

Curriculum Vitae

Personal Information



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Academic Employment and Teaching Experience

Sep 2022 – Present	Associate Professor / School of Law - The University of Jordan
May 2016 – Sep 2022	Assistant Professor / School of Law - The University of Jordan
Sep 2021 – Oct 2022	Head of Public Law Department / School of Law - The University of Jordan
Sep 2018 – Sep 2019	Assistant Dean for Development and Quality Affairs / School of Law - The University of Jordan
Sep 2017 – Sep 2018	Assistant Dean / School of Law - The University of Jordan
Mar 2016 – May 2016	Lecturer/ School of Law - The University of Jordan
Jan-Mar 2014 / Jan-Mar 2015 / Jan-Mar 2016	Member of a Teaching Team (Comparative Criminal Justice module for law master's students) / Brunel Law School - Brunel University London
Mar 2010 - Feb 2012	Teaching Assistant / School of Law - The University of Jordan

Other Employment

Apr 2014 - Mar 2016	Student Ambassador / Brunel University London Enabling students to integrate into Brunel life successfully; helping to organise various activities for international students.
Feb 2009 - Mar 2010	Legal Researcher / Ministry of Justice, Jordan Looking for the necessary information needed to provide a solution to a legal problem; carrying out all the necessary research to find and interpret legal issues; and providing summaries of a particular area of the law.
Sep 2006 - Jan 2009	Trainee Lawyer / Law Firms, Jordan Following up on lawsuits and legal procedures.

Education

Mar 2012 – Jan 2016	PhD / Brunel University London, UK Awarded with no corrections; examined by Professor William Schabas (the external examiner) and Professor Ilias Bantekas (the internal examiner). Thesis: An Analysis of the Crime of Trafficking in Persons under International Law with a Special Focus on Jordanian Legislation. First supervisor: Dr. Gerard Conway / Second supervisor: Prof. Manisuli Ssenyonjo.
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- 2006 - 2009** **LL.M/ The University of Jordan, Amman**
(Master of Laws) / Merit / (Ranked first in the final comprehensive exam).
Relevant Modules: Criminal Law, Public International Law, Private International Law, Civil Law, the Law of Civil Procedures.
- 2002 - 2006** **LL.B / The University of Jordan, Amman**
(Bachelor of Laws) / Merit / Relevant Modules: Criminal Law, Law of Criminal Procedures, Public International Law, Human Rights, International Humanitarian Law.

Publications

- Jun 2023** **Crimes of Electronic Defamation, Libel, and Slander under Jordanian Cybercrimes Law**
Journal of International Review of Law (IRL)
Volume 12, Issue 1
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.29117/irl.2023.0260>
- Dec 2022** **The Criminal Confrontation of Spreading False News on Social Media in the Jordanian Legislation: A Comparative Study**
Kuwait International Law School Journal (KILAW)
Volume 10
(First Author)
- Sep 2022** **E-Legal Education: Reality and Future**
Kuwait International Law School Journal (KILAW)
Volume 10, Issue 4
(Co-Author)
- Oct 2020** **Trafficked Refugees: The Jordanian Efforts to Address this Issue**
Arab Law Quarterly
Publisher: Brill
DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1163/15730255-BJA10016>
- Jun 2020** **Legal Regulation of Alternative Sanctions: The Jordanian Experience**
Dirasat: Shari'a and Law Sciences
Volume 47, No 2, June 2020
P-ISSN: 1026-3748
E-ISSN: 2663-6239
- Jun 2020** **The Amendments of the Jordanian Penal Code: An Analytical and Critical Perspective**
Dirasat: Shari'a and Law Sciences
Volume 47, No 2, June 2020
P-ISSN: 1026-3748
E-ISSN: 2663-6239
- Apr 2020** **The Role of Means of Modern Technology in the Criminal Procedures in Jordan with a Special Focus on Electronic Trial**
Journal of Law, Policy and Globalization
ISSN 2224-3240 (Paper) ISSN 2224-3259 (Online)
Vol.96, 2020
- Jan 2020** **Legal Aid in the Criminal Matters in Jordan**
Journal of Law, Policy and Globalization
ISSN 2224-3240 (Paper) ISSN 2224-3259 (Online)
Vol.93, 2020

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Theses Supervision

Academic Years 2021-2023	The Criminal Confrontation of Trafficking in Persons' Crime in the Jordanian Legislation / (LL.M Thesis).
Academic Year 2021-2022	Alternatives to Detention in the Jordanian Law of Criminal Procedures, as amended (No 9 of 1961) / (LL.M Thesis).
Academic Year 2021-2022	The Criminal Confrontation of Money Laundering in the Jordanian Legislation / (LL.M Thesis).
Academic Year 2020-2021	Studying the Effectiveness of Legal Efforts in Jordan in Combating Corruption with a Focus on the Integrity and Anti-Corruption Law, as amended (No 13 of 2016) / (LL.M Thesis).

Presenting and Participating in Conferences and Workshops

14 Jun 2023	Amman - Jordan Participating at “Mechanisms for Implementing International Humanitarian Law at the National Level’s Workshop” organised by the National Committee for International Humanitarian Law and the Directorate of Public Security, and presenting a paper entitled “Introduction to the Rome Statute (The International Criminal Court) and the Legal Implications of its Ratification by the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan”.
1 Sep 2022	Amman - Jordan Participating at “International Humanitarian Law between Theory and Practice’s Workshop” organised by the National Committee for International Humanitarian Law and the Jordanian Bar Association, and presenting a paper entitled “The Development of International Criminal Judiciary (The International Criminal Court)”.
17-20 Jun 2019	Prague - Czech Republic Participating at the IISES International Academic Conference and presenting a paper entitled ‘Trafficking in Persons as a Transnational Organised Crime: The Jordanian Efforts to Address this Crime’.
6-10 Jan 2019	Bangkok - Thailand Participating at the ‘TIJ-IGLP Workshop on the Rule of Law and Policy’ organised by the Institute for Global Law and Policy (IGLP) at Harvard Law School and the Thailand Institute of Justice (TIJ).
12-15 Aug 2018	Jena - Germany Participating at an Academic Conference entitled ‘Reconciliation in the Middle East & North Africa: An Interdisciplinary Research’ in Jena Center for Reconciliation Studies (JCRS) at Friedrich Schiller University (Jena - Germany) and presenting a paper entitled ‘Legal Issues Regarding the Global Refugee Crisis: The Example of Jordan’.
16-20 Jul 2018	Ankara - Turkey Participating at the Second Annual Meeting and International Conference of the Consortium for Political Theory (CRIPT) at Hacettepe University (Ankara-Turkey) and presenting a paper entitled ‘Refugee Crisis and the Legal Response’.
25-28 Jun 2018	Stockholm - Sweden Participating at the 40th International Academic Conference and presenting a paper entitled ‘Islamic Criminal Law as an Effective Tool in Addressing Trafficking in Persons’.

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22-23 Apr 2018

Amman - Jordan

Chairing a session at the First Annual Middle East Conference on the Rule of Law and Religion: The Amman Message in a Changing World entitled 'The Amman Message and Responding to Violent Extremism'. Additionally, being a member of the Administrative Committee of the Conference.

21-22 Oct 2017

Barcelona - Spain

Participating at the International Conference on Multidisciplinary Perspectives in Social Sciences & Humanities Research (MPSHR) and presenting a paper entitled 'Trafficking in Persons under the International Criminal Court Jurisdiction'.

22-26 May 2017

Ankara - Turkey

Participating at the Annual Meeting and International Conference of the Consortium for Political Theory (CRIP) at Hacettepe University (Ankara-Turkey) and presenting a paper entitled 'The Global Refugee Crisis and its Impact on Trafficking in Persons in Jordan'.

Activities

Jun 2023

Participating as a Judge in the International Criminal Court Moot Court Competition (The Hague, The Netherlands).

May 2022

Participating as a Judge in the International Criminal Court Moot Court Competition (Online).

Mar 2022

Participating as a Judge in the Global Rounds of the 2022 Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition (Online).

Dec 2021

Participating as a Judge in a Moot Court Competition regarding a fictional trial of domestic violence, organized by Arab Women's Legal Network, held at the Jordanian Judicial Institute (Amman, Jordan).

Jun 2021

Participating as a Judge in the International Criminal Court Moot Court Competition (Online).

Mar-Apr 2021

Participating as a Judge in the Global Rounds of the 2021 Philip C. Jessup International Law Moot Court Competition, the world's largest moot court competition, with participants from roughly 700 law schools in 100 countries and jurisdictions '13 March - 18 April 2021 (Online)'.

Nov 2020

Participating as a Judge in a Moot Court Competition for law students in Jordanian Universities in a fictional trial regarding the Integrity and Anti-Corruption Law, organized by Rasheed (Transparency International-Jordan), held at the Jordanian Judicial Institute (Amman, Jordan).

Jun 2019

Participating as a Judge in the International Criminal Court Moot Court Competition (The Hague, The Netherlands).

Nov 2017 - Jun 2018

Coaching a Team of Students from the University of Jordan to participate in the International Criminal Court Moot Court Competition '27 May - 1 June 2018' (The Hague, The Netherlands).

Oct 2017 - May 2018

Running the Moot Court Club in the School of Law / The University of Jordan (Amman, Jordan).

Oct 2016 - May 2017

Coaching a Team of Students from the University of Jordan to participate in the International Criminal Court Moot Court Competition '15-19 May 2017' (The Hague, The Netherlands).

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Nov 2014 Acting as a Member of the Jury in a Fictional Criminal Trial at Brunel Law School / Brunel University London (London, UK).

Fellowship

2015 - Present Associate Fellow – The British Higher Education Academy (UK).

Memberships

2018 - Present A Founding Member of the Academic Alliance for Reconciliation Studies in the Middle East and Northern Africa at Jena Center for Reconciliation Studies (JCRS)/ Friedrich-Schiller-Universität Jena (Germany).

2015 - Present A Member of the International Bar Association ‘IBA’ (UK).

2006 - Present A Member of the Jordanian Bar Association (Jordan).

Committee Work

Academic Year 2022-2023 Chair of the E-Learning Affairs Committee, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

Academic Year 2022-2023 Chair of the Investigation Committee for Students’ Violations, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

Academic Year 2022-2023 Member of the Committee of the University Proficiency Exam in the Public Law Department, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

Academic Year 2022-2023 Member of the Strategic Plan Committee, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

Academic Year 2022-2023 Member of the Curriculum Development Committee, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

Academic Year 2021-2022 Chair of the E-Learning Affairs Committee, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

Academic Year 2021-2022 Chair of the Committee of the University Proficiency Exam in the Public Law Department, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

Academic Year 2021-2022 Member of the School Council, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

Academic Year 2021-2022 Member of the Graduate Studies Committee, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

Academic Year 2021-2022 Member of the Development and Quality Assurance Committee, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

Academic Year 2021-2022 Member of the Investigation Committee for Students’ Violations, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

Academic Year 2021-2022 Member of the Curriculum Development Committee, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

Academic Year 2021-2022 Member of the Strategic Plan Committee, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

Academic Year 2020-2021 Member of the Development and Quality Assurance Committee, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

Academic Year 2020-2021 Member of the Investigation Committee for Students’ Violations, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

Academic Year 2019-2020 Member of the Legal Forum Committee, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

Academic Year 2019-2020 Member of the Development and Quality Assurance Committee, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

Academic Year 2018-2019 Member of the Student Training Committee, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

Academic Year 2018-2019 Member of the Curriculum Development Committee, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

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Academic Year 2018-2019	Member of the Alumni Communication Committee, School of Law - The University of Jordan.
Academic Year 2017-2018	Chair of the Investigation Committee for Students' Violations, School of Law - The University of Jordan.
Academic Year 2017-2018	Member of the Supreme Election Committee, School of Law - The University of Jordan.
Academic Year 2017-2018	Member of the Preparatory Commission of the Conference of the Rule of Law and Religion, School of Law - The University of Jordan.
Academic Year 2017-2018	Member of the Moot Court Programme Committee, School of Law - The University of Jordan.
Academic Year 2016-2017	Member of the Election Committee, School of Law - The University of Jordan.
Academic Year 2016-2017	Member of the Social Committee, School of Law - The University of Jordan.

Awards

Apr 2015	The Hodge, Jones and Allen Award The Hodge, Jones and Allen Award for the best presentation at the 5th Annual Research Students' Conference (Brunel Law School - Brunel University London).
Aug 2012	Brunel University London Student Excellence and Participation in Extra-Curricular Activities (Brunel University London).

Scholarship

Mar 2012- Feb 2016	Sponsored PhD Student I have obtained a scholarship from the University of Jordan to pursue my PhD degree in Criminal Law (Trafficking in Persons) at Brunel University London.
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Certifications

May 2016	Public Speaking & Leadership - Brunel University London.
Jun 2015	Graduate Learning and Teaching Programme (GLTP) - Brunel University London.

Study Visit

Apr 2014	The International Criminal Court Visit (The Hague, The Netherlands). Attending the hearing at the <i>William Samoei Ruto</i> and <i>Joshua Arap Sang</i> trial at the International Criminal Court (ICC) in The Hague, the Netherlands. This Visit was organised by Brunel Law School - Brunel University London.
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Research Interests

Criminal Law, Trafficking in Persons (Human Trafficking), International Criminal Law, Islamic Criminal Law, Criminal Justice System, the International Criminal Court (ICC), Crimes against Humanity, Transnational Criminal Law, Refugee Law, Human Rights, Jordanian Legislation, and Jordanian Criminal Justice System.

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Languages

Arabic: Native speaker
English: Fluent
French: Basic

Computer Skills

- Online Teaching (Excellent online teaching skills using: Microsoft Teams, Moodle, Zoom, and other platforms).

- ICDL (International Computer Driving License).

Referees

Available upon request.