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Kuwaiti Culture Days at JU

On 2 April 2009 at the new JU campus, there were held the Kuwaiti Culture Days. Its main event was a concert of the Kuwaiti folk group Al Kaser Al Ahmar (Red Palace). The group formed in 2001. It consists of 12 men among whom there are high Kuwaiti governmental officials. The concert was organised under the patronage of the Ambassador of the State of Kuwait to Poland H.E. Khaled Al. Shalbani. The concert gathered scientists and students of the JU Department of Middle and Far East Studies as well as foreign students coming from the Arab countries who pursue their degrees at the Jagiellonian University. On behalf of the Department of Middle and Far East Studies Rev. Prof. Krzysztof Kościelniak greeted the guests and participants of the concert in Arabic. The hosts of the concert were a student of Middle and Far East Studies and a Kurdish doctoral student. They introduced the folk group and explained the lyrics of the songs.

Al Kaser Al Ahmar group preserves old Kuwaiti culture and history. The musicians have gained great fame in the Arab countries and received many awards at international festivals of Arabic culture. They sing and play simple percussion instruments (drums and clapping) and traditional string instruments. The songs they perform express longing for freedom, love and hope.

The first part of the concert consisted of several Kuwaiti songs: a patriotic song about the ancient warriors defending Baghdad, wedding and thanksgiving songs ("Kuwait, God will help you") and the so-called Al Sermini songs about those who stay late in tents believing that God supports people living in deserts. The audience could also admire dances performed by the musicians who spontaneously invited several people from the audience to join their dancing. During the break one could taste traditional Arabic sweets and drinks.

There was also an exhibition of the Arabic calligraphic works by the Kuwaiti artist Ali Al-Badah. Arabic calligraphy is the art of artistic handwriting, and by extension, of bookmaking. M. Kantor.