# **CURRICULUM VITAE**

#### **General Information**

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#### **Academic Qualifications**

- PhD: Gender Studies, University of Leicester, UK, 2002/2006.
- M.A in Law, University of Jordan, Jordan, 1997/2000.
- B.A in Law, University of Jordan 1993/1997.

#### **Professional Experience:**

#### **First: Administrative Experience**

- Director of The Center for Women's Studies University of Jordan ( Aug 2013-Till now ).
- Head of Research & Consultation Department in Center for Women's Studies at University of Jordan (2011- 2012).
- Head of Academic Department in Center for Women's Studies at University of Jordan (Sep. 2009- Sep till now).
- Head of Academic Department in Center for Women's Studies at University of Jordan (Sep. Feb 2007- Sep 2007).

# **Publications (Books, Researches and Studies)**

- 1. "Fifty Key Concepts in Gender Studies". Published, Translated by Dr Abeer Dababneh, The University of Jordan Press, 2010.
- 2. Jordanian Women's Political Participation: Legislative Status and Structural Challenges, European Journal of Social Sciences. Vol.27, No.2, (2012), pp. 213-221.

- 3. The process of gender mainstreaming into the public and private sectors, Jordanian Journal of Social Sciences, 2011.
- An analysis of gender status on both institutional and legislative levels in public sphere. Abeer Dababneh, Amal Awawdeh and Lubna Adaileh . Jordanian Journal of Law and political science , Mutah University , Vol.2, No.2 , (2012), pp. 139-164, 2011.
- 5. Practical Criteria for the Soundness of the Legislative Drafting Approach Evaluative and Analytic Study , Abeer Bashier Dababneh , Eid Ahmad Al-Husban, European Journal of Social Sciences, vol.21 Issue 4 pp.533-546. EuroJournals Publishing, Inc., 2011 .
- 6. The legislative drafting of the parliament election temporary ,an analytical study 2011.
- 7. The Status of Legislative Drafting in the Jordanian Legal System: ,An Analytic Critical Study ,Dr. Eid Ahmad Al Hosban, Dr. Abeer Bashier Dababneh , Dr. Reem Oklah Abu Dalbouh.
- 8. Dr.Abeer Bashier Dababneh and Maysoon Wael ALAtoom. Gender: Word's HistoryEuropean Journal of Social Sciences, Volume 37 Issue 2.

#### **Reports:**

- Regional report on :national legislation and mechanism in fluency women's economic empowerment . Arab center for research an studies 2012.
- Report on "Review policies and legislation relating to the concepts of small family and family planning", (2010), the Jordanian National Committee for Women's Affairs in collaboration with Higher Population Council.
- Regional report entitled: "Women invested in the Middle East and North Africa" (2007), a regional search, the International Finance Corporation and the Arab Center for Research and Studies.

### **Academic Experiences:**

**First : Associate Professor** in the Center for Women's Studies/Jordan University Master Program :

### **Taught Courses:**

- 1. Women in Law.
- 2. Women and Politics.
- 3. Social Theories from a Gendered Perspective.
- 4. Field Research.

**Second : Associate Professor** in the Faculty of Law /Jordan University:

# **Taught Courses:**

- 1. Political Regimes and Constitutional Law.
- 2. The Jordanian Constitutional Law.
- 3. Democracy and Human Rights.

# Third: Foreign programs.

- **1.** Lecturer on "Gender Issues in The Arab World", Middlebury Program ,2011/2012-Till Now.
- 2. Lecturer on "Women's Movement in Jordan", US Peace Corps Program, 2012.
- 3. Lecturer on "Violence Against Women", School of International Training . Y. Y.
  - **4.** Participated in" Female Law Students' Mentoring Program.
- " The Role of Law Initiative & Arab Women Legal Network January 2010 April 2010 .
  - 5. Participated in "Meeting of Experts", Lebanon 2010.
- 7. Lecturer on "The Feminist Discourse in The Arab World"
  - , 2008 Washigton Semester Program / Contemporary Islam.
  - 8. Lecturer on "Women's Rights in the Personal Status Law

The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, 2008.

#### **Legal Experiences:**

Lawyer and consultant in many legal issues.

### **Committee's Memberships:**

- Member of Board of Trustees, Tadamoon association.
- Member of Jordanian Bar Association.
- Member of Legal Committee to achieve social justice for families of Jordanian women married to non Jordanian / Information and Research Center King Hussein Foundation.
- Member of AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL Organization.
- Member of Jordanian Alliance for the International Criminal Court.
- Member of Legal Team/ Jordanian National Commission for Women.
- Member of the National Team for pay for equal work..
- Member of Anti torturing National Team.
- Member of eliminating Violence Network Against Women (Shamia).
- Member of Gender Committee/ Higher Council for Youth.
- Member of supporting women Network.
- Member of development Commission of Master Program in Leadership Studies / University of Jordan.
- -Member of Development the reality of scientific research, Jordan University.
- Member of Committee for the Humanities science to identify research priorities for the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan / Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research.
  - Member of Women's Studies' Centre Committee.

# Participation in Conferences, Seminars, Workshops & Training Courses First: Conferences

- **1.** Conference on "The Jordanian Constitution in sixty years," Faculty of International Studies at the University of Jordan and the Royal Institute for Religious Studies, 17-18/6/2012.
- **2.** Conference on "Determine a national strategy for the development of the Jordanian legal framework to address women's issues", The National Democratic Institute for International Affairs, December 8, 2011.

- **3.** The national meeting of the Jordanian Women 2011, "Progress of the World's Women 2011-2012 ..... seeking of justice," the Jordanian National Commission for Women's Affairs, 21 November 2011.
- **4.** Regional Conference on Human Rights Research Faculty of Law at the University of Jordan and Raoul Alneberg Institute for Human Rights and Humanitarian Law, 9-10 October 2011.
- **5.** The 5<sup>th</sup> conference of scientific research in Jordan, Jordanian Association for Scientific Research, presented a paper entitled:"Women and Leadership: Opportunities and Challenges", 19 October 2011.
- **6.** Participation at a conference entitled : Why is there no Happiness in the East ? The Making of European Gender Studies " .
  - A Conference at the Gender Department and the Center for Baltic and East European Studies ,Soderton University , Stockholm – Sweden , 8-10 Sep 2011.
- **8.** Participation at a conference entitled: Linking Civil Society and Academia: The Relevance of Women Studies ", Konrad Adenauer Stifung / Amman, July 2011.
- **9.** Fifth National Cultural Conference: "Women in the national culture, the University of Jordan, presented a paper entitled:" Women in the Jordanian national legislation", 13 16 April 2009.
- 10. The participation at a conference under the title "Inauguration of the MA in Human Rights and Human Development Conference ", RWI & University of Jordan, paper on "Women and Human Rights in The Arab World ", 10 Dec 2007.

#### **Second: Seminars**

- 1. Seminar on: "Personal and National identity and their role in the process of reform and modernization in Jordan,", 28 October 2011.
- 2. A seminar on "Right for life within the Arab Spring: organization of Penal Reform International, Amman Jordan, 8 December 2011.

- 3. Participation in a seminar on: "Temporary Law of Social Security 2010," Legal Network for Arab women, Amman Jordan, May 24, 2010.
- 4. Participation in National Seminar on: "Media and women's issues," the Women's Committee on the Jordanian Press Association and the Jordanian National Commission for Women's Affairs, April 29, 2010.
- 5. Participation in a seminar on: "National legislation and observance of gender", Irbid National University, March 28, 2010.
- 6. Participation in a seminar on: "Feminist Theory", the Arab book program, U.S. Embassy, March 16, 2010.

# **Third: Workshops and Training Courses**

- **1.** Training Course on: "Design study plans," "Design teaching and strategies", University of Jordan, 26 August 2012 to 17 September 2012.
- 2. Workshop on project of pay for equal work, the Jordanian National Commission for Women's Affairs in collaboration with the Ministry of Labour and the International Labour Organization, 29-30 June 2012.
- **3.** Workshop on: "Interactive teaching for professors of human rights", USAID, 'Y'. Y'.
- **4.** Workshop on: "Youth participation in political life, and ways to encourage women to engage in political activity," the Jordanian National Commission for Women's Affairs in collaboration with the Danish Women's Council, 5-8 February 2012.
  - **5.** The participation in the workshop of: Equality Comes First: The Rights of Women and the Establishment of Democracy, The Association for Women's Solidarity of Jordan and the Arab women association, 5 December 2011.
  - **6.** A training course entitled: "observe trials: a fair trial sensitive to gender", the Legal Network for Arab women, 22-23 October 2011.
  - **7.** A training course entitled: "Strengthening the rights and protection of migrant workers in Jordan," the Justice Center for Human Rights, 18 October 2011.
  - **8.** A training course entitled: Human Rights Curriculam Development "RWI" Lund Sweden '14-18 Feb 2011.

- **9.** Participation in the workshop on: "International Criminal Court", Amnesty International and the National Centre for Human Rights, Amman Jordan, 11 December 2010.
- 10. Participation in the workshop on "Monitoring and evaluation from a gender perspective, the Jordanian National Commission for Women's Affairs 17-18 May 2010.
- 11. The participation in the training program on: "The fundamentals of development and community mobilization for trainers or workers in the field of community service," the Jordanian Women's Union, 9 May 2010.
- **12.** Training Course on: "Giving judges and lawyers knowledge about the application of human rights conventions infront of the Jordanian judiciary," the Arab Fund for Human Rights, April 15, 2010.
- **13.** Participation in specialized training program on: "The good basis for legislative drafting," Legal Network for Arab women, 3-5 October 2009.
- **14.** Participation in the workshop on: "Towards a healthy relationship between religion and state .... Jordan model," the Jerusalem Center for Studies, Amman Jordan, 31 October 2009.

Training Course on "Engendering the Public Sphere ', "Jordanian National Commission for Women 2008, Amman, Jordan.

**15.** Participation in the National Workshop on: "Preparation of women leaders in the Higher Youth Council," Jordan University / Center for Women's Studies in cooperation with the Higher Youth Council, 11-23 November 2006.