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Tattoos:

A chapter, a state, an ideal

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His clients are numerous and include both males and females. He thought that his project would work despite the fact that tattooing in Lebanon is not new. "Tattoos with pure design have not had the good quality, lifetime permanence and interesting designs that my new machine is helping me produce." Helping him with his tattoos is his artistic sensibility, which helps him in color choice, design, and speed control.

Tattoos do not have to last forever. They can be removed surgically or with the help of new solutions that, when applied to a tattoo, would remove it in a couple of hours.

According to Baydoun, "most tattoos fade away which makes your hand or whatever you have your tattoo on look dirty."

The time it takes to make a tattoo depends on the tattoo size. The process could vary from 15 minutes to 5 or six hours.

The S alone of Sepulchura took approximately an hour.

Those who are interested in having a tattoo may choose from a catalogue with over 10,000 designs--both colored and black and white, design their own, or ask Baydoun to design a special tattoo for free.

Prices for tattoos are competitive both locally and abroad. A tattoo may vary between \$25 and \$250 depending on size.

A new needle is used for every person.

The reason why students ask him for tattoos is "because it may define a chapter in life, a state of mind, or an ideal."

If you're interested contact Hadi Baydoun at 01 412295 or AUB Box 2299.

TATTOOS:

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An interesting fad around AUB campus and especially among architecture students is having a tattoo.

A third year graphic design student, Hadi Baydoun has recently been to London and has brought back with him a tattoo machine.

"A friend once brought me a book about tattoos and it interested me a lot," he said, "so I started a research about the subject which eventually lead me into the tattoo business."

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