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## Curriculum Vitae

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## Education

- Ph.D. Information Systems – *Health Informatics*, University of Maryland, Baltimore County, 2016.
- M.S. Management Information Systems, University of Arizona, 2007.
- B.S.B.A. Management Information Systems (*Honors*), University of Arizona, 2006.
- B.S.B.A. Entrepreneurship (*Honors*), University of Arizona, 2006.
- B.S.B.A. Operations Management, University of Arizona, 2006.

## Fellowships

- Fellow, International Academy of Health Sciences Informatics, International Medical Informatics Association, Switzerland, 2021.
- Fellow, American Medical Informatics Association, United States of America, 2020.
- Member, Middle East Elsevier Advisory Board, United Arab Emirates, 2019.
- Fellow, Arab-American Frontiers of Science, Engineering, and Medicine – The National Academies of Sciences, Engineering, Medicine, Kuwait, 2018.
- Research Fellow, Kuwait Programme, Middle East Centre, London School of Economics and Political Science, London, 2018.

## Professional Development and Training

- Harvard Medical School Postgraduate Medical Education, Safety, Quality, Informatics and Leadership Program, 1-year Certificate Program, Harvard University, 2020.
- Research Publication Workshop, University of California Berkeley, Kuwait, 2017.
- VIVA Telecom Small to Big Entrepreneurship Training Program, London, 2012.
- Thukhur National Leadership Development Program, Cornell University, New York, 2012.
- Division of Clinical Informatics (BIDMC), Harvard Medical Faculty Physicians, Boston, 2010.

## Professional Experience

- **Acting Assistant Vice President for Institutional Development**, Kuwait University, 2021 – Present.
- **Associate Professor**, Department of Information Science, College of Life Sciences, Kuwait University, 2020 – Present.
- **Acting Department Chair**, Department of Information Science, College of Life Sciences, Kuwait University, 2020 – 2021.
- **Assistant Professor**, Department of Information Science, College of Life Sciences, Kuwait University, 2019 – 2020.

- **Member**, Smart Vaccination Card Working Group, World Health Organization, 2021 – Present.
- **Member**, Digital Health Technical Advisory Group, World Health Organization, 2019 – Present.
- **Regional Vice President – Middle East and North Africa**, International Medical Informatics Association, 2020 – Present.
- **Vice President**, Middle East and North African Health Informatics Association, 2019 – Present.
- **Vice-Chair**, Student and Emerging Professionals Special Interest Group, International Medical Informatics Association, 2019 – Present.
- **Team Leader & Consultant**, Technology Team, Northern Economic Zone – "Hareer", 2019 – 2020.
- **Member**, Digital Health Committee, Ministry of Health, Kuwait, 2021 – Present.
- **Collaborator**, GeoHealth Lab, Dasman Diabetes Institute, 2018 – Present.
- **Health Informatics Consultant and Co-Founder**, Health Informatics Unit, Dasman Diabetes Institute, 2017 – Present.
- **Data Security Officer**, Data Governance Council, Dasman Diabetes Institute, 2018 – Present.
- **Advisor**, Health Reform Strategy Initiative, Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Sciences, Kuwait, 2019 – 2020.
- **Evaluator**, KAFO – An Amiri Diwayan Initiative, 2019 – Present.
- **Member**, National Health Informatics Strategy Committee, Ministry of Health, Kuwait, 2019 – 2020.
- **Member**, Health Information Improvement Task-force, Ministry of Health, Kuwait, 2018 – 2019.
- **Consultant**, New Kuwait Strategic Plan Promotion Advisory Board, Supreme Council for Planning and Development – Kuwait, 2018 – 2019.
- **Assistant Professor**, Department of Information Science, College of Computing Sciences and Engineering, Kuwait University, 2016 – 2019.
- **Honorary Lecturer – Postgraduate Medical Education**, College of Medicine, University of Dundee, 2016 – Present.
- **Lab Manager**, Health IT Lab, University of Maryland, Baltimore County, 2013 – 2016.
- **Teaching Assistant**, Department of Information Science, College of Computing Sciences and Engineering, Kuwait University, 2012.
- **Partner**, Burger Flipper and Operations Manager, Hashtag Burgers – Kuwait, 2011 – 2013.
- **Systems Engineer**, Information Technology, Dasman Diabetes Institute, 2010 – 2012.
- **Software Developer**, Ministry of Health – Kuwait, 2009 – 2010.

## Awards

- *Research Reward for Unfunded Project* – Office of the Vice President for Research – Kuwait University, 2020.
- *Teaching Excellence Award* – Office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs – Kuwait University, 2019.
- *Outstanding Research Poster Award* – College of Computing Sciences and Engineering – Kuwait University, Annual Poster Day for Sciences Faculties, 2019.
- *Outstanding Achievement Award – "Monjiz"* – Ministry of State for Youth Affairs, 2017.
- *Outstanding Research Poster Award - College of Computing Sciences and Engineering* – Kuwait University, Annual Poster Day for Sciences Faculties, 2017.
- *Outstanding Research Podium Award - Nursing Informatics Research Award* – University of Maryland - School of Nursing, Summer Institute in Nursing Informatics (SINI), 2016.

- *Outstanding Research Poster Award - Nursing Informatics Research Award* – University of Maryland - School of Nursing, Summer Institute in Nursing Informatics (SINI), 2016.
- *Outstanding Research Poster Award - Nursing Informatics Research Award* – University of Maryland - School of Nursing, Summer Institute in Nursing Informatics (SINI), 2015.
- *Rescuer of the Year* – Middle River Volunteer Ambulance and Rescue, U.S. Congress, and U.S. Senate, 2015.
- *Rookie of the Year* – Riviera Beach Volunteer Fire Company, 2015.
- *Top Training Hours* – Riviera Beach Volunteer Fire Company, 2015.
- *Building Relationships Award* – Thukhur National Leadership Development Program, 2012.
- *Volunteer Appreciation Award* – Spread the Passion Volunteers, 2010.
- *Top U.S.A. Graduate Scholars Award* – Kuwait's Ministry of Higher Education, 2008.
- *Merit Graduate Scholarship Award* – Kuwait's Ministry of Higher Education, 2007.
- *Dean of Students Award Finalist* – University of Arizona, 2006.
- *Merit Undergraduate Scholarship Award* – Kuwait's Ministry of Higher Education, 2002.

## Teaching Excellence

### *Self-Development*

- The Art of Improvising Speech, Dr. Ahmad Bozubar, Online, 2021.
- Serving Leader Workshop, Dr. Ahmad Bozubar, Online, 2021.
- Design and Education: Designing for Sustainable Solutions, Nuqat on Tour, Nuqat, Kuwait, 2018.
- Good Practices in Utilizing Electronic/Digital Knowledge Resources in Teaching and Learning Processes, National Bureau for Academic Accreditation and Education Quality Assurance (NBAQ), 2018.
- Design Thinking for Educators, The SEEN Engaging, Embracing, Emerging - Visual Communication Conference, Gulf University for Science and Technology, Kuwait, 2018.
- Train-the-Trainer; Teaching Excellence Workshop, University of California Berkeley, San Francisco, 2018.
- Teaching Excellence Workshop, University of California Berkeley, Kuwait, 2017.

### *Service and Community Building*

- **Member**, Teaching Excellence Committee, College of Life Sciences, Kuwait University – 2020/2021 – Present.
- **Chair**, Teaching Excellence Program, Office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs, Kuwait University – 2018/2019 – Present.
- **Co-Facilitator**, Teaching Excellence in Online Teaching Workshop, VPAA, Kuwait University – 2021.
- **Co-Facilitator**, Teaching Excellence Workshop for faculty in Arabic, VPAA, Kuwait University – 2018.
- **Co-Host**, First forum of the "Teaching Excellence Community of Practice" at Kuwait University, Kuwait University – 2018.
- **Co-Facilitator**, Teaching Excellence Workshop: Learning by Design, VPAA, Kuwait University – 2018.
- **Planner**, Active Learning and Teaching with Technology, VPAA, Kuwait University – 2018.
- **Host and Planner**, Lecture titled "Re-imagining the Teaching Space" By Prof. Paul Corcoran from University of South Australia, College of Computing Sciences and Engineering in collaboration with the VPAA, Kuwait University, 2018.

## Academic Service

### *Kuwait University Service*

#### DEPARTMENT-LEVEL

##### ACADEMIC YEAR 2020/2021

- **Acting Chair**, Information Science Department, College of Life Sciences, 2020/2021.
- **Host**, InfoSec Summit'21, Information Science Department, College of Life Sciences, Kuwait University – 2020/2021.
- **Chair**, Department Advisory Board, Information Science Department, College of Life Sciences, Kuwait University – 2020/2021.
- **Convener**, Appointment and Contract Renewal Committee, Information Science Department, College of Life Sciences, Kuwait University – 2020/2021.
- **Convener**, Scholarship Committee, Information Science Department, College of Life Sciences, Kuwait University – 2020/2021.
- **Convener**, Strategic Development Committee, Information Science Department, College of Life Sciences, Kuwait University – 2020/2021.

##### ACADEMIC YEAR 2018/2019

- **Acting Chair**, Information Science Department, College of Computing Sciences and Engineering, Kuwait University, 2018/2019 | 9th to 15th January 2019.
- **Member**, Graduate Program Committee – M.S. Computer Information Systems, Information Science Department, College of Computing Sciences and Engineering & College of Graduate Studies, Kuwait University, 2018/2019.
- **Founder and Chair**, Ethics Review Committee, Information Science Department, College of Computing Sciences and Engineering, Kuwait University, 2018/2019.
- **Member**, Social and Public Seminar Committee, Information Science Department, College of Computing Sciences and Engineering, Kuwait University, 2018/2019.
- **Member**, Curriculum Affairs Committee, Information Science Department, College of Computing Sciences and Engineering, Kuwait University, 2018/2019.

##### ACADEMIC YEAR 2017/2018

- **Acting Chair**, Information Science Department, College of Computing Sciences and Engineering, Kuwait University, 2017/2018 | 14th to 29th Aug 2019.
- **Founder and Chair**, Ethics Review Committee, Information Science Department, College of Computing Sciences and Engineering, Kuwait University, 2017/2018.
- **Chair**, Social and Public Seminar Committee, Information Science Department, College of Computing Sciences and Engineering, Kuwait University, 2017/2018.
- **Member**, Curriculum Affairs Committee, Information Science Department, College of Computing Sciences and Engineering, Kuwait University, 2017/2018.

##### ACADEMIC YEAR 2016/2017

- **Secretary**, Department Council, Information Science Department, College of Computing Sciences and Engineering, Kuwait University, 2016/2017.
- **Secretary**, Curriculum Affairs Committee, Information Science Department, College of Computing Sciences and Engineering, Kuwait University, 2016/2017.
- **Member**, Social Committee, Information Science Department, College of Computing Sciences and Engineering, Kuwait University, 2016/2017.

## COLLEGE-LEVEL

### ACADEMIC YEAR 2020/2021

- **Committee Chair**, College Website Improvement Committee, College of Life Sciences, Kuwait University, 2020/2021.
- **Member**, College Council, College of Life Sciences, Kuwait University, 2020/2021.
- **Member**, Scholarship Committee, College of Life Sciences, Kuwait University, 2020/2021.
- **Member**, Teaching Excellence Committee, College of Life Sciences, Kuwait University, 2020/2021.

### ACADEMIC YEAR 2016/2017

- **Secretary**, Undergraduate Programs Committee, College of Computing Sciences and Engineering, Kuwait University, 2016/2017.

## UNIVERSITY-LEVEL

### ACADEMIC YEAR 2020/2021

- **Acting Assistant Vice President for Institutional Development**, Kuwait University, Summer 2020/2021.
- **Committee Chair**, Teaching Excellence Program, Office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs, Kuwait University – 2020/2021.
- **Member**, Academic Ranking Improvement Initiative Committee, Office of the Vice President for Planning, Kuwait University – 2020/2021.

### ACADEMIC YEAR 2019/2020

- **Member**, eLearning Bylaws Committee, Vice President for Academic Support Services, Kuwait University, Kuwait, 2019/2020.
- **Committee Chair**, Teaching Excellence Program, Office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs, Kuwait University – 2019/2020.
- **Volunteer Trainer**, eLearning Trainers Group, Special Committee for eLearning during COVID-19, Kuwait University, Kuwait – 2019/2020.

### ACADEMIC YEAR 2018/2019

- **Committee Chair**, Teaching Excellence Program, Office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs, Kuwait University – 2018/2019.
- **Co-Facilitator**, Teaching Excellence Workshop for faculty in Arabic, VPAA, Kuwait University – 2018.
- **Co-Host**, First forum of the "Teaching Excellence Community of Practice" at Kuwait University, Kuwait University – 2018.
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## Community Service

- **Founder**, Missing Maps Kuwait, 2018 – Present.
- **Member**, Kuwait GIS User Group (KGUG), 2017 – Present.
- **Chair**, Rescue Committee, Kuwait Fire Protection Association, 2016 – Present.
- **Founder**, Kuwait Health Informatics Network, 2014 – Present.
- **Volunteer**, Kuwait Red Crescent Society, 2012 – Present.
- **Information Technology and Informatics Consultant**, Direct Aid, 2013 – Present.
- **International Relations Officer**, Kuwait Dive Team, 2008 – Present.
- **Accessibility Volunteer Sailor and Mate**, Downtown Sailing Center (USA), 2012 – 2016.
- **Chair**, Graduate Students Committee, National Union of Kuwaiti Students (USA), 2013 – 2015.
- **Board Member**, National Union of Kuwaiti Students (USA), 2012 – 2013.
- **Information Technology Consultant**, Bayt Abdulla Children's Hospice, 2010 – 2014.
- **Youth Leader, Systems Advisor and Co-Founder of Kuwait 4 Kenya (K4K)**, Lothan Youth Achievement Center (LoYAC), 2008 – 2012.
- **Co-Founder**, Kuwaiti Student Association, University of Arizona, 2004.

## Associations

- International Medical Informatics Association (IMIA).
- American Medical Informatics Association (AMIA).
- Healthcare Information and Management Systems Society (HIMSS).
- American Health Information Management Association (AHIMA).
- Middle East and North African Health Informatics Association (MENAHA).
- International Society for Telemedicine and eHealth (ISfTeH).
- Institute of Electrical Engineers and Electronics (IEEE).
- Kuwait GIS User Group (KGUG), Kuwait.
- Kuwait Fire Protection Association (KFPA), Kuwait.
- American Middle Eastern Network for Dialogue at Stanford University (AMENDS), USA.
- Arizona Blue Chip Program, USA.
- Delta Sigma Pi International Professional Business Fraternity, USA.
- Golden Key International Honor Society, USA.
- Helicopter Rescue and Response Association (HRRA).
- International Association of Fire Chiefs (IAFC).
- Kuwait Dive Team, The Environmental Voluntary Foundation, Kuwait.
- Kuwaiti Student Association - University of Arizona.
- Kuwait Information Technology Society.
- Kuwait Red Crescent Society.
- Kuwait Transparency Society.
- Kuwait Health Initiative.

- Lothan Youth Achievement Center (LoYAC).
- Maryland Flight Paramedics Association.
- Management Information Systems Graduate Association - University of Arizona.
- National Union of Kuwait Students.
- Students for International Change.
- Sigma Alpha Lambda.
- Thukhur - National Program to Develop Future Promising Leaders.
- WYSE International.

## Fire, Rescue, and Emergency Medical Services

- Volunteer, Middle River Volunteer Fire and Rescue Company, 2016 – Present.
- Water Rescue Captain, Middle River Volunteer Fire and Rescue Company, 2016 – 2017.
- Rescue Lieutenant, Firefighter/NREMT, Middle River Volunteer Ambulance and Rescue, 2012 – 2016.
- Firefighter II/NREMT, Lansdowne Volunteer Fire Company, 2015 – 2017.
- Swiftwater Rescue Technician, Kingsville Volunteer Fire Company, 2015 – Present.
- Rescue Diver, Firefighter/NREMT, Prince George's County Fire and Marine Rescue Department, 2015 – 2017.
- Firefighter II/NREMT, Jessup Volunteer Fire Department, 2015 – 2017.
- Firefighter II/NREMT, Riviera Beach Volunteer Fire Company, 2012 – 2016.

## Scholarly Activities

### Peer-Reviewed Scientific Book Chapters

- Agarwal S, **Alhuwail D**, John O. (2020). mHealth Solutions in Global Health. **In** Haring R, Kickbusch I, Ganten D, Moeti M (Eds.). *Handbook of Global Health*. (Accepted). Springer. doi: [10.1007/978-3-030-05325-3](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-05325-3)
- Abd-Alrazaq A, Schneider J, **Alhuwail D**, Hamdi M, Al-Kuwari S, Al-Thani D, Househ, M. (2020). Artificial Intelligence in the Fight against the COVID-19 Pandemic: Opportunities and Challenges. **In** Househ M, Kushniruk A, Borycki E (Eds.). *Multiple Perspectives on Artificial Intelligence in Healthcare: From Challenges to Opportunities*. (Accepted). Springer.
- **Alhuwail D**, Abd-Alrazaq A, Al-Jafar E, Househ, M. (2020). Telehealth for the Geriatric Population: Use, Opportunities, and Challenges. **In** Choukou C, Syed-Abdul S (Eds.). *Smart Home Technologies and Services for Geriatric Rehabilitation*. (Accepted). Elsevier.

### Journal Articles

- **Alhuwail D**, Al-Jafar E, Abdulsalam Y, Alduaij S. Information Security Awareness and Behaviors of Healthcare Professionals at Public Healthcare Facilities. *Applied Clinical Informatics*. 2021; Accepted : In-Press.
- Tara M, Adel T, **Alhuwail D**, Al Thani DA, Al-Jafar E, Abu Hamra E, Ghazal H, Wahba H, Bahaadin-beigy K, AlKhalifa K, Joseph L, Zeroug M, Odeh MB, Alhefzi MI, Hamdi M, Househ M, Al-Shorbaji N, El Hassan O, Al-Salmi SA, Amara T, Sari Z. Middle East and North African Health Informatics Association (MENAHIA). *Yearbook of Medical Informatics*. 2021 Apr 21; Accepted: In-Press. doi: [10.1055/s-0041-1726496](https://doi.org/10.1055/s-0041-1726496)

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- Topaz M, Peltonen LM, Mitchell J, **Alhuwail D**, Barakati SS, Lewis A, Moen H, Veeranki SPK, Block L, Risling T, Ronquillo C. How to Improve Information Technology to Support Healthcare to Address the COVID-19 Pandemic: an International Survey with Health Informatics Experts. *Studies in Health Technology and Informatics*. 2021 Apr 21. doi: [10.1055/s-0041-1726491](https://doi.org/10.1055/s-0041-1726491)
- Jeon E, Peltonen LM, Block L, Ronquillo C, Tayaben JL, Nibber R, Pruinelli L, Perezmitre EL, Sommer J, Topaz M, Eler GJ, Shishido HY, Wardaningsih S, Sutantri S, Ali S, **Alhuwail D**, Abd-Alrazaq A, Akhu-Zaheya L, Lee YL, Shu SH, Lee J. Emergency Remote Learning in Nursing Education During the COVID-19 Pandemic. *Yearbook of Medical Informatics*. 2021 May 27;281:942-946. doi: [10.3233/SHTI210317](https://doi.org/10.3233/SHTI210317)
- Khadadah F, Al-Shammari AA, Alhashemi A, **Alhuwail D**, Al-Saif B, Alzaid SN, Alahmad B, Bogoch I. The effects of non-pharmaceutical interventions on SARS-CoV-2 transmission in different socioeconomic populations in Kuwait: a modeling study. *BMC Public Health*. 2021;21:990. doi: [10.1186/s12889-021-10984-6](https://doi.org/10.1186/s12889-021-10984-6)
- Abd-alrazaq AA, Suleiman N, Baagar K, Jandali N, **Alhuwail D**, Abdalhakam I, Shahbal S, Abou-Samra A-B, Househ M. Patients and healthcare workers experience with a mobile application for self-management of diabetes in Qatar: A qualitative study. *Computer Methods and Programs in Biomedicine Update*. 2021 Jan 22;100002. doi: [10.1016/j.cmpbup.2021.100002](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cmpbup.2021.100002)
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- Abd-alrazaq A, Alajlani M, **Alhuwail D**, Erbad A, Giannicchi A, Shah Z, Hamdi M, Househ M. Blockchain Technologies to Mitigate COVID-19 Challenges: A Scoping Review. *Computer Methods and Programs in Biomedicine Update*. 2020; Accepted: In-Press. doi: [10.1016/j.cmpbup.2020.100001](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cmpbup.2020.100001)
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- Abdulsalam Y, **Alhuwail D**, Schneller E. Adopting Identification Standards in the Medical Device Supply Chain. *International Journal of Information Systems and Supply Chain Management*. 2020; 13(1): 1-14. doi: [10.4018/IJISSCM.2020010101](https://doi.org/10.4018/IJISSCM.2020010101)



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- Abdulsalam Y, **Alhuwail D**, Al-Jafar E. The Physician's Hand in Kuwait's Health Care Supply Management. *Arab Journal of Administrative Sciences*. 2019; 26(2):355-377.
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- **Alhuwail D**. Translating Policy to Practice in Telehealth: Lessons from Global Implementation Experiences. In: *Telemedicon 2020*. Virtually, Chennai, India; 2020.
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- **Alhuwail D**. The Role of Data Science in the COVID-19 Pandemic. In: *KFAS Inspo Talks, Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Sciences*. Virtually, Kuwait City, Kuwait; 2020.
- **Alhuwail D**. Ethical and Privacy Considerations for Digital Interventions During Health Crisis: Recommendations and Lessons Learned. In: *Cybersecurity Education and Research Conference*. Virtually, Kuwait City, Kuwait; 2020.
- **Alhuwail D**. Fighting the Pandemic: A GCC Digital Outlook – Public Health Informatics Forum. In: *GCC eHealth Workforce Development Conference 2020*. Virtually, Dubai; UAE 2020.
- **Alhuwail D**. The HIE'Leap of Faith: Lessons to learn today from the Pioneers. In: *GCC eHealth Workforce Development Conference 2020*. Virtually, Dubai; UAE 2020.
- **Alhuwail D**. Using Geospatial Data for Epidemic Insights in Kuwait. In: *Digital Health Strategies to Control COVID-19 – Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health*. Virtually, Baltimore, MD, USA; 2020.
- **Alhuwail D**. Digital Systems and Services in the times of COVID-19. In: *Science and Technology Community Meetup – KAFO*. Virtually, Kuwait; 2020.
- **Alhuwail D**. Reaching Consumers Digitally: Opportunities for GCC Healthcare Systems. In: *International Symposium for Telemedicine and Artificial Intelligence in Medicine*. Muscat, Oman; 2020.
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- **Alhuwail D**. Health Informatics ... Are you ready for the Digital Health Wave? In: *Fifth Annual Conference of the Kuwait Institute for Medical Specialization Current Advances in Residency Education (KIMS-CARE)*. Kuwait City, Kuwait; 2019.
- **Alhuwail D**. Design Thinking for Healthcare Professionals. In: *Kuwait Dental Administration Conference and Exhibition (KDAC2019)*. Kuwait City, Kuwait; 2019.

- **Alhuwail D.** Trailblazing the Health Informatics Landscape: Research from Kuwait. In: *Hamad Bin Khalifa University CSE ICT seminars*. Doha, Qatar; 2018.
- **Alhuwail D.** Illuminating Healthcare's Dark Data Islands: Challenges and Opportunities for Big Data in Kuwait. In: *6th Arab-American Frontiers of Science, Engineering, and Medicine Symposium*. Kuwait City, Kuwait; 2018.
- **Alhuwail D.** FAIR Digital Practices: Guiding Principles for Data Science. In: *ISC Monthly Seminar Series*. Kuwait City, Kuwait; 2018.
- **Alhuwail D.** Design Thinking: App Development for Frail Patients. In: *The University of Dundee Medical School Graduate Program – Dasman Diabetes Institute*. Kuwait City, Kuwait; 2018.
- **Alhuwail D.** Diagnosing Kuwait's Digital Health Maturity: An Overview of Informatics Research in Context. In: *Ninewells Hospital and the University of Dundee Medical School*. Dundee, United Kingdom; 2018.
- **Alhuwail D.** Kuwait's Digital Health Maturity: Challenges, Opportunities, and Policy Recommendations. In: *Middle East Centre, London School of Economics and Political Sciences*. London, United Kingdom; 2018.
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## Courses Taught

### *Kuwait University*

#### GRADUATE

- **Fall 2020/2021** – MSIT 505 – Research Methodology and Seminar.
- **Spring 2018/2019** – MSCIS 580 – Health Informatics.

#### UNDERGRADUATE

- **Summer 2020/2021** – ETM 450 – Application of Information Systems in Environmental Technology.
- **Spring 2020/2021** – CLS 130 – Ethics and Practices.
- **Spring 2018/2019** – CLS 130 – Ethics and Practices.
- **Fall 2018/2019** – ISC 475 – Geographical Information Systems.
- **Fall 2018/2019** – ETM 450 – Application of Information Systems in Environmental Technology.
- **Spring 2017/2018** – ISC 380 – Introduction to Management Information Systems.
- **Spring 2017/2018** – ETM 450 – Application of Information Systems in Environmental Technology.
- **Fall 2017/2018** – ISC 100 – Fundamentals of Personal Computers.
- **Fall 2017/2018** – ISC 380 – Introduction to Management Information Systems.
- **Summer 2016/2017** – CLS 130 – Ethics and Practices.
- **Spring 2016/2017** – ETM 450 – Application of Information Systems in Environmental Technology.
- **Spring 2016/2017** – ISC 380 – Introduction to Management Information Systems.
- **Fall 2016/2017** – CLS 130 – Ethics and Practices.
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### *University of Dundee*

- **Fall 2017/2018** – GM51070 – Health Informatics Foundations.