

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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### EDUCATION

- **Master of Arts – Political Science (August 2003) - The University of Akron**  
Specialization: International Relations  
Master's thesis: A Content Analysis of Eight Arab Daily Newspapers
- **Bachelor of Science - Accounting (May 1992) - Cairo University, Cairo, Egypt**

### PROFESSIONAL TRAINING

- **The University of Akron(Akron, OH)**, Completed 20 contact hours in the online course **Quality Matters in Online Course Design** November 1, 2014
- **The University of Akron(Akron, OH)** The Teaching and Learning of World Languages: Redesigning Basic Language Courses February 01, 2013
- **The University of Akron(Akron, OH)** Search Committee Training/ Faculty Job Opening March 21, 2013
- **Cleveland State University (Cleveland, OH)** Distance learning workshop, August 18, 2009
- **The Ohio State University (Coulombs, OH)** Ohio Higher Education Languages Roadmap, Participated in review of Ohio Languages Roadmap for the 21<sup>st</sup> Century August 28, 2008
- **The University of Akron(Akron, OH)** Presentation at IN MY CLASSROOM WORKSHOP, Distance Learning August 21, 2008
- **ACTFL (American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages)**, Participated in an ACTFL four-day Oral Proficiency Interview (OPI) Tester Training Workshop at Middlebury College, Middlebury, VT July 24-27, 2008 (**Arabic**)
- **Kent State University( Kent, OH)** Participated in a day-long(8AM-5PM) workshop for Arabic teaching methodology, curriculum planning and instructional technologies for Regents Foreign Language Academy <http://fla.mcls.kent.edu> May 17, 2008
- **NMELRC( National Middle East Language Resource Center)**, Completed all the requirements as a participant in the Arabic Instructor Training Seminar held at The University of Texas at Austin August 5-11, 2007( 40 Professional Development Hours).
- **ACTFL (American Council on the Teaching of Foreign Languages)**, Participated in an ACTFL four-day Oral Proficiency Interview (OPI) Tester Training Workshop at the Loews Vanderbilt Hotel Nashville, TN November 13-16, 2006 ( 29 Professional Development Hours in **English** )
- **NMELRC( National Middle East Language Resource Center)**, Completed all the requirements as a participant in the Arabic Instructor Training Seminar held at The University of Texas at Austin August 7-12, 2006( 40 Professional Development Hours).

- **MEI (Middle East Institute)** Participated in a day-long workshop for teaching Arabic, held at the Middle East Institute in Washington DC July 6, 2006

## **Academic Employment History.**

Professor of Instruction, University of Akron (2004-present)

- **Kent State University( Kent, OH)** Regents Foreign Language Academy(Summer 2008)
- **Johan Carroll University (OH)** Beginning Arabic I (Spring 2008,6 students) (**Distance Learning**)
- ML76896: Beginning Arabic I (Spring 2008,21 students)
- PS 14701: Politics of the Middle East (Spring 2008, 28 students)
- ML 76898: Inter: Modern Language I (Fall2007, 10 students)
- **Hiram College (OH)** Beginning Arabic I (Fall 2007,7 students) (**Distance Learning**)
- ML76896: Beginning Arabic I (Fall 2007,10 students)
- PS 71504: Comparative Politics (Fall 2006, 29 students)
- PS 75402: International Politics & Institutions (Fall 2007, 23 students)
- PS 30703: International Politics & Institutions (Summer 2007, 16 students)
- ML 16656: Beginning Arabic II (Spring 2007, 16 Students)
- PS 11475: Comparative Politics (Spring 2007, 29 students)
- PS 15013: Politics of the Middle East (Spring 2007, 31 students)
- ML77704: Beginning Arabic I (Fall 2006,18 students)
- PS 71566: Comparative Politics (Fall 2006, 17 students)
- PS 75812: International Politics & Institutions (Fall 2006, 20 students)
- PS 30703: International Politics & Institutions (Summer 2006, 21 students)
- PS 15391: Politics of the Middle East ( Spring 2006, 28 students)
- PS 71671: International Politics & Institutions (Fall 2005, 35 students)
- PS 76410: International Politics & Institutions (Fall 2005, 23 students)
- PS 16097: Politics of the Middle East (Spring 2005, 28 students)
- PS 17191: Politics of the Middle East (Spring 2004, 22 students)

June 2003 - Aug 2003:

### **Foresight International – Internship, Akron, OH**

- Researched and reported to the Chairman. My research focused on a strategic scenario construction and a consideration of long term planning requirements.

Sept 2002 - May 2003:

### **The University of Akron – Graduate Teaching Assistant**

- Political Science Department - continually improved, updated, maintained and provided research for American Emergency Management Response (ANDER).

Jan 1994 - Sept 1996:

### **Cairo Barclays Bank, Cairo, Egypt - Credit Analyst**

- Evaluated customer financial information, established and monitored credit limits, and negotiated terms payments.

## **LANGUAGES**

- English
- Arabic (Native)

## **COMPUTER SKILLS**

- Proficient with Microsoft Office
- Statistical Package for the Social Sciences SPSS

## **PROFESSIONAL CONFERENCES ATTENDED**

- American Council on the Teaching of foreign Languages ACTFAL
- Arabic Instructor Training Seminar held at The University of Texas at Austin August 7-12, 2006
- National Press Club: 2005 (The Power and Influence of Arab Media) Washington DC. March 4

## **MEDIA INTERVIEWS/PRESENTATIONS**

- Arabic Culture and Arab Spring, Western Reserve Academy (Hudson Ohio, Spring 2013)
- Egypt's Future, Political Science Insight(Bills Institute) , Department of Political Science (February 7, 2013)
- Staying Current, Culture awareness workshop (The University of Akron, Army ROTC Jan 25, 2011)
- Abousena on Egypt! Resistance in Egypt, 1590 WAKR (AM) radio interview with Ray Horner (<http://rayhorner.net/?p=1771>)
- Presentation: "Navigating Internet Resources to Better Understand Iranian-US Conflicts" at seminar "Understanding Iranian-US Conflicts", February 19-23, 2007
- Television Interview: Wadsworth Community Television (WCTV) (Topic: Supreme Court nomination, Abortion and London terrorist attack) September 5, 2005
- Television Interview: Wadsworth Community Television (WCTV) (Topic: Insurgency in Iraq) July 23, 2005
- Television Interview: Wadsworth Community Television (WCTV) (Topic: The disappearance of an American girl in Aruba and Terrorism in Iraq) June 22, 2005
- Television Interview: Wadsworth Community Television (WCTV) (Topic: North Korea and Iran proliferation of WMD) May 8, 2005

## **MEMBERSHIPS**

- **AATA:** American Association of Teachers of Arabic, 2006-present
- **APSA:** The American Political Science Association
- **ACTFL:** American Council of the Teaching of Foreign Languages