

## Osama A. Abud resume



**Residence Address :** Iraq, Baghdad , Kadhimiya /District425/St.16/H.32

**First name**    **Middle name**    **Surname**  
**Osama**            **Abdulkareem**            **Abud**

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### Profile

- A)specialist Agronomist**    Since December 2009 until May 2011 / Professional agronomist , specialization in economics of agriculture , \*senior advisor in general agriculture fields & \_Management and evaluation of agricultural projects & in agriculture projects development, new agriculture technologies , & analyzer in agricultural marketing, member in the syndicate of agriculture engineers ,& member in ePRT north Baghdad .
- B) ePRT advisor**            1)Jan 2009-Nov.2009/agricultural advisor with the ePRT north of Baghdad , the agricultural team during their activities in North Of Baghdad.

### Other skills

- B) linguist**            July 2006-January 2009/ linguist (English to Arabic) with each of Titan , L3-titan ,& GLS company as an interpreter , with those following USA military forces :  
1)Jan.2008-Jan.2009/interpreter with 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion , 14<sup>th</sup> Infantry (L) 25<sup>th</sup> I D (participate on city council meetings as an interpreter with the company commander )  
2)Jul.2007-Jan.2008/interpreter with 4<sup>th</sup> Battalion , 9<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment 4<sup>th</sup> Brigade 2<sup>nd</sup> I D Camp Taji Iraq(Participated on recording SOIs operation as a recording team Interpreter)  
3)Jan.2007-Jul.2007/ interpreter with 2<sup>nd</sup> Battalion , 7<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment 1<sup>st</sup> Brigade ,3<sup>rd</sup> I D (Participated on establish a city council operation in the area as a civil affairs team Interpreter)  
4)Jun.2006-Jan.2007/ interpreter with 1<sup>st</sup> Battalion , 36<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment 1<sup>st</sup> Brigade ,1<sup>st</sup> Armored Division Hit , Iraq(Participated on recording Iraqi Police operation in the area as an Interpreter)
- C)Office manager :**    2004-2006 / Computer maintenance shop manager (software , Hardware )in Baghdad ,all computer services including software , hardware , network connections & training on windows, word ,excel & Photoshop programs.\establish business toward reaching the monthly net profit to over than 800\$.
- D)manager of factory :**    2000-2002/ Manager of Al Naser Plastic Factory (private factory)Direct manager & supervisor of the factory , producing plastic barrels , plastic covers , car spare plastic parts  
Increase revenue 20% while reducing costs 10% & adding a production line of recycling plastic materials & production line of produce plastic bags.
- E)lather {Turner} :**        1996-2000/ Turner (Lather) (mechanic on : Hydraulic system, seeds crusher machines ,Plastic machines ,welding)Lather in a private workshop that manufactures industrial machinery I was designing & creating fodder milling machines , crushers machines , plastics machines and templates for plastic products.

### Education

Bachelor in Agriculture 1998-2002/University Of Baghdad ,  
Agriculture collage , agricultural economics specialization

### Language skills

Language	Read	Write	speak
Arabic	V	V	V
English	V	IV	IV
France	I	I	I

**I: basic    V:professional    IV: fluent**

### Certification of Appreciation

Date	Certification address	Awarded by
Apr. 2011	Senior agronomist	ePRT team leader
Jul. 2010	LES agronomist	The US embassy in Baghdad
Jul. 2009	Linguist	52 <sup>nd</sup> I D 111 B. Of US N.G
Jan. 2008	Linguist	2 <sup>nd</sup> I D Of US Army
Jul. 2002	Agricultural Engineer	Agricultural Engineers synd.



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وزارة التعليم العالي والبحث العلمي  
رئاسة جامعة بغداد  
كلية الزراعة  
التسجيل

العدد: ١٤١٠  
التاريخ: ٢٠٠٩/١٢/٢٢

إلى / من يهيمه الأمر

م/ وثيقة تخرج

نؤيد لكم أن (أسامة عبد الكريم عيود سعود) أحد خريجي كليتنا للعام الدراسي ٢٠٠٢/٢٠٠١ وقد حاز على درجة بكالوريوس علوم في الزراعة/ قسم الاقتصاد الزراعي بتاريخ ٢٠٠٢/٦/٣٠ الدور الأول بلغ معدله ٩١,٩١% (ستون وواحد وتسعون بالمائة). وقد زود بهذه الوثيقة بناءً على طلبه.

مع التقدير

د. جابر اسماعيل الحميدي  
معاون العميد لشؤون الطلبة

نسخة منه إلى:  
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المواثيق  
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بسم الله الرحمن الرحيم

IRAQI AGRICULTURE  
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General Center

نقابة  
المهندسين الزراعيين العراقية  
المركز العام

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م/ تأييد

الى/ وزارة الخارجية / الدائرة القنصلية

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د. محمد سريه هادي  
نقيب المهندسين الزراعيين

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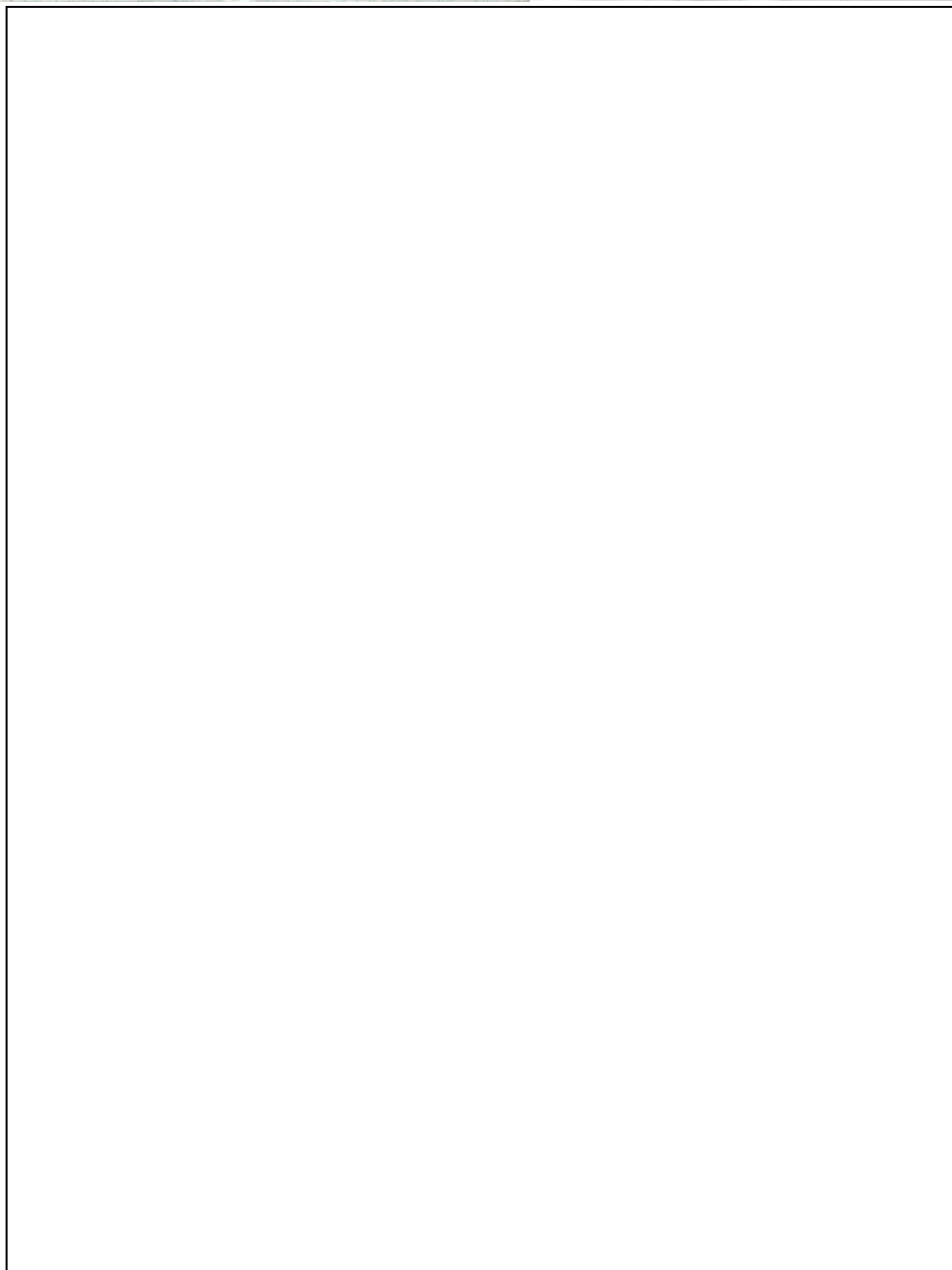
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# Certificate of Appreciation



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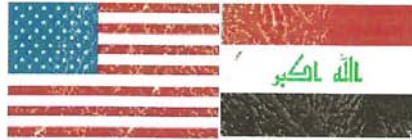
منحت للسيد:

**Mr. Osama A. Abud**

اسامة عبود

*For the support you have provided to ePRT-North here at Camp Taji to better the lives of Iraqi Citizens and to establish a more peaceful and secure Republic of Iraq.*

MAJ James S. Martin  
ePRT-N Deputy Team Leader



Ms. Karen L. Malzahn  
ePRT-N Team Leader

# Certificate of Appreciation



اسامة عبدالكريم عبود

**Osama Abdul Kareem Abood**



بالنيابة عن جميع رجال الكتيبة الاولى, فوج المشاة 111, الحرس الوطني  
جيش الولايات المتحدة الامريكية نمنحك هذه الشهادة التقديرية  
وذلك لمساهمتم في تثبيت الامن والسلام في ربوع قضاء الطارمية ولتعريض  
انفسكم لمخاطر جمة ولتحسين نوعية الحياة لجميع مواطني  
الجمهورية العراقية, مع خالص المحبة والتقدير

On behalf of the men of the 1st Battalion, 111th Infantry Regiment, Pennsylvania Army National Guard, you are presented this certificate for restoring security and peace to Tarmiyah Qada at great personal risk and improving the quality of life for all Iraqi Citizens.

You have our sincere thanks and admiration.

"No Steps Backward!"



CSM DEUTSCH  
USA  
Command Sergeant Major



LTC O'HANLON  
IN  
Commanding



## Embassy of the United States of America

### Baghdad, Iraq

April 25, 2011

To whom it may concern:

Mr. Osama Abdulkareem Abud Al-Ghairy worked as a U.S. Department of State local employee from December 2009 to May 2011 as a part of the Provincial Reconstruction Team in Baghdad, Iraq. Provincial Reconstruction Teams (PRTs) were established in 2005 in Iraq. They are civilian-military teams working at the provincial level in post-war Iraq. They live and work out of military bases in austere conditions, enduring heat in excess of 120F in the summer months while routinely traveling in military convoys wearing body armor due to the still volatile security environment. Despite these challenges, PRTs have assisted Iraq's reconstruction in improving essential services (power, water, waste management, roads, bridges, etc.); in establishing clinics, providing equipment and training for health providers; and in building schools, providing teacher training, and equipment to bolster provincial education. PRTs developed and implemented programs for capacity building in the areas of Rule of Law and Governance, utilizing conferences, seminars, and mentoring programs to improve the capacity of the judicial and law enforcement sectors and to bolster the professional competence of elected officials in this nascent democracy. To assist Iraq in becoming more self-sufficient, the PRTs also worked in the areas of economic development instituting projects in agriculture, overseeing provincial investment councils, sponsoring training programs, and providing start-up grants for disadvantaged sectors of society including programs for women, youth, ethnic and religious minorities, and displaced persons.

Mr. Abud made a contribution to the State Department's mission in Iraq through his work in agricultural development, assisting the team with project implementation, execution and follow-up on approximately forty-seven projects with an estimated value of \$2,590,000.00. The first Provincial Reconstruction Team was led by U.S. military civil affairs officers. Over time, the composition and organization of the teams transitioned across the country until, at their peak, there were over 30 teams doing a variety of reconstruction and development projects throughout the provincial areas of Iraq. Gradually, the leadership of the teams transferred to the career diplomats from U.S. Department of State, experts with specialized skills were recruited to fill crucial capacity building roles. By September 2011, the PRT program in Iraq will come to a close, and we are currently downsizing the operations for the final months. Because of the completion of many projects and the need to close PRTs, assignments of even valuable team members like Mr. Abud are not being extended.

Despite working in some of the most challenging of circumstances, to include a continuing threat of violence throughout many of the areas he worked, Mr. Abud's performance was extemporary and the team always knew that they could count on him for attention to detail throughout a project as well as timely and accurate after action reporting. We wish him every success in future endeavors and commend him to your organization. If you have additional questions or require further insight, please feel free to contact me at [lowerytd@state.gov](mailto:lowerytd@state.gov).

Sincerely,

*Timothy Lowery*

PRT-B Taji Team Lead  
Camp Taji, Iraq





DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
HEADQUARTERS, 1<sup>ST</sup> BATTALION, 36<sup>TH</sup> INFANTRY REGIMENT  
1<sup>ST</sup> BRIGADE, 1<sup>ST</sup> ARMORED DIVISION  
HIT, IRAQ  
APO AE 09333-3301

REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

AETV-THN-C

30 January 2007

MEMORANDUM FOR:

SUBJECT: PETITION FOR SPECIAL IMMIGRANT STATUS FOR OSAMA ABDUL KAREEM ABOOD

REF: H.R. 1815: National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2006 Sec.1059 Special Immigrant Status For Persons Serving as Translators with United States Armed Forces

- Osama is an Iraqi national who has been working as a translator with United States and Coalition Forces from the summer of 2005 to present. I am writing this letter to ask for your consideration in writing a letter of recommendation for Special Immigrant Status on behalf of Osama. Your letter will allow Osama to emigrate to the United States.
- Since the summer of 2005, Osama has served side-by-side with Coalition Forces in the Iraqi Theatre of Operations on hundreds of combat patrols and important missions. His service has been invaluable and he has contributed as much to the success of Coalition Forces in the area than some of our best soldiers and officers.
- Osama's specific contributions while serving as a linguist for the Task Force 1-36 here in Hit, Iraq are summarized below:
  - Osama has served as an interpreter for Task Force 1-36 for over a year now. In this capacity Osama has gone on hundreds of combat patrols in this portion of Anbar Province. Osama placed himself in harm's way on each of these patrols through violent Anbar Province and was involved in IED, small arms and indirect fire attacks.
  - Over the course of the year, Osama evolved into far more than an interpreter for his company teams. Company leaders often sought Osama out for his guidance and ability to offer insight into local dynamics. Like any new soldier joining a unit, he gradually earned his company's trust through shared risk. By the end of their time together Osama's company had accepted Osama as one of their own. When it came time to crossload interpreters to other companies due to temporary shortfalls, Osama's companies were fiercely protective of Osama since they realized what an asset he was and did not want to lose him.
  - Osama has consistently been one of the most competent interpreters in the Task Force possessing outstanding written and verbal communication skills. Furthermore, Osama performs extremely well under pressure and in difficult situations "outside the wire." This has made him a tremendous asset for our Task Force.
- Osama is also in danger every time he goes home to visit his family as he is a man with no allies since his status as interpreter for Coalition Forces makes him hated equally by Sunni extremists and Shiite militias. Osama risks his life every day to help us accomplish our mission here in Iraq and has therefore earned the benefits of U.S. citizenship more than even most native born Americans.
- Reference (a) authorizes the Secretary of Homeland Security to confer Special Immigrant Status on Iraqi translators, who have worked with United States Forces for at least 12 months. To be eligible for Special Immigrant Status, a candidate must obtain a written recommendation from a general officer in the chain of command of the unit he has supported.
- Osama meets all of the requirements for immigration as outlines in the reference.

AETV-THN-C  
SUBJECT:

7. Osama is exactly the type of person this legislation is designed to help. Based on his incredible contributions to our Task Force, I respectfully request that you provide Osama with a written letter of recommendation so that he can apply for Special Immigrant Status.

8. Point of contact for this matter is Captain William B. Bardenwerper DNV 3603-377 or email at [william.bardenwerper@us.army.mil](mailto:william.bardenwerper@us.army.mil).

WILLIAM B. BARDENWERPER  
CPT, IN  
Task Force 1-36 S-5

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
1<sup>ST</sup> BATTALION, 111<sup>TH</sup> INFANTRY (STRYKER)  
HEADQUARTERS & HEADQUARTERS COMPANY  
56<sup>TH</sup> STRYKER BRIGADE COMBAT TEAM  
UNIT #6260 CAMP TAJI  
APO AE 09378

FOE-MORTAR PLATOON LEADER

25 August 2009

MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

SUBJECT: Letter of Recommendation for Mr. Osama Abdul Kareem Abood; GLS Badge Number: W-5894; Interpreter Name: "Sam"

- I have personally worked with Mr. Osama Abdul Kareem Abood from 28 January 2009 to 03 September 2009 during my combat tour in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom in the Taji area, outside of Baghdad. Mr. Osama was assigned to the Mortar Platoon as one of our interpreters and I was his direct supervisor. Mr. Osama was responsible for accompanying my platoon on a variety of different mission sets to include daily dismounted patrols, key leader engagements, micro-grant patrols, and QRF missions. He is very dedicated and loyal to the job that he performs on a daily basis. I highly recommend that Mr. Osama be given the opportunity to obtain U.S. citizenship, along with his family. As an interpreter with the Mortar Platoon, Mr. Osama chose to take the risks that are associated with combat operations while we functioned as a maneuver platoon. Mr. Osama also put himself, and his family, at dire risk for retaliation from enemy insurgents.
- Mr. Osama provided my platoon with an edge. He remained calm under pressure and never complained, even when the days were long. His ability to convey our messages was superior. He went out of his way to help explain situations to me in regards to Iraqi culture and customs. This was extremely helpful to me while dealing with Iraqi local nationals on a daily basis. I wholeheartedly feel that I can trust Mr. Osama's work.
- Mr. Osama upholds a high standard. He never let his own personal bias, or opinions, degrade his ability to perform his job. Simply put, Mr. Osama approached the job with extreme professionalism, and it showed.
- Overall, I was very pleased with the level of determination and earnestness shown by Mr. Osama. His superb abilities led to him being chosen by the Company Commander to be the liaison for all interpreters based out of JSS Rowad. Mr. Osama helped my platoon by arranging and teaching Arabic language classes so that we would have an even smoother relationship with our Iraqi Army partners. I would, once again, recommend that Mr. Osama, and his family, be considered for U.S. citizenship. I feel that he does not possess any threat to the national security of the United States and would make a fine American citizen. Any questions, please feel free to contact me at [justin.s.wardman@us.army.mil](mailto:justin.s.wardman@us.army.mil).

JUSTIN S. WARDMAN  
SFC, IN  
Mortar Platoon Leader



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
4<sup>TH</sup> BATTALION, 9<sup>TH</sup> INFANTRY REGIMENT  
4<sup>TH</sup> BRIGADE, 2<sup>ND</sup> INFANTRY DIVISION  
CAMP TAJI, IRAQ  
APO AE 09378



AFZH-SBT-HHC

12 January 2008

MEMORANDUM FOR L3 Communications

SUBJECT: Letter of Recommendation for Sam

- Sam has been my platoon interpreter for four months. During that time we have executed a variety of missions from raids to local governance meetings. Sam's superior ability to translate quickly and effectively has played an integral role in our success as a platoon. Not only has Sam been an excellent interpreter for us, but he has also proven to be physically capable of executing missions requiring walking for extended distances, running, jumping, and extended physical endurance. Working with Sam has been a pleasure. He is easy to get along with, quickly integrated with the platoon, and most importantly, is great at interpreting. I strongly recommend extending Sam's contract and providing him with continued opportunities in which he will excel. If given the opportunity, I would fight to work with Sam again in the future.
- The point of contact for this memorandum is CPT Ian Strand at DSN 773-1025.

IAN R. STRAND  
CPT, IN  
Reconnaissance Platoon Leader





DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
1st Battalion, 14th Infantry (L)  
25th Infantry Division  
Schofield Barracks, Hawaii 96857



APVG-UZA-HHC

16 February 2009

MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

SUBJECT: INTERPRETER RECOMMENDATION LETTER

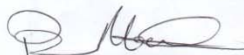
TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Sam has been an interpreter for HHC 1-14<sup>th</sup> IN, from December 2007 until February 2009. Sam served diligently and ably as one of the Mortar Platoon interpreters, assisting the platoon in their engagements of any Iraqis and also the Iraqi Security Forces.

During his time with us he has assisted in numerous amounts of lethal and non-lethal missions, local council meetings, link with the IA Soldiers, and assisting our IST personnel in identifying names during Sons of Iraq (SOI) paydays.

Sam skills have been critical to the companies and platoon's mission of controlling JSS Sheikh Hammad Village and JSS Rowad. His capabilities to translate our words, impressions, and meaning to the Iraqis have contributed, in no small part, to the success of this platoon and also the company.

I offer my strongest recommendation of Sam, and I have no doubt that he will serve admirably for any organization and it's mission.

  
ROGER D. MATHERSON  
SFC,  
HHC 1-14<sup>th</sup> IN BN  
MORTAR PLATOON SERGEANT




DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
HEADQUARTERS  
2<sup>nd</sup> BATTALION, 7<sup>th</sup> INFANTRY REGIMENT  
FOB HIT, AL ANBAR IRAQ

23JUL07

MEMORANDUM FOR RECOMMENDATION

SUBJECT: Recommendation for ABOOD OSAMA ABDUL-KAREEM

1. The purpose of this memorandum is to provide a detailed description of duties while he has worked as a linguist for 2-7IN for the past year.
2. ABOOD OSAMA ABDUL-KAREEM is dedicated and loyal linguist who goes out of his way to follow through with his job. He is always willing to go out on mission whether it be in the middle of the night or in the heat of the day. He is always willing to help other linguists with their duties when they become overloaded with tasks; or if he can offer his reading and writing skills. He is very personable and friendly; and always willing to offer his services when others just want to be lazy. He was a critical part of the 2-7IN Task Force and he will make a great addition to any unit or company.
3. I would recommend him for any linguist position or any job that he is qualified for because of his abilities to take on great responsibilities and his strong loyalty.

  
William C. Murray II  
1LT of ENGINEERS  
2-7IN Task Force Engineer

AETV-THN-C  
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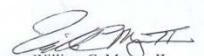
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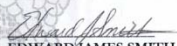
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1LT of ENGINEERS  
2-7IN Task Force Engineer



THE MANCHU CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION  
IS AWARDED TO  
OSAMA ABD EL-KAREEM  
INTERPRETER/TIP LINE OPERATOR

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