

Hamed Abdelhamiyd Aljeradaat

Personal:

Nationality: Jordanian

Marital Status: Married (2 sons)

Education:

2012-2016 Ph.D. in Linguistics

University of Florida, the USA

Dissertation Title: *The Syntax of Focus Particles in Southern Jordanian Arabic*

GPA: 4/4

2004-2008 MA in Applied Linguistics

Mutah University, Jordan

Thesis Title: *Rhetorical Transfer in the Writings of Jordanian Arabic-Speaking EFL students*

GPA: 87%

2000-2004 BA in English Language and Literature

Mutah University, Jordan

GPA: 85.05%

2000: High School Certificate (Tawjihi)

Jordan

Average: 94.1% (Ranking one of the top 10 in Jordan)

Research Interests:

- Syntax: Focus Constructions, Mood, Modality, Tense, and Movement Phenomena
- Phonology: Optimality Theory in pertinence to Assimilation and Syllable Structure
- TESOL: Teaching Listening and Writing to ESL students
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Publications:

- Aljeradaat, Hamed. 2020. An Optimality Theoretic Account of Pattern-Root Consonant Assimilation in Standard Arabic. *Acta Linguistica Academica*, 67 (2), 171-192.
<https://www.jstor.org/stable/27041612>
- Alhaidar, Sihaam and Aljeradaat, Hamed. 2020. A Descriptive and Documentary Study of the Grammar of the Particle *ojo* in the Javanese Language. *Science International*, 32 (3), 261-264.
- Mohammed Al-Malahmeh and Aljeradaat, Hamed. 2023. An Alternative Semantic Analysis of the Particle *sikil* in Jordanian Arabic. *International Journal of Arabic-English Studies*, 23 (1), 303-326.
<https://doi.org/10.33806/ijaes2000.23.1.16>

Aljeradaat, Hamed and Almalahmeh, Mohammad. 2023. The Syntax of the Epistemic Modal *kaan* in Jordanian Arabic. *Jordan Journal of Modern Languages and Literatures*, 15 (1), 287-303.

<https://doi.org/10.47012/jmll.15.1.15>

Aljeradaat, Hamed. (forthcoming). The Syntax of the Deontic Modal *zilla* in Jordanian Arabic. *Mu'tah Lil-Buhuth wad-Dirasat, Humanities and Social Sciences Series*.

Aljeradaat, Hamed. (forthcoming). Epistemic *zilla* and Deontic *zilla* in Jordanian Arabic Converge or Diverge in their Semantics and Syntax?. *Mu'tah Lil-Buhuth wad-Dirasat, Humanities and Social Sciences Series*.

Current Research Project:

New Trends in Teaching Listening to ESL students: A project funded by the Scientific Deanship at Mutah University with a budget up to 25,000 JD.

Courses Taught:

- Undergraduate Courses: English Grammar, Reading 1, Advanced Reading, Writing I, Writing II, Introduction to Linguistics, Advanced Grammar, Syntax I, Syntax II, Phonetics, Phonology, Speech and Pronunciation, Translation I, Psycholinguistics, Sociolinguistics.
 - Graduate Courses: Topics in Phonetics and Phonology, Topics in Sociolinguistics, Research Methods in Applied Linguistics, Topics in Psycholinguistics
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MA Theses Supervised:

- Asmaa Mazzoz. Psycholinguistic Analysis of Slips of Tongue Produced by Speakers of Saudi-Arabic in Tabuk Province. (2022).

- Toqa Altarawneh. An Optimality Theoretic Account of Dialectal Differences in Syllabification in some Arabic Varieties. (registered).
 - Ruba Rawashdeh. Linguistics Study of the Directive Power in Hadith Sharif. (registered)
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Administrative Experience:

- 2015-2016: Community Assistant at Graduate Housing at University of Florida, Florida, USA
- 2017-2018: Coordinator of the English Language Program in the Military Wing at Mutah University
- 2018-2019: Assistant Dean of the Graduate School at Mutah University
- 2021-2023: Chairperson of the Department of English Language and Literature at Mutah University
- 2019-Present: Director of the Languages Center at Mutah University
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Committees:

- Head of the technical committee of the Equivalent Exam for Graduate Students, administered by the Languages Center at Mutah University, 2019-2022.
- Head of the preparatory committee of the Equivalent Exam for Graduate Students, administered by the Languages Center at Mutah University, 2019-2022.
- Head of the graduate committee in the English Language and Literature Department, Mutah University, 2021-2022, 2022-2023.
- Member of the qualifying exam for freshman students at Mutah University, 2019-2020, 2020-2021, 2021-2022, 2022-2023.
- Member of the organizing committee of the Modern Linguistics Symposium, held at Mutah University, 2019 and 2022.

- Member of Evaluation committee for graduate programs at Jordanian Universities, Accreditation and Quality Assurance Commission for Higher Education Institutions, Jordan, 2021-2022.

Teaching Experience:

2004-2009: English Language Teacher
Public Schools, Jordan

2009-2012: Instructor of English Communication Skills
Al-Balqaa' Applied University, Jordan

2016-2022: Assistant Professor of English Language and Linguistics
Mutah University, Jordan

2022-present Associate Professor of English Language and Linguistics
Mutah University, Jordan

Information Technology:

- The International Computer Driving License (ICDL).
 - Long experience in e-learning applications, including Moodle and Microsoft Teams.
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Distinctions:

2012-2016 Certificate of Outstanding Academic Achievement (GPA 4/4),
University of Florida International Center

Languages:

Arabic: Native Fluency

English: Excellent

Hebrew: Intermediate

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