

10 YEARS OF MILESTONES

Welcomed inaugural Class of 2014, some 140 students from nearly 40 countries

2010

First research grants are announced for:
- The Library of Arabic Literature
- Neuroscience of Language Lab
Center for Technology and Economic Development

Welcomed the Class of 2015, some 160 students from nearly 60 countries

2011

Hosted first ever International Hackathon for the Social Good in the Arab World

NYUAD hosts inaugural Sila Abu Dhabi Conference

Welcomed the Class of 2016, over 150 students from over 65 countries

2012

Student team wins Hult Global Challenge

NYUAD senior named Rhodes scholar

Welcomed the Class of 2017, some 175 students from almost 70 countries

2013

Research capabilities bolstered by the most advanced supercomputer in the UAE

Celebrated NYUAD's inaugural graduating class

Welcomed the Class of 2018, some 260 students from over 75 countries

2014

Celebrated first two Falcon Scholars (now recognized as Rhodes Scholars)

Launched global PhD fellowship programs

The NYUAD Art Gallery's inaugural exhibition

Class of 2015 graduate awarded first Fulbright grant for NYUAD

Welcomed the Class of 2019, nearly 300 students from over 80 countries

2015

Hosted first NYUAD Institute Research Conference

First public performance at The Arts Center at NYUAD

Three NYUAD students selected as Rhodes Scholars

Welcomed the Class of 2020, more than 320 students from some 75 countries

2016

Two Schwarzman Scholars announced

Celebrated first two Yenching Scholars

Launched global accelerator for startups, startAD

Two NYUAD students named Rhodes Scholars

Welcomed the Class of 2021, over 360 students from over 85 countries

2017

Launched first-of-its-kind national public health study, UAE Healthy Future study

Two NYUAD students named Rhodes Scholars

NYUAD student receives Fulbright grant

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Welcomed the Class of 2022, more than 385 students from some 80 countries

2018

Two students selected as Rhodes Scholars

Celebrated first global PhD fellow graduates

First NYUAD student selected as AI Ghurair STEM Scholar

Two students receive Fulbright grants

Two students selected as Schwarzman Scholars

Welcomed the Class of 2023, tenth and largest incoming class, over 400 students from more than 80 countries

2019

Welcomed Mariët Westermann as Vice Chancellor

Two more Rhodes Scholars announced, bringing the total to 14 Rhodes Scholars in 7 years

Published Akkasah: NYUAD's Center for Photography's 10,000th image

Celebrated first Luce Scholar

Announced inaugural master's programs

One NYUAD student named a Schwarzman Scholar, bringing the total to 6

Welcomed the Class of 2020, more than 320 students from some 75 countries

2020

Celebrated The Institute's 10-year anniversary

First Ride for Zayed

Alumnus selected as Yenching Scholar

Two seniors named Schwarzman Scholars

First five year reunion bringing back alumni from the Class of 2014 to the campus and the city

Former US Secretary of State John Kerry and UAE Minister of State for Foreign Affairs HE Anwar Mohammed Gargash spoke at Commencement

Welcomed the Class of 2021, over 360 students from over 85 countries

HERE, WE GROW

Celebrating 10 years
of milestones since
inception

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