

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Amman 11942 Jordan

Education

Ph.D. in Politics and International Studies, **University of Warwick**, UK, 2004
Thesis topic: Jordan, Stability, and the Euro-Mediterranean Partnership: the
Role of Financial Assistance in Promoting Stability

External Examiner: Professor Tim Niblock, Director: Arab and Islamic
Research and Studies Centre/ University of Exeter

Internal Examiner: Professor Peter Burnell, Director: Democratization
Studies Program/ University of Warwick

M.A. in International Political Economy: **University of Warwick**, UK, 1998

B.A. in Mathematics/ Minor: Business Administration:
The Citadel, The Military College of South Carolina, USA, 1992

Current Posts:

Deputy Dean: Faculty of International Studies, the University of Jordan University of
Jordan

Director of International Relations and Regional Studies Department:
(Conflict Resolutions and Diplomatic Programs for postgraduate Studies)

Director: **Interdependence (Ta'adud)** Centre for Research and Studies

Founder and President: **Interdependence (Ta'adud)** Political and Cultural
Youth Organization

Appointments

University of Jordan **Department Head:** International Relations and Regional Studies.

University of Jordan: **Assistant Dean**, Faculty of International Studies.

University of Jordan, **Director of Development Practices Program**, Sept.2013 -2014

University of Jordan, **Director of American Studies Department**, October 2008-September 2013.

University of Jordan, Joint Assistant Professor, Politics and International Studies Departments, September 2006-

University of Jordan, Politics Department, Part-time, September 2005- 2006

Ministry of Planning, April 2002- November 2002
Japan Desk Officer, International Cooperation Directorate

Ministry of Planning, February1999- September 1999
Economic Analyst: Technical Assistant Unit, European Union Department

Ministry of Planning, September1998- February1999
Economic Researcher and Analyst: Research and Studies Directorate

Ministry of Planning, 1996-1997
European Union Desk Officer, International Cooperation Directorate

Ministry of Planning, 1995-1996
World Bank Desk Officer, International Cooperation Directorate

Assignments:

Senior Researcher: **“Strengthening CSOs in Jordan Towards Better Influencing on the Democratization Process” (QARARUNA)** (Co-funded by EU and AECID) Implemented by *The Centre for Strategic Studies at the University of Jordan, June 2019.*

Local Expert, **the US AID**, Security Situational Assessment Study in Jordan, May 2014 – October 2014

Researcher with BICC, **Bonn International Center for Conversion**, on the role of Arab arms forces during Arab Spring, 2012 -

Researcher with **Frankfurt Peace Institute**, 2009-2012: long term project on regional security and disarmament.

Program Committee Member for the 2011 **European Intelligence and Security Informatics** Conference (EISIC 2011), Athens- Greece.

Short-term expert: consultant and researcher at the **Foundation for the Future (FFF)** on democratic and good governance related activities (January 2009 – April 2009).

Short-term consultant at **IBF International Consultant**, Brussels (2007).

Publications

China's Changing Engagement in Global Peacebuilding and Conflict Resolution: Drivers and Future Trends Nicholas Lyall Walid Khalid Abu Dalbough, & Dr. Ayman Saleh Barasneh Jordanian Journal of Law and Political Science, Volume 14, No. 4, 2022 – 46.

Abu-Dalbough, (2022), “**Strategic Thinking Reconsidered: The EU, the NATO and the MENA region in the aftermath of the War on Ukraine**”, International Security Conference: Security Perception in Liminal Spaces: Opportunities and Challenges in the EU, Middle East and Russia, Izmir, Turkey.

The Socio-Political Implications of the Syrian Refugee Crises on Jordan: 2011-2018, with Mohammed Bani Salameh and Raya Silwani: Journal of Law and politics, V13, N1 2020 Published by Canadian Center of Science and Education.

Assessing the Political History of Foreign Powers and Jordan Survival Strategy (1921-2018), Dirasat Journal in Humanities and Social Science, Vol 46, No 3 (2019).

The Global Political Economy of Emerging Powers: Envisaging a Chinese Model in the Middle East? Politics and Law Journal, Mutah University (has been officially accepted for publication in December 2019).

China, Iran and Russia and their political rivalry over Syrian reconstruction, Politics and Law Journal, Mutah University (has been officially accepted for publication in December 2019).

Jordan, Political Reforms and the Arab Spring: the Role of External Forces with Special Reference to the EU in influencing Reforms Process, Dirasat Journal in Humanities and Social Science (has been officially accepted for publication in October, 2019)

The Role of the Jordanian Army in Regional Stability: Its role in the Arab Spring as case study (2011-2016), Dirsat Journal in Humanities and Social Science Vol 46, No 2 (2019)

Al-Fawwaz, A, Abualkanam A. & Abudalbough W. (2019). The Middle East Policy-Future Engagements of the U.S in Iran: Journal of Politics and Law; Vol. 12, No. 3; 2019, ISSN 1913-9047 E-ISSN 1913-9055 Published by Canadian Center of Science and Education

Al-Fawwaz, A., Abualkanam A. & Abudalbouh W., Al-Afef A. (2019), The Impacts of Social Media Use on Growing Rates of Suicide Among Teenagers in the U.S., The Journal of Social Sciences Research, Vol. 5, Issue. 12, pp: 1796-1804, 2019

Conceptualizing New Stability Perspective in Post-Arab Spring Era: International Conference on: Non state actors and the security of the Euro-Mediterranean region, 30th January 2019.

The West and the Arab Spring: Assessing the US External Role in Influencing Reforms in Jordan, International Conference, Organized by Center for Contemporary Middle East Studies, University of Southern Denmark and School of International Studies and Political Science, University of Jordan
Amman 6-7 April, 2014.

The Implications of the Syrian Conflict on Jordan's Security: organised by Fredric Ebert Foundation, Jordan Diplomatic Institute: Amman-Jordan, July 2013.

The EU and the Arab Spring: Redefining Stability Revisited, Presented in the Third *International Interdisciplinary Scientific Conference, Poland – Jordan – The European Union: A New Role of Europe in The Middle East after the Arab Spring*, December 20th, 2012: Amman- Jordan

Assessing the Political Implications of the Euro-Jordanian Economic Partnership: 1995-2005, *Derasat Journal*, University of Jordan Publications, February 2013.

The Euro-Jordanian Partnership, Regional Instability and the Modernization Theory, *Derasat Journal*, University of Jordan Publications, May 2013.

The EU and the Arab Spring: Redefining Stability Revisited, conference paper, December, 2012, Amman-Amman.

The Prospects for Disarmament: The Case of Hezbollah (co-authored with Professor Judith Hariq, President of Matn University/ Lebanon) **In *Arms Control and Missiles Proliferation in the Middle East Overcoming the Security Dilemma*** Edited by Bernd Kubbig, London: Routledge: 2012.

Conceptualizing Stability within the Euro-Mediterranean Partnership: Journal of Humanities and Social Science, University of Jordan, October, 2011.

Assessing Contemporary Turkish Strategic Thinking towards the Middle East, August 2011, Ghazi University Publications.

Assessing the Changing Patterns of European Cooperation Policy Southward: Jordan as a case-study: Journal of Humanities and Social Science, University of Jordan, February 2012.

Abu-Dalbouh, W. (2005) 'Jordan and the EMP' in R. Youngs and H. Amirah (ed.), *The Euro-Mediterranean Partnership: Assessing the First Decade*, Madrid: Royal Instituto Elcano and Fride.

The Euro-Mediterranean Partnership (2006): A case study in the Role of Financial Assistance in promoting Political Development in *The Euro-Mediterranean Partnership: from Barcelona to Neighborhood Policy*: Al Ordon Al Jadeed Publications: Amman-Jordan.

In addition to a number of writings and articles at local Jordanian newspapers

Workshops and Conferences

International Conference on: **8 years since the elapse of the Arab Spring: challenges and opportunity, 28-29 November, 2019: center for strategic studies**, Amman-Jordan.

International Conference on: **Non state actors and the security of the Euro-Mediterranean region**, 30th January 2019, University of Jordan.

International Conference on: *Social Media and Politics Forum, center for strategic studies*, 21-22nd January 2019, University of Jordan.

Paper on the implications of the **Syrian Conflict on Jordan's Security**:
Jordan Diplomatic Institute: Amman-Jordan, July 2013.

Workshop on **“Civil Societies in the Arab World II”, Economic Interests and Actors in Arab Countries and Their Role during and after the Arab Spring**, Bonn-Germany, 25-30, June 2013.

Workshop on, **Euromed Political Forum: The Arab World between Rebellion and Reform**, Barcelona-Spain, 13th and 14th of June, 2013

Workshop on, **What development for Youth in the Arab World**, University of Pavia, June 3-6, 2013, Pavia-Italy.

Paper on **“The EU and the Arab Spring: Redefining Stability Revisited”**,
presented on the Polish-Jordanian relations conference, December 2012,
Amman-Jordan.

Workshop on **“Civil Societies in the Arab World I”, Economic Interests and Actors in Arab Countries and Their Role during and after the Arab Spring**, Aswan-Egypt, 4-9 January 2013.

Workshop on, **“The Changing Role of NATO within Public Diplomacy Mechanism”**, Brussels - Belgium November, 2012.

Participated and contributed in the Multilateral Study Group (MSG)
on *“The “Arab Spring”, its Impact on the Region and on the MEC,*
Barcelona 26-28 January 2012.

Participated in “Towards the 2012 Conference on a Nuclear and WMD Free Zone in ME” CSCME-PIJ-SOAS Workshop, **October 25- 26, 2011, London**

Participated in “Democracy on Hold – the Arab Uprising” workshop,
Malmo University, Sweden: May 9th, 2011.

Visiting Researcher and Lecturer (for a 2nd year) at **Malmo University,**
Sweden: May 2011.

Participated and contributed at the “Arab-Turkish Relations” Conference,
April 2011, Ghazi University, Ankara, Turkey.

Participated and contributed in **Europe and the Middle East**, 2nd International
Conference: 5th & 6th December 2010, Amman, Jordan: Organised by The
Centre for Strategic Studies in cooperation with Danish University.

Participated and contributed in training workshop organised by **NATO School**
Mobile Education Training Team (METT) on: Security Policies and
Multilateral Diplomacy: A NATO Perspective. **Amman-Jordan, 29th of June-**
7th July 2010.

Visiting Researcher and Lecturer at **Malmo University, Sweden: April-May 2010.**

International Seminar on: Europe and the Arab countries. Visions, Opinions,
Perspectives **Madrid, Casa Árabe, 6-7th of May 2010.**

Sixth Conference on “the Multilateral Study Group (MSG) on a Missile Free Zone
In the Middle East/Gulf: Between Finalizing the Special Volume and Tackling
the Common Ground Policy Study: Reducing Political Divergence – Getting
Ready for Policy Consulting **Seville, Spain: February 24 – 26, 2010.**

Transcontinental study week on “Universities Building Peace” **23rd –27th**
November 2009, Arezzo- - Florence, Italy: Paper submitted on: “Virtual
Diplomacy” and the impact of information and communication technologies
on the global practice of conflict management and resolution: The Euro-Arab
relations as case-study.

Fifth Conference on “Multilateral Study Group on Establishing a Missile Free Zone
in the Middle East/Gulf”: The Role of External Actors in Establishing a
Ballistic Missile Free Zone, **Rome, 19-22 June: 2009, Rome, Italy.**

Fourth Conference on “Multilateral Study Group on Establishing a Missile Free Zone
in the Middle East/Gulf”: The Role of External Actors in Establishing a
Ballistic Missile Free Zone, **28-November-1 December: 2008, Malta.**

Attended and contributed in “Project TEMPUS MEDA SCM “JOTCIR” Training
Course on International Relations, **University of Rome «LA SAPIENZA»**

CATTID, Rome, June 10th - 16th 2007.

Workshop on "The Euro-Arab Encounter: Geographical Linkages and Cross-Cultural Research Agendas": **Beirut 7–9 December 2006 7–9 decembre 2006**

Workshop on: "From Barcelona to Neighbourhood Policy": **March, 2006 Amman- Jordan**

Workshop on "the Euro-Mediterranean Partnership: Assessing the First Decade", **13-14 May 2005, Madrid: Royal Instituto Elcano and Frider.**

Workshop on "Project Management and Evaluation", **International Cooperation Bank of Japan, October 2002, Tokyo**

Conference on "Dimensions of the Arab-European Partnership in the Next Century", **June 1999, Amman-Jordan**

Workshop: Participated in the first and third International Leadership Academy Workshops / United Nations University, 1996 & 1999, Amman- Jordan

Workshop on "Project Management and Evaluation", **1996, Washington D.C.-USA.**

Job Description

Researcher and Lecturer on various academic fields and areas with special reference to: **Security and strategic Studies, Diplomatic Studies, Conflict Resolution and Crises Management, International Political Economy, Democracy and Human Rights.**

Faculty Representative at the University Council

Faculty Representative on Cultural affairs and activities

Student Counsellor - for postgraduate Students.

Director of American Studies Program: University of Jordan

Director of Development Practices: University of Jordan

Past Job Description:

Participated in finalizing final draft of **MEDA Agreement** between Jordan & the EU
Participated in the negotiation process over Aide-Memoir financial cooperation draft agreement between Jordan and the EU

Follow up the implementation process with regards to EU's **Structural Adjustment Programs (SAP).**

Conduct various economic and political assessment reports and studies.

Awards and Social Activities

1998 The **EUVP** (European Union Visiting Program), Brussels and Rome

1997 The **Chevening Scholarship Award**, British Council

Member of the **Jordanian Political Science Association**

Member of **International Affairs Association/ Jordan.**

Member of the **British Alumni Association/ Jordan**

Member of **Jordan Society for Cultural and Science** / Jordan

Program Committee Member for the 2011 **European Intelligence and Security**

Member of Board Directives, **Zarqa Community College**

Member of Middle East Network on Innovative Teaching and Learning (**MENIT**)

Conducting and supporting volunteer activities in **social and political activities**