

Ambassador Nagma Mallick visited the Jam'a Zitouna on Friday, 22 February, 2013. Jam'a Zitouna is the oldest University in the Arab world and was established as a school for Islamic Studies in 737 AD. It is today a University specialising in the teaching of Islamic theology, jurisprudence, and Sharia sciences.

Ambassador Mallick met with Dr. Abdel Jelil Salem, the Rector of the University who briefed her on the various programmes of study offered by the University as well as its long history. He also informed her that more than 50% of its students were women. The Rector conducted Ambassador on a tour of the University and introduced her to many members of the faculty.