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Personal Information

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Place & Date of Birth	08/10/1975	Address	Duhok, Kurdistan Region - Iraq.

Employment Information

Profession	Teacher	Scientific Title & Acquiring Date	Lecturer
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Academic & Scientific Degrees

Degree	Bachelor	Master	PhD
University Name	University of Duhok	University of Duhok	University of Exeter
Degree granting country	Iraq	Iraq	United Kingdom
Date of acquiring degree	1999	2006	2019
Title of Master Thesis	The Rhythmic Structure of Modern Kurdish Poetry		
Fine Specialization	Poetry and Rhythm		
Title of Ph.D Thesis	National Identity Discourses in Contemporary Bahdinani Kurdish Poetry in Iraq		
Fine Specialization	Literature, Identity, and Nationalism		

Teaching Expertise

From	To	Scientific Title	University Name	Given (taught) Subject Materials
2020	Present	Lecturer	Nawroz University	Introduction to Translation, Principles of Translation, Kurdology
2019	2020	Asst. Lecturer	University of Duhok	Translation, Critical Thinking
2019	2020	Asst. Lecturer	Duhok Polytechnic University	Kurdology, Research Methodology
2006	2011	Asst. Lecturer	University of Duhok	Translation, Literary Theory, Literary Movements, Literary Criticism, Prosody

Managerial Expertise		
2019	2020	Head of English Department, College of Basic Education/ Amedi, University of Duhok
2021	Present	Director of Public Relations and Media – Nawroz University
Scientific Research		
<i>The Rhythmic Structure of Modern Kurdish poetry: Mueyed Teyib and the Dualism of Light and Darkness.</i> May 2010. The First International Conference on Kurdish Literature - University of Kurdistan, Sanandaj, Iran.		

Books		
Title	Place of Publications	Date
<i>Women's Voices from Kurdistan: A Selection of Kurdish Poetry</i> (edited book with Farangis Ghaderi & Clémence Scalbert Yucel)	London: Transnational Press London	2021
<i>The Rhythmic Structure of Modern Kurdish Poetry</i>	Duhok: Spîrêz Press & Publisher	2007
<i>The Secrets of the Text</i>	Duhok: Union of Kurdish Writers' Publications	2004

Conferences & Work Shops		
Conference – Workshop Names	Type of Participation	Date
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> October 2019: <i>Bridging activism and scholarship: translating Kurdish women texts into English</i>, Institute of Modern Languages Research: Translating Women: breaking borders and building bridges in the English-language book industry, (with Dr Clémence Scalbert Yücel and two others), London, UK. 	Researcher	2019
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> July 2019: <i>In and out of Iraq: The Triple Marginalisation of Bahdinani Literature</i>, Transregional Academy, Minor/Small Literature(s): Perspectives on World Literature from Elsewhere, Berlin, Germany. 	Presenting paper	2019
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> November 2018: Participation in the reading of Exeter Kurdish Translation Initiative: "Women Voices in Kurdish Poetry" at the Exeter Literary Festival, Exeter, UK. 	Participant	2018

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May 2018: Participation in the BISI supported translation workshop – “Literatures from the other Iraq. Laying the foundations for translating Kurdish literatures in the UK”, Exeter, UK. 	Participant	2018
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • June 2017: <i>Imagining Kurdistan Under the Rule of Ba’ath: Bahdinani Modern Poetry and Discourses of National Identity</i>, The Third International Kurdish Conference of the University of Exeter, Exeter, UK. 	Presenting paper	2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • June 2014: <i>Contemporary Kurdish Poetry: The Quest for Kurdish National Identity</i>, A Doctoral Workshop: 'Middle Eastern Literatures: Local and Global Contexts', Organised by the University of Exeter in collaboration with the University of Oxford, Exeter, UK. 	Presenting paper	2014
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May 2010: <i>The Rhythmic Structure of Modern Kurdish poetry: Mueyed Teyib and the Dualism of Light and Darkness</i>, The First International Conference on Kurdish Literature - University of Kurdistan, Sanandaj, Iran. 	Presenting paper	2010
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • October 2009: <i>Literature and Language Issues in Bahdinan</i>, The Third Cizre Culture and Art Days, Cizre Municipality, Turkey. 	Presenting paper	2009
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May 2008: Kurdish language Conference, Kurdish Institute of Germany, Berlin, Germany. (attended only) • 	Attendance only	2008

Membership in Organizations

Member of the International Federation of Journalists.	
Member of the Kurdistan Journalists Syndicate.	
Member of the Union of Kurdish Writers.	