

## Facts about Nile University

- 1- Nile University was established in 2006 as a private, non-profit research University according to law number 101 for the year 1992 concerning the establishment of private universities. Nile University is not owned by any individual nor group of individuals.
- 2- The University was founded by a non-governmental organization abiding to the laws of non-governmental associations and organizations under the name of the **Egyptian Foundation for Technological Education Development (EFTED)** which was registered on March 25<sup>th</sup>, 2003 with registration number 1777. The Foundation includes 55 members consisting of university professors, medical doctors, scientists, and heads of reputable organizations both as representatives of their own selves or of their organizations.  
  
One of the Foundation's main objectives was to establish the first independent, non-profit, Egyptian, technological university. The foundation is of public nature which clears without any doubt the possibility, both in the present and the future, of profitability to its members.
- 3- The main objective of the University is the enhancement of the education process and the emphasis on the value of scientific research and innovation as well as the development of qualified human resources that match the needs of the community and the industry to achieve sustainable economic development.
- 4- The Higher Council for Private and Independent Universities has approved the transfer of Nile University from a private to an independent university on January 20<sup>th</sup>, 2011 according to law number 12 for the year 2009. This decision confirms the independent and non-profit nature of the University as stipulated in article 15 of that law. As per the articles of that law, the University also falls under the supervision of the Higher Council and the Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research.
- 5- Nile University takes pride in its ability to recruit a large number of capable and young Egyptian scientists from the expatriate community abroad to participate with local scientists in taking an active part in the education process as a service to their country and for the sake of scientific advancement.
- 6- The University continues to pursue its academic and scientific activities from its headquarters in the Smart Village with the support of individuals and organizations who care for Egypt's educational advancement and the future of students, faculty members and researchers.