AYAD H. Ahmed



PERSONAL DETAILS

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PERSONAL SUMMARY

A multi-skilled, reliable and effective teacher with a proven ability ti teach different courses related to General linguistics. As a learner, has the ability to absorb new ideas and deal with his

students effectively, he addresses the hearts before the minds as a part of the communicative approach aims. Well mannered, articulate and fully aware of diversity & multicultural issues. Flexible in the ability to adapt to challenges when they arise and at the same time remaining aware of professional roles & boundaries. Finally, very ambitious in his work, can do his job faithfully and in a good manner.

EXPERIENCES

- I worked as an English teacher, from 2005 till 2013 when I got a scholarship to pursue my PhD study at the UK.
- I have worked as a lecturer in English linguistics in Al-Ma\arif university College between 2010 and 2013. I have taught different courses: Phonetics for the first and third stage, General linguistics (Yule, G,2006) and Phonetics and Phonology for the third stage (Roach, P., 1998).
- I have worked as a translator "after 2003 when there has been an economic development in my country", translating documents and contracts from Arabic into English for Al Sharq company for construction and Rehabilitation.
- I have worked as an interpreter in governorate of Al-Anbar with a police center when new policemen were recruited by the Coalition forces.
- I have worked as a representative for Arab students at the University of Essex from 18-05-2013 till 13-12-2013.

Course Materials Taught

- 1-The Study of language
- **2-Communicative Grammar**
- **3-Creative Writing**
- **4-Situational Dialogue**
- **5-Research Methodology**

Publications and Conferences

- MA thesis entitled "A Pragmatic Study of Speech Act of Warning in English & Arabic".
- Politeness is not always good: the metapragmatics of intervening. Submitted to the Journal of politeness.
- The Perception of impoliteness in naturally occurring data. Submitted to the Journal of Pragmatics.
- Impoliteness against women: Donald Trump is a case study- research in progress.
- The Pragmatic of Email request by Iraqi Postgraduate students and their tutors".
 Presented to the 10th Lancaster University Postgraduate Conference in Linguistics and Language Teaching- on Monday 13 July 2015.

- Critical Discourse Analysis for Iraqi Politicians". Presented to the Centre for Applied Linguistics at the University of Warwick- the 8th Postgraduate Conference- Professional and Academic Discourse (PAD) 27 April 2015.
- Apology speech act behaviour in Iraqi Arabic and English. Presented at the 10th international symposium of politeness- St.Johns York University, 2017.

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KEY SKILLS AND COMPETENCIES

- Able to teach different courses especially GV.
- Able to work to tight deadlines.
- Excellent communication and social skills.
- Willing to travel and able to work under pressure.
- Able to priorities work.

ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

- BA in English Language- Iraqi- University of Baghdad _ College of Languages 2000-2004.
- MA in English Linguistics. Iraq- Tikrit University- college of Education 2008-2010.
- PhD in Linguistics. United Kingdom. De Montfort University, 2017.