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Curriculum Vitae

Personal Details

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Academic Qualifications

- Ph.D. in the Philosophy of History, The University of Jordan, 2015. Dissertation: State Administration during the Caliphate of 'Othmān ibn 'Affān (23–35 AH / 644–656 CE).
- M.A. in History, The University of Jordan, 2011. Thesis: The Movement of Muḥammad ibn 'Abd Allāh al-Nafs al-Zakiyya: A New Critical Perspective (145 AH / 763 CE).
- B.A. in History, The University of Jordan, 2008.

Employment History

- Teacher, Ministry of Education – Jordan (2008–2015).
- Lecturer, University of Petra – Amman, Jordan (2015–2023).
- Contributor, Civic Education Guide in cooperation with the Berghof Foundation, Germany (2022).
- Assistant Professor, University of Khorfakkan – Sharjah, UAE (2023–present).

Professional Membership & Activities

- Member of the Arab Historians Union - Arab League - Baghdad.
- Member, College Quality Assurance and Academic Accreditation Committee – University of Khorfakkan (2025–2026).
- Member, Central Examination Committee – University of Khorfakkan (2025–2026).
- Member, College Student Disciplinary Investigation Committee – University of Khorfakkan (2025–2026).
- Member, College Timetable and Examination Scheduling Committee – University of Khorfakkan (2025–2026).

- Member, Central Examination Committee – University of Khorfakkan (2024–2025).
- Member, College Quality Assurance and Academic Accreditation Committee – University of Khorfakkan (2024–2025).
- Member, College Student Scholarship Committee – University of Khorfakkan (2024–2025).
- Member, College Student Conduct Committee – University of Khorfakkan (2023–2024).
- Member, Central Examination Committee – University of Khorfakkan (2024–2025).
- Member, Quality Assurance Committee – University of Khorfakkan (2024–2025).
- Member, Teaching and Learning Committee – University of Khorfakkan (2023–2024).
- Member, Student Conduct Committee – University of Khorfakkan (2023–2024).
- Member, Union of Arab Historians – League of Arab States, Baghdad.
- Member, College Council – College of Arts, University of Petra (2021–2023).
- Member, Quality Assurance Committee – College of Arts, University of Petra (2021–2022).
- Member, Student Services Committee – College of Arts, University of Petra (2021).
- Member, Community Service Committee – University of Petra (2016–2023).
- Member, University Requirements Examination Committee – University of Petra (2015–2022).
- Chair, University Requirements Coordination Committee – University of Petra (2018–2022).

Teaching Experience

- History of the Rightly Guided Caliphs
- History of the Umayyad State
- History of the Abbasid State up to the Fourth Century AH
- The Ayyubid and Mamluk States
- Textual and Documentary Editing
- Arab-Islamic Civilization
- Human Civilization
- Arab and Islamic History
- Social Studies
- Civilization and Thought
- National Education
- Contemporary Issues
- Islamic Philosophy
- Ancient and Modern History
- The Palestinian Cause
- Life Skills
- Leadership and Social Responsibility

Conferences & Workshops (Last 5 years)

- The Spanish Orientalist Francisco Codera (1836–1917) and His Role in Promoting Andalusian Heritage, 3rd Abu Dhabi Conference, 2022.
- The Problem of Name Accuracy in Genealogical and Biographical Sources, 2nd Abu Dhabi Manuscript Conference – 2020.

□ Research Interests

- Manuscripts realization
- Umayyad history
- The era of the message and the rightly guided caliphs
- The history of history

Recent Research Publications (Books, Journals & Conferences papers)

- “**The Role of Sheikh Zayed bin Sultan in the Unification of the United Arab Emirates (1968–1971)**”, Dirasat Journal, The University of Jordan, 2016. (Scopus-indexed)
- “**The Movement of Muḥammad ibn ‘Abd Allāh al-Nafs al-Zakiyya: The Call and Organization**”, Dirasat Journal, The University of Jordan, 2016. (Scopus-indexed)
- “**Sectarian Conflict in the Thought of ‘Ali al-Wardi: A Critical Study**”, Albab Journal, Morocco, 2018. (Co-authored)
- “**The Sacred Months and Intercalation among Pre-Islamic Arabs**”, Albab Journal, Morocco, 2018. (Co-authored)
- “**The Sermon of Ja‘far ibn Abī Tālib before the Negus: A Study of the Early Narratives**”, Dirasat Journal, The University of Jordan, 2021. (Scopus-indexed)
- “**‘Umar ibn Shabbah (d. 262 AH) and His Book ‘Akhbār Muḥammad wa Ibrāhīm ibn ‘Abd Allāh ibn al-Ḥasan**”, Islamic University Journal, Gaza, 2021. (EBSCO-indexed)
- “**Shujā‘ ibn Fāris al-Dhahli (430–507 AH / 1039–1114 CE) and His Historical Work**”, Information Sciences Letters, Vol. 13, No. 2, pp. 251–260, 2024.
- “**Al-Mubarak ibn Kamil ibn Abi Ghālib al-Khaffāf (490–543 AH / 1097–1148 CE) and His Mu‘jam al-Shyūkh**”, Hong Kong Journal of Social Science, Vol. 63, Spring–Summer 2024.
- “**Verification of the Apostasy Books: The Case of the Book of Apostasy Attributed to al-Waqidi**”, Egyptian Historian Journal, Cairo, Issue 66, 2025. (Co-authored)
- “**Abu al-‘Abbās al-Manda’ī (552 AH / 1157 CE) and His Book The History of Rulers and Judges in the City of Peace**”, Jordan Journal for History and Archaeology, The University of Jordan, Amman. (Accepted for publication)
- “**‘Umar ibn ‘Ubayd Allāh ibn Ma‘mar al-Tamimi al-Qurashi and His Role in the Umayyad State**”, Historical Events Journal, Faculty of Arts, Cairo University. (Accepted for publication)
- “**Al-Ṭabarī’s History of Nations and Kings (d. 807 AH / 1405 CE): A Study of the Third Volume Manuscript, Its Significance, and Sources**”, Egyptian Historian Journal, Faculty of Arts, Cairo University. (Accepted for publication)

- **Book:** The Movement of Muhammad ibn ‘Abd Allāh al-Nafs al-Zakiyya (145 AH): A New Critical Perspective, Malamih Publishing, Sharjah, 2022. (Originally the M.A. thesis)

Text Editing and Critical Edition Work

- Kashf al-Zunūn ‘an Asāmī al-Kutub wa-l-Funūn by Ḥājjī Khalīfa (d. 1067 AH), edited by Ekmeleddin İhsanoğlu, Bashar ‘Awwād Ma‘rūf, Mahran Alzoubi, and Mahmoud Bashar Al-‘Ubaidi, 10 vols., Al-Furqan Islamic Heritage Foundation, London, 2021.
- Al-Istidhkār fī Madhāhib ‘Ulamā’ al-Amsār by Ibn ‘Abd al-Barr al-Qurtubī (d. 463 AH), edited by Bashar ‘Awwād Ma‘rūf, Mahran Alzoubi, and Ahmad ‘Abd al-Razzaq, vols. 9–12, Al-Furqan Foundation, London, 2023.
- Tārīkh al-Rusul wa-l-Mulūk (History of Prophets and Kings) by al-Ṭabarī (d. 310 AH), edited by Bashar ‘Awwād Ma‘rūf, Mahran Alzoubi, and Bashar Mahmoud Al-‘Ubaidi, 20 vols., King Abdulaziz Foundation, Riyadh, 2025.
- Al-Tārīkh al-Mujaddad by Ibn al-Najjār (d. 643 AH), under editing by Bashar ‘Awwād Ma‘rūf, Mahran Alzoubi, and Mahmoud Bashar Al-‘Ubaidi. (In progress)
- Tārīkh al-Duwal wa-l-Mulūk by Ibn al-Furāt (d. 807 AH), vol. 2, edited by Saleh Al-Luhaibi, Issam Okleh, and Mahran Alzoubi. (In progress)
- ‘Urūbat al-‘Ulamā’ al-Mansūbīn ilā al-Buldān al-‘Ajamiyya by Najī Ma‘rūf, revised under the supervision of Prof. Bashar ‘Awwād Ma‘rūf, Al al-Bayt Foundation, 2019. (Published)

Community Services

- An interview on Al-Sharqiya TV – 2023.
- Seminar titled “**Manuscripts at the University of Khorfakkan**”.-2024
- A visit to the **Islamic Forum in Sharjah**- 2025.