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Education and Employment

Yarmouk University, Dept. of Political Science, Assistant Professor	2021-present
Royal Jordanian National Defense College, (Directing Staff)	2018-2021
University of Science, Malaysia (USM) Ph.D., Political Science	2016
University of Jordan M.A., in Political Science	2011
Yarmouk University B.A., in Political Science	2006

Research and Teaching Interests

International relations, Security Studies and Social Work.

Previous Work Experience

Instructor in International Relations for the Master's Program in Management and Strategic Studies at the Royal Jordanian National Defense College.

Coordinator for the academic cooperation program with the U.S. National Defense University, and the Near East and South Asia Center for Strategic Studies.

Curriculum developer for the International Relations courses at the Royal Jordanian National Defense College, with responsibilities to include study plans, lectures, learning outcomes, course objectives, and teaching methods.

Lecturer and supervisor for development and delivery of the Senior Management and Leadership Course, with duties including lectures and final exams. This special course is a requirement for the promotion of diplomatic staff from the rank of first secretary to the rank of counsellor, which the National Defense College conducted at the request of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Supervisor for the preparation, design and delivery of the strategic negotiation exercise which the National Defense College conducts annually for the master's degree program.

Member of a supervisory body in the national security exercise which the National Defense College conducts annually in the master's degree program.

Member of a supervisory body in the crisis management exercise conducted by the National Defense College, in cooperation with the National Center for Security and Crisis Management.

Member of the supervisory board for the preparation of the annual strategic evaluation documents issued by the Royal Jordanian National Defense College.

Guest presenter on the topic “Jordanian Professional Military Education” at the Near East South Asia Center, National Defense University in Washington, D.C.

Guest speaker on “Regional Strategic Assessment” at the 12th Geneva Centre for Security Policy orientation course for military officers, diplomats, and senior officials involved in defense and diplomacy in November, 2018. The course included 29 participants from 14 countries.

Guest speaker on “Regional Strategic Assessment” at the 13th Geneva Centre for Security Policy orientation course for military officers, diplomats, and senior officials involved in defense and diplomacy in October, 2019. The course included 38 participants from 18 countries.

Guest lecturer to deliver several lectures on Political Science at the Royal Jordanian Command and Staff College.

Member of the editorial committee of National Defense Magazine 2020.

Member of the development committee for the National Defense College website.

Member of the selection committee for civilian candidates from ministries and official institutions to study in the Master's Program in Management and Strategic Studies and the Master's Program in Confronting Extremism and Terrorism, at the Royal Jordanian National Defense College (2019 and 2020).

Supervision and Discussion of Theses, Studies and Scientific Research Papers

Supervised 22 master's theses in the two master's programs; Management and Strategic Studies /Confronting Extremism and Terrorism.

Supervised 11 researches in international politics and contemporary regional and global issues.

Supervised multiple of individual short research papers.

Examiner for multiple master's theses, studies and research papers.

Seminars

Coordinated and participated in the academic symposium on the qualification of members of the Directing Staff, for teaching methods, evaluations and curriculum development, which took place remotely via audio-visual communication during the period from August 31 to September 3, 2020 between the Royal Jordanian National Defense College and the Near East and South Asia Center for Strategic Studies.

Publications

5. Khosravi, R., Azman, A., Ayasreh, E. A. M., & Khosravi, S. (2019). Can a building social capital intervention improve the mental health of international students? A non-randomized quasi-experimental study. *International Social Work*, 62(5), 1384–1403.
4. Ayasreh, E., Bakar, M. B. A., & Khosravi, R. (2017). The political concept of energy security: The case of Jordan. *Dirasat: Human and Social Sciences*, 44(3), 219-238.
3. Ayasreh, E. A. (2016). Book Review: Nader Hashemi and Danny Postel (eds), *The Syria Dilemma*. *Political Studies Review*, 14(3), 491–492.
2. Khosravi, R., Lotfi, S., Azman, A., & Ayasreh, E.A. (2016). Iranian youth's attitudes towards drugs: Implication for social work practice. *Dirasat: Humanities and Social Sciences*, 43(Suppl. 4), 1935-1945.
1. Ayasreh, Emad Abdallah and Bakar, Mohamad Zaini Abu (2015). *The Politics of Natural Gas in the Middle East Today*. In: Conference Proceedings of Social Sciences Postgraduate International Seminar (SSPIS). School of Social Sciences, Pulau Pinang, Malaysia, pp. 535-539.