Military Press In The Kingdom Of Bahrain: 
An Analytical Study Of Two Magazines, "The Force, Al-Quwwa" And "National Guards, 
Al-Haras Al-Watani"

(Between 2011 And 2015 Ad)

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Abstract

The study aims to identify the reality of the military press in the Kingdom of Bahrain by analyzing the contents of the military journals in the Kingdom of Bahrain and its libertarian forms. The National Force and National Guard journals in the period between 2011 and 2015 were the subjects of the study.

The researcher adopted the descriptive approach through the content analysis form using the Statistical Package for Social Sciences (SPSS) to schedule the data and extract the results, frequencies and percentages of the categories. The researcher also used the Pearson correlation coefficient identify the interrelationships between the groups identified in the hypotheses of this study.

**The study has come to several conclusions including:**

- Political content exceeded other non-military content, and was ranked first in the Bahraini military magazines.
- Military interviews exceeded other military content, and was ranked first in the Bahraini military magazines.
- Informative functions preceded other functions selected by the Bahraini military magazines.
- Columns represent the most reliable type of articles for Bahraini military magazines.
- For Bahraini military magazines, the local geographical area was more interesting than other geographical areas.
- Bahraini military magazines have not paid enough attention to news reports as a form of journalism.
- "The Force, Al-Qawwā" pays more attention to most forms of journalism than "National Guards, Al-Haras Al-Watani".
- The existence of a positive correlation which has a statistical significance between the military content addressed by the two magazines and the geographical scope.
- The lack of a statistically significant correlation between the non-military content addressed in the two magazines and non-journalistic forms, survey, report, interview and article.

**The study recommends the following:**

- Devising a specific, written strategy and goals for military press, that is to be distributed according to specific tasks and then evaluating them regularly in order to create a special identity for Bahraini military press.
- Qualifying media staff in military magazines, through specialized courses in the field of media in general and specialized military journalism in particular.
- Focusing on the explanation and interpretation, behavior creation, providing solutions, as important goals for press content.
- Varying sources of military and non-military topics, through cooperation with news agencies and information centers, both Arab or foreign.
- Improving military magazines with respect to form and content, and avoiding repetition and monotony.

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