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**Personal Information:**

**Nationality:** Jordanian

**Marital Status:** married

**Date and Place of Birth:** 23<sup>rd</sup> of March, 1983.

**Languages:** Arabic; native speaker

English; fluent

**Academic Qualifications:**

1-An **MA in English Language & Literature**, with an **excellent** average (89.6) , Philadelphia University. I was the **first** among my batch. I have also **topped** them in the comprehensive examination and my mark is (88). (2010/2011)

2- **B.A. in English Language & Literature**, The University of Jordan (2001-2004).GPA is (3.51) out of (4.00) rating very good.

**Experiences:**

1-A part-time supervisor of English language and a trainer of English language teachers in different schools including Salt Schools and many others. (2014-till present)

2-A full-time lecturer at **Al-Khwarizmi College; Balqa Applied University**. My duties are twofold. First, I teach specialized English courses such as Translation, Intro. to Linguistics, Phonetics, and others including those in the field of literature.

3- A trainer at the **General Security Directorate** - مديرية الأمن العام - on English communicative skills through which I trained Jordanian police officers on General and Police English needed to communicate with non-Arabic speakers. These courses were conducted at Royal Police Academy College. (June, 2013- 2017)

3-A full-time lecturer at **Hail University; Kingdom of Saudi Arabia**. My duties were to teach post-preparatory year courses that enable students to get much better in using the language communicatively. (2011-2013)

4- A full-time lecturer and a trainer at **Al-Khwarizmi College; Balqa Applied University**. I have taught specialized courses for English Language and Literature major students. As a trainer at the training center, I trained trainees on ESP (**English for Specific Purposes**). Also, I gave courses related to TOEFL ( **IBT/ ITB**) and IELTS examinations. Other courses are related to business English including correspondence and emailing and teaching Arabic for non-native speakers. (Oct. 2008-2011).

5-A part-time lecturer at **Arab Open University**. (2010-2011)

6-A part-time lecturer at **The University of Jordan**. I taught **translation II** ; which was meant to teach students how to translate from Arabic into English. In my course, I exposed students to different texts from different fields so as to make them familiar with their jargon. (summer 2010)

7-A part-timer at The **Arab Community College; Balqa Applied University**. I taught most major courses including introduction to literature, oral skills, translation, Eng-099,and Eng-101among many (2010-2011 )

8-A part-time lecturer at **Al-Balqa' Applied University/ Princess Alia' College** teaching 101-English and English literature courses. ( January, 2010-2011)

9- A member of the committee to choose the lecturers for Al-Khawarizmi College. My role has been to choose the lecturers upon specific criteria that I believe in. Also, I have helped hold and organize English courses at the training center of the college itself. I am a member of the committee to choose

lecturers as they should be experienced in this field due to the specific nature of these courses. I have helped in choosing the curricula taught and I am consulted when needed.

10- **Being chosen by the Ministry of Education**, I have conducted **the first class**- all over Jordan- teaching the new curriculum of public schools. This class- which is enclosed to my CV.- has been considered as a **training program** for teachers who are supposed to teach it.(2006)

11- I have received **a letter of thanks** from the administration of **Omareyah Schools** for my efforts in all the conferences I attended and contributions to of English Dep. there. Additionally, I have organized and held a students' conference about masterpieces they have read. The conference lasted for only one day.

12-I have worked as **a teacher of English and literature** at **Omareyah Schools**,(2004-2006.)

### **Experiences in the field of training:**

1- I **trained** at the **General Security Directorate** -- مديرية الأمن العام -- on English communicative skills through which I train Jordanian police officers on General and Police English needed to communicate with non-Arabic speakers. These courses were conducted at Royal Police Academy College and they are the only requirement for Jordanian police officers to get examined and interviewed to participate in the UN missions. ( June, 2013- 2017)

2- I trained at Khawarizmi College Training Center where I conducted some ESPs (**English for Specific Purposes courses**) that is the trainees belonged to different areas of specializations including doctors, nurses, lawyers, teachers among many. I trained them to get better in using English properly in their field including providing them with the terminology and jargon needed. Also, I gave courses related to TOEFL ( **IBT/ ITB**) and IELTS examinations. Other courses were related to business English including correspondence and emailing and teaching Arabic for non-native speakers. (Oct. 2008- 2011).

3-A **part-time lecturer at Modern Language center (MLC); which is the oldest language center in Jordan**. These courses were conducted in the **in- and out-doors**. As for the out-doors training, I trained the employees of **Al-Hikma Pharmaceutical Company- Al-Salt Branch-** in which I trained the doctors, pharmacists, supervisors, engineers, technicians, and many others. The training program lasted for three months successfully. I also trained a group of secretaries of **the House of the Parliament** helping them to use legal English terminology. Regarding the in-doors training, I taught very many students belonging to most of the banks, Jordanian Electricity Company, Ministry of Health, and Ministry of Education among many. (2007- 2009)

4-A part time teacher at **Yaghi Cultural Technological Center** as a teacher of English for beginner, intermediate and advanced levels. Besides I was a teacher of **Arabic for non-native speakers** and a teacher of **conversation (2004/05-2007)**

#### **Translation/ books**

1-I have **translated a full book** from English into Arabic by the title of ***Palestine Rising*** which is an eye on that ugly massacre occurred in Deir Yassien accounted by a real witness who wrote the book. The book is 160 pages and it sheds the light on the importance of Jerusalem specifically and Palestine generally. It tells what really happened in 1948. Both hard and soft copies are available upon requests.

#### **Translation/ miscellaneous**

1-A **translator** of Arabic specialized articles for publication in foreign refereed journals that publish in English. Referees are available upon request.

2-I have done lots of translations including translating papers, abstracts, projects and documents. I also translate the abstracts of the theses and dissertations belonging to different fields of sciences. Additionally, I translate the introductions of some Arabic books

#### **Translation/conferences:**

- 1- I have worked in a conference for the European Union (EU) . An eight-day international law conference by the title of ***LAWYERS FOR THE NEW MILLENNIUM***. Duties assigned to me included **assisting in teaching legal English terminology and dealing with some Arabic-English translation**. The certificate of experience I received in this regard was issued from four bar associations including **The Society Law, The Jordanian Bar Association, The Palestinian Bar Association, and The Egyptian Bar Association**. ( 2003)

**Courses taught for BA and Diploma students:**

These courses were related to linguistics and literature including:

- 1-E- 099
- 2-E-101,
- 3-Listening (1)
- 4-Listening (2)
- 5-Writing (1)
- 6-Writing (2)
- 7-Grammar
- 8-Syntax
- 9-Phonetics and Phonology.
- 10-How to teach English.
- 11-Introduction to linguistics.
- 12-Introduction to Literature.
- 13-Drama.
- 14-Novel.
- 15-English literature
- 16-Translation A-E

17-Translation E-A,

18-Oral Skills

19-Communication Skills for Hospitality and Hotel Management specializing students.

20-Business Correspondence

21-Study Skills

### **Conferences:**

1- I have attended *The 2006 University of Delaware Follow –On Conference* in Amman ,March 31<sup>st</sup> –April 2<sup>nd</sup> ,2006. Additionally, many conferences and symposia -organized by the American Embassy and the British council- have been attended.

### **Unpublished papers**

- 1- The Degree of Politeness in Requests in the Speech of Male/Female EFL Jordanian Students.
- 2- The Acquisition of Questions among Three-Year-Old Children.
- 3- The Grammaticality and Ungrammaticality Some Passivized and Non-Passivized Arabic and English Sentences.
- 4- An Analysis of the Writing of Informal Letters among Jordanian 9<sup>th</sup> Graders.
- 5-A Categorization of the Errors in the Translation of the book *War of Words*.
- 6-*Great Gatsby* as an Embodiment of the American Dream
- 7- Requests and Their Degree of Politeness in Arabic and English, a Contrastive Study.
- 8- Arabs' Contributions to Linguistics.
- 9- Palestine in the Eye's of Mahmoud Darweesh's Poetry.
- 10- Eye Idiomatic Expressions in English and Arabic
- 11-Orientalism in *A Passage to India*

### **Membership:**

1- A member at **ELTeCS** sessions of **the British Council**. They are meetings for those who are specialized in English touching upon many issues related to **TEFL** ( 2006- 2009)

### **Training and courses:**

1-I have gone through a **training program** for teachers **lasted** for **32** hours at **Omareyah Schools**, 2006.

2- Being chosen by the Ministry of Education for the same class mentioned above, I have taken a course in **Microsoft** by the title of *CONTENT AUTHORIZING COURSE ( CAC.)* It is an advanced course enabling to make a movie to present data instead of only using POWER POINT, 3<sup>rd</sup> of July,2006.

### **Computer Skills:**

1- Microsoft Office.

2- Internet.

3- Movie Maker.

### **Interests:**

Walking, table tennis, reading, writing and socializing.

### **References:**

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2-Dr. Hasan Zyadah; the dean of Al-khwarizmi College. His mobile number is 00962 79967659

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