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Proactive and reliable problem-solver looking to further develop my programming and analytical skills.

EDUCATION

- 2018-2021 **D.Phil. in Linguistics**
St. Catherine's College, University of Oxford
- 2016-2018 **M.Phil. in Linguistics** **DISTINCTION**
Worcester College, University of Oxford
- 2012-2016 **BA in Oriental Studies (Arabic with Turkish) FIRST CLASS WITH DISTINCTION IN SPOKEN ARABIC**
Pembroke College, University of Oxford
Year Abroad Programme at Qasid Institute, Jordan
- 2005-2012 **International Baccalaureate: 43/45 points**
Higher Level Russian: 7; Higher Level History: 6; Higher Level Ancient Greek: 7; Core: 2;
Standard Level English: 7; Standard Level Maths Studies: 7; Standard Level Biology: 7;
11 A* (I)GCSEs including English, Maths, Biology, Chemistry and Physics
Sevenoaks School, Sevenoaks

HONOURS, GRANTS AND AWARDS

- 2021 R.H. Robins Prize for best article, The Philological Society
- 2018-2020 ESRC/Grand Union DTP Scholarship to fund DPhil research
- 2018-2019 Faculty of Linguistics, University of Oxford Travel Grants
- 2018 Worcester College, Oxford College Prize for Distinction in MPhil
- 2015-2016 Brian Wilson Scholarship in Arabic, Pembroke College, Oxford
- 2013-2016 Domus Scholarship, Pembroke College Oxford
- 2013 Qasid Institute, Jordan Scholarship for Autumn Term
- 2013 Joseph Schacht Junior Memorial Prize

EXPERIENCE

- Dec 2021- pres. **Postdoctoral Research Assistant, University of Oxford**
- Use python to develop and optimise FlexSR speech recognition system
 - Assist in organising the International Conference in Historical Linguistics
- Jul 2021 – pres. **Postdoctoral Research Fellow, Surrey University**
- Research language change to inform the building of computational models
 - Co-author articles for peer-reviewed publishing and conference presentation
 - Assist in organising a workshop on analogy for an international conference
- 2020 – 2021 **Departmental Lecturer in Phonology, University of Oxford**
- Designed and delivered small group tutorials, large group classes and interactive lectures for both UG and PG students in person and online (Zoom/Teams), covering the fundamentals as well as advanced issues in theoretical and experimental linguistics
 - Collaborated with multiple stakeholders including senior academics on course design, teaching assistants on managing classes, and students with individual feedback

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| Apr - Nov 2021 | Outreach Officer, University of Oxford <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Created a website at https://explore.ling-phil.ox.ac.uk to showcase applicant-facing content - Organised a week-long UNIQ summer school course on Linguistics - Provided linguistics taster sessions to prospective students from under-represented groups - Developed links with the local community through flash talks at Modern Art Oxford - Designed an ongoing Outreach Strategy for the Faculty of Linguistics, Philology and Phonetics |
| 2020 – 2022 | Associate Lecturer in Education, Oxford Brookes University <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Designed and delivered introductory linguistics course via Zoom to first year undergraduates |
| 2018 – pres. | Tutor, University of Oxford <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Achieved teaching qualification SEDA Supporting Learning Award - Delivered small group tutorials for undergraduate students - Conducted undergraduate admissions interviews and assessed graduate admissions applications |
| 2016-2021 | Graduate Researcher, University of Oxford <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Collected and analysed data across 16 modern Arabic varieties and synthesised research to produce an 80,000-word thesis on their sound structure and variation - Wrote python scripts to automate aspects of experiment design and data collection from online corpora - Presented original research at national and international conferences in Manchester, Düsseldorf and Texas. - Managed research assistants in psycholinguistic experiment design, participant recruitment and conducting experiments both in person and online |
| Apr-Dec 2015 | Producer/Publicity Manager <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Led the venue bid, sourced funding, created and managed budget for a profitable student theatre production |
| July 2014 | Intern at Terra Firma Capital Partners, Dubai <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Researched markets in the Middle East for potential investment opportunities |
| July-Sept 2014 | Child Trafficking Research, Dubai <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Researched Child Trafficking in the Middle East and South Asia for the founding of a new platform to counter it - Explored opportunities to build capacity in work currently done in the region, seeking partners to leverage their capabilities for anti-trafficking work, and investigating funding options |

IT SKILLS

- Confident in Python
- Completed courses in C++
- Some experience with Linux, Git, HTML, CSS, Bash, R
- Written reports and theses in LaTeX

TRANSFERABLE SKILLS

- Project Management
- Communication
- Public Speaking
- Team Leader
- Excellent Organisational Skills
- Data analysis

LANGUAGES

- English (native)
- Arabic (advanced)
- Turkish (intermediate)
- French (intermediate)
- Russian (intermediate)
- German (basic)