

## Curriculum Vitae:

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### **Objective:**

To utilize Knowledge and experience gained in a challenging position that offers a strong potential for growth, personal satisfaction, while at the same time contributing to the organizations goals and strategies with my exceptional interpersonal, technical, communication and teaching skills.

### **Education:**

- Apr 2015 – Sep 2018 PhD Translation Studies, Queen’s University Belfast
- Oct 2008 - Nov 2009 MA Arabic/English Translation and Interpreting, University of Durham, UK.
- Oct 1998 - Jan 2001 B.A English Language and Literature, Mu’tah University, Jordan.

### **Work Experience:**

- Oct 2022 – To date Head of The Department of Translation, Mutah University
- Jan 2019 – To date Assistant Professor, Mutah University, Al-Karak-Jordan
- Sep 2011 – Jan 2015 Lecturer of English Language, University of Hail, Hail-Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.
- Sep 2010 – Sep 2011 Lecturer of Translation Studies, Al-Zaytoonah University of Jordan, Amman-Jordan.
- Nov 2009 – Sep 2010 Head of Translation Department, Fanous Business Consulting & Training, Aqaba-Jordan.
- Feb 2006 - To date Freelance Translator & Interpreter. Arabic – English language pair.
- Jun 2006 - May 2007 English Language consultant, Save the Children Foundation (NGO).
- Mar 2006 - May 2006 English Language Instructor, Aqaba University College, Al-Balqa Applied University, ASEZ.

- Jan 2006 - Mar 2006                      English Language Instructor, MJ Centre, ASEZ.
- Jan 2004 - Aug 2004                      English teacher, Mu'tah University Model High School.
- Jan 2003 - Nov 2003                      English teacher, State high school.

### **Research output:**

- *The Dynamics of Error Perpetuation: A Study in English-Arabic Translation and the Contribution of Conceptual Integration Theory.* Mohammad N. Aldalain, Nader N. Albkower, and Haitham Aldreabi, Jordan Journal of Modern Languages and Literature. Forthcoming.
- *Narratives and Discourse: Translation in the Development and Contestation of Media Frames*  
Aldreabi, H., Aldalain, M. & Albkower, N., Aug/08/2022, Dirasat: Human and Social Sciences.
- *Crisis and Citizen Translation: Jordan Gypsies amid the Coronavirus/covid-19 Pandemic*  
Al-Tarawneh, Aladdin & Albkower, Nader, Oct/04/2021, Jordan Journal of Modern Languages and Literatures.

### **Projects:**

#### **Our voices: public history in Jordan, March/19/2019**

Purdue, Olwen (visitor), Harding, Sue-Ann (visitor), Sadler, Neil (visitor), Albkower, Nader (host)

### **Activities:**

- 'Our Place, Our Stories': Mutah University Workshop II, Sep/04/2019  
Sue-Ann Harding (Lecturer), Nader Albkower (host).
- 'Our Place, Our Stories': Mutah University Workshop I, Jun/17/2019- Jun/20/2019  
Sue-Ann Harding (Lecturer), Olwen Purdue (Lecturer), Neil Sadler (Lecturer), Nader Albkower (host).
- Mutah University Visit, Oct/22/2017  
Sue-Ann Harding (Visitor), Neil Sadler (Visitor), Nader Albkower (Host).

### **Awards**

- The British Academy Award: Linguistic Landscape of Amman and London (Jan 2020)
- The British Academy Award: Translation as Intimate Reading (Jan 2020)
- The British Academy Award: Jordanian Oral Literature and Folklore (Jan 2020)
- The Newton Khalidi Award (Sep 2019)
- Santander Mobility Award (2016)
- Mutah University PhD Scholarship Award (2015)

### **Other Experiences:**

I was elected as head of the student union at Mutah University where I had to manage the student government and represent all student interests. My position entailed issuing press releases to students, facilitating the students signing up and registration, issuing the students newspaper, assigning a dedicated counselling staff, facilitating seminars and various panels to educate the students in different fields and conducting national and international visits and trips.

### **Skills:**

- IT skills (Word, Powerpoint) developed through academic training; creating posters using Powerpoint; RefWorks; Adobe Basic Image Editing
- Presentation skills acquired during my MA and developed throughout my PhD via academic training.
- Oral communication skills and academic writing skills developed through weekly re-search seminars and academic writing classes.

### **Languages:**

- Arabic: Mother tongue.
- English: Excellent.