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## **Marital status**

Married, 4 kids

## **Nationality**

Palestinian

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## Professional Experience

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- 1996 – 2012      **Chief Veterinarian** at the Nablus Municipality Slaughterhouse and Veterinary Services. Responsible for all health aspects related to fresh red meat and related food products at the city of Nablus and the related refugee camps.
- 2000 – 2003      **Part time as veterinarian** responsible for diary sheep farms.
- 2002 – 2003      **Part time teaching veterinary students** of the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> years, and Master students at Al-Najah National University.
- 2004 – 2007      **Research- and Teaching Assistance** at the Institute for Parasitology and the Institute for Food Quality and Safety in Hanover Germany.
- 2007 – till now      **Assistance Professor** at An-Najah National University teaching at the Faculty of Veterinary Medicine, Faculty of Agriculture and Faculty of Higher Studies.

## Education

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- 1996      **B.Sc. Veterinary Medicine**, Jordan University of Science and Technology, Irbid, Jordan. Graduation project about the effect of plastic on animals at the northern area of Jordan.
- 2001      **M.Sc. Environmental Sciences**, Al-Najah National University, Nablus, West bank. Master thesis about prevalence and serovar distribution of some species of Enterobacteriaceae in fresh meat of cattle, with special emphasis on *Salmonella* and *Escherichia coli* O157:H7.
- 2007      **Doctorate/ Dr. med. Vet.**, the University of Veterinary Medicine, Hanover, Germany. Doctoral thesis about comparative determination of *Taenia saginata* cysticercosis (*Cysticercus bovis*) with visual diagnosis, PCR and ELISA.

## Courses and Workshops

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- 1996                      **Workshop** ‘Recent Trends in Theriogenology’. Irbid, Jordan.
- 1996                      **Workshop** ‘Abdominal Surgery in Ruminants’. Irbid, Jordan.
- 1997                      **Course** in bee keeping. Nablus, Palestine.
- 1998                      **Course** in Recent Trends of Management of Farms, Health Aspects, and Microbiology of Meat, Milk, and Water. Florence, Italy.
- 2004                      **Intensive German language course** for 6 months at (Kreuzberg-Bonn Sprachschule). Bonn, Germany.
- 2005                      **European Seminar** “The European Union and the human rights”. Strasbourg, France.
- 2006                      **Course** „Fundraising”. Marienthal/Westerwald, Germany.
- 2007                      **Course in Veterinary Applied Statistics**. Hanover, Germany.
- 2007                      **Course in Veterinary Epidemiology and animal disease monitoring**. Hanover, Germany.
- 2007                      **Research work from** 21.12.2007 – 21.01.2008 at the Institute for Parasitology, at the School of Veterinary Medicine in Hanover, Germany, with cooperation with Laves, the Lower Saxony Federal State Office for Consumer Protection and Food Safety – Oldenburg. Research about the Prevalence and distribution of *Taenia saginata* cysticercosis in the federal state Lower Saxony-Germany
- 2009                      **Research work** about SDS-PAGE of *T. saginata* cysts and the Immunoblot-Pattern of *T. saginata* cysts. The work was granted from DAAD. Hannover, Germany.
- 2011                      **Consultation Workshop** from 7<sup>th</sup> to the 9<sup>th</sup> of June 2011 in “Strengthening the infrastructure of animal health sectors with special reference to globalization and international trade in Yemen, Egypt, Algeria, Palestine and Jordan”, Irbid, Jordan.

- 2012                    **Research work** in the Institute for Parasitology at the University of Veterinary Medicine-Hannover. The work was granted from DAAD. Hannover, Germany
- 2012                    Participating with the „**Tagung der DVG-Fachgruppe Parasitologie und Parasitäre Krankheiten**“. Hannover, Germany.

## Languages

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<b>Arabic</b>	Mother Language
<b>English</b>	Very good in speaking and writing
<b>German</b>	Very good in speaking and writing
<b>Hebrew</b>	Main Knowledge.

## Public Awareness

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- **Disease monitoring** and survey analysis programs.
- **Solid Waste** Collection and Disposal.
- **Rearing Small Farms** for Personal use including Rabbits, Pigeons, Poultry, and Ruminant in General.
- Public Health.
- Good Knowledge in Windows, Microsoft Office Programs.
- Valid Driving License.

## Hobbies

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Keeping in Touch in the Field of Interest.  
Reading.  
Bee keeping.

## Scientific Publications

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**1- Abuseir, S., C. Küsters, M. Kühne (2005):**

Aktuelle Erhebungen zum Vorkommen von *Cysticercus inermis* bei geschlachteten Rindern: Morphologische Befunde  
Rundschau für Fleischhygiene und Lebensmittelüberwachung. 57(8):171-172  
ISSN 0178-2010

**2- Abuseir, S., C. Epe, T. Schnieder, G. Klein, M. Kühne (2006):**

Visual diagnosis of *Taenia saginata* cysticercosis during meat inspection: is it unequivocal? Parasitol Res. 99(4):405-409

**3- Abuseir, S., M. Kühne, T. Schnieder, G. Klein, C. Epe (2007):**

Evaluation of serological method for the detection of *Taenia saginata* cysticercosis using serum and meat juice samples.  
Parasitol Res. 101(1): 131-137.

4- **Al-Masri, A.N., N.T. Grabowski, S. Abuseir, M. Upmann, G. Klein. (2008):** Die Stellung des Tieres im Islam zu Lebzeiten des Propheten bis zum Kalifat (ca. 610-1492 n.Chr.) anhand religiöser Quellen. Tierärztl. Umschau 63 (8): 449-456.

5- **Al-Masri, A.N., N.T. Grabowski, S. Abuseir, M. Upmann, G. Klein. (2008):** Die Stellung des Tieres im Islam zu Lebzeiten des Propheten bis zum Kalifat (ca. 610-1492 n.Chr.) anhand religiöser Quellen. Tierärztl. Umschau. 63 (9): 510-515.

6- **Abuseir, S., C. Epe, M.G. Doherr, T. Schnieder, U. Nagel-Kohl, D. Probst, M. Kühne (2010):** Seroprevalence of *Taenia saginata* cysticercosis in the federal state of Lower Saxony in Germany. Berliner und Münchener Tierärztliche Wochenschrift. 123 (9/10): 392-396.

7- **Abuseir, S., U. Nagel-Kohl, S. Wolken, C. Strube (2012):** An Immunoblot for the detection of *Taenia saginata* cysticercosis (in press).

## Lectures and Seminars

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1- „Entwicklung eines serologischen Verfahrens zum Nachweis von *Cysticercus inermis*“. Annual Conference of the German Veterinary Medical Society, special field Food Hygiene. In Garmisch-Partenkirchen in Germany from 27.09.2006 – 29.09.2006.

2- „Das rituelle Schlachten (Schächten) im Islam und Judentum“ within the framework of the Institute for Food Quality and Safety - internal advanced Seminars at 09.01.2007.

3- „Palästina: Heimat und Fremde jenseits der Mauer“. At the Catholic School community, Hanover. At 13.06.2006.

4- „Validierung eines serologischen Verfahrens zum Nachweis der Prävalenz von *Taenia saginata* Zystizerkose in Niedersachsen“ “. Annual Conference of the German Veterinary Medical Society, special field Parasitology. In Celle – Germany from 04.06.2007 – 06.06.2007.

## Posters

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1- **S. Abuseir, C. Epe, M. Kühne:** Visual Diagnosis of *Taenia saginata* Cysticercosis during meat inspection: Is it unequivocal? World Association for Advancement in Veterinary Parasitology. 2005, Christchurch, New Zealand.

2- **U. Nagel-Kohl, S. Abuseir, P. Moser:** An Immunoblot for the detection of *Taenia saginata* cysticercosis. 2<sup>nd</sup> Cysticercosis Working Group Meeting, 2010, Copenhagen, Denmark.

3- **S. Abuseir, U. Nagel-Kohl, S. Wolken:** An Immunoblot for the detection of *Taenia saginata* cysticercosis. Annual Conference of the German Veterinary Medical Society, special field Parasitology. 2012, Hannover, Germany.