

CURRICULUM VITAE

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- **Place of Work:** Department of English /College of Education for Human Sciences/ University of Karbala/ Karbala/ Iraq
- Certifications:**
 1. Ph.D. in English Language and Linguistics (Critical Discourse Analysis)/ Faculty of Modern Language and Communication/ UPM/ Malaysia 2014. The title of the thesis: (*A Critical Linguistic Reading into the Appeal of Gibran Khalil Gibran's The Prophet*). It was accepted with Distinction.
 2. Master's Degree in English Language and Linguistics. College of Education/ University of Al Qadissya 2003. The title of the thesis: (*The Pragmatic Aspects of Jokes with Reference to Modern English Drama*). It was accepted with Distinction.
 3. Bachelor's degree in English Language/College of Education/ University of Babylon 2001.
 4. Computer Course / College of Sciences/ University of Babylon 2002.
 5. IT Competency course/Computer Center/University of Karbala 2006.
 6. Course of Methodology / Continuing Learning / College of Education/ Karbala University 2006.
 7. Computer Course / Computer Centre/ University of Karbala 2006
 8. English Language for Special Purposes (ELSP) Course held in Windows For Technical Consultations / Jordon / Amman 2008.
 9. Higher Education Management Course held at University of Surrey, Guildford, United Kingdom in 2008. This was organised under a project supported by the British Council in Iraq in association with the British Universities Iraq Consortium (BUIC) 2008.

- Position Held:

- 1- Lecturer in Department of English/ College of Education/ University of Karbala 2004-now on.
- 2-Director and Lecturer in English Language Laboratory/ Presidency of Karbala University/ University of Karbala 2004- 2009
- 3- Assist. Lecturer in College of Sciences/ University of Karbala for the years 2004-2006.
- 4- Language Reviewer of *Karbala Journal of Medicine* ISSN 1990-5483 College of Medicine / University of Karbala 2008-2010.

- Courses Taught:

a- Undergraduate:

- 1- English Grammar
- 2- Conversation
- 3- Reading Comprehension and Composition
- 4- Phonetics and Phonology

b- Postgraduate:

- 1- Ph.D. students of College of Education/ Department of Arabic.
- 2- Master students of College of Agriculture/ Department of Plant Protection.
- 3- Master students of College of Islamic Sciences/Department of Quranic Studies.
- 4- Master students of College of Islamic Sciences/ Department of Arabic.
- 5- TOEFL and preparation courses for postgraduate students.

c- Supervision: Graduated students' final project of English Department.

- List of Publications:

- 1- Unconventional Metaphors Provide the Readers with New Meanings to Comprehend Common Human Experiences. *The Social Sciences*, Medwell Journals, 2016. Volume 11, Issue 18.
- 2- CDA and Identity: How the Protagonist's Portrayal Reflects on the Identity of the Writer. (Conference) Masters International Research and Development Center. Budapest, Hungary. MIRDEC 2016.
- 3- Universal Themes and Messages in Gibran's *The Prophet*. It had been published in *Arab World English Journal (AWEJ)* in November 2013.

- 4- A Critical Linguistic Reading into the Appeal of Gibran Khalil Gibran's *The Prophet*. *UPM Publisher. FBMK*. 2014. 22 (Book).
- 5- Critical Reading of Gibran's World in *The Prophet*. It had been published in *Journal of English Language and Literature Studies* (Canadian Center of Science and Education) in issue of Vol. 3 No. 4, in December 2013.
- 6- Using Video-Audio Techniques in Teaching English Language for Developing Listening Skills with Authentic Materials in Language Laboratory at Karbala University). 2006
It was accepted in *Journal of Karbala University* ISSN 1813-0410. on the 23rd. of September 2006 and published in the same journal in the special issue of The Second Conference of Karbala University 2006.

- Conferences:

1. Masters International Research and Development Center. Budapest, Hungary. MIRDEC 2016.
2. Social Entrepreneurship and Education International Conference (SEEIC) 2016 \ "SCOPUS INDEX CONFERENCE\ Malaysia.
3. MICELT Conference UPM 2010
4. 4th. MICFL 2013 Malaysia International Conference on Foreign Languages.
5. Second Conference of Karbala University 2006.

-Work Shops:

1. Higher Education Management / August 2008/ University of Surry/ Guildford, United Kingdom.
2. The Managing of Research/ May 2011/International Student Association/University Putra Malaysia/UPM/ Malaysia.
3. GIS Day Workshop/ March 2011/Spatial and Numerical Modelling Laboratory (SNML)/ UPM/ Malaysia.
4. The Viva Workshop/ May 2011/International Student Association/UPM/ Malaysia.
5. The Publishing During Candidature Workshop/ April 2011/ International Student Association UPM/ Malaysia.
6. Enhancing Presentation Skills Seminar/ March 2011/School of Graduated Studies/ UPM/ Malaysia.
7. The Presentation Workshop/May 2011/ International Student Association/ UPM/ Malaysia.

8. Refworks Online Database Training/March 2011/ organized by Perpustakaan Sultan Abdul Samad. In Collaboration with School of Graduated Studies/UPM/Malaysia.
9. Examination of Thesis (Expectation From Examiner Including Viva)/ May 2011/School of Graduated Studies/ UPM/ Malaysia.
- 10.Scientific Writing and Publishing in Journal Seminar/ May 2011/School of Graduated Studies/ UPM/ Malaysia.
- 11.Guide to Thesis Writing Seminar/ March 2011/ School of Graduated Studies/ UPM/ Malaysia.
- 12.Insight in Postgraduate Research Seminar/ February 2011/ School of Graduated Studies/ UPM/ Malaysia.
- 13.Write Right: Avoiding Plagiarism/ January 2011/ School of Graduated Studies/ UPM/ Malaysia.
- 14.Enhancing Negotiation Skills/ March 2011/ School of Graduated Studies/ UPM/ Malaysia.
- 15.Enhancing Presentation Skills/March 2011/ School of Graduated Studies/ UPM/ Malaysia.
- 16.Understanding the Process and Outcomes of the Viva/ June 2011/ School of Graduated Studies/ UPM/ Malaysia.
- 17.Step-By-Step Approach to Manuscript Writing and Publishing/ May 2011/ School of Graduated Studies/ UPM/ Malaysia.
- 18.Insight in Postgraduate Research/ February 2011/ School of Graduated Studies/ UPM/ Malaysia.
- 19.Research Proposal Writing for Social Sciences/ March 2011/ School of Graduated Studies/ UPM/ Malaysia