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EDUCATION:

Post-Doctoral Fellow The Johns Hopkins University, USA; Sept. 93- Sept. 94.

Ph.D. in Economics University of New Hampshire, Durham, New Hampshire, USA;
Dec. 1988.
Dissertation: Economic Independence: Concepts and Strategies, A Theoretical Investigation and An Empirical Case Study.

M.A. in Economics University of New Hampshire, Durham, New Hampshire, USA;
Dec. 1983.

B. A. in Economics Kuwait University, Kuwait; Jan. 1981.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

May 2017-2019 **Department of Economics Chairperson, Kuwait University.**
Member of the College Council, the College of Business Administration, Kuwait University

June 2013- 2016 **Member of the Executive Board** of Box Hill College Kuwait

Sept. 2000- 2005 **Department of Economics Chairperson,** Kuwait University

May 2001- 2004 **Member of the Executive Board** of the Kuwaiti Fund for Arab Economic Development.

- Sept. 2000-2005** **Member of the College Council**, the College of Business Administration, Kuwait University
- Sept. 2001-2004** **Member of the Executive Committee** of the WTO Unit, Center of Excellence, College of Business Administration, Kuwait University.
- 1998 - 2005** **Coordinator** of the College of Business Administration Working Paper Series, Kuwait University.
- 1988 – Present** **Served as a member of several Committees at both the Departmental and College levels**, such as the recruitment committee, the scholarships committee, the budget and planning committee, the library committee, etc.

Served as a referee for several local and regional academic journals.

ACADEMIC POSITIONS:

- Dec 2000 – present** **Associate Professor**, Department of Economics, Kuwait University
- Dec. 88 -Nov. 2000** **Assistant Professor, Department** of Economics, Kuwait University, Kuwait.
- Feb. 92-Aug. 92** **Researcher and Instructor**, The Arab Planning Institute (API), Kuwait.
- Jun. 87-Jun. 88** **Research and Teaching Assistant**, University of New Hampshire, Durham, New Hampshire.

RESEARCH INTEREST:

Interdisciplinary research in the areas of Socio-economic Development and Well-being, Population and Ecological Economics, and Economic Methodology.

COURSES TAUGHT:

- * Econ 111 Principles of Macro Economics.
- * Econ 104 Principles of Economics (for non-economics major).
- * Econ 306 History of Economic Thought.

- * Econ 301 Economic Development.
- * Econ 312 Population Economics.
- * Econ 407 Seminar on Ecological Economics.
- * Econ 419 Special Economic Topics (Integrated Health Economics).

PUBLICATIONS:

- * "The Human and Environmental Consequences of the Gulf Crisis", in The Arab Economies and the Iraqi Regime Invasion: Consequences, Policies and the Arab Cooperation, edited by Al-Ibraheem, Y., API Publication, Kuwait, Dec. 1992; also appears jointly in AL-Mostakbal Al-Arabi, Jan. 1994, P: 33-48, (in Arabic).
- * "The Impact of Domestic Sexual Division of Labor on Women's Status: The Case of Kuwait". Research in Human Capital and Development, V. 9, P:79-101, JAI Press, 1996.
- * Population and Development in the Arab Countries, Research in Human Capital and Development Series, edited by Sirageldin, I. and E. Al-Rahmani, V. 9, JAI Press, USA., 1996.
- * "Population Policy, Fertility, and Women's Status: The Case of Kuwait", Arab Economic Journal, No.6-Autumn, P:53-89, 1996.
- * "A Critical Reading of Neo-Classical Economics: ", Journal of Social Sciences , Vol. 26, No. 2, P: 25-44, Summer 1998 (in Arabic).
- * "Wasteful Consumption in the Affluent Societies: Another Perspective", Journal of Social Sciences ,Vol. 27, N0.1, P: 27-48, Spring 1999 (in Arabic).
- * "Elderly Support in Oil Economies: How Sustainable in the 21st Century, with Illustrations from Kuwait". Ismail Sirageldin and Al-Rahmani, E. Arab Economic Journal, No.22, P: 47-81, Summer 2000.
- * "Trends, Patterns and Correlates Of Contraceptive Use among Kuwaitis, 1984-1999, Nasra Shah, M. Shah, Eqbal Al-Rahmani and et al., Medical Principles and Practice 2001,10:34-40.
- * " Reflections On The Parallels And Salient Similarities Between The Sciences Of Economics And Medicine," Al-Rahmani, E. and Arifa, Ali; Journal of Integrated Social Sciences, 2015, 5(1): 69-91.
- * Academic Poster, " Reflections On The Parallels And Salient Similarities Between The Sciences Of Economics And Medicine," Kuwait University Poster day March 2017.

CONSULTING ACTIVITIES:

- * **UNDP and Kuwait Ministry of Planning:** Participated in the evaluation of the Human Development Report Project for Kuwait 1999.
- * **UNEP/ESCWA:** Served in the working group on Development of Harmonized Environmental Assessment For The ESCWA Region, Beirut. April, 2001.

WORKSHOPS ATTENDED:

- * New Orientation in Teaching Methodologies Workshop, the Center of Excellence, College of Business Administration, Kuwait University, April 15-19, 2000.
 - * Training of Trainers for New Enterprise Creation. UNIDO/ITPO, workshop held at the Center of Excellence, College of Business Administration, Kuwait University, Jan.25- Feb. 5, 2003.
 - * Work Pressures and Stress Management Workshop, ARADO, Cairo, April 2004.
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