Curriculum Vitae

PERSONAL INFORMATION:

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EDUCATION:

University of Jordan, Department of English Language and Literature Amman, Jordan

MA (Masters degree in Linguistics) GPA (3.97)

Concentration: Linguistics –Thesis Track

University of Jordan, Department of Linguistics, Amman, Jordan

BA (Bachelor degree in Applied English) GPA (3.7)

Al-Omariah School, Amman, Jordan

General secondary Examination Certificate - Literary Stream (89.7)



2010-2012

2006-2010

2005-2006

EXPERIENCE:

1- University of Jordan

September 2013 – Present

- Teaching courses and skills related to language and linguistics such as vocabulary development, study and research skills, translation, writing, among others
- Working on improving, sharpening, and polishing up the students' writing skills in addition to their communicative skills.
- Working with my colleagues to set and organize lesson plans on regular basis.
- Making each class session seem like a journey in which we set off together to have a highly educative, entertaining and useful experience.

2- Taibah University in Medinah Munawwara, Saudi Arabia Full-time English Language Lecturer in the Department of Language and Translation.

September 2012 – August 2013

- Design and conduct English language tests for overseas students.
- Use the results of the English language test to assess the individual needs of the students and develop a training plan for each student.
- Work directly with the students to develop their English language (written and verbal) skills.
- Provide written feedback on the use of English language in written assignments.
- Conduct workshops for students on written and spoken English, and presentation skills.
- Work with Associate Director, Curriculum and Teaching Support to develop an integrated program to support students in their use of English language.

3- Digitalscope Written and simultaneous translation

2010-September 2012

I have done simultaneous interpretation in different occasions and translated many documents mainly from English into Arabic such as:-

- 1- Oil Shale agreement with the Jordanian Government.
- 2- UNHCR Shelter Guidelines Iraq Operation 2010

4- Anti-Terrorism Assistance Program

Freelance consecutive interpreter

June 12 2011- July 14

Consecutive interpretation in CRT (Crisis Response Team Course) with ATA office located in Mwaggar city, particularly in the Jordan International Police Training Centre.

- Responsible for interpreting lectures by foreign instructors in the Anti-Terrorism
 Assistance Program, which is supported by the US embassy in Jordan, addressed to
 Jordanian SWAT team unit 30 on various topics such as:- shooting techniques, stance,
 deploying flash bangs, using shields, night shooting, dealing with and identification of
 Improvised explosive devices, negotiations and releasing hostages, among many other
 topics.
- Assist instructors in shooting fields by translation of verbal commands to the Jordanian SWAT Team members.

5- Freelance interpreter with Peter Slevin and his Northwestern journalism students

Dec. 11-17 2010-

• Engaged in consecutive interpretation with a couple of Journalism students from North Western university located in Chicago and helped them conduct interviews with Iraqi refugees who were sponsored by the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees during their stay in Jordan. I was responsible for interpreting various interviews from English to Arabic and vice versa.

6- CIEE, Amman, Jordan

Sept. 2010-Jan. 2011

Peer tutor

• Responsible for helping my tutee in improving both his Standard as well as colloquial Arabic at the University of Jordan by spending 2 hours every week with him at campus

7- The Jordan Times Daily Newspaper, Amman, Jordan Freelance Reporter

Jul 2010- Dec 2010

• Translate different types of articles and texts from Arabic into English. These articles come from several sources and cover political, literary and economic subjects, among others. Most of these articles

are taken from different News agencies.

• Responsible for collecting data and writing news stories on various social, economic and political issues in the country

Below is a sample of some stories that I have written for the Jordan times:-

http://jordantimes.com/text-message-transliteration-threatens-arabic---linguists
http://jordantimes.com/for-young-jordanians-many-factors-motivate-choice-of-dialect
http://jordantimes.com/jordans-female-athletes-lift-weights-throw-punches-and-raise-eyebrows

8- Aramark, Lake Powell, Utah, USA Retail Clerk

June 2009-Sept. 2009

• Worked as a cashier in a resort that belongs to Aramark company in lakepowell. I went to this place through a cultural exchange program when I was in my third year in the BA level. This opportunity provided me with a chance to deal with employees from all around the globe who came to this resort the same way I did through the available cultural exchange programs around them. During this period, I developed my communication skills as well as both my listening and speaking skills in English. I gained experience in costumer service as I was responsible for answering the customers' needs inside the store and over the phone. In addition, I was also responsible for opening the store at morning and closing it at night.

SKILLS

Language Fluent in Arabic and English

Computer Literacy Windows, Ms Office.

Good and typing, editing and printing.

Personal Profile Self motivated, punctual, hardworking, able to work under pressure and

can manage work individually or within a team.

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