

Curriculum Vita

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➤ *Personal information*

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➤ *Education*

- 1999-2003:** Ph.D. Educational Technology, School of Education & Lifelong Learning, University of Exeter, Exeter, UK
- 1996-1998:** Masters of Philosophy in English Studies and Educational Methods (Computer Assisted Language Learning, CALL), Department of Adult and Continuing Education, College of Education, University of Glasgow, UK
- 1995-1996:** P.G. Dip. Adult and Continuing Education, College of Education, University of Glasgow, UK
- 1980-1984:** B.A., English, College of Arts, University of Baghdad, Iraq

➤ *Employment / Experience*

- 2005-Current:** Assistant Prof., College of Educational Sciences, An-Najah National University, Nablus, Palestine.
- 10/07-11/08:** Head of Teaching Methods Dept. College of Educational Science, An-Najah National University, Nablus, Palestine
- 2003-2005:** Assistant Prof., College of Education and Basic Sciences, Education Technology Department, Ajman University of Science and Technology Network, Abu Dhabi

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- 1999-2002** Lecturer, College of Education and Basic Sciences, Education Technology Department, Ajman University of Science and Technology Network, Abu Dhabi Campus
- 1998-1999:** Lecturer, Education Department Al-Quds Open University, Dubai Branch, UAE
- 1991-1996:** English Language Teacher. Al-Wuhaida Secondary School, Dubai, Ministry of Education, UAE,
- 11/98-6/90:** Short Courses Coordinator. TRAINMAR* section /Arab Maritime Transport Academy, Sharjah, UAE.

➤ ***An Najah National University Membership of Committees***

- 2010-Current:** Member of EFQM University team
- 2010-2011:** Coordinator of Teaching Aids Exhibition
- 2010-Current:** Member of University Council of Competencies
- 2010-2011:** Education Technology Center Project Founder and Coordinator
- 2008-Current:** Member of the University E-learning Committee
- 2007-2009:** College Quality Assurance Committee
- 2006-Current:** College Academic Advising Committee

➤ ***International Membership of Communities***

- Global Learning Framework, 2010- ---
- NYSCATE, The New York State Association for Computers and Technologies in Education.2009- --
- Scientific Committee member, The First International Conference on Information and Communication Technologies for Education and Training (TICET2012), Hammamat, Tunisia.
- Scientific Committee member, The Second International Conference on Information and Communication Technologies for Education and Training (TICET2013), Hammamat, Tunisia.
- Reviewer, The Third International Conference on e-Technologies and Networks for Development (ICeND2014) – Lebanese University, Beirut -Lebanon on Apr. 29 – May 1, 2014.

- Reviewer, The Third International Conference on E-Learning and E-Technologies in Education (ICEEE2014, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia on March 18-20, 2014
- Reviewer, The Fourth International Conference on Digital Information and Communication Technology and its Applications (DICTAP2014) , Bangkok, Thailand on May 6-8, 2014.
- Reviewer, International Conference on Islamic Applications in Computer Science and Technologies 2013 IMAN 2013 Malaysia
- Reviewer, American Journal of Educational Research
- Article Editor for SAGE Open, 2014

➤ **Articles. Papers. Books**

- Computers and Education (1), 'The Computer is also a teaching aid' <http://www.almuallem.net/magalal031.html>
- Computers and Education (2), 'Teacher, Programmer and the Educational Software' <http://www.almuallem.net/magalal032.html>
- Computers and Education (3), 'The characteristics of quality Educational Software' <http://www.almuallem.net/magalal033.html>
- Virtual environment and Education <http://www.almuallem.net/magalal069.html>
- The role of Learning Management Systems in distance education. <http://www.almuallem.net>
- Attitudes of teachers in model schools towards the use of computers in education in Abu Dhabi Education Zone. (Unpublished paper)
- A model for integrating new technologies into pre-service teachers' Programs. The Turkish Online Journal of Educational Technology -TO.IETJuly2005ISSN:1303-6521 Volume 4, Issue 3, Article 4 (Refereed)
- Arab Schools Web Sites from personal efforts to criteria commitments, An-Najah University Journal (Accepted and published, 2006). (Refereed)
- Factors Influencing Students' Use of Electronic Resources and their Opinions About this Use: The Case of Students at An-Najah National University. International Journal of Emerging Technologies in Learning (IJET), Vol 5, No 4 (2010). Ali Shaqour, Wajeeh M. Daher (Refereed)
- Attitudes of MA degree students towards the use of computers in Education in the Faculty of Educational Sciences, An-Najah University in Nablus . Jami'a, vol. 14 (2010). (Refereed)
- Educational Communication Technology for teachers and pre-service teachers (A book 'in Arabic' to be published and it is taught as a textbook at An-Najah University for 'Educational Technologies' course) .
- The reality of educational preparation of teacher in the Palestinian area in educational technology from the viewpoint of teachers of schools in Nablus. Educational Association for Social Studies, College of Education Ein Shams University (23 May, 2012) (Refereed)

- Reality of employment of technological innovations and the constraints of this employment in the Palestinian schools from the teachers' perspective. An Najah Scientific Research Journal, 2012 (Refereed)
- Faculty members' views towards blended learning, the case of An Najah National University Master Program Teachers in the College of Education and Teacher Preparation. Journal of Educational Technology & Society, Vol. 4, No. 7; May 2014.
- Students' readiness towards M-learning: A case study of pre-service teachers in Palestine. Journal of Educational and Social Research, Vol. 4, No. 5; September 2014.
- More articles are found at www.alizuhdi.com

➤ *MA theses supervision and examination*

Title	Student	Year	Status
The Efficiency of Remedial Education Program in Enhancing Students' Achievement from Teachers' Perspectives at UNRWA Schools in North West Bank	Khitam Abdul Rahman Ashour	2007	Supervisor
The Effect of Employing Virtual Learning Environment in Teaching Science on of the Sixth Graders' Achievement at UNRWA Schools in Nablus District	Jameela Shareef khaled	2008	Supervisor
The Role of Informatics in Developing Vocational Performance of Vocational Teachers in Industrial Schools in Palestine from the Point Views of Principals and Teachers	Watheq N.M. Hithnawi	2009	Supervisor
The Degree Of Knowledge About And Application Of Total Quality Management In Palestinian Education Departments From The Perspective Of Workers In These Departments	Inaya Mohammed Kudear	2009	Examiner
The Degree of the Application of e-administration in government schools in west bank from the perspectives of school administrators	Eman Hassan Khalouf	2010	Examiner
The effect of using computerized Arabic educational programs, on the achievements of first-grade students in primary schools in Nablus)	Neda'a Dar Saleh	2010	Supervisor
The effectiveness of computer applications in teaching mathematics for tenth grade from the viewpoint of teachers in government schools in Tulkarm	Rula AbuSa'a	2012	Supervisor
Readiness of An-Najah National University teachers in using Moodle in the teaching process according to TPACK Framework	Rana AlSa'di	2012	Supervisor
Lecturers attitudes concerning virtual classas as a model of E-Learning at AL-Quds open University in Palestine	Sobhiya Said Nassar	2013	Supervisor
The impact of employing computerized enrichment activities on students in secondary science chemistry and their attitudes towards learning chemistry	Ashwaq Hurani	2014	Supervisor

➤ **Language Knowledge:**

- Arabic: mother tongue
- English: reading, writing and speaking.

➤ **Related Professional Experiences**

A.

- Developing Educational Websites using FrontPage Application.
- Developing Internet and Computer related short courses.
- Using Ulead Audio/Video Studio for editing video films and audio files.
- Using Macromedia Flash and Director.

N.B: All the above applications and programs are used to be taught by myself as part of some courses.

B. Planning/ designing computer labs and workshops (tools, equipments, furniture, software) as I was in charge of establishing the Education Technology Dept.'s labs and workshops of Ajman University, Abu Dhabi Branch.

C. Designing courses related to Educational Technology field like; Educational Multimedia, Web-based Instruction, Audio-visual production ... etc.

D. Supervising Technical and Trainers staff.

E. MA Program. Supervising several students' theses related to Educational Technology.

➤ **Funded Projects**

2009-2010: Establishing Education Technology Center at both An Najah National University and Palestine Technical University. the project was funded by the Quality Improvement Fund, Ministry of Education. My role was writing the proposal and managing the 16

month establishment phase. Results: two centers were successfully established.

2010: Team member of proposal writing for the establishment of Center for Teaching Excellence at An Najah National University. Proposal was Accepted. The proposal was accepted and the establishment phase was started.

2010-Current: "Enhancing the Learning/Teaching Process of Technology Education and Establishing the Multimedia and Educational Resources Center (MERC)" Joint Project with both Al Aroub And PTU. the project is funded by QIF with 26 month duration. my role is An Najah team Coordinator.

➤ **Conferences, Workshops and Seminars**

✓ **Attended:**

- Finance for Non-Finance Shipping Executives, Arab Maritime Transport Academy, Sharjah, UAE. 1989.
- Introduction to personal computers, Arab Maritime Transport Academy, Sharjah, UAE. 1989.
- Developing Educational Websites using FrontPage, Asynchronous Learning networks (ALN),USA.2000(Online course).
- Research Methodology, Action Research. For PhD students, School of Education, University of Exeter, UK. 10/8/2001.
- Using Learning Management systems (WebCT), University of Exeter, UK. 2001
- Conference of Palestinian Educational Syllabus between Past and Present, An Najah University. 21-11/1/2005.
- Data bases and e-information. An Anajah University (attendance), 6/12/2005.
- Project RUFO 151Workshop. National Institution for Educational Training, Ramallah,(participant, e-learning group member) 17,18/12/2005.
- Palestine Education Initiative meeting, Jericho, (participant, teacher training group member), 20-22/12/2005.
- Development of National Teacher Education Strategy, Capacity Building Component, study visit to Finland, 10-17 November 2007
- Monitoring and Evaluation, Quality Improvement Fund (QIF), Ministry of Higher Education, Ramallah, 30-3-2009.
- Study Visit to Education Technology Center, Qabous University, Oman. 12-17/12/2009.
- INTERNATIONAL COUNCIL ON EDUCATION FOR TEACHING 54th World Assembly, Maintaining Strategic Agility: Managing change and assuring quality in education for teaching, Muscat, Oman 14-17/12/ 2009.
- Study visit to Teachers' College, Columbia University-NY, USA. 5-15/2/2010.
- Towards utilizing ICT in schools in Palestine: Initiatives and Challenges. Ministry of Education and Higher Education, Ramallah, 1-2/3/2010.

- A Study visit to Oslo, Norway. Quality Systems for Quality Teaching Program. " Using ICT in Education and in Innovative Teaching" , From November 20th to 26th , 2011. Organised and Funded by UNESCO, Ramallah.
- The "17th International Conference on Technology Supported Learning & Training" organised by ONLINE EDUCA Berlin. Dec 1st and 2nd.2011. Funded by UNESCO, Ramallah
- A visit to The Center for Learning and Teaching (CLT), in collaboration with Columbia University's Columbia Center for New Media Teaching and Learning (CCNMTL) and Teachers College. Challenges and Practices of Pedagogy and Instructional Technology. Professional Development Exchange for Palestinian Educators. From 11th to 15th of March, 2012.

✓ **Conducted:**

- Implementing new technologies in the teaching/ learning process for Faculty of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, Abu Dhabi Campus 14/4/2001.
- Implementing new technologies in the teaching/learning process for Faculty of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, Ajman Campus. 24/5/2001.
- E-interaction enhanced face-to-face interactions, SIG Conference, University of Sharjah. 20/2/2003.
- Implementing teaching aids in teaching situations, Educational Media Week, AL Afaq Model School Abu Dhabi. 11/3/2003.
- Evaluating and Developing College of Education and Basic Science Student, Teacher Program Ajman University. Coordinator and presenter 13/12/2004.
- several workshops for the University e-learning project (RUFO) during 2005, 2006 and 2007. in Palestine.
- Educational Multimedia Production, Nablus School Teachers, 2-5/2006, An Najah National University.
- Designing and developing Faculty websites, An Najah National University, 17-20/6/2008.
- Education Technology; potentials and requirements. (Workshop), The Palestinian Academy for Security Sciences (PASS). Jericho, 30/8/2008.
- Training Program for Developing Learning Innovation Teams at the Palestinian Universities Project , Birzeit University, 9/2007- 5/2009.
- Pedagogy, Technology and e-Learning, a forty hour training course for Faculty members, Palestine Technical University (Khadouri), Tulkarm. 29/12/2009- 30/1/2010.
- Building your own online course using Moodle. A short Course for An Najah National University teachers from 25th of Dec.2011 to 5th of Jan. 2012.
- Introduction to Learning Management Systems (Moodle). A short Course for An Najah National University teachers from 25th of Dec.2011 to 5th of Jan. 2012.
- The First International Conference on Information and Communication Technologies for Education and Training (TICET2012), Hammamat, Tunisia. From 7th to 10th of May, 2012. Participation; Scientific committee member and lecturer.

- MS Office in the Classroom (Workshop). The First International Conference on Information and Communication Technologies for Education and Training (TICET2012), Hammamat, Tunisia. From 7th to 10th of May, 2012.
- Google Applications in Education (Lecture). The First International Conference on Information and Communication Technologies for Education and Training (TICET2012), Hammamat, Tunisia. From 7th to 10th of May, 2012.
- Member of “School Development For Self-Improvement, Support to the Palestinian Education Program S.P.E.P.”. (The Ministry of Education & Higher Education, UNDP, Italian Cooperation, University of Bologna).



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We the undersigned hereby certify that

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Mr Ali was studying for the degree of Master of Philosophy (M.Phil.) He successfully completed his course and graduated Master of Philosophy (M.Phil.) in English Studies and Educational Methods on 9 July 1998.

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