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PRESENT POSITION:
Vice President for Scientific Affairs and Postgraduate Studies of Sulaimani University

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ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS:

Doctorate of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Environmental Sciences
University of Sulaimani Sulaimani, Iraq **Apr. 2010**

Master's Degree (M.Sc.) in soil science (soil physics)
University of Newcastle Newcastle Upon Tyne, United Kingdom **Oct. 1983**

Bachelor's Degree (B.Sc.) in Soil Science
University of Sulaimani Sulaimani, Iraq **July 1977**

PHD DISSERTATION TITLE: **Environmental Implications of Tanjaro Waste Disposal Site
in the City of Sulaimani**

MSC THESIS TITLE: **Effect of Soil Compaction on Soil crumb Porosity**

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES:

Assist. Professor	Vice President for Scientific Affairs and Postgraduate Studies	Jan. – 2014- Present
Assist. Professor	Director of Foreign Relations	2005-Jan. 2014
	Presidency, University of Sulaimani, Sulaimani, Iraq	
Assist. Professor	Department of Civil Engineering, College of Engineering,	
	University of Salahaddin, Erbil, Iraq	1990-1997
Lecturer	Department of Civil Engineering, College of Engineering,	
	University of Salahaddin, Erbil, Iraq	1987-1990
Assist. Lecturer	Department of Soil Science, College of Agriculture,	
	University of Salahaddin, Erbil, Iraq	1983-1987

ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES:

- **Attended and actively participated in The Capacity Building Workshop on "Quality, Project and Change Management, Lean Administration and Ethics" held by WZL RWTH Aachen University and UNESCO, Doha, Qatar. Mar. 16-20 /2014**
- **Attended the IIE conference and successfully completed the training workshop on "Building Academic Research Capacity" held by Institute of International Education, Erbil, Iraq. Feb. 3-5 /2014**
- **Attended and participated in the workshop on "Stem Cells and Molecular Biology New Insights into New Horizon" held by School of Medicine, Sulaimani University, Sulaimani, Kurdistan, Iraq. Jan. 28-31 /2014**
- **Attended the 1st International Scientific Agricultural Conference held in Faculty of Agricultural Sciences/ University of Sulaimani, Kurdistan Region-IRAQ. Nov. 20-21 /2013**
- **Attended and successfully completed the British Council UK-Kurdistan best practice workshop on "Internationalizing Higher Education" held by British Council, Erbil, Iraq. Nov. 3-5 /2013**
- **Attended in the "Celebration of the 237th anniversary of the independence of the United States of America" in Erbil, Iraq. July 3 /2013**
- **Attended the IIE conference and successfully completed the training workshop on "Student and Faculty Evaluation and Assessment" in Erbil, Iraq. June 25-27 /2013**
- **Attended and participated in the workshop on "Determining Priorities and Strategic Goals of Biodiversity" in Sulaimani, Kurdistan Region-IRAQ. June 19-20 /2013**
- **Attended in the conference of "We should all be solicitors of the environment" in the University of Sulaimani, Sulaimani, Iraq. June 5-6 /2013**

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- **Attended the Care of Elderly Medicine Symposium held by Faculty of Medical Sciences Sulaimani University, Kurdistan Region-IRAQ. Jan. 10/2013**
- **Participated in the International Visitor Leadership Program (IVLP) on "Higher Education Exchanges" Organized by United States Department of State Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs. U.S.A Sep. 10-28/2012**
- **Participated in Two days workshop on (IT Solutions for UOS Database system held by Sulaimani University, Kurdistan Region-IRAQ. Aug. 27-28/2012**
- **Participated in the International Conference on Revitalizing Research in Kurdistan Organized by Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research, KRG- Erbil, Kurdistan region- Iraq. Dec. 14-18/2010**
- **Participated in the Training Course Organized by DAAD (German Academic Exchange Service) Held by DAAD and AGEF Erbil, Kurdistan Region, Iraq. May 18-19/2010**
- **Participated in the training course on (School of Management) organized by Korea International Cooperation Agency (KOICA) Seoul – Korea Aug. 19-31/ 2008**
- **Participated in the workshop organized by AHEAD project Cairo – Egypt. Jul. 2007**
- **Represented University of Sulaimani as a member of City Council Manchester - UK Apr. 2006**
- **Participated in a workshop organized by AHEAD Project Amman – Jordan. May 2004**
- **Participated in the training course on the methods of teaching University of Salahaddin in Erbil - Iraq. 1989**

PUBLICATIONS

- **Effects of some soil properties on coefficient of linear extensibility (COLE) for some soils in Iraq (Scientific Journal Issued by College of Agriculture, Tikrit University, Salahaddin Governorate, Iraq. Vol. 11 No. 1 Year 2011)**
- **Suction characteristics of sub grade from north Iraq (Engineering and technical Journal Vol. 12, No. 9, 1993)**

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- IV- ***Engineering properties and mineral composition of surface Soil in Erbil City north Iraq,
(Technical Institutes Board, 3rd scientific conference for technical Education researches under the slogan of technical education serving reconstruction and building from April 14 to16, 1992)***
- V- ***Relative contribution of clay and organic Fractions to the cation exchange capacity of northern Iraqi soils (Zanco, Vol.4, No. 1, 1991)***
- VI- ***Manganese adsorption by some northern Iraqi soils
(Journal of college of Education Salahaddin Univ., Vol.2, No.2, 1990)***
- VII - ***Study of some physical properties of sand-mixtures for athletic fields
(Zanco, Vol.6, No.4, 1988)***

PENDING PUBLICATIONS:

***Using Multiple Linear Regression Model and Ridge Regression for Studying Section Characteristics of Subgrade Soils from North of Iraq
University of Sulaimani, College of Engineering, Dept. of Civil Engineering.***

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

From January 23^d, 2014 I am appointed as the vice president for Scientific Affairs and Post graduate Studies. The main duties of this office can be summarized in the following points:

- 1. Preparing annual plans for higher education studies including (Higher Diploma, M.A, and PhD).***
- 2. Giving approval of the scientific researches of Sulaimani University.***
- 3. Conducting scientific evaluation of university degrees and those certificates which were obtained outside Iraq.***
- 4. Arranging and facilitating scientific, academic and administrative promotion for employees of different directorates and organizations inside Kurdistan Region.***
- 5. Following up the process of higher education studies in the faculties, schools and colleges.***
- 6. Preparing plans for study leave in the university.***
- 7. Preparing (HCDP) plans.***
- 8. Granting (Diploma, M.A, and PhD) certificates.***
- 9. Various scientific works of Ministry of Higher Education.***

From 2005 till Jan. 23^d. 2014 I was appointed as the director of Foreign Relations Directorate in University of Sulaimani, participated in all the activities of this directorate including receiving and meeting the visiting delegations to the University, attending the ceremonies of signing (MoU) s with other universities and representatives of different universities and institutions from different countries. Participating in academic activities held in cooperation with other Kurdish and Iraqi universities such as hosting book exhibitions, supplying materials under my supervision, etc.

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Participation in Academic Committees and Boards

- **Head of the Examining Committee which discussed the Master Thesis (Study of Some Physical Properties of Sand Textured Soil and Different Levels of Moisture in Sport Fields) by the postgraduate student Zhala Yadgar Taha on 27th, June 2013 at College of Agriculture, University of Sulaimani.**
- **Member of the Examining Committee which discussed the Master Thesis (Impact of Bazian Oil Refirier on Some Water and Soil Properties within Sulaimani Governorate, IRAQ) by Layla Ebrahim Faki Salih on 27th, June 2013 at College of Agriculture, University of Sulaimani.**
- **Scientific Evaluation for PhD thesis (Distribution of some Heavy Metals in plants and Serpentine Soils from Penjwn and Mawat Area) defended by the graduate student (Bayan Rashid Raheem) according to decree 2N/122 Dated 09/05/2012 issued from college of Agriculture, University of Sulaimani, Sulaimani, IRAQ**
- **Member of the Examining Committee which discussed a master thesis entitled (Effect of some Heavy Metal Contents of Soils Developed from Serpentine on Wheat and Grass Plants in Penjween Area) defended by the graduate student (Zhino Khalid Mohammed) on 28/4/2011 College of Agriculture, University of Sulaimani Sulaimani, IRAQ**
- **Member of the examining Committee which discussed a master thesis entitled (Impact of some Pesticides on Soil Pollution) defended by the graduate student (Shelan Mustafa Khidhir) on 1/3/2011 at Department of Biology in University of Salahaddin Erbil, IRAQ**
- **Member of the Examining Committee which discussed a master thesis (*Biological Study on Invertebrates in Darbandikhan Lake, Kurdistan Region of Iraq*) by the postgraduate student (Ahmed Faraj Ali) to be held on 31/01/2011 in the College of Education/Kalar, University of Sulaimani Kalar, Sulaimani, IRAQ**
- **Member of the Comprehensive Examination Committee which examined PhD students in both methods: Paper and Oral, the exams lasted from 01/11/2010 until 6/11/2010. University of Salahaddin, Erbil, IRAQ**
- **Member of the Examining Committee which discussed the Master thesis (The Use of Micro-Catchments water Harvesting in Improving the Efficiency Water Use in Sulaimani Region) by the postgraduate student (Peshawa Mustafa Najmaddin) on 14/10/2010 at College of Agriculture, University of Sulaimani. Sulaimani, IRAQ.**

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- **Member of the Examining Committee which discussed the PhD thesis (Valuation of Ambient Air Pollution, A study of some urban Areas in Sulaimani City and its surrounding /Kurdistan Region/Iraq, by PhD student Salih Najeb Majed on 27/10/2011 at College of Agriculture, University of Sulaimani.**
- **Member of the Examining Committee which discussed the PhD thesis (*Limnological and Bactriological Studies on Some Water resources Within Kirkuk City*) by PhD student (Pakiza Fuad Mohammed) on 01/8/2010 in Department of Biology/College of Science/ University of Salahaddin.
Erbil, IRAQ**

Academic Memberships

- **Member of Nature Iraq Organization**
- **Member of Biologists Union of Kurdistan-Iraq**
- **Member of the Agricultural Engineers of Iraq**
- **Member of Teachers Union in Kurdistan**
- **Member of Association of Kurdistan Academicians**
- **Member of the Educational Advising Centre supported by USAID.**