Sadu Decorations Applications to Enrich Women's Abaya Via Fashion Design Programs

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Abstract:

The research aimed to study the features that distinguished the decorative units of the Sadu art and to identify its components to benefit from them in enriching the designs of women's cloaks using three-dimensional fashion design programs in order to shed light on the traditional arts and emphasize the Sadu art as a cultural and civilizational heritage. It also shows the extent of the sustainability of Sadu in creating innovative designs derived from the Arab heritage and identity. These designs combine authenticity and modernity. The abaya is considered one of the most important pieces of clothing for women, due to its formative and aesthetic components. It is an integral part of the Arab heritage. Accordingly, Sadu decorations were employed in designing a variety of design sketches for women's cloaks, using the CLO Standalone 7.2 three-dimensional program, as this program has several characteristics, the most important of which is showing the shape from all sides. The research followed the descriptive analytical approach through analyzing decorative units from the Sadu art, in addition to the semi-experimental approach in using three-dimensional computer programs (CLO Standalone 7.2 program) to suggest designs for women's cloaks. Two questionnaires were also created. One of them was presented to a group of professors specializing in the field of fashion design, and the second was presented to consumers to ensure that the research objectives were achieved. The results showed that the following hypotheses were achieved:

The first hypothesis: "There is a statistically significant difference between the proposed designs for women's cloaks inspired by the decorative vocabulary of the art of Sadu in terms of achieving the evaluation aspects as a whole according to the opinions of specialists." The average evaluation of the proposed designs in achieving the evaluation items (as a whole) was calculated, and the analysis of variance was calculated for the average evaluation of the designs, and the value of (F) was (6.47), which is a statistically significant value, indicating the existence of differences in achieving the evaluation aspects (as a whole) according to the opinions of specialists.

The second hypothesis: "There is a statistically significant difference between the axes of the proposed designs for the women's abaya inspired by the decorative vocabulary of the Sadu art according to the opinions of specialists." The average evaluation of the proposed designs in achieving the evaluation items (as a whole) was calculated, and the analysis of variance was calculated for the average axes of the proposed designs' evaluation, and the value of (F) was (1.87), which is not statistically significant, indicating that there are no significant differences between the evaluation axes according to the opinions of the specialists.

The third hypothesis: "There is a statistically significant difference between the evaluation of the proposed designs for the women's abaya inspired by the decorative vocabulary of the Sadu art in achieving the evaluation items (as a whole) according to the opinions of consumers." The average evaluation of the proposed designs in achieving the evaluation items (as a whole) was calculated, and the analysis of variance was calculated for the average evaluation of the designs, and the value of (F) was (3.88), which is a statistically significant value, indicating that there are differences between the proposed designs for the

women's abaya inspired by the decorative vocabulary of the Sadu art in achieving the evaluation items (as a whole) according to the opinions of consumers.

The fourth hypothesis: "There is a correlation between the ranking of specialists and the ranking of the proposed designs for women's cloaks inspired by the decorative vocabulary of the Sadu art" where Spearman's rank correlation coefficient was calculated between the ranking of specialists and consumers of the proposed designs for women's cloaks and the value reached (r = 0.857) which is statistically significant at a significance level of (0.01) and the relationship was directly proportional which may indicate compatibility between the evaluation from a scientific and practical point of view.

- It is clear from the statistical results that the research hypotheses were achieved in terms of the possibility of drawing inspiration from the decorative units of the Sadu art and adapting them in the field of women's cloak design in a contemporary manner while preserving the heritage at the same time and the success of the designs in achieving the foundations and elements of design and the innovative and functional aspect.

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