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## List of Acronyms

This table shows the acronyms used in this deliverable in alphabetical order.

| Acronym | Description                  |
|---------|------------------------------|
| EC      | European Commission          |
| EU      | European Union               |
| HE      | Higher Education             |
| HEI     | Higher Education Institution |
| PC      | Partner Countries            |

## **1 Executive Summary**

This report presents the forming the committee of practices in each institutions at both partner countries. The committee of practice will consist of staff, students and general union of disabled. It will responsible for defining the specific needs (via interviews and questionnaires) for students with disabilities in order to provide the suitable accommodation. The best accommodations are unique to the individual and develop from a cooperative relationship between staff and student.

The report was based on the request from each partner to provide us the members of committee.

## **2 Introduction:**

People with disabilities have the right to equal opportunities in all areas of life (including Education) as well as to live in dignity and freedom. According to the United Nation (UN) convention of the right of people with disabilities, all people have the right to equal education without discrimination and on the basis of equal opportunity. In both partner countries (PCs), Palestine and Jordan, statistics reveal that the most three common disabilities among individuals respectively are visual disability, motor disability, and hearing disability.

## **3 Objective of the deliverable**

This report contains the committee of practice for all universities in both partner countries,

## **4 Methodology**

We request from all partners (Jordanian and Palestinian) to provide us the members of committee of practice,

## **5 Results:**





### **5.1 Committee of practice for Palestine Technical University Kadoorie (PTUK), consists of:**

1. Representative from each college
2. representative from Edu4ALL project
3. educational psychological counseling
4. Dean of students affairs
5. representative from General union of disabled Palestine

### **5.2 Committee of practice for Al-Ummah University College (UUC), consists of:**

1. Head of Student Affairs Department & Accessibility Unit.
2. Representatives from each Academic Department.
3. Representative From registration Department.
4. Representatives from "Palestinian General Union of People with disabilities – GUPWD / Ramallah".
5. Representatives from Students of the college.
6. Representative from Edu4All Project

### **5.3 Committee of practice for Palestine Technical College (PTC), consists of:**

1. Head of student affairs department
2. Head of Accessibility Unit
3. Head of the registration department.
4. Representatives from major academic departments at PTC
5. Project manager of Edu4All at PTC

### **5.4 Committee of practice for Irbid National University (INU), consists of:**

1. Representative from each college
2. representative from Edu4ALL project
3. educational psychological counseling
4. Dean of students affairs
5. representative from General union of disabled Jordan

### **5.5 Committee of practice for The University of Jordan (UJ), consists of:**

1. Representatives of academic staff including both scientific and humanity faculties at the University of Jordan
2. Representatives from Edu4All project
3. Educational psychological counseling
4. Dean of rehabilitation Sciences faculty at the University of Jordan
5. A representative of the Jordanian higher council for the rights of persons with disabilities
6. Representative of students with disabilities studying at the university of Jordan
7. Representative of associations for people with disability

## **6 Conclusions**

This report presents committee of practice for each university in both Partner Countries; it's consisting of staff, students and general union of disabled. It will responsible for defining the specific needs (via interviews and questionnaires) for students with disabilities in order to provide the suitable accommodation. The best accommodations are unique to the individual and develop from a cooperative relationship between staff and student.