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Profile

Head of Library Users Services Unit at Princess Sumaya University for Technology.

Hubert H. Humphrey Fellowship Alumni/Pennsylvania State University (Fulbright Scholarship in Leadership in Higher Education)

Librarian at The Library of Zarqa Private College.

Leadership, Innovation, Critical, Design Thinking and Communication Skills.

Personal Information

- Marital Status: Married.
- Age: 40
- Nationality: Jordanian
- Place of Residency: Jordan.

Education

- 2012-2015 Jordan University Amman, Jordan
Master's degree Of Library and Information Science. (Thesis: **Entrepreneurial Activities in Public Academic Libraries in Jordan As Perceived by Its Directors**)
- 2000 – 2003 Balqa Applied University Salt, Jordan
Bachelor's Degree of Library and Information Management.
- 1997 – 1999 Balqa Applied University, Irbid College Irbid, Jordan
Diploma of Library and Educational Resources.

Professional Experience

2019 – Now Head of Users Services, Princess Sumaya University for Technology
Amman, Jordan

2016-2019 Head of Library Users Services Department, Princess Sumaya University for
Technology Amman, Jordan

- Implementing a respond action plan to face the challenges of COVID-19 on the library users.
- Acting Director in Case of Library Director Absence
- Library Board Member.
- Designing New Services and Developing Current Services.
- Conducting Information Literacy and Consultation Programs.
- Preparing Library Guides and Newsletters.
- Managing Content of Elhassan Library Website and Facebook Page.
- Preparing Annual and Monthly Plans, Reports and Statistics.
- Budgeting.
- Participating in in Evaluating, Selecting or Cancelation of Electronic Resources.
- Supervising and Evaluating Services and Team.
- Problems Solving.
- Development and Review of The Policies and Procedures.
- Fulfilling the Requirements of Accreditation Committee.
- Supervising and Coordinating User’s Services Team and Part Time Students.

Public Speeches, Posters And Webinars

- Storytelling: Personal Leadership, Penn State University.
- Building a New Generation of Library Leaders in Jordan. (Poster)
- Entrepreneurship in Libraries as Perceived by Academic Library Directors in Jordan, GLF, Washington DC. (Poster)
- Librarianship In Jordan: Challenges And Opportunities (Webinar)
- Jordan: Culture, Tourism And Higher Education, Penn State University
- More Thank Books: Libraries New Roles, ALTRUSA Group, State College

Conference Papers and Unpublished Work

- Conference Paper Entitled “ **Readiness of Libraries in Jordan to Move Toward Smart Libraries: Library of PSUT Case Study**” presented at SLA Gulf Chapter Conference, UAE.2019
- Conference Paper Entitled “ **Return On Investment in Electronic Resources at Princess Sumaya University for Technology**, presented at JU 4th Conference of E-Publishing 2018
- Thesis entitled **Entrepreneurial Activities in Public Academic Libraries in Jordan as Perceived by its Directors** , 2015
- Unpublished Paper entitled " **Librarians Changing Roles in Changing World**, 2012
- Unpublished Case study entitled " **Library Information Systems and Information Retrieval**, 2012 "

Projects

- Advocating Schlow Public Library, (Project Team Member), 2020
- Funding Campaigns During COVID-19 Pandemic, ((Project Team Member), 2020
- Collecting PSUT Researchers Work and Building the Website (Project Manager), PSUT 2019
- Collecting RSS Researchers Work, (Project Team Member), RSS
- Evaluating Library Services (Project Manager), PSUT, 2019
- Library Procedures Guide (Project Team Member), PSUT 2018-2019
- Updating Job Titles and Job Description, (Project Team Member), PSUT
- Library Strategic Plan, (Project Team Member) PSUT 2016-2019
- Migrating to a New Library System (Project Team Member) PSUT, 2007

Training, Workshops And Courses

- Design Thinking, GLF (Global Leadership Forum), Washington DC.
- Creativity, GLF, Washington DC
- Grant Writing, Penn State University
- Leadership In Practice, Penn State University
- Social Informatics, Penn State University
- Leadership In Higher Education, Penn State University
- Strategic Leadership And Change Management, Maastricht, Netherlands) Grant From Netherlands Government).
- Content Writing Course/ Amman
- Project Proposal Writing Course/ Amman
- International Relations Staff Mobility Program. (Erasmus + Deusto Universith/ Spain
- Marketing Your Library. Issa Cultural Center /Bahrain.
- Entrepreneurship Skills Courses. Amman
- Library Of Congress Classification, PSUT.
- MARC21, PSUT.
- Performance Indicators In Libraries, 2016 Amman, Jordan
- Elsevier Author Workshop 2016, Amman, Jordan
- Turnitin Originality Check Platform, Amman, Jordan
- Proquest & Ebrary Databases, Amman, Jordan
- New Trends In Libraries And Information Science By Marshal Breeding , Amman, Jordan
- Non-Book Material Cataloging. Amman, Jordan

Languages

- **Arabic** : Mother Language , Reading ,Writing, Speaking
- **English** : Excellent , Reading, Writing, Speaking (TOEFL IBT Certificate)

Volunteering

- Volunteer at Digital Map Of Arabic Libraries Initiative.
- Volunteering Teacher at ILEARN Initiative.
- Volunteering Librarian at Khalil Alrahman Association. (2003)

- Volunteering Librarian at Tow Municipalities (Alsareeh & Hatem Municipalities In Irbid) (1999)

Refences:

- **Nermeen Shoqum:** PSUT Library director 2004-2018, Mobile: 00962795591009
- **Cathi Alloway:** Sclow Library Director, Mobile: +17175127299
- **Mark Mattson:** Head of Global Engagement Initiatives and International Partnerships Librarian Penn State libraries, Mobile: +18142152334

Memberships:

- Jordanian Libraries and Information Association.
- American Library Association.