

February 2023- February 2025 Lebanon Green Building Council Accomplishments and Achievements Board -9

President: Pierre Dammous; Vice President: Rima Sorour; Secretary: Afif Nassim; Treasurer: Fadi Gharib; Accountant: Toufic Assoum; Board Member: Nada Tfaily; Board Member: Wahib Arairo





Membership and Board meetings

- Corporate, 11 / Collaborators 4 / Regular and students, 52
- 16 Meetings for Lebanon GBC Board of Directors



Lebanon GBC Membership in International Organizations

- World Green Building Council (WGBC), Emerging Member, Member since 2011
- World Energy Council (WEC), Lebanon Committee Honorary Member since 2013
- Global Waste Cleaning Network(GWCN), member since April 2021
- One Click LCA Ltd, supporter since, June 2021
- MENA Alliance for Green Schools program by WGBC, September 2023



Lebanon GBC as SUPPORTER

- Women in Energy Summit and Awards 2023
- Assisted in Green weeks prepared by LCEC, with COOL UP about reducing the energy consumption in the AC application especially for refrigerant.
- Assisted on the event Prepared by LCEC and World energy Council, preparing for the "26 Congress At Rotterdam".
- Cool Up Programme- Advisory Committee, September 2022- present

LebanonGBC President, Pierre Dammous was invited for a symposium "COOL UP" prepared by LCEC and UNDP at Istanbul, ARZ 2.0 was introduced in auxiliary meetings.

COOL UP activities were addressed for upscaling Sustainable cooling dealing with friendly Ozone Refrigerants, September 2022, ONGOING

By Pierre Dammous, Riad Assaf, Wael Zmerly and Youssef Ghantous





Women in Energy Summit and Awards 2023







PROJECTS

ARZ Green Building Rating System – ARZ 2.0

An updated version of ARZ 1.0 BRS is currently being developed to become a fully Web Based Rating System for New and Existing s

Lebanon GBC, applied as a coapplicant to Lot1 of the call, in partnership with CEDRO.

Project was accomplished and successfully launched in December 2022

For more info, please visit the website

https://www.arzrating.com/en









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ARZ 2.0 GBRS

Green Building Rating System

Sustainable living in a sustainable environment



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ARZ 2.0 What for?

ARZ 2.0 GBRS (Green Building Rating System) is a comprehensive assessment tool that:

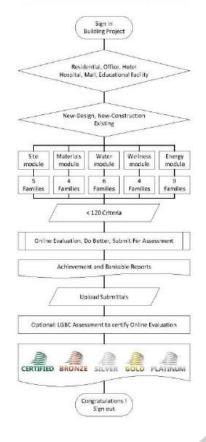
- Quantifies online the performance of buildings.
- · Offers bankable reports.
- Offers reports to enhance the CSR (Corporate Social Responsibility) of a business.
- Is a friendly guide for the Architects and Engineers.
- Is a one-stop source for Architecture and Engineering students.
- Acts as a TPA (Third Party Assessor) for a fair and impartial building project evaluation.

ARZ 2.0 Product mission

The LGBC product ARZ 2.0 GBRS purpose is to help community individuals:

- To <u>understand</u> the basic requirements for a sustainable living in a sustainable environment using multiple means of communication.
- To give guidelines for a proper building <u>design</u> that responds to above basic requirements.
- To give guidelines how to construct above building respecting the basic requirements.
- To assure safety and healthy space for the people who occupy the building.
- To propose objective metrics to <u>evaluate</u> how much the building responds to sustainability requirements.

ARZ 2.0 Process description



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- who occupy the building.
- To assure safety and healthy space for the people





<u>LEBANONGBC subcommittee</u> was formed to follow up on the project chaired by Eng. Toufic Assoum.

- Meeting with OEA Nakib of Tripoli Mr. Bahaa Hareb, by Dr. Riad Assaf and Eng. Afif Nassim, Jan 2023
- Periodic meetings were scheduled, ongoing.
- ☐ Collaboration and Funding Discussions through meetings with UNDP-CEDRO5 and CEDRO6 for ARZ-2 Application Follow-Up.
- Two meetings with The Lebanese Center for Energy Conservation (LCEC) and President Pierre El Khoury to promote ARZ-2.0.



- For the help of an ARZ 2.0 expert, visit https://www.arzrating.com/en/experts
- To download ARZ 2.0 Leaflet, visit https://www.arzrating.com/en/leaflet
- To download ARZ 2.0 Guideline, visit https://www.arzrating.com/en/user-guidelines
- For more information, contact us by visiting https://www.arzrating.com/en/contact



Completed and Upcoming Projects /Trainings/MOUs



MOUs

- Signing of MOU with the Order of Engineers and Architects, Beirut March 2024 (Completed)
- Signing of MOU with the Order of Engineers and Architects, Tripoli April 2024 (Completed)
- Opening of a Lebanon GBC Student Chapter at Souk El Gharb Balamand University by Dr. Wahib Arairo (Completed).
- Signing of MOU with City University, Faculty of Architecture and Design (FAD)
 (Completed)
- Potential Cooperation with OEA Tripoli for green and sustainability training, courses.
 (Upcoming)
- Sponsorship by Lebanon GBC of an electrical car charging unit to OEA Tripoli, offered by Zmerly. (Upcoming)



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March 2024





Signing of MOU with the Order of Engineers and Architects, Tripoli April 2024



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(FAD) (Completed), 24 Februaury 2025



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MEET THE BOARD MEMBERS



2024-2025

Related Activities: A Green Day event at University of Balamand, Souk Al Ghareb, May 2024

LebanonGBC Student Chapter has hosted a Green Day event at University of Balamand, Souk Al Ghareb. Schools were competing to rate their school in various eco-friendly criterion, judged by Dean of Faculty of Technology Dr. Elie Karam, Director of Souk El Gharb Campus Dr. Habbouba Aoun, Director of OSA Mr. Mike Salem, Chairman of Civil and Construction Technology department Dr. Wahib Arayro, Eng. Toufik Assoum and Eng. Afif Nassim from the Lebanon Green Building Council board members.



LEBANON GREEN BUILDING COUNCIL STUDENT CHAPTER

Calling all Schools to Join Our Green School Competition



May 17, 2024 University of Balamand Souk El Gharb Campus

Registration deadline: April 30, 2023. For registration and more information Dr. Wahib Arairo (76 415 309).



STUDENT ACTIVITY

Related Activities: Welcoming the foundations of the future at UOB-SEG CAMPUS OPEN DOORS, May 2024









(Upcoming)

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MEETINGS AND SITE VISITS

Meetings

Attendance at a meeting with WEC (World Energy Council) members, guided by The Lebanese Center for Energy Conservation (LCEC) to enhance sponsorship of the 26th Congress in Rotterdam, By: Pierre Dammous April 2024.

Invitation from **The Lebanese Center for Energy Conservation (LCEC)** to collaborate on and present a panel at **ENERGY WEEK** in at Hotel Le Royal

September 2024

VISITS

Lebanon GBC Board
Members Congratulate Eng.
Fadi Hanna
Newly Elected President of the
Order of Engineers and
Architects, Beirut
By: Pierre Dammous, Afif
Nassim, Nada Tfaily, Toufic
Assoum, Fadi Gharib, Rima
Sorour
9 May 2024



VISITS



Lebanon GBC Board Members Congratulate Eng. Chawki Fatfat
Newly Elected President of the Order of Engineers and Architects, Tripoli
By: Pierre Dammous, Afif Nassim, Nada Tfaily, Toufic Assoum, Wahib Arairo,
Rima Sorour, 1 May 2024





Meetings

Cooperative meeting with the association of architects and the branch of architectural

consultant from The Order of Engineers and Architects Tripoli, from OEA Tripoli Eng. Hala Tamer,

a member in OEA Council, and head of the branch of architects (2nd branch) and Eng. Suhair

Laila, Head of association of architects at OEA Tripoli, December 2023

By: Pierre Dammous, Afif Nassim, Nada Tfaily, Toufic Assoum, Fadi Gharib





Meetings

Meeting at the Center of Research and development as part of "Toward Greeny Education

campaign" November 2023

By Pierre Dammous

Meeting with two of the Advisors of the President

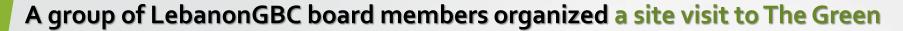
from the Makhzoumi Foundation,

Nabih Naamani & Sallama Namani, October 2023

By: Nada Tfaily, Pierre Dammous



VISITS





Demonstration Room Educational Project at Jounieh, October 2023

By: Afif Nassim, Nada Tfaily, Toufic Assoum, Fadi Gharib







PUBLICATIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS



LGBC social media pages, we are growing! share to spread our green vision:

Face book;

https://www.facebook.com/LebanonGBC/

Instagram;

https://www.instagram.com/lebanon.green.building.council/

LinkedIn; https://www.linkedin.com/in/lebanon-qbc-173bo4bb/

Twitter; https://twitter.com/LebanonGBC?s=08





LGBC WEBINARS

Exclusive Panel on National Building Rating Systems in the MENA Region, World

Green Building Week 2024 Activity

From Lebanon GBC: Eng. Toufic Assoum, Topic: Arz Building Rating System September 2024















Reduce, Electrify, Adapt 4BuildingTheTransition

جلسة حوارية بعنوان: النظم الوطنية لتصنيف المباني في الدول العربية



م عبداللطيف البيتاوي العدير التنفيذي لعطس الإمارات للأبنية الخضراء



أ.د صلاح الحجار رئيس مجلس إدارة مخلس مصر لللأبنية Ileanla



د. سوزان حسن عضو في مجلس العراق للأبنية الخصراء



د أحمد الطيبي غضو مجلس إدارة مجلس الأردن للأبنية الخضراء



م. توفيق أسوم عضو مجلس إدارة محلس لبتان للأبنية الخضراء



وجدان الشريف مدير التنفيذي لمخلس اسطين لللأبنية الخصراء





NET ZERO CARBON CAMPAIGN by LebanonGBC- WEBINAR: NET ZERO CARBON AND ITS RELATION TO: "LCA" AND "EPD, **July 2023**

BY Natasha Das, from ONECLICK LCA





LEBANON GBC AT CONFERENCES/ EXHIBITIONS /VISITS

Participation in Lebanon

RAWMEC 2024 — Lebanon's Only Recycling and Waste Management Exhibition and Conference

Date: June 26-28, 2024

Location: Hilton Beirut Metropolitan

Palace, Beirut

1) Booth promoting our mission and objectives by: Afif Nassim, Nada Tfaily, Wahib Arairo, Toufic Assoum, Janin Shaaya, Essam Saed, Adham Shojaa









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2) Conference participation by Eng. Nahla Neeme, a distinguished member of LEBANONGBC.
Presentation titled:
"Construction and Demolition (C&D) Waste and Potential Uses of Recyclables in Construction"

June 26, 2024







Topic:

Integrating Aesthetics o

Efficiency in Solar Facac





The Middle East Clean Energy

May 9,2024

Conference participation by Eng. Fadi Gharib.

Topic: Integrating Aesthetics and Energy Efficiency in Solar Facades





Project Lebanon 2024

The Seaside Arena - Beirut New Waterfront, Lebanon April 2024

















Conference participation by hosting a panel discussion delving into the following topics:

Panel Discussion: **Blueprints for Sustainability: Green Buildings and Carbon Reduction**

- Sustainable Architecture: Strategies for the Modern Architect
- Introducing ARZ: Revolutionizing
 Green Building Ratings
- Net Zero Buildings: Pioneering the Path to 2050 and Beyond

By: Pierre Dammous, Toufic Assoum, Rami Tarabay April 24th to April 26th, 2024















LGBC at the Order of Engineers and Architects of TRIPOLI

"CITIES RESILIENCES" conference, February 2024

By Nada Tfaily, Toufic Assoum, Afif Nassim







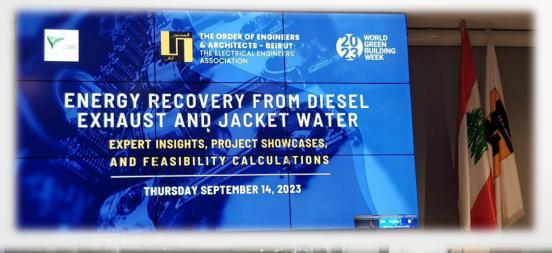
Energy Recovery from Diesel Exhaust and Jacket Water conference by

LebanonGBC, WGBW2023 activity at The Order of Engineers and Architects (OEA

BEIRUT), September 2023

By Fadi Gharib











LEBANON GBC AT CONFERENCES / EXHIBITIONS /VISITS

World Green Building Week special



Welcome to World Green Building Week 2023



2. WorldGBC Leadership Summit - London 2024 Represented by: Rima Sorour Al Housseiny and Pierre Dammous



3. World Urban Forum 12: Egypt, November 5-7, 2024 Represented by: Rima Sorour Al Housseiny





Symposium with Frontiers:" The Nexus in action: navigating the Water-Energy-Food-Environment nexus for climate resilient and inclusive futures "by the Royal Academy of Engineering, February 2024, by Hana Alamuddine



- WGBC _ MENA GBC ongoing periodic meetings (live and online), represented by Rima Sorour Al Housseiny, Pierre Dammous
- "COP28, WORLD ECONOMIC FORUM: AT UAE, Nov, December 2023 by Rima Sorour Al Housseiny
- MENAGBC committee Q₃ Meeting in Dubai MENA Regional Network, September 2023, by Rima Sorour Al Housseiny





Partnership - EmiratesGBC MENA Green Building Awards, November 2023

Jury members from LEBANONGBC : Hana Alamuddine, Nada Tfaily, Diana Ghosn, Tony

Aazan, Hassan Sultan

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Jury Members from LEBANONGBC: Rima Sorour, Nada Tfaily, Adel Moratda, Tony Aazan,
Rabih El Fadel, Hana Alamuddine







LEBANON GBC educative activities

MENA Alliance for Green Schools program by WGBC, September 2023







"Green Apple Day of Service"(GAD) by Volunteers from <u>Lebanon Green Building Council</u> managed by <u>LebanonGBC Silver corporate member Dar</u> chaired by Eng. Ibrahim Kronfol

Some of the events that took place in 2024, though not limited to

Sustainability Movement Highlights: Academic Year 2023-2024

Throughout the 2023-2024 academic year, Dar offices across the region organised exciting Sustainability Movement events in collaboration with green leaders across the company. The Green Apple Day of Service events were filled with impactful activities designed to nurture a sense of environmental responsibility among young individuals.

This year, Dar volunteers came up with creative and engaging activities to implement during the events. They also prepared informative and fun presentations to educate the participants on the importance of preserving the environment.

The Activities

- Green Champion Activity: Students teamed up to transform waste into wonders by upcycling discarded materials into innovative projects that tackle real environmental challenges.
- Renewable Energy: Students discovered the potential of solar energy by crafting their own solar ovens from pizza boxes and using them to roast marshmallows.
- Classroom Air Quality Study: Secondary students engaged in a hands-on classroom air quality study. They measured CO2 levels and VOCs throughout the day and presented their findings to a panel. This deepened their understanding of the importance of clean indoor air quality.
- Upcycling Activity: Students worked to transform waste into a usable and functional material
- Water quality: Students developed knowledge on the importance of water quality and the process of water filtration.

Through these activities students had the opportunity to employ their creativity and problem-solving skills while competing for the Green Champion Certificate and medals.

Sustainability Movement Partners















SABIS, THE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF CHOUEIFAT BEIRUT

Beirut, Lebanon

(February 7th 2024)

Turning yesterday's waste into tomorrow's energy.

Using old tires and worn-out clothes to generate sustainable energy.

Conducting classroom air quality studies.





THE CHRISTIAN TEACHING INSTITUTE (CTI SCHOOL)

Beirut, Lebanon

(February 29th 2024)

Spinning the past into progress with Archimedes' screw.

Turning waste into watts.

Repurposing discarded materials into fun and functional objects.







HOLY CROSS -HARBOYAN HIGH SCHOOL

Beirut, Lebanon

(March 3rd 2024)

Learning more about recycling through playful and educational challenges.

Turning everyday items into game-winning set-ups.

Designing innovative pen holders.







GREENFIELD COLLEGE

Beirut, Lebanon

(May 31th 2024)

Learning more about the importance of sustainability.

Delving into the challenges and solutions for marine debris.

Powering a greener tomorrow through informative challenges.





GREENFIELD COLLEGE

Beirut, Lebanon

(April 18th 2024)

Learning more about the importance of sustainability.

Delving into the challenges and solutions for marine debris.

Powering a greener tomorrow through informative challenges.

DAR AL AYTAM ISLAMIC - SCHOOL

Beirut, Lebanon

(May 15th 2024)

Turning waste into a colourful masterpiece.

Converting old plastic bottles into sources of renewable energy.

Transforming simple materials to artistic creations.

SABIS, THE INTERNATIONAL SCHOOL OF CHOUEIFAT BEIRUT

Beirut, Lebanon

(April 30th 2024)

Turning yesterday's waste into tomorrow's energy.

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Empowering Youth and Communities for a Sustainable Future: the MENA Green School Initiative" WORKSHOP, December 2023

By Ibrahim Kronfol



Rebranding <u>LebanonGBC</u>: New Name, New Logo Aligned with WGBC Guidelines



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