

Curriculum Vitae

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Languages: Arabic (mother tongue), French, English

Education

- 2019-2020: Ethics Research Certificate, Maryland University, USA
- August 2018: Participation to the NCI Summer Curriculum in Cancer Prevention. Washington, DC, USA
- From June 24 to July 13, 2018: MERETI Research Ethics Training – 2018. Summer face-to-face training at Heliopolis University in Cairo, Egypt with the collaboration of Maryland University, USA.
- November, 2016: Certificate « Formation des Professeurs d'éthique », Beyrouth, Lebanon
- August, 2016: Certificate "Leadership Development Program" National Leadership Institute, Maryland University, USA.
- June, 2016: Certificate "Fostering future cancer research leaders", Lyon France.
- 2010: PhD in Epidemiology and Public Health, University Victor Segalen, Bordeaux
- 2009: Certificate of International Course in Nutritional Epidemiology at Imperial College London, UK.
- 2006: Diploma of Speciality in Public Health and Epidemiology (Fez, Morocco)
- 2006: Master of Public Health, Victor Segalen University of Bordeaux, France.
- 2004: University Diploma of "Hygiène Hospitalière et prévention des infections associées aux soins". Victor Segalen University of Bordeaux, France.
- 2004-2005: University certificates in
 - 2005: Statistic applied to medical biology (CESAM, Paris, France)
 - 2004: Epidemiology: principles and quantitative methods (CESAM, Paris, France)
 - 2004: Statistical modelization à l'Institut de Santé Publique d'Epidémiologie et de Développement. Université Victor Segalen Bordeaux 2, France.
 - 2003: University Diploma in Statistics applied to research: Statistics methodology/Statistics applied to clinical research (CESAM, Paris, France).
- 2000: Medical Diploma in Medicine, MD (Rabat, Morocco)

Qualifications

- Designed expert Member of the Advisory Group for the IARC Monographs during 2025–2029 at the International Agency for Research in Cancer (IARC), World Health Organization (WHO), Lyon France.
- Elected Member and Representative of Morocco at the scientific Council in the Arab board - Health Specialties; Council Medicine community: 2023 – 2028.
- Representative of Morocco and Member of Scientific Council at The International Agency for Research in Cancer (IARC), World Health Organization (WHO), Lyon France. 2016 – 2019.
- Director “Programs and Studies Research” at Cancer Research Institute, Morocco. 2015-2016.
- Professor of Epidemiology and Community Medicine – Faculty of Medicine of Fez. Since 2007 to date.
- Director of the Research laboratory "Epidemiology and Research in Health Sciences ", Faculty of Medicine and Pharmacy of Fez, Sidi Mohamed Ben Abdillah university. Since 2014 to date.
- Member of Research Commission of the Faculty of Medicine and Pharmacy of Fez, Sidi Mohamed Ben Abdillah University. Since 2014 to date.
- Member of ethics committee (General Secretary) of the HASSAN II University Hospital Center and Faculty of Medicine of Fez. Since 2012 to date.
- Member of Nosocomial Infection Fight Commission, Hassan II University Hospital Center, Fez.

Experiences teaching (in French and English)

SINCE 2007 to date:

- Teaching of Epidemiology and Public Health,
- Teaching Biostatistics and empowering capacity in statistical analysis using software's Epi-info, SPSS, R.
- Teaching “Hospital Hygiene”
- Teaching « Research methodology »
- Teaching « Nutritional Epidemiology »
- Teaching « Research and Professional Ethics »
- Teaching “Leadership and team building”
- Teaching and/or participation to the coordination of many university certificates, Diplomas and Masters, Fez, Morocco.
- Supervision of many medical and PhD thesis since 2007.

Experiences in managing and conducting projects

- Coordination of many national and local courses and workshops
- Coordination, monitoring and/or participation in numerous epidemiological studies at national and International level in the field of:
 - Cancer and chronic diseases (Diabetes,..)
 - Nutrition
 - Behaviors
 - Quality of life
 - Hospital Hygiene
 - Ethical Research
 - Leadership and team building
- Principal Investigator of many projects in the field of:

- Cancer and chronic diseases (Diabetes,..)
- Nutrition
- Behaviors
- Quality of life
- Hospital Hygiene
- Ethical Research
- Leadership and team building
- Reviewer to some indexed international journals.
- Participation in organizing of numerous congresses.

Membership of societies

- Evaluator Expert and Member of Scientific committees at National Center of scientific and technologic research (CNRST, Rabat, Morocco), 2021 - to date.
- Elected member of the regional council of physicians – Fez Meknes Region 2019 - to date and the president of its scientific commission.
- President of Moroccan Society of Nutritional and Behavioral Epidemiology. Since 2021.
- Vice-President of Moroccan Association of Heritage, Sciences and Cultures (MAHESC). Since 2019
- General Secretary of “Initiatives, Recherche et Innovations en Santé, IRIS” Association.
- Ex-Member of Moroccan Society of Medical Sciences.
- Ex-Member of 'European Respiratory Society
- Ex-Member International Union Against Tuberculosis and Lung disease
- Ex-Member of French Association of Epidemiologists.
- Treasurer of Association for Developement, Clinical Research and Epidemiology (ADRECE), Fez Morocco 2014-to date

Publications

H-index : 21

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More than 90 articles published in peer reviewed indexed journals.

Chapter book writing

Karima El Rhazi, Vanessa Garcia-Larsen and Chakib Nejari. Socioeconomic Factors Affecting Adherence to the Mediterranean Diet in North Africa. The Mediterranean Diet: An evidence-based Approach, Edited by Victor R Preedy and Ronald Ross Watson. ISBN : 978-0-12-407849-9.

Karima El Rhazi, Khaoula El Kinany and Vanessa Garcia-Larsen Socioeconomic factors for the adherence to the Mediterranean diet in North Africa: The shift from 1990 to 2019. The Mediterranean Diet – An evidence based approach 2nd Edition. Edited by Victor R Preedy and Ronald Ross Watson. ISBN: 978-0-12-818649-7