BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES

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OVERVIEW

Dr. Shami is a formal Ambassador and Associate Professor with 40 years of experience in Higher Education, Diplomacy, International Relations and Business Management. Shami developed extensive experience in public sector strategy formulation and execution related to projects in diplomacy, education and mass-communication.

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EDUCATION:

- Doctor of Business Education (1985)

University of Houston, Houston Texas, USA

Major: Business Education Minor: Higher Education Minor: Political Science

DISSERTATION: Model Undergraduate Business Administration Program applicable to Higher Academic

Institutions in the West Bank

- Master of Business Administration in Aviation (1981) Embry Riddle A. University, Daytona Beach, Florida, USA
- Bachelor of Arts (1978)
 Birzeit University, Palestine
 Majors: Business Administration

Economics

- Associate in Arts (1975) Mount Olive College, Mount Olive, North Carolina, USA

WORK HISTORY: Ambassador of Palestine to the following countries:

- Diplomatic Mission of Palestine, Denmark 2015-2020
- Diplomatic Mission of Palestine, Norway 2013-2015
- Diplomatic Mission of Palestine, Denmark 2015-2020
- Non-resident Ambassador Extraordinary and plenipotentiary of the State of Palestine to the Republic of Iceland 2013-2016
- Diplomatic Mission of Palestine, Portugal 20110-2013

Ministry of Foreign Affaires 2007 – 2010

Ambassador, in charge of:

- Multilateral Relations Sector
- Inspector General
- Diplomatic Training

Council of Ministers

July 2005 - June 2007, Assistant Deputy Prime Minister,

Ministry of Foreign Affaires 2003 – 2005

Director General, North America Department

Palestine Weekly Newspaper

Director General, Chief Editor August 2002 - December 2003

An-Najah National University, Nablus, Palestine

September 1981- June 2003

- Associate Professor of Strategic Management
- Chairman of Business Administration Department
- Director of MBA Program

Independent Business Consultant

January 1996 - December 2003

Ministry of Higher Education, Ramallah, Palestine

Director General – Accreditation, Licensing and Assessment Department

June 1996 – March 1998

Wurzburg University, Wurzburg, Germany

1992. Visiting Professor

Arab Thought Forum, Jerusalem

February 1991 - July1995 Research and Program Development Director

RESEARCH & PUBLICATIONS:

'A Model Diplomatic Institute Applicable to Diplomats' Education and Training in Palestine" presented at Education and Training in Public Administration: IASIA-MENAPAR Joint Conference held in Ramallah, Palestine 3-7 July 2017

Wage Systems In Palestine (2003) An-Najah Journal

Child Labor in Palestine (2003) An-Najah Journal

Educational Administration and Issues in West Bank (summer 1989) Academic Affairs, Jerusalem.

Strategic plan for Higher Education in Palestine (1998)

A Socio-Economic Assessment: Impact of Working Woman Development in (1996) Friedrich Ebert Stiftung.

Role of Research in Development (1995), Arab Thought Forum.

Palestinian Population and Labor Force Projection (1995), Arab Thought Forum.

Need Assessment in Industrial Organization (1994), Shu'un Tanmawiyeh, Vol. 4, No. 2.

Environmental factors Affecting Labor Relations in the Palestinian Institutions, (1994) An-Najah Journal of Research (Humanities) Vol. I 1, No. 8.

Book Review: Infrastructure and Health Service in the West Bank: Guidelines for Health Care Planning (1994) Shu'un Tanmawiyeh, Vol. 4, No. 1.

Business Education in Palestinian Universities (1993) An-Najah Journal of Research, Vol. II, No. 7

Management Development: Priorities and Needs, paper Presented at the First Palestinian Economic Conference, Held Dec. 28-29, 1993, Jerusalem.

A Critical Review of Agricultural Studies (1993) Shu'un Tanmawiyeh, Vol. 3, No. 1,2.

Book Review: Planning the State of Palestine: Suggested Guidelines for Comprehensive Development. (1993) Shu'un Tanmawiyeh, Vol. 3, No. 2.

Present Situation and Future Prospects of Palestinian Agriculture (1992) Jerusalem-. Society for Austro-Relations.

Critical Review of Core Studies on Palestinian Agricultural Sector within the Socioeconomic Development: Featuring Achievements and Failures (1992) Jerusalem: Society for Austro-Relations.

Regional Economic Cooperation (1992), Conference on Regional Economic Cooperation, Jerusalem, June 4th.

Educational Leadership and the Importance of Determining Its Goals (1992) Workshop on Educational Leadership, Ramallah West Bank.

Economic Evaluation for Hard Automation Networks (1992) Higher Council of Sciences, Damascus, October 5th.

Higher Education in the West Bank: History, Structure and Implications (July 1991) BRISMES Proceedings of the International Conference on Middle Eastern Studies, London.

Labor Relations in Palestinian Industrial Organizations (August 1990) Issues, Jerusalem.

Strategy for Occupational Safety in the West Bank (December 1989) International Conference on Personnel and Human Resource Management, Hong Kong

SUPERVISION OF ACADEMIC RESEARCH:

Committee Member-Master's Thesis (1993). Title of the Thesis: The Design and Evaluation of A Model Continuing Education Program at An-Najah University in the West Bank. College of Education, University of Houston.

Committee Member- Doctor of Education Dissertation (1994). Title of Dissertation: Alternative Education Under the Palestinian Intifada: A Case Study, University of Houston.

Supervised and administered the graduation projects and comprehensive examination of MBA students at An-Najah national University, Palestine. (1995-2007)

Supervisor- Master Thesis (2001-2010) An-Najah National University Al-Quds University

MEMBERSHIP:

Served on the Editorial Board of the Following Magazines

Shu'un Academia "Academic Affairs", Jerusalem

Qadaya "Issues", Jerusalem

An-Najah Journal of Research, Nablus

Shu'un Tanmawiyeh "Development Affairs", Jerusalem

American Academy of Management, Ohio

Salzburg Seminars, Austria

Palestinian Economists Association, Jerusalem

British Society of Middle East Studies, London

Arab Thought Forum, Jerusalem.