

*Curriculum Vitae*

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Lecturer at the Department of English, College of Arts, Al- Mustansyria University in Baghdad, Iraq.

**EDUCATION:**

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**PhD in English Literature/ Novel**

Griffith University, Queensland, Australia. 2015.

PhD Thesis title: “Allegorical and Cultural Landscapes in the Novels of Nathaniel Hawthorne and Arab *al- Nahda* Writers”

**MA in English Literature / Novel**

Al- Mustansyria University, Baghdad, Iraq. 2002.

MA Thesis title: “The Significance and Treatment of the Concept of Evil in the Political Novels of Joseph Conrad”

**BA in English Language and Literature**

Baghdad University, Baghdad, Iraq. 1992.

**ACADEMIC HONORS AND AWARDS:**

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A number of letters of thanks

**ACADEMIC /TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

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Research Interests:

Victorian Studies, Nineteenth Century English and American Novel, Cultural Studies, Colonialism, Imperialism, Comparative Literature, Feminism, and Literary Theory.

## Teaching & Advising

Literature Instructor at the Department of English, College of Arts, Al- Mustansyriah University since 2002 up to the present day. Instructor of record for teaching different subjects in English Literature:

- Eighteenth Century British Novel / Second Year Stage
- Nineteenth Century Victorian British and American Novel/ Third Year Stage
- Elizabethan and Jacobean Drama. Shakespearean Tragedy, Shakespearean Comedy & Eighteenth Century Drama Comedy of Manners/ Third Year Stage
- Literary Criticism/ Fourth Year Stage
- Mentoring undergraduate students in preparation and presentation of Graduation Research Papers.

## PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS:

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Professional Memberships

- Griffith Centre for Cultural Research

## PUBLICATIONS:

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### Published Books

1- *Evil, Human History and Joseph Conrad's Fiction*. Baghdad: Iraqi Dar-Alwathaiq Publishing House. 2016.

2- *The Philosophy of the Bomb and the Western Eyes*. Baghdad: Iraqi Dar-Alwathaiq Publishing House. 2017.

### Refereed Publications:

1- "The American Myth in Washington Irving's *The Legend of the Sleepy Hollow*" in *Al-Mustansiriyah Journal of Arts*, published by Al- Mustansiriyah University in Baghdad, Iraq. 2009.

2- "Allegory, Geography and Cultural Resistance from Rome to Balabeck" in *Al- Adab Journal* . Baghdad University Press. 2017.

3- "Language, Identity and Terrorism Scare Against Time" in *Al-Adaab Journal*. Mustansiriyah University Press. 2018.

4- "Terrorism, Social Awareness and English Fiction" in *Scientific Journal of Basic Sciences* . Mustansiriyah University Press. 2018.

5- "Boldness and Courage of Sayda Zainab Al Kubra Peace be upon her from Karbala to Mosel An Exemplary Model of All Times" in Taf Post Conference Proceedings. Mustansiriyah University Press. 2018.

6- Narration, Postcolonial Feminism and Visual Illustrations of Female Rebels  
Narration Conference Proceedings. Mustansiriyah University Press. 2019.

## **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT**

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### **Conference Presentations**

1. The 16<sup>th</sup> Annual College of Arts Conference May 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> 2009. Al- Mustansyria University. Baghdad, Iraq.
2. Culture of Exchange & Exchange of Culture The 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Work in Progress Conference 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> August 2012. The University of Queensland School of English, Media Studies, and Art History. Brisbane, Australia.
3. The International Conference Solidarity, Memory and Identity Interdisciplinary Conference in Gdansk, 20-21 September 2012. University of Gdansk. Gdansk, Poland.
4. Rhizomes VII Word, Power & Identity 30-31 January 2013 The University of Queensland School of Languages & Comparative Cultural Studies. Brisbane, Australia.
5. UK Great Writing International Creative Writing Conference June 29-30 2013, Imperial College London. London, United Kingdom.
6. Griffith University The Sixth Annual Cultural Research Postgraduate Symposium, November 17<sup>th</sup> 2014. Griffith University Nathan Campus. Brisbane, Australia.
7. The Victorians and Memory Australian Victorian Studies Association Annual Conference 3-5 February, 2015. University of Auckland, Auckland, New Zealand.
8. English Language and the Challenges of the Age of Globalization. College of Education Ibin Rushid 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> May 2016, Baghdad University. Baghdad, Iraq.
9. Oral and Written Narration in Historical and Literary Studies: The Annual Conference of College of Arts on 23<sup>rd</sup> of October 2017, Baghdad University. Baghdad, Iraq.
10. Cultural Interactions: The 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of Languages and Translation, College of Arts Mustansiriyah University 29<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup> April 2018.
11. Altaf 10<sup>th</sup> International Cultural Forum :Altaf Sacrifices Constitute Support for Victories from 7<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> of November 2018.

12. The 2nd Conference of New Advances on Science and Metascience and Humanity Sciences July 2019 in Mashhad, Iran

## **Training Courses and Workshops**

- 1- Romanticism and Writing: Legacies and Resistance. Mentoring Workshop Program, 12<sup>th</sup> of December 2014. Griffith University Southbank Campus. Brisbane Australia.
  - 2- Griffith University Postgraduate Writing Retreats for the three years: 2012, 2013 and 2014. These are writing workshops focusing on the development of the writing skills, organized by the school of humanities, Griffith University in Brisbane, Australia.
  - 3- Literature of the English Country House Online Course: A study of English houses in English Literature from the time of Thomas More to Oscar Wilde. The course is created by The University of Sheffield. Duration: 6 Weeks. Start date: 27<sup>th</sup> of June 2016.
  - 4- Exploring English: Shakespeare and His World Online Course: A study of Shakespearean drama. The course is organized by The British Counsel. Duration: 6 Weeks. Start date: 8<sup>th</sup> of August 2016.
  - 5- Online courses on teaching English as a second language organized by Arizona State University in the United States. These courses are: “Teach English Now! Theories of Second Language Acquisition in July 31<sup>st</sup> 2016. And “Teach English Now! Foundational Principles” in August 3<sup>rd</sup>
  - 6- Latex in Academic Research Course in Mustansiriyah University from 22<sup>nd</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> of April 2018.
  - 7- Participation as the lecturer on Time Management Skills and Academic Work Course from 6<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> of May 2018.
  - 8- Participation as the lecturer on Critical and Creative Thinking Course from 10<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> of December 2018.
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