

**UAEU**

## Daily monitoring report

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### Vision

"Leadership and innovation in higher education, research and community service at national and international levels."

### Mission

"UAEU will continue its positive contribution to the advancement of UAE by delivering undergraduate and graduate education that meets international standards, engaging effectively with the community and the world to foster knowledge creation and dissemination, and enhancing the research capacity of the country"



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## UAE research: bacteria discovered in petroleum sludge found to 'eat' pollution

It is the choking black grease that suffocates fish and weighs down birds, but now a bacteria found in petroleum sludge has been found that could "eat" water pollutants. Recent work by researchers at UAE University in Al Ain could help take the long-used method of bioremediation — the use of microorganisms to break down pollutants — a step forward. Dr Salman Ashraf and Dr Ranjit Vijayan have identified a strain of *Bacillus cereus* bacteria from petroleum sludge that can, in just hours, break down pollutants in water. They have named it UAEU-H3K6M1, after the university.



## UAEU signs MoU with Abu Dhabi Businesswomen Council

The MoU was signed by Professor Ghaleb Al Hadrami, UAEU Deputy Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, on behalf of H.E. Professor Mohammed Albaili, UAEU Vice Chancellor, and Dr. Huda Al Matroushi, Board Member of ADBWC, on behalf of H.E. Mariam Al Rumaithi, ADBWC Chairwoman.



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