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Personal Information

Born on 3 December, 1957. Father of two sons and two daughters and grandfather of three children. Healthy. Hobbies: gardening and swimming. Travel on a New Zealand passport.

Education

PhD (Computational Linguistics) - 1994 Auckland University, Auckland, New Zealand

Developed four computer programs for the analysis of simultaneous interpretation. One allows a global signal analysis based on correlation and covariance, another allows content-based discourse analysis, and two allow a speech-events-centered analysis differing only in the degree of human intervention.

Diploma (Computer Studies) - 1988

Auckland Institute of Technology, Auckland, New Zealand

Studied computer operating systems and computer programming.

MA (Linguistics) - 1982 University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS, U.S.A.

Did the coursework for two majors, Theoretical Linguistics and Teaching English as a Second Language, and wrote the thesis on the article systems in English and Arabic, using the method of Error Analysis.

BA (English) - 1978 University of Jordan, Amman, Jordan Obtained distinction.

Professional Experience

Professor (28/5/2012- Now) Jordan University, Amman, Jordan

Teaching undergraduate and postgraduate courses in Computational Linguistics, Translation, and English language skills. Heading the Department of Linguistics since August 2011.

IELTS Certified Examiner (Dec. 2011 - Now)

Associate Professor (2007- Now) Jordan University, Amman, Jordan

Teaching postgraduate courses in Computational Morphology and lexicography, Science Translation, Technical Translation, Semantics, Sociolinguistics, and Computer-Assisted Research Methods. Teaching undergraduate courses in EFL, language skills, ESP, and Computer-Assisted Language Learning. Supervised theses on computational lexicography, corpus linguistics, collocation, and several topics in sociolinguistics. Chaired and participated in critical committees for the appraisal and restructuring of several academic programs. Organized conferences and edited their proceedings.

Assistant Dean for Accreditation, Quality Assurance, and Development (2007-2008)

Promoted quality assurance at the college and advised the college dean on principles, policies, and procedures relating to the quality assurance of teaching, learning, and assessment. Initiated policies and procedures for accreditation purposes.

Assistant Dean for International Relations and Joint Programs (2008-2009)

Managed all matters relating to the college relations with other colleges around the world. Organized several memoranda of understanding with universities in the U.S.A.,

Korea, China, Turkey, and Poland. Facilitated faculty and student exchange. Promoted joint degree programs at the college.

Chairman, Department of Asian Languages (2009-2010)

Managed a department that encompassed such languages as Korean, Japanese, Chinese, Russian, Turkish, Urdu, Persian, and Hebrew. Introduced four B.A. programs and obtained accreditation for three of them. Conducted the day to day affairs of a heterogeneous group of faculty members.

Chairman, Department of Linquistics (2011-2012)

Managing a department of 12 faculty members that offers one B.A. program in Applied English. In the process of getting accredited is an M.A. program in Language, Culture, and Communication in collaboration with the Swedish Open Mind Academy.

Associate Professor (2004 – Jan 2007) University of Sharjah, Sharjah, U.A.E.

Same teaching duties as while Assistant Professor, but with a lot more administrative responsibilities.

Taught the English language skills, Computer-Assisted Language Learning, Linguistics, and Translation. Established two multimedia CALL labs and a simultaneous interpretation lab. Developed the curricula for several courses including some postgraduate translation courses. Developed in collaboration with Prof. Asfour a computerized test of English language skills, and is developing in collaboration with Prof. Asfour and Dr. M. Yunis a computerized Arabic aptitude test for native speakers of Arabic. Conducted numerous workshops for training staff members on CALL.

Assistant Professor (2000 – 2003) University of Sharjah, Sharjah, U.A.E.

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Assistant Professor (2000)
Sultan Qaboos University, Muscat, Oman

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Lecturer (1996–1999) Sultan Qaboos University, Muscat, Oman

Taught the English language skills, Computer-Assisted Language Learning, Computational Linguistics, and Translation. Designed and developed the curricula for the courses in Computational Linguistics and CALL. Produced in collaboration with others four CALL software: Bilingual Reader, Lexicon, Concordancer, and Dictionary Maker. Obtained a grant worth approximately AED 190,000 for establishing the nucleus of an electronic library, the proposal of which has been successfully screened by international referees. Conducted several workshops on Html-Formatting, Internet Search Strategies, and Computer-Assisted Language Learning software, and gave several seminars on Machine Translation, Internet Abuse, Patterns of Internet Use at SQU, etc. Supervised the graduation projects for two Computer Science Department students.

Assistant Professor (1995 – 1996) IIUM, Petaling Jaya, Selangor, Malaysia

Taught ESL, Computer-Assisted Language Learning, Reporting and Writing for the Mass Media, Writing for Public Relations, Mass Communication, and Reading for Economists. Produced the WebPages for the Department of Communication and the Center for English Language and Pre-University Academic Development.

Researcher (1991-1994)

Auckland University, Auckland, New Zealand

Worked on developing speech signal analysis programs for Macintosh computers.

Lecturer (1989-1991)

Umm Al-Qura University, Taif, Saudi Arabia

Taught most of the courses offered in Linguistics, Translation, and ESL. Designed and developed the syllabi for all the new courses in Translation. Supervised graduating students in their teacher training at high schools.

Lecturer (1988-1989)

Auckland University, Auckland, New Zealand

Taught Translation Theory to M.A. and B.A. students of Linguistics.

Language Instructor (1983 – 1987)

Umm Al-Qura University, Taif, Saudi Arabia

Taught Introduction to Linguistics I, II; Translation I, II; Psycholinguistics, Contrastive Linguistics, Morphology, Semantics, and TESL Practicum to senior and junior-level students, and ESL

courses (English Grammar, Reading, Writing, and Listening and Speaking) to sophomore and freshman-level students. Supervised graduating students in their teacher training at high schools.

Assistant Instructor (1979-1983)

University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS, U.S.A.

Taught and was in charge of four semester courses of Arabic as a Foreign Language, developed the course syllabi and instructional material, and designed the language laboratory audio-. Also assisted some professors in teaching Linguistics to undergraduate students.

Marketing Consultant (1982-1983)

GEM Solvents, Inc., Council Grove, KS, U.S.A.

Developed strategies for marketing chemical products in the Middle East. Traveled in this region to promote products, negotiate contracts, and establish dealerships.

Translator and Student Assistant (1981–1982) Heliflight Systems Inc., Topeka, KS, U.S.A.

Worked as an interpreter. Compiled "The Aviation Technical Glossary" in the form of an English/Arabic dictionary. Translated "The Standard Operating Procedures" in addition to the primary task of translating lesson guides. Advised foreign students and assisted them in adjusting to the American culture.

Certified Translator and Interpreter (1980-1982)

Yaghi Translation Service, Lawrence, KS, U.S.A.

Translated commercial brochures, advertisements, films, and other promotion material. Practiced consecutive and simultaneous interpretation on a small scale in business conferences.

Circulation Assistant (1978-1979)

University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS, U.S.A.

Handled various technical librarian tasks that related to book classification, call numbers, and labels.

Publications

Listed below are four categories of publications: Journal articles, conference papers, books, and translations.

Journal Articles

AbuJaber, H., Sane M Yagi, and Asad M. Al-Ghalith. (2012). "Spelling

- **Issues in EFL Graffiti: Analysis and Implications**". European Scientific Journal, Vol. 8, n. 21, pp.56-75. http://www.eujournal.org/index.php/esj/article/view/335/364
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- Yagi, Sane M & Jim Yaghi. (2007). Tracking Morphophonemic Transformation in Arabic Word Generation and Root Extraction. *IAJIT*, Vol. 4, No. 3, pp.229-236 www.ccis2k.org/iajit/PDF/vol.4,no.3/4-Yagi.pdf
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- Yagi, Sane M. (2000). "Language Labs and Translation Booths: Simultaneous Interpretation as a Learner Task". Language, Culture, and Curriculum, Vol. 13, No. 2, pp.154-173 http://www.tandfonline.com/doi/abs/10.1080/07908310008666596
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- Yagi, Sane M. and A.R. Rasheed. (1997). "Exclusivism in the Gospels and the Quran: A Discourse Analysis". Studies in Interreligious Dialogue 7(1), pp.5-27. http://poj.peeters-leuven.be/content.php?url=article&id=200403&journal_code=SID&download=yes

Conference Papers

- Yagi, S. M., & Mustafa-Awad, Z. (2012, July 9-12). An Error Analysis of EFL Communication in Video-Conferencing. Paper presented at the Fifth Annual International Conference on Literature, Language, and Linguistics, Athens. http://www.atiner.gr/pro/2012PRO-LIT.htm
- Awad, Zahra M., Sane M Yagi, Francesca Helm, Sarah Guth, and Mohammed AH Farrah. (2011). "Video-Conferencing in a Foreign Language: Cross-Cultural Communication among University Students through Cyber Forums". 2011 International Conference on Knowledge and Education Technology, Chengdu, China.
- Jaballah, M., S. Harous, and Sane M Yagi. (2008). "UOS Easy Exam: Arabic Computer-Based Examination System". IEEE 3rd International Conference on Information & Communication Technologies: From Theory to Applications, Damascus, Syria. http://ieeexplore.ieee.org%2Fstamp%2Fstamp.jsp%3Ftp%3D%26arnumber%3D4529920&authDecision=-203
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- Yagi, Sane M. (2008). Corpora and the Teaching of Syntax, Morphology, and Vocabulary (in Arabic). International Conference on the Teaching of Arabic to Speakers of Other Languages, 6-8/5/2008 University of Jordan, Amman, Jordan.
- Yagi, S. M. and R. Shaaban (2007). Collocational Competence: An Investigation of the University of Jordan EFL Learners. The First Joint Symposium on Semantics, Pragmatics, and Translation, 13/12/2008 Applied Sciences University & Atlas Center for Studies and Research. Amman, Jordan.
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 Australasian Language Technology Workshop, Australian
 Language Technology Association, Melbourne, Australia, pp.114121. http://www.alta.asn.au/events/altss_w2003_proc/altw/papers/yaghi-final.pdf
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- Yagi, Sane M. (2002). "Why Can't ESL Programs Deliver as Expected?" 7th Annual TESOL Arabia International Conference: Critical Reflection and Practice, Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.
- Yagi, Sane M. (2002). "Sentence and Paragraph Correlates for EFL Writers". Second Annual National ELT Conference: Curriculum, Testing, and New Technologies, SQU, Muscat, Oman. http://web.squ.edu.om/lan/conf2002/index.html http://www.squ.edu.om/lan/conf2002/abstracts.html#Yagi
- Yagi, Sane M. (2001). "The Arab Conceptual World and TEFL". 6th Annual TESOL Arabia International Conference: Bridging the Gap between Teacher and Learner. Al-Ain. U.A.E.
- Yagi, Sane M. (2000). "Individualized Instruction and the Transformation of Teacher Role". 5th Annual TESOL Arabia International Conference Proceeding: *Teaching, Learning, and Technology,* Al Ain, UAE, pp.93-109
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Contrastive Study", Kansas University Colloguy.

Books, Book Chapters, and Theses

- Yagi, Sane. (2012). Simultaneous Interpretation: Computer-Assisted Proficiency Assessment.. LAP LAMBERT Academic Publishing. ISBN: 978-3659131196 (pp.424). http://www.amazon.com/Simultaneous-Interpretation-Computer-Assisted-Proficiency-Assessment/dp/3659131199
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- Yunis Ali, Mohamed, Sane M **Yagi**, and Mohammed N.M.E. Al-Munajed. (2006). Fan Al-Kitabah wa Al-Ta'beer (The Art of Writing and Expression). U.A.E.: University of Sharjah (pp.306). http://www.sharjah.ac.ae/ar/academics/colleges/gsr/depts/research/Pages/College-Publications-.aspx
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Translations

- **Yagi**, Sane M. (Trans.). (Forthcoming). *Israel and Palestine*. By Avi Shlaim. Cairo: National Center for Translation.
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- Yagi, Sane M. (Trans.). (1987). *Jonathan Livingston Seagull*, a novelette by Richard Bach. Taif: Taif Literary Club.
- **Yagi**, Sane M. (Trans.). (1985). *A Collection of Some Hemingway Short Stories*, Jedda: Okaz.
- **Yagi**, Sane M. (Trans.). (1985). *A Collection of Short Stories,* by such authors as Gorky, Chekov, Maupassant, Joyce, Goodwin, etc, in Al-Raay and Al-Shaab, Amman, Jordan.
- Completed Translation. *The Structure of Human Decisions*, a business administration textbook by Miller and Starr.
- Completed Translation. *Illusions: Adventures of a Reluctant Messiah*, a novelette by Richard Bach, complete but not sent for publication yet.
- Completed Translation. *My Antonia*, a novel by Willa Cather, cotranslated with A. Al-Ghalith and B. Yaghi, half-completed.

Software Patents

Verb Morphological Generator. A web-based suite for the generation of verbs from Arabic roots. This system generates affixed stems that exceed 2.2 million in number.

Exam Designer. An English/Arabic computer program for compiling and conducting computerized tests.

RapidReader and **IQRA!**, English/Arabic bilingual computer programs that teach speed-reading and comprehension in an innovative way. http://www.readingmatrix.com/conference/pp/proceedings/ali.pdf

Lexicon and **Mufradat**, English/Arabic computer programs that teach vocabulary, idioms, and speech formulas to EFL/AFL students.

Al-Lisan Al-Arabi, a root extracting utility used primarily for building Arabic lexical checkers.

Dictionary Maker, an English/Arabic computer program that indexes all the words in a text, produces concordances, and allows the user to edit the text to compile a dictionary of their own.

Analog Discourse Analysis and Assessment Lab, a suite of four computer programs used for the analysis and assessment of simultaneous interpretation discourses.

Research Grants

2011. "Videoconferencing for Improving Language Fluency". Investigators: Zahra Awad and Sane M Yagi. Fund: JD 4,000 Granted by the University of Jordan.

2008 "A Pilot Study for an Arabic Dictionary on Historical Principles". Investigators: Ibrahim Al-Saafin, Sane M **Yagi**, Ahmed Guessoum, Saad Harous. Fund: AED 100,000 Granted by the University of Sharjah.

2007. "Computerizing the Arabic Proficiency Test". Investigators: Saad Harous, Sane M **Yagi**, Ahmed Guessoum, M.N. Al-Munajjid. Fund: AED70,000 Granted by the University of Sharjah.

2006 "An Open Source Arabic Spelling Checker". Investigators: Ahmed Guessoum, Sane M **Yagi**, Harmain Harmain, Jawad Berri, Rached Zantout. Fund: AED 57,000 Granted by the University of Sharjah.

2002 "Arabic Proficiency Test". Investigators: M.M.H. Asfour, Sane M **Yagi**, M.M. Younis Ali. Fund: AED 72,000 Granted by the University of Sharjah.

1998 "An Internet Information Monitoring System". Investigators: Sane M Yagi, Amer Al-Rawas, and Mohammed Al-Badawi. Fund: OR 2,000 Granted by Sultan Qaboos University.

1999 "Omani Arabic Databank". Investigators: Amer Al-Rawas and Sane M Yagi. Fund: OR 18,000 Granted by Sultan Qaboos University.

References

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Thesis Supervision

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Awards

2002 Best Teacher Award. Granted by the University of Sharjah.