

المخلص باللغة الإنجليزية

This study aimed to introduce the criminal responsibility for promoting rumors through social networking sites, and this was done through an introduction and three chapters and using the descriptive, analytical approach, and the comparative legal approach was clarifying what the rumor was, and legislative citizens were criminalized that criminalized spreading and promoting rumors through social media sites in Jordanian legislation through the disclosure of the various aspects surrounding it, and the study reached a set of results, the most important of which are: The texts of Jordanian laws, especially the publication and publications law, the Jordanian Telecommunications Law, and the electronic crime law, were not sufficient to counter Spreading the rumors through social media completely, I also found that the rumors are one of the oldest media in history, and this message also concluded that the most prominent rumors spread on social media: political rumors, followed directly by social rumors.

The study also came out with a set of recommendations, the most important of which is the recommendation of the Jordanian penal legislator to develop the penal law, and the electronic crime law in a manner that includes all crimes of spreading rumors in general, and in particular through social networking sites, and also recommended conducting several free courses to familiarize the young generation with the potential risks of spreading rumors through Social Media. It also recommended that the dangers of spreading rumors on social media be spread by the relevant authorities.

The study hoped that the Jordanian criminal legislator that all criminal texts of electronic crimes be unified through one law and not through several laws as is the

case now as these texts spread through several laws (penal law, electronic crime law, the law of publications and publishing, the communications law), The study made the following recommendations:

1. This study recommends that the Jordanian criminal legislator develop the Penal Code and the Cybercrime Law to include all crimes of spreading rumors in general, especially through social media sites.
2. Recommend many free courses to inform the younger generation about the potential risks of spreading rumors through social media.
3. Recommend the dissemination of the risks of spreading rumors through social networking sites by the relevant authorities.
4. Wish the Jordanian criminal legislator that all the criminal offenses of cybercrime should be unified through one law and not through several laws as it is now.
5. Recommending the establishment of courts specialized in cybercrime.
6. Recommend further research on this subject.