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A brief overview of the workshop: The High Commission for Human Rights / Nineveh Office, in cooperation with the Rehabilitation, Employment, Follow-up and Human Rights Divisions at the Presidency of the University of Mosul, and the Rehabilitation, Employment, Follow-up and Human Rights Units at the College of Petroleum and Mining Engineering, organized an awareness-raising workshop entitled: (The Right to a Clean Environment), on Thursday, April 24, 2025 .

The workshop was moderated by Dr. Nagham Luqman Muhammad, head of the Publication and Education Division at the High Commission for Human Rights. Its main topics addressed the importance of the right to a clean environment as one of the basic rights guaranteed by international human rights conventions, in addition to its close connection to other rights such as the right to health, the right to life, the right to education, and the human right to live in peace and security.

Outline: The workshop highlighted the role of the High Commission for Human Rights in protecting these rights. It also discussed the concept of human rights, their characteristics, and the legal guarantees that guarantee them, in addition to reviewing environmental challenges such as pollution, climate security, the causes of environmental degradation, and ways to confront them within the framework of promoting environmental justice and human rights .

The workshop witnessed remarkable attendance and interaction from the academic and administrative staff and college students from various departments. The interventions and discussions enriched the content of the workshop and reflected a growing awareness of the importance of the human dimension in environmental issues