

Regional Academic Initiatives: Middle East and Africa

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United Arab Emirates

- **Higher Colleges of Technology - UAE**
 - Associate of Applied Science Degree with a specialisation in Customs Administration (2 years / 4 semesters)
 - Bachelor of Applied Science in Business Administration, major in Customs Administration (4 years / 8 semesters)

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- **Higher Colleges of Technology - UAE**
 - Collaboration with Abu Dhabi Customs
 - Expected to commence in 2012
 - Language: Arabic

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Jordan

■ University of Jordan

- Diploma in Customs Administration (1 year)
- 12-14 subjects delivered over 1 year
- Diploma program will eventually lead to establishment of a Master's programme

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- Expected to commence: 2012-2013
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Palestine

■ **Birzeit University**

- Certificate in Revenue Administration (1 year)
- Certificate in Customs Legal Studies (1 year)
- National Customs Broker Certificate (1 year)

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■ Collaboration with Palestinian Customs

■ Expected to commence: 2012

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- Collaboration with Palestinian Customs
- Expected to commence: 2012
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- **Imam Mohammed Islamic University**
 - Considering university programs in Customs
 - Collaboration with Saudi Customs

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Morocco

■ Cadi Ayyad University

- Plans to establish Research Centre in Customs Management, Taxation, and International Commerce
- Project is supported by the Regional and National Moroccan Customs authorities

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- **East & Southern Africa Management Institute (ESAMI)**
 - Masters of Business Administration (MBA) with a specialisation in Customs Management (2 years)

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 - Commenced in July 2011
 - Next intake - July 2012
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 - Master's of Science in Fiscal Studies (2 years)

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