

# SAMI MOHAMMAD AHMAD AL-ZA'AREER

## Short Resume:

### Personal Information

- ➡ Name: Mr. Sami Mohammad Ahmad Al-Za'areer
- ➡ Nationality: Jordanian
- ➡ Position: Chairman of English Department

### Qualifications, Skills, and Experience

- ➡ 2005-2007: MA in Applied Linguistics. Jordan University of Science & Technology, Jordan
- ➡ 2000-2004: BA in English for Specific Purposes. Jordan University of Science & Technology, Jordan
- ➡ Excellent Proficiency in all English Language Skills in terms of reading, writing, listening and speaking
- ➡ High competence and performance in translation and interpretation
- ➡ Excellent computer skills ( received the ICDL since 2005)
- ➡ High competence and performance in the E-Learning Black Board system
- ➡ 30-8-2012 –Present: Head of English Department, Majmaah University
- ➡ 15-9-2010 to 2012: Lecturer, King Khalid University
- ➡ 1-2-2009 to 1-9-2010: Lecturer, the University of Jordan ( A part - timer)
- ➡ 1-9-2008 to 1-9-2010: ESL Instructor, Philadelphia University, Jordan

### Duties:

- Teaching University General Courses
- An active member in the Exam Committee
- Uploading Online Exams on the University Portal for one semester
- ➡ 1-1-2010 to 10-9-2010: ESL Instructor (A Part-timer), the University of Jordan
- ➡ 6-2009 to 9-2009: A TOEFL IBT Trainer for academic staff and instructors, Al Balqa'a Applied University
- ➡ 25th/8/2004 to 12th/8/2008: An English Teacher, Ministry of Education, Jordan
- ➡ Taught in several training centers as an ESL instructor
- ➡ Examination Committee Member for years
- ➡ Examination and Course Coordinator for years
- ➡ Timetable committee for three years

### ❖ Voluntary Activities:

- ➡ Joined the Peace Corps as a translator accompanying US volunteers (Peace Corps is an NGO specialized in sending American volunteers to schools in order to improve students' academic level)
- ➡ Joined the UNESCO- attending meetings held by the Minister of Education and United Nations specialized teams. This, in turn, enabled me to get more experience in the field of teaching and learning.

<b>Academic Degrees:</b>				
<b>Degree</b>	<b>Major</b>	<b>University</b>	<b>Year of Graduation</b>	<b>Country</b>
<b>MA</b>	<b>Applied Linguistics</b>	<b>Jordan University of Science and Technology</b>	<b>2006</b>	<b>Jordan</b>
<b>BA</b>	<b>English for Specific Purposes</b>	<b>Jordan University of Science and Technology</b>	<b>2004</b>	<b>Jordan</b>
<b>Publications</b>				
<b>Publication Title</b>		<b>Name of Journal</b>	<b>Date of Publication</b>	<b>Link</b>
<b>Creative Writing</b>		<b>Not published yet</b>		
<b>Administrative Designations, Committees and Units</b>				
<b>College Units &amp; Committees</b>		<b>Designation (head, coordinator, member)</b>	<b>Department Units &amp; Committees</b>	<b>Designation (head, coordinator, member)</b>
<b>Examination Committee</b>		<b>Member</b>	<b>Examination Committee</b>	<b>Head</b>
<b>Study Plans</b>		<b>Member</b>	<b>Study Plans</b>	<b>Head</b>
<b>Timetables</b>		<b>Member</b>	<b>Timetables</b>	<b>Head</b>
			<b>Academic Guidance</b>	<b>Head</b>
			<b>Students' Cases</b>	<b>Head</b>
<b>Administrative Designations</b>				
<b>Administrative Designation</b>			<b>Period of Time</b>	
<b>Chairman of English Department</b>			<b>2/2/1434 H- now</b>	
<b>Courses (Current Semester)</b>				
<b>Course Code &amp; Number</b>		<b>Course Name</b>	<b>Actual Hours</b>	<b>Credit Hours</b>
<b>ENG 315</b>		<b>Morphology</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>Administrative &amp; Academic Experience (Former Administrative &amp; Academic Designations)</b>				

Former Administrative Designations		Period of Time	
Member of Online Exams Committee, Philadelphia University, Jordan		2008-2010	
Coordinator of Timetables’ Committee, Philadelphia University, Jordan		2008-2010	
Member of E-learning Unit – King Khalid University		2010-2011	
Academic Ranks		Period of Time	
Lecturer		7 years	
Training Courses			
Name	Course Type	Institution	Date
ICDL	Theoretical and Practical	Ministry of Education – Jordan	2006
Translation of Medical Terminology	Practical	King Abdullah II University Hospital, Jordan	2004
Management of Projects	Theoretical	American Peace Corps	2006
Twinning of Education at Government Schools	Theoretical	Ministry of Education – Jordan	2006
Improving and Developing Curricula	Theoretical and Practical	Ministry of Education – Jordan	2007
The Use of Technology in Education (delivered by a team from Oxford)	Theoretical and Practical	Philadelphia University, Jordan	2008
New Methods of Teaching and Learning	Theoretical	King Khalid University, Abha	2010
Using Technological Tools for Computer-Based Exams	Theoretical	King Khalid University, Abha	2010
New Educational Strategies for Teaching and Learning	Theoretical	King Khalid University, Abha	2010
The Use of E-Learning (Blackboard System)	Theoretical	King Khalid University, Abha	2010

<b>Instructional Design and Exams</b> <b>Diagnosis- Link of the workshop:</b> <a href="http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NmLeFpyhK50">http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NmLeFpyhK50</a>	<b>Theoretical</b>	<b>King Khalid</b> <b>University,</b> <b>Abha</b>	<b>2011</b>
<b>Faculty Members Activities</b>			
<b>Activity</b>		<b>Link</b>	

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<b>Day:</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Hour:</b>	<b>8-12</b>
<b>Academic Advisory</b>			
<b>Day:</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Hour:</b>	<b>8-10</b>
<b>Day:</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Hour:</b>	<b>8-10</b>
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<b>Blogs</b>			