

## **ASE Held an Academic Day in South of Jordan**

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The Deputy CEO of the ASE, Mr. Nader Azar said that holding such lectures goes in line with the ASE's policy of strengthening its ties with the local community and spreading the investment culture and raising awareness among citizens and investors. Mr. Azar also stressed the important role of the capital market in increasing investments and creating job opportunities, which supports the economic growth in the kingdom and attracts local and foreign investments as the non- Jordanian investments reached about (48%) of the ASE market capitalization.

The event witnessed a remarkable attendance as the number of participants reached about (500) students in each university.