



**Together to promote human rights**

**Cultural Rights Committee**  
**Drama Committee 2023**

Based on the role of the National Council for Human Rights (NCHR) in promoting the culture of human rights in Egyptian society and raising awareness of the harms of human rights violations, and according to what has been worked on since 2011, in the month of Ramadan every year, the Drama Committee emanating from the Cultural Rights Committee is formed, headed by the Secretary of the Cultural Rights Committee and the membership of the members of the National Council in charge of the Cultural Rights Committee, and a number of the most prominent artists and critics with experience. For purposes that serve the file of raising awareness of human rights.

After the Drama Committee finishes its work by watching the dramatic works that were shown, and selecting the winning works, NCHR's Cultural Rights Committee organizes an honoring ceremony in which the Council's shield is distributed to the winning works (production, directing, writing, and acting). The aim of the ceremony is to set a role model and encourage those working in the field of drama to adopt the same approach in defending human rights issues.

**Drama Concert 2023**

The Drama Committee emanating from the Cultural Rights Committee held the 2023 Drama Awards Ceremony on Monday, July 10, 2023, at the National Museum of Civilization Theater, in the presence of a large number of members of the House of Representatives and the Senate, public figures, university professors, and representatives of many entities. By consensus, 5 winning works were chosen for this year, as follows:

- 1- Series (Under Guardianship)
  - 2- Series (Rare Coin)
  - 3- Series (The Imam's Message)
  - 4- The series (The Seventh Harsha) Jury Prize
  - 5- Series (Jet Salima) Disclaimer
- Nour Al-Demerdash (Excellence Award)



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This year, the jury decided to name the Ramadan drama awards cycle after the great director Nour Al-Demerdash in honor of his artistic career, in a tradition that the committee introduced last year for the first time since its establishment twelve years ago.

Samira Ahmed (Lifetime Achievement Award)

Another new tradition that the Cultural Rights Committee introduced last year is honoring a prominent artistic figure in appreciation of his great role in enriching our artistic history, and the humanitarian values of spreading human rights principles in dramatic works. The distinguished star Samira Ahmed was chosen this year due to the diverse roles she performed through her distinguished artistic experience.