

CURRICULUM VIATE

Personal Information:

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Education:

01/10/1979-1/10/1982 Ph.D. in Andalusian Literature, School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS), University of London
01/9/1974-01/7/1978 M.A. in Andalusian Literature, University of Jordan
1975 Diploma in Psychology and Education, University of Jordan
01/9/1970-01/7/1974 B.A.in Arabic Language and Literature, University of Jordan

Academic Rank:

Since 03/12/1995 Professor
1990-1995 Associate Professor
1982-1990 Assistant Professor
1978-1979 Lecturer

Academic and Teaching Experiences:

1982-Until now	Lecturing at the University of Jordan
1997/1998 and 2006/2007	Sabbatical year at Al al-bayt University, Jordan
05/9/1974-01/04/1978	Teacher at the Ministry of Education –Jordan

Administrative Experiences:

April 2019-until now	Consultant of the President of the University of Jordan for Cultural Affairs
March 2016- until now	Head of the Board of Trustees, the College of the Royal Jordanian Geographic Centre, Jordan
08/09/2013-1/9/2014	Acting President of the World Islamic Sciences and Education University (WISE), Jordan
24/10/2011- 10/10/2012	Minister of Culture Government of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan
22/08/2007-22/8/2010	Vice President of the University of Jordan
July 2006-Dec.2011	Head of the National Committee for the Preservation of the Arabic Written Heritage, Jordan
03/09/2007-01/03/2010	Head of the Committee of the United Admission at Jordanian Public Universities
01/09/2006-21/08/2007	Dean of the Academic Research and Dean of the Graduate Studies at Al al-bayt University, Jordan
2000-2002	General Coordinator of the Higher Committee of the Declaration of Amman as Arab cultural capital for the year 2002
21/04/1999-26/05/2002	Secretary General Ministry of Culture, Jordan
16/01/1993-01/09/1997	Director of the University of Jordan Library
1990-1992	Deputy Dean of Student Affairs, the University of Jordan

1985-1990 Head of the Department of "The Comprehensive Catalogue of Arabic Islamic Manuscripts" in the Royal Academy for Islamic Civilization Research, Amman –Jordan (Part Time work)

Other Experiences:

1990-1992 I participated in compiling textbooks of Arabic Curriculum at the Ministry of Education, Jordan

1992-1993 and 2004-2005 I have been a member of the higher committee supervising the Arabic Curriculum for the Secondary Level at the Ministry of Education, Jordan

2005-2007 Head of the Higher committee for compiling and supervising Arabic Curriculum at the Ministry of Education, Jordan

I participated in many scientific, cultural seminars and conferences in Jordan and abroad

I published and still a weekly articles in Jordanian newspapers in culture, criticism, social and educational issues

I supervised and still supervising a PhD and M.A theses at the University of Jordan

1992-1993 I spent my sabbatical year in Madrid for carrying out researches in Andalusian Literature

July–Aug 1993 I spent two months at "Hamburg University" carrying out a research on "The Role of German Orientalism in Andalusian Studies.

I participated in discussion of tens of PhD and M.A theses at Jordan Universities.

I participated in compiling communication skills textbooks, the University of Jordan and some Curriculum for some Jordanian and Arab Universities

1980-1982 I worked In BBC radio as news broadcaster-London (Part Time Work)

1980-1982

A proof Reader in (Al Sharq Al Awsat Arabic Newspaper) for Saudi Research & Marketing Ltd-London

I evaluated many of scientific papers and books for Universities and scientific institutions.

I wrote introductions to many books compiled by Arab Writers.

Publications:

I published around one hundred books and studies on Andalusian literature, Arabic manuscripts, cultural studies, multiculturalism, cultural dialogue, autobiographies and memories, cultural criticism and comparative literature.

Some selected books and articles:

Books:

1. Unknown Elements of Andalusian Civilization, Abu Dhabi, 2019
2. Maqamat al-Qawwas (Arabic Tales), Amman, 2019
3. Rawdat al-Azhar of al-Khateeb al-Qurtubi, (a study and editing of an Andalusian manuscript) 2 vols. Amman, 2017
4. New studies in Andalusian Poetry, Dar al-Masirah, Amman, 2014
5. Tarikh Arbil of Ibn al-Mostawfi (a study and editing of Arabic manuscript), Beirut 2013
6. Malaga, Jordan of Andalusia, Dar Majdalawi, Amman, 2012
7. Walladah bent Al-Mostakfi, Dar Majdalawi, Amman 2011
8. Qalaat Sanour wa Tareekh Aal Jarrar, (being: Sanour Castle and the History of Jarrar Family), Amman 2010
9. Al-Jidar Al-Akheer (A study about Arabic culture in the New Century), Amman, 2007
10. Zaman Al-Wasl, (Being a study about Multiculturalism and cultural interaction in Muslim Spain), Beirut, 2004
11. Salat fee Arwiqat Al-Zahra, (being a study about Muslim Spain in the 11th Century), Amman-2003

12. Al-Muthaqqaf Wal-Taghyeer, (being: The Impact of Culture on Social Development), Beriut, 2002
13. Al-Manamat Al-Ayyubiyyah, (being: The Ayyubid Dream Stories), (40 short stories), Beirut, 2002
14. The Collection of Arab Tawqiaat, (3 vols.) Zayed Center, Abu-Dhabi, 2001
15. Culture and Youth in the 21st Century, Ministry of Youth, Amman, 2000
16. The Persian Tawqiaat (i.e. brief replies), Al-Albait University, Jordan, 2000
17. Al-Ibana Fi Allughah of Al-Awtabi (an Arabic-Arabic old Omani Dictionary of 4000 pages), (a study and edition), The Ministry of Culture and National Heritage, Oman, 1999
18. Udabaa' Malaga (Being: The Intellectuals of Malaga) by Ibn Khamis (study and edition), Dar Al-Bashir, Amman, 1999
19. Diwan Al-Hamra (being the poems engraved on Alhambra walls and windows), Al-Mu'ssasih Al-Arabiyyah Lildirasat walnasher, Beirut, 1999
20. Marj Al-Kuhl Al- Andalusi, Dar Al-Bashir, Amman, 1993
21. Jannat Al-Rida fi Al-Taslim Lima Qaddra Allahu wa Qada of abu Yahya Ibn Asim (study and editing) 3 volumes, Dar Al-Bashir, Amman- Jordan, 1989
22. Al-Masader wa Tariqat Al-Bahth fi Al-Lugha wal Adab (in Arabic), oman 1986 (being: Sources and Methology of Language and Literature)
23. Al-Muqni' fi Al-filaha of Ibn Hajjaj Al-Ishbili (a study and editing in Arabic of the book of Andalusian Agriculture), ed. The Arabic Academy of Jordan, 1982
24. Literature and Literary Life in Nasrid Granda (Ph.D thesis in English)1982

Articles:

1. Khayal Al-Dhill fi Al-Andalus (Shadow Puppets in Andalusia), a chapter of a book entitled: yoshreqo fi Kolli Ofoq, published in honor of Professor Ibrahim Sa'aafin, Ahliyya linasher wa;-Tawzeaa, Amman,2017
2. Aaliyyat al-Tasweer al-Sakher fi al-Risalah al-Hazliyya li Ibn zaydoun (The mechanisms of irony in the comic letter of Ibn Zaidoun), a chapter of a book named: Irony in Arabic Literature, al-warraq lil nasher qal-Tawzeaa, Amman, 2017
3. Hikam Ibn Aasim al-Gharnati (a study and editing of Ibn Aasim's wise sayings) Jordan Journal of Arabic, Vol.11, 2015
4. Qawafil al-Hajj al-Andalusi (Analusian pilgrimage convoys), a chapter of a book of nadwat al-Hajj al-Kubra, Ministry of Hajj, Riyad, 2012.
5. Siyagh al-Ta'aajjob fi Kitab al—Ibanah lil 'Awtabi (Forms of Exclamation in the book of Al-Ibanah of Al-Awtabi), a paper delivered in Al-'Awtabi Seminar in Al-AlBait University, Mafraq, 2009
6. Johood al-Mohaqqiqeen al-urduniyyeen fi Tahqeeq al-Turath al-Andalusi (The contributions of Jordanian Scholars in editing the Andalusian heritage), A Seminar in Al-Al-Bait University entitled: Editing of the Arabic heritage, Mafraq, 2005
7. The Blind Means of reading as appear in some Andalusian Poems, The Magazine of the Arabic Academy of Jordan, 2001
8. Riyadat Al-Tabla fi Al-Shi'r Al- Andalusi fi al-qarn al-tasi', (being The Sport of Al Tabla as presented in the Andalusian poetry in 9th century of Hijra, an article published in the Journal of the Arabic Academy of Jordan, No. 50, year 1996
9. The Escorial, Al-Majallah Al-Thaqafiyyah, University of Jordan, No. 37, year 1996
10. The Andalusian Names ended with the Syllable "on", Majallat Dirasat, University of Jordan, Vol. 22, No. 6, year 1995
11. The pioneer composer of Muwashshahat: Muqaddam Ibn Mu'afa,

- Majallat Jami' at Betlehem, Vol. 14, year 1995, pp.78-107
12. The Andalusian Legacy as Reflected in Al-Suyuti's Works (Majallat Mu'ta, Vol. 10, No.2, 1995)
 13. Al-Funun Al-Shabiyyah fi Al- Andalus wa Silatuha be Fann Al-Tamtheel (being: popular arts in Islamic Spain and Its relevance to the art of acting), Mu'ta lil-Buhuth wal Dirasat, Vol. 9, No.I, 1994
 14. The Credibility of Al-Fath b.Khaqan in his two works: Matmah Al-Anfus and Qalaid Al-Iqyan (in Arabic), a paper delivered at the third Seminar of the Andalusian-Maghribi Conference held in the University of Tetuan in 1991
 15. Ibn Al-Iflily, an article in the Encyclopedia of Islamic Civilization, edited by the Royal Academy in Amman, 1991
 16. Ma Wasala Ilayna min Shi'r Abbas Ibn Firnas, Journal of the Arabic Academy of Jordan, Vol. 14, No.39, 1990, (Abbas Ibn Firnas' Poetry).
 17. Abbas Ibn Firnas Shairan, (A study and Editing of the poetry of Abbas Ibn Firnas), published in the Journal of the Arabic Academy of Jordan, Vol.14, No. 38, 1990
 18. Jazirat Shuqr Al-Andalusiyya (Al-Makan wal Insan), published in the Journal of the Arabic Academy of Jordan, Vol. 12, No.37, 1988, (a study about Alcira)
 19. The Literary and Critical Values of Kitab Al-Mujib of Abd Al-Wahid Al-Marrakushi, (in Arabic), a paper delivered in the First Conference of Magharibi Literature held in Oran in Algeria in 1987
 20. Arabic Manuscripts in the world Libraries (in Arabic), delivered at the sixth Annual Conference of the Royal Academy For Islamic Civilization Research, held in Amman in 1987
 21. Malamih Al-Dirasat Al-Muqaranah fi Al-Adab Al- Andalusi (in Arabic), being: features of comparative studies over the Andalusian Literature. Delivered at the Second Conference of comparative Literature held in the University of Damascus in 1986
 22. The Drama Experience in Jordan (in Arabic), delivered at the Second National cultural conference held in the University of Jordan in 1985

23. Ra'i fi Al-Mustalah Al-Naqdi I'nd Al-Nuqqd Al-Urduniyyin, (being: A Viewpoint over the Critical Idiom in the Jordanian Works of Criticism), delivered at the First National Cultural Conference held in the University of Jordan in 1984

Some Paper Submitted at Scientific Conferences and Seminars:

1. Alliance of Civilizations Seminar held in Cyprus, during the period Dec 1st till Dec 2nd, 2017. The title of my paper was: "from the Clash of Civilizations to the Alliance of Civilizations". And it was presented in English.
2. Electronic content in Arabic Language, at AL Ain, UAE University, in Oct 30th, 2017.
3. The 7th Conference on Editing Islamic Manuscripts: Editing Manuscripts of Arabic, held in London during the period Nov 24th till Nov 27th, 2015. The title of the Study "The Method of Editing the Manuscripts of Andalusian poetry" organized by Al-Furqan Foundation.
4. Conference on Islamic Heritage in Balkans, held in University of Prestina, during the period June 9th till June 13th, 2015. The title of the study "The poem of Mufti prizren Sheikh Mohammed Taher and its artistic value".
5. Ibn al-Khatib Seminar, held in Seville and Cordoba, during the period Nov 16th till Nov 24th, 2014. The title of the study "the scientific life in Cordoba under the Ummayyad caliphate and its role in intercultural dialogue.
6. Conference of International Dialogue held in Istanbul, during the period May 3d-10th 2011. The title of study "Shared Civillizational values between the Arabs and the Turks.
7. First Sharja International Conference on the language of the Holly Quran in the light of modern issues, held at Shajarah University, during the period Apr 29th till Apr 30th, 2014, The title of the study "The Crisis of Arabic Language".
8. Ibn al-Khatib Seminar, held in Fes-Morocco, during the period Nov

15th till Nov 16th, 2013. The title of the Study "Intercultural Dialogue as appears in Ibn al-Khatib Works".

9. Edinburgh International Summit for Culture " Culture as an International dialogue", held in Edinburgh-Scotland, during the period Aug 12th till Aug 16th, 2012.
10. The Second Conference on Arab-Turkish relations, held at University of Gazi-Ankara, during the period Apr 25th till 29th. 2011. The title of the study: Cultural and Social Dimentions of the Arab-Turkish Historical Relations".
11. Conference on Developing Faculties of Arts, held at Minya University-Egypt, during the period March 27th March 29th. 2005. The title of the study "Developing Faculties of Arts"
12. Round-Table on Cultural Diversity and Markets Challenges, held at UNESCO Headquarter-paris, during the period Dec11th till Dec 12th. 2000.
13. Seminar on Editing Moroccan and Andalusian Manuscripts: Outcome and Prospects, held at Mohamed I University, Oujdia, Morocco, during the period Nov 9th till Nov 11th, 1995. The title of the study "Issues at Editing Andalusian Heritage".

MEMBERSHIPS:

1. Chief Editor of Jerash Journal of Studies, since May 2017.
2. A member of the Committee of Selecting the Cities of Culture, (2015, 2016, 2018).
3. A Member of Sultan Qaboos Committee for Literary Creativity Reward 2007.
4. A member of the Committee of King Abdullah the Second Creativity Reward, Literature (autobiography and memories) 2010.
5. A member and Vice President of the Jordanian Associated of writers.
6. A member of the General Union of Arab Writers.
7. A member of the Society of Jordanian Critics.
8. A member of the Board of Trustees of the Arab University of Amman

for Graduate Studies (2001-2007)

9. The Head of the National Committee for Teaching Human Rights in Jordan (2003)
10. A member of the Administrative Board of Jordan TV and Broadcasting in Jordan. (2000-2002)
11. A member and Ex-president of the National Society of Freedom and Democracy.
12. A member of the Royal Commission of Human Rights in Jordan.(2000-2003)
13. A member of the administrative Board of Awqaf in Amman. (2001-2002)
14. Editing Consultant for many Jordanian and Arab Magazines.

Courses:

1. Internationalization workshop, Leadership Foundation for Higher Education, Cardiff Metropolitan University UK, and the Arab Union of Universities 24-26 February 2014.
2. June –July 2005, Training Trainers for Tempus and other Programmers. It was Supported by the European Commission in Cooperation with University of Jordan.
3. Feb.-May 1992, Diploma in Spanish Language, Marid.
4. Aug.-Sept. 1979, Diploma in English Language, School of English-London.

Medals and Awards:

1. Civil Order of Merit with the Rank of Commander of His Majesty the King of Spain, 2017
2. 2002, Independence Badge of Honor. (in Jordan)
3. 2009, State Appreciation Award, in Literature. (in Jordan)