passing a test in oral interpretation.

## Field Training During Study

- Field training is a graduation requirement, whereby the student must finish 60 hours of training throughout the 4 years of study. It is evaluated as Pass/Fail only, and is not included in the GPA.
- The program qualifies its students for training at various organizations, such as:
  - The National Center for Translation
  - Berlitz Language Services
  - VOIS Vodafone Egypt
  - Dar Al Riwaq Publishing
  - Arabize Company

# Agreements and International Cooperation

## Agreement with the UNITED NATIONS

Selected students from the program have the opportunity to receive professional training at the UN headquarters in Vienna, Austria.



## Career Opportunities After Graduation

- Written translation and simultaneous interpreting in diverse sectors.
- Teaching in schools, universities, and language centers.
- Employment in diplomatic missions, embassies, and consulates.
- Roles in journalism, radio broadcasting, and television.
- Opportunities with international companies and multinational corporations.
- Careers in the tourism industry.