



We want to hear from you and encourage you to share this newsletter with your faculty and spark conversations with relevant departments for more information.

- **Eid Mubarak!** The Newsworthy team and the Public Relations and Information Department wishes all faculty and staff a well-deserved Eid break. We look forward to your continued Newsworthy contributions following the holiday.
- KFUPM has been approved to host a student chapter of the **Society for Mining, Metallurgy & Exploration** (SME). This chapter will offer students interested in these fields opportunities to learn about current industry trends, develop their skills through workshops and trips, and participate in competitions and conferences. SME is a global organization for mining and mineral professionals, and this chapter will connect KFUPM students with this vast network.
- The College of Petroleum Engineering & Geosciences recently hosted the American Association of Petroleum Geologist's **Imperial Barrel Award** competition for the Middle East. Teams from six regional universities competed in themes of Petroleum systems, Carbon Sequestration, or Geothermal resources by performing case studies that mirror real world project workflows. KFUPM's team won the semi-finals in the new Carbon Capture, Utilization & Storage theme and will compete in the Global Final competition in May.
- The College of Petroleum Engineering & Geosciences recently held its **Dean's List recognition ceremony** for top-performing students who excelled in the Fall semester. Students were congratulated for their excellent academic performance and encouraged to keep making their institution proud, while also advised to continue broadening their experiences and to consider that failure is also one of the unavoidable stepping stones on the path to success. To qualify for the Dean's List at CPG, students must be among the top 10% of their classmates, in addition to other criteria, and repeat winners received special recognition.
- The College of Petroleum Engineering & Geosciences organized a **Flow Assurance Technology Symposium** event titled, "Towards Sustainable, Digital and Economical Solutions." The symposium brought together experts on the complex subject of fluid flow through pipes, addressing critical issues such as corrosion, organic solids deposition, multiphase flow, and scale control. The event drew presenters and attendees from more than 12 countries and afforded various opportunities for knowledge exchange and discussion.
- Registration for the academic year 2024-2025 is well underway. KFUPM successfully attracted **1,250 distinguished students** through its early admission track, enhancing the process with a new Statement of Purpose requirement and the introduction of a KFUPM-Tahsili exam.