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Profile

Architect and researcher with 8+ years of full time teaching and part experience in design & real estates. Proven ability in consultation, planning, teaching, researching & designing all kind of projects. My research interests revolves around the visual intersection of architecture with urban design as well as the design of systems architecture. Strong communication and persuasion skills, with a track record of scientifically & successfully convincing clients, investors and students.

Skills:

- Scientific Architect & Researcher
- Architecture & RealEstates Consultation
- Thinks Scientifically, Strategically & Analytically
- Thinking, Convincing and Act
- Multi-Tasking
- Supervisioning
- Teaching
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Work Experience

Assistant Professor | Full Time (10/2023 – Now)

Amman Arab University - College of Architecture

Amman - Jordan

- Ability to conduct independent research and publish in reputable journals and conferences
- Responsible of organizing workshop and events
- Ability to provide academic advising for students
- Knowledge of academic program, syllabus planning and implementation
- High Quality Experience in teaching and dealing with department students
- Ability to work effectively with diverse team members

Architecture Researcher | Full Time (04/2022 – 09/2023)

Join Visions - Architectural Research Office

Amman - Jordan

- Conduct up-to-date research on recent architectural gaps that can aid architects to produce more efficient forms of architecture.
- Develop and test new architectural standards and technologies that are inspired by the existing international standards; Leed, EDGE, BREEM, & WELL.

Work with a team of architects, engineers, and scientists to design and build experimental structures or prototypes.

- Collaborate with other researchers to publish findings in peer-reviewed journals and present at conferences.
- Write grant proposals to secure funding for research projects.

Real Estate Sales Consultant + Architect | Evening Full Time (04/2015-08/2019) - Part Time (08/2019-08/2022) Koli Insaat LTD.

Kyrenia, KKTC - N.Cyprus

- Assisting clients to make property-purchasing/building decisions.
- Suggest high quality plans & projects for investors.
- Conceptualizing, supervising and following the building design process while respecting all other design parameters since the very early stages, starting from the sketches.
- Engaged with clients to determine needs and requirements for custom homes.
- Convince clients for the well suited and desired property selections.

Assistant Doctor | Morning Full Time (10/2015 – 08/2019)

Girne American University

Kyrenia, KKTC - N.Cyprus

- Ability to communicate effectively, both orally and in writing
- Evaluated and revised lesson plan and course content to achieve student-centred learning
- Used variety of learning modalities and support materials to facilitate learning process and accentuate presentations.
- Created and designed quizzes, tests and projects to assess student knowledge.
- Familiarity with the "Credit Hour" academic system

Education

PhD in Architecture Urban Design Aesthetics & Psychology - Grade: First-Class Honours - 3.72 | (01/2017 – 01/2022) Girne American University
Kyrenia, KKTC - N.Cyprus

Thesis Title :

Exploring the Pseudoscientific Neuro-aesthetic Experience of streetscape Aesthetics in the Context of Amman City Centres

Master of Architecture - GPA: Distinction - 3.12 | (01/2015 – 01/2017)

Girne American University
Kyrenia, KKTC - N.Cyprus

Thesis Title & Project :

Gestalt & Design: the Architecture of Camouflage.

Bachelor of Architecture - GPA: Merit | (10/2009 – 01/2015)

Alahliyya Amman University
Alsalt, Jordan

Thesis Title & Project :

Residential Care Facility for the Elderly

Accomplishments

- **Paper publication:** in the Turkish Journal of Physiotherapy and Rehabilitation; 32(3) ISSN 2651-4451 | e-ISSN 2651-446X "Presenting the Pseudoscientific Neuro-aesthetic Model as an Analytical Framework of City Centers' Streetscape Architecture". Date: February 2022 (Publication)
- **Workshop Tutor & Conference Participant:** in The International summer school "ENRICO GUIDONI" City and Territory: Archaeology and Architecture. Workshop: Architectural Design proposal around the archaeological site of Anio Novus's ruins. Presented and Published a paper in the workshop conference entitled by "The camouflage of architecture in archaeological sites" searchable on Google books (Summer School Tutor + Presenter + Publication). Location: Castel Madama Rome, Italy. Date: 2-11 September 2016
- **Workshop Tutor:** in the Eastern Mediterranean University (EMU) Experiencing Nicosia" Borders, Conflict and/or Potential Design Proposal: Urban designing of a Checkpoint within the current world. Location: Famagusta, Cyprus. Date: 28-31 October 2015.
- **Conference Proceeding:** DAKAM ArchDesign'15; ". Published and presented a paper "Glocalization: the case of Mecca Built-environment" Location Istanbul, Turkey. Date: January, 2022.
- **Paper Publication:** in the International Journal of Mechanical Engineering; 7(1) ISSN 0974-5823 "Presenting the Pseudoscientific Neuroaesthetic Model as an Analytical Framework of City Centers' Streetscape Architecture". Date: January, 2022 .
- **Paper Publication:** A paper in the 1st international conference on contemporary affairs in architecture and urbanism (www.ICCAUA.com) Presented a Paper "Gestalt & Design: The Architecture of Camouflage" Location: Kyrenia, Cyprus. Date: 9th -10th May 2018.

References

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