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**Princess Sumaya University for Technology**

New Faculty Orientation  
and Development Booklet

**2022/2023**

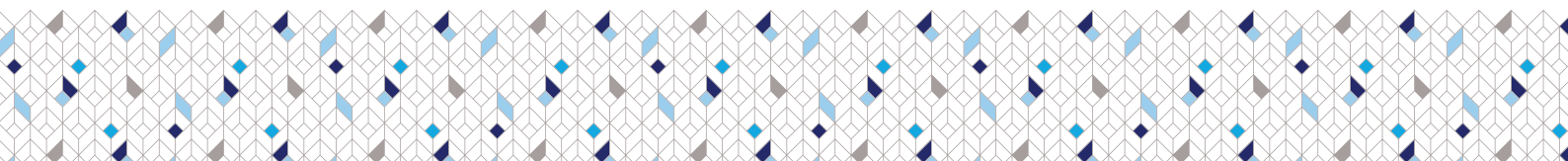
# Agenda

## Day 1: Sunday October 2, 2022

09:00 AM – 09:30 AM	Registration Loay Shammout Auditorium	
09:30 AM – 10:00 AM	<b>Welcome and a Conversation with the President</b>	PSUT President
10:00 AM – 10:20 AM	<b>Regulations, Instructions, and Digital Services</b>	Associate Vice President of Administrative Affairs
10:20 AM – 10:45 AM	<b>How to Use the Student Registration System</b>	Deanship of Admission and Registration
10:45 AM – 11:00 AM	<b>Quality Assurance and Accreditation Center at PSUT (QAAC)</b>	QAAC Director
11:00 AM – 11:30 AM	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
11:30 AM – 11:45 AM	<b>Scientific Research Forms and Services (Promotion, Incentives, Participation in Conferences, and FAQs)</b>	Dean of King Abdullah I School of Graduate Studies and Scientific Research
11:45 AM – 12:00 PM	<b>Mapping Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) with Learning Outcomes</b>	Dr. Ola Alhaddid, King Talal School of Business Technology
12:00 PM – 12:30 PM	<b>How to Use the Learning Management System (E-Learning)</b>	Director of E-Learning Center
12:30 PM – 12:40 PM	<b>Group Photo</b>	

## Day 2: Monday October 3, 2022

10:00 AM – 12:00 PM	School Orientation and Meetings with Deans and Head of Departments (By School)
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Faculty Members Joining

## King Hussein School of Computing Sciences



**Prof. Basel Mahafzah**

Prof. Basel Mahafzah has earned his Ph.D. and M.Sc. degrees in Computer Engineering and Computer Science respectively, from the University of Alabama in Huntsville (UAH), USA. His research interests include Computational Intelligence, High Performance Computing (HPC); Parallel and Distributed Computing; Heuristic and Metaheuristic Algorithms; Optimization Problems; Interconnection Networks; and Optoelectronic Architectures.



**Dr. Osama Al-Haj Hassan**

Dr. Osama Al-Haj Hassan is an Associate Professor of Computer Science. He earned his PhD degree in Computer Science from University of Georgia, USA in 2010. He finished his MSc degree in Computer Science from New York Institute of Technology, Jordan in 2004. His research interests are in the areas of web 2.0, mashups, web services, distributed systems, and peer-to-peer networks.



**Dr. Mohammad J. Abdel-Rahman**

Dr. Mohammad J. Abdel-Rahman received his Ph.D. degree from the University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, USA, in 2014. His research is in the broad area of wireless communications and networking, with particular emphasis on resource management, adaptive protocols, and security issues. His current research focuses on the integration of millimeter-wave technology, intelligent reflecting surfaces, unmanned aerial vehicles, and visible light technology into networks and the analysis of such systems and networks using stochastic optimization, game theory, and Markov theory. He is a senior member of the IEEE.

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## King Hussein School of Computing Sciences



**Dr. Ahmad Altamimi**

Dr. Ahmad Altamimi received his PhD degree in Computer Science with distinction from Concordia University-Canada in 2014. During his career, Dr. Altamimi received numerous awards and fellowships. He served as a program and steering committee member for several international conferences. He has over 40 refereed publications including journal papers, conference papers, book chapters, and books in healthcare, machine learning, privacy protection, and cybersecurity. Dr. Altamimi is working on developing advanced security models based on Blockchain technology for interoperable healthcare systems.



**Dr. Gaith Rjoub**

Dr. Gaith Rjoub received his Master's degree in Quality Systems Engineering from Concordia Institute for Information Systems Engineering (CIISE), Canada in 2014. He further obtained his PhD degree in Information and Systems Engineering from CIISE, Canada in 2021. From 2021 to 2022, he was a Postdoctoral Fellow with University of Montreal and Concordia University. His research interests include cloud and edge computing, machine and deep learning, artificial intelligence and big data analytics.



**Dr. Rania S. Alzubaidi**

Dr. Rania S. Alzubaidi received her PhD in Computer Science (Health Informatics and Computer Vision) from the University of Bradford in the UK. She obtained her M.Sc and B.Sc in Computer Science from Jordan University of Science and Technology. Her research focuses on medical image processing and on developing health information systems using deep and machine learning models.

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## King Hussein School of Computing Sciences



**Dr. Yaser Saleh**

Dr. Yaser Saleh holds a Ph.D. degree in Computer Science from Loughborough University in the United Kingdom and MSc in Computer Science from Princess Sumaya University for Technology. He has over five years experience in teaching multiple computer science subjects. His research interests include artificial intelligence, image processing, and software engineering.



**Dr. Tariq Bdair**

Dr. Tariq Bdair earned his Ph.D. in Computer Science from the Technical University of Munich in 2022, M.Sc. in Computer Engineering from German Jordanian University in 2016, and B.Sc. in Computer Engineering from Jordan University of Science & Technology in 2005. Dr. Bdair's research interest includes Deep and Machine learning for Medical Imaging, Semi-Supervised Learning, Self-Supervised Learning, Federated Learning, and Medical Images Analysis. In addition, Dr. Bdair teaches Computer Vision, Pattern Recognition, AI, and Data Engineering.



**Ms. Narmeen Alhyari**

Ms. Narmeen Alhyari received her undergraduate degree in Computer Graphics and Animation from PSUT and begun her career as a 3D and 2D Animator at Gilgamesh. In her desire to expand her skills, she joined the Arab Telemedia Group in 2015 as a Visual Artist where she worked in high profile TV series projects. In 2019, Narmeen joined the Department of Computer Graphics and Animation at PSUT as a lab supervisor. During her three years in this position, Narmeen earned her MSc degree in Enterprise System Engineering from PSUT in 2021. After three years of supervising, she became a Lecturer in Computer Graphics and Animation.

Faculty Members Joining

## King Abdullah II School of Engineering



**Dr. Khaldoon Mhaidat**

Dr. Khaldoon Mhaidat received his B.Sc in Electrical Engineering from Jordan University of Science & Technology, in 1999, and an M.S. in Electrical and Computer engineering from Oregon State University, USA, in 2002. He obtained a Ph.D. in Electrical Engineering from Oregon Graduate Institute at OHSU, USA, in 2006. He is currently an Associate Professor at JUST and is on sabbatical. He is the recipient of the IBM faculty award for his research on power management in many-core systems and the IEEE Computer Society TTTC Continuous Service Award in recognition of 10 years continuous service for IEEE International Design and Test Symposium. His research interests are in VLSI, integrated circuits, power management, embedded systems, parallel computing, and cryptography.



**Dr. Ramzi Saifan**

Dr. Ramzi Saifan is an Associate Professor. He received his B.Sc. and M.S. degrees in Computer Engineering from Jordan University of Science and Technology, Jordan, in 2003 and 2006 respectively. He received a Ph.D. degree in Computer Engineering from Iowa State University in 2012. Since 2013, he joined the Department of Computer Engineering at the University of Jordan. Dr. Saifan is currently in sabbatical leave at PSUT. His current research interests include computer networks, computer and network security, cognitive radio networks, machine learning, and image processing.

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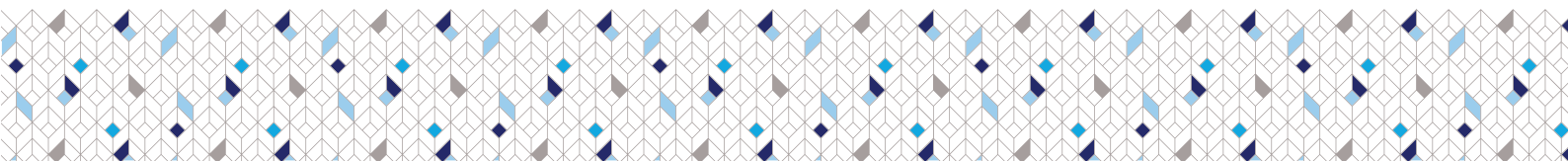
**Dr. Qutaiba Albluwi**

Dr. Qutaiba Albluwi received his PhD in Computer Science in 2017 from the University of Rhode Island (USA) and a graduate degree in Digital Forensics from the Digital Forensics and Cybersecurity Center (DFCSC-RI) in 2015. He also received an M.Sc in Computer Science from Queens University (Canada) in 2008, and B.Sc in Computer Engineering from University of Sharjah (UAE) in 2004. Dr. Albluwi main teaching and research focus is cybersecurity. Current and past interests include digital forensics, incident response, cryptographic protocols, cybersecurity ethics and digital solutions to combating human trafficking. He served as a contract faculty at Wilfrid Laurier University from 2018-2022.



**Eng. Farah Abudabaseh**

Eng. Farah Abudabaseh received a B.Sc. degree in Computer Networks Engineering from the Faculty of Engineering and Technology at Balqa Applied University, Amman, in 2015. She completed her M.Sc. from PSUT in Information Security and Digital Criminology in 2017.





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**Dr. Bassam Maali**

Dr. Bassam Maali is an Associate Professor. He holds a Ph.D. degree in Accounting from the University of Southampton in the UK. He published many papers in international journals in the areas of accounting and social reporting of Islamic banks, accounting education, and the effect of culture on accounting. Dr. Maali has long teaching and administrative experience in different universities. In addition to university teaching, he offered in many training courses in the area of accounting professional certificates, IFRS, and Islamic accounting.



**Dr. Amer Al shishany**

Dr. Amer Al shishany is an Associate Professor at The Department of Business Administration. Dr. Al shishany obtained his PhD, in 2015, from Essex Business School (EBS), University of Essex, United Kingdom. He has over 15 publications in multi disciplines relevant to Business Administration. Al shishany's research interests cover various domains, such as, strategic management, E-commerce, management information systems, and decision support systems. Dr. Al shishany's previous work experience comes from working at the Hashemite University's Business Department, United Nations Africa, Preventive Security Department, Amman, and Computer Networking Department, Ministry of Education. He is proud that he, in coordination with the US Embassy in Amman, created the "Career Center" of the Hashemite University, back in 2019.



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**Dr. Ruba Obiedat**

Dr. Ruba Obiedat received the B.Sc. degree in Computer Science from the University of Jordan in 2003, M.Sc. degrees in Information System from DePaul University in 2007, and the Ph.D. degree in E-business from University del Salento, Lecce, Italy in 2010. Dr. Obiedat is currently an Associate Professor at the Department of Information Technology at the University of Jordan, since 2014. Her research interests include: data mining, machine learning, business intelligence, sentiment analysis and E-business. She was awarded a full-time, competition-based Ph.D. Scholarship from the Italian Ministry of Education and Research to pursue her Ph.D. degree.



**Dr. Fandi Omeish**

Dr. Fandi Omeish is an Assistant Professor of e-marketing and social media. His research focuses on tourism marketing and digital marketing. Prior to joining PSUT, he was the Director of Marketing and Public Relations at the American University of Madaba. He was also a and a Marketing Lecturer at the same university, providing the stepping stones of marketing for students. Moreover, he has practical experience in an international advertising agency. He received his PhD from a top-ranked university, Peking University and his Master's degree in International Marketing Strategies from Hasselt University in Belgium.

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**Dr. Bilal Hmoud**

Dr. Bilal Hmoud is an Assistant Professor. He Received his B.Sc. in Management Information System (MIS) from the Hashemite University in 2008 and the M.Sc. in Human Resources Counselling from the University of Pecs in 2018. He also obtained a PhD in Business and Management Science from the University of Debrecen in 2021. Dr. Bilal has several published articles that tackle HR leaders' and organizations' adoption of AI in HRM, Users' trust and attitudes toward it, and the potential influences and transformations of which AI offers to HRM functions and practices.



**Ms. Noor Jayyousi**

Ms. Noor Jayyousi is a Lecturer in Marketing. She has taught marketing principles, business ethics and organizational behavior. She had a professional experience in marketing consulting. She holds a B.Sc. with Honors in Marketing from Princess Sumaya University for Technology - Jordan, and an MSc. in Advanced Marketing Management from Lancaster University - United Kingdom. Her research interests include international marketing, psychology, and marketing and innovation.

