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Place & Date of Birth: Tulkarm, West Bank, Palestine. 23-9-1952

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<u>Address</u>: Medical Services Street, Southern Neighborhood, Tulkarm, West Bank, Palestine Educational Record: (Universities Attended & Dates)

- 1. Birzeit College (University, now), Birzeit, West Bank, Palestine. From Feb. 1971 to June 1972
- 2. University of Jordan, Amman, Jordan. From Oct. 1972 to June 1975
- 3. UNRWA-UNESCO Institute of Education (Attended in Jordan). From Sep. 1975 to Sep. 1976
- 4. University of Bradford, Bradford, W. Yorkshire, England. From Oct. 1978 to June 1983 Qualifications:
- 1. General Secondary School Certificate (1970)
- 2. B.Sc. in Chemistry from University of Jordan (1975)
- 3. Professional Teacher Training Certificate "Diploma" from UNRWA-UNESCO Institute of Education, Beirut, Lebanon (1976)
- 4. Ph.D in Organic Chemistry of Polymers & Polymer Technology from University of Bradford, England, U.K (1983)

<u>Title of Ph.D Thesis</u>: The Preparation and Properties of Stereoregular Poly(N-Substituted Acrylamides)

<u>Languages Proficiency</u>: I) Excellent: Arabic, English. II) Fair: French, German, and Turkish Work Experience:

- 1. Teaching General Sciences at the United Nations (UNRWA) Schools in Jordan (from 1-9-1975 to 31-8-1978)
- 2. Teaching Laboratory Courses at the Schools of Chemistry, University of Bradford (from 5-10-1979 to 3-7-1981)
- 3. A. Teaching Chemistry Courses at Al-Quds Open University, Nablus Branch (from Oct.1997 to Oct.2000)***
- B. Preparing Chemistry Assignments & Exams for all Branches of Al-Quds Open University in Palestine in the above period.
- 4. Teaching at the Department of Chemistry, An-Najah N. University, Nablus, West Bank, Palestine (Appointed in December 1984 but Due to Prevailing Circumstances then, Work Started from 1-2-1985 to the date of this C.V) ***
- *** Courses Taught (several times): for students in the faculties of science, engineering, pharmacy, medicine, agriculture, and education.
- A. All Levels: Chemistry & Society (for all undergraduate students except chemistry students)
- B. 4th Year Level: Polymer Chemistry, Polymer Technology, Industrial Chemistry, Applied Chemistry.
- C. 3rd Year Level: Organic Chemistry III. Chemical Processes Laboratory.
- C. 2nd Year Level: Organic Chemistry I, II (theoretical & practical), Analytical Chemistry I (practical)
- D. 1st Year Level: General Chemistry I &II (theoretical & practical)
- 5. Teaching at An-Najah Community College (several times): Organic Chemistry & Industrial Chemistry

Capacity for Jobs:

- 1. Teaching above Courses + Advanced Courses in Polymer Chemistry & Technology + Some Chemical Engineering Courses.
- 2. Research in Selected Topics in Polymer Chemistry, Organic Chemistry, and Applied Chemistry.
- 3. Supervision of Chemical Industries Concerned with Plastics & Elastomers.
- 4. Other Jobs: Any Relevant Academic Responsibilities such as Teacher Training, Design of Undergraduate Pure & Applied Chemistry Courses Plans, Quality Assurance of High Education, Membership of Examining Boards, Documentation ...etc.

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