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The Effect of the Social Network Sites on the Attitudes of University Students in Jordan

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Abstract

This study aimed at investigating the effect of social network sites on the attitudes of university students the study Jordan.

To achieve study the aims the descriptive methodology war used. and a questionnaire was used to collect relevant data. The researchers used questionnaire and personal interviews, a questionnaire consisting of (30) paragraphs and personal interviews consists tow question.

The sample of the questionnaire consists of (1135) from males and females. They were chosen with the stratified random way, the sample of interviews consists of (40) students from the active users of social networks, they were chosen with the purposeful way.

The results showed that the effects of social network sites on the students attitudes were in the Mid-level.

The results showed that the most positive effects of the social networks were maintaining and reinforcing the social relations with friends and correspondence and removing the psychological and social borders between males and females. The most negative effects were the addiction to social networks, academic fall down and asserting the tribal, the regional and the ethnic intolerance.

The study recommended utilizing the advantages of social networks in developing the balanced character of university students.

Keywords: attitudes, social network sites.

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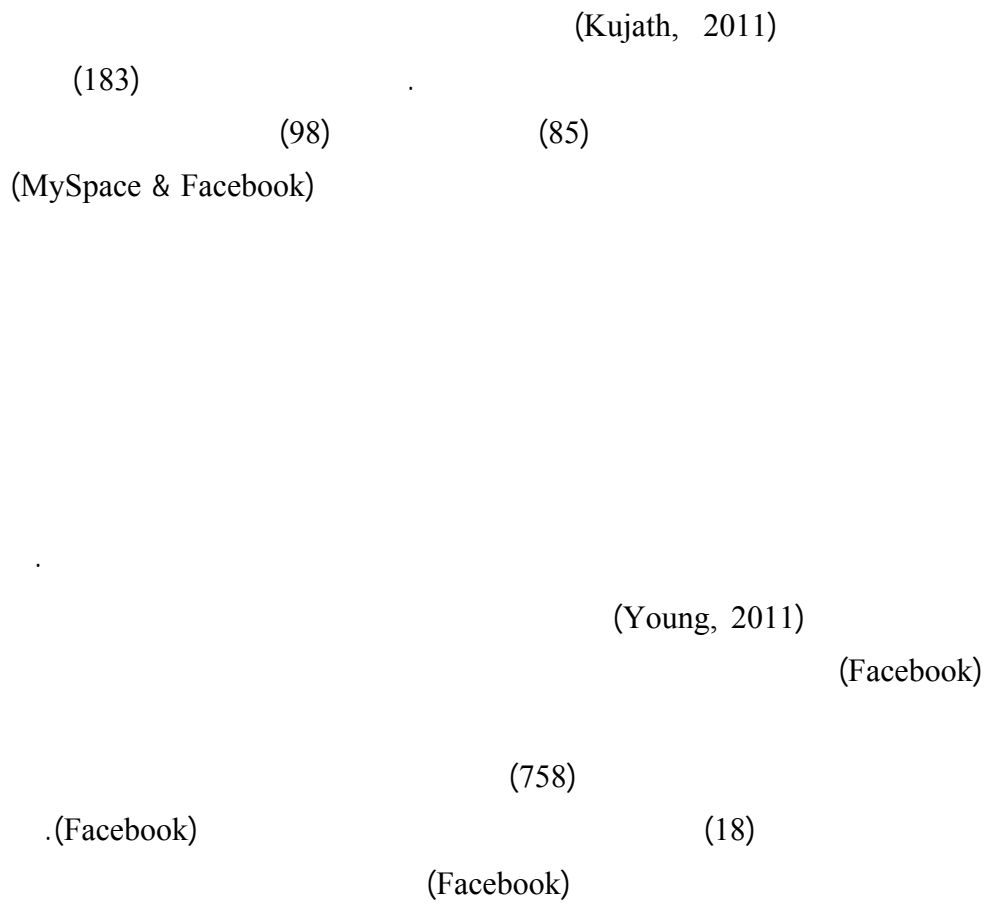
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