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PROFILE

An assistant lecturer at Sebha University. A dynamic professional with 5 years established experience in teaching English. A life-long learner, reliable and efficient. Passionate about educating others and exchanging experience. Interested in building up a career through academic research in sociolinguistics, applied linguistics and TESOL. Proven ability in organizing academic events such as debates, symposia, and seminars.

EDUCATION

1. MA in English Language

University of Malta

10/2012 - 11/2014

Research area

- Speaking skills. I explored 'Factors that Inhibit EFL Undergraduate Libyan Learners from Speaking English Effectively.'

Contact: Prof. Lydia Sciriha & Dr. Odette Vasello, Department of English, Faculty of Arts, University of Malta.

2. BA in Linguistics

Sebha University, Libya

09/2005 - 08/2008

Education Program

- Modules covered included different areas of Linguistics including intro. to linguistics and sociolinguistics, semantics, bilingualism, research methods, as well as the four language skills of English.
- Area of research graduation project was code-switching amongst Libyan students at Sebha University, supervised by Dr. Mayouf Ali Mayouf, Department of English, Faculty of Arts, Sebha University.

Contact: Dr. Mayouf Ali Mayouf - mayouf71@icloud.com

3. Alsherarah Secondary School for Girls

2001-2004/ Sebha, Libya

- 4 years specialization in English language. Areas of study included reading comprehension, writing, listening & speaking, pronunciation, grammar and vocabulary. Graduated with distinction.

WORK EXPERIENCE

1. Assistant lecturer

Sebha university, Faculty of Arts, Department of English

01/2015 - Present, Sebha, Libya

Achievements/Tasks

- Giving lectures in the areas of linguistics and TEFL.
- Supervised undergraduate dissertations (especially in the areas of sociolinguistics and applied linguistics)
- ESP lecturer (Faculty of Law, Faculty of Engineering, Sebha University, Fall 2015)
- Offering consultancy in research areas.
- Designed PowerPoint presentations for the 1st academic event organized by the department of research and consulting.
- Reviewed and edited dissertation evaluation rubric for BA students at the department of English.

- Organized a seminar for graduate students on research regulations and guidelines.
Contact: Dr. Mayouf Ali Mayouf - mayouf71@icloud.com

2. Research and Consulting Coordinator

Sebha University, Faculty of Arts, Department of English

*11/2020 - Present,
Achievements/Tasks*

- Planning, supervising, and coordinating academic activities that serve the college and the community, such as, workshops, seminars, training sessions, and the like.
- Offering consultancy in research areas.
- A member of the committee responsible for drafting the vision, mission, and goals of the research and consulting department
- A member of the regulatory committee of academic events

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3. TEFL Teacher

Creative Vision Company for Training, Consulting and Technical Services, Sebha city, Libya

*08/2020 - Present,
Achievements/Tasks*

- Teaching English as foreign language to different age groups and levels.

4. Examination and Study Coordinator

Sebha University, Faculty of Arts, Department of English

*Spring, 2018 – Fall, 2019
Achievements/Tasks*

- Planned, supervised, and coordinated lectures' timetables and exams.
- Reported exams' procedures

5. English Language Teacher

Almuroog Private School, Secondary stage, Engineering

Fall, 2011 – Spring, 2012

6. English Language Teacher

Albader Private School, Preparatory stage, Engineering

(2009)

7. One on One English Language Teacher

2008– present

Achievements/Tasks

- General English Courses in Speaking, Reading, Writing, Listening, Grammar, and Vocabulary (adults & young learners).
- Preparing students at secondary and preparatory stages for the national examinations.

OTHER QUALIFICATIONS & CERTIFICATES

- **Presenting Your Work With Impact**
Online Course - University of Leeds and Institute of Coding on Futurelearn platform, 2020
- **How To Create Great Online Content**
Online Course - University of Leeds and Institute of Coding on Futurelearn platform, 2020
- **Communication And Interpersonal Skills At Work**
Online Course - University of Leeds and Institute of Coding on Futurelearn platform, 2020
- **How To Teach Online: Providing Continuity For Students**
Online course – Futurelearn, 2020
- **Transforming Digital Learning: Learning Design Meets Service Design -**
Online course- Deakin University on Futurelearn platform, 2020
- **Teaching English to Young Learners (TEYL) - George Mason University**
Online course - The American English (AE) E-Teacher Program of the U.S. Department of State September 25-November 20, 2018 / Instructor, Woomee Kim.

- Introduction to Applied Linguistics and TESOL
Online course – Leicester University on Futurelearn platform, 2018/ (need to claim my certificate)
- The Right to Freedom of Expression' offered by Amnesty International, Human Rights Academy.
Final score: 12.33/15
- Professional Certificate in English Language Teaching (PCEL) – 120 hour Training Program- AMIDEAST Tunisia
*World Learning, SIT Graduate Institute, U.S Department of State, and Libyan Embassy, 2018
Trainer: Mehrez Aounallah*
- Quddraty for Human Resources Management (HRM), 2017
Trainer: Mabroukah Alfhakry, Department of Psychology, Sebha University
- Soliya Connect Program, virtual exchange, 2017
- Teaching Grammar Communicatively - Massive Open Online Course (MOOC)
*The American English (AE) E-Teacher Program of the U.S. Department of State, 2017
Electronic Badge awarded: <https://badgr.io/public/assertions/p61xtd8LR4qWSKvi7pUm9g>*
- Teaching for Success: Lessons and Teaching
Online Course – The British Council on Futurelearn platform, 2017
- Teaching for Success: The Classroom and The World
Online Course – The British Council on Futurelearn platform, 2017
- Understanding Language: Learning and Teaching
Online Course – University of Southampton in line with the British Council on Futurelearn platform, 2017
- Becoming a Better Teacher: Exploring Professional Development.
Online Course – The British Council in line with the UCL Institute of Education on Futurelearn platform

CONFERENCES AND ACADEMIC EVENTS

- Symposium on the Dangers of the Spread of Weapons on The Libyan Society, February 11, 2021 Sebha, Libya. Presented a paper on Immersed Military Neologisms
- 1st Libyan International Conference: Reality of Teaching and Learning EFL in Expanding Circle Countries, April 20-22, 2019 Albeyda, Libya
- Tunisia TESOL 6th International Conference: Learning and Teaching English in and beyond the Classroom, February 8-10, 2019, Sousse, Tunisia
- Sebha University, Department of English, The Second Annual Symposium, April 2017, Theme 'Sociolinguistics'. Presented a paper on 'Swearing as a Linguistic Choice & Social Relations In The Libyan Context'.
- International Conference on Teaching and Learning English as an Additional Language, GlobELT 2016, 14-17 April 2016, Antalya, Turkey.
- Sebha University, Department of English, The First Annual Symposium, March, 2016, Theme 'Speak Up'. Presented a paper on 'Psychological Factors that Inhibit EFL Libyan Learners from Speaking English Effectively'

PUBLICATIONS

- Samar, D. (2016). Role of Faulty Instructional Methods in Libyan EFL Learners' Speaking Difficulties. *Procedia - Social and Behavioral Sciences* 232 (2016) 338 – 345. Available at: <http://authors.elsevier.com/sd/article/S1877042816312642>
- **Ongoing research papers**
 - Culture as a Barrier in Conducting Research Studies in the Field of Sociolinguistics in Libya
 - Swearing as a Linguistic Choice & Social Relations in the Libyan Context (Sebha city)

GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- Government Scholarship for MA program, 2008

SKILLS

- Public Speaking
- Communication Skills
- Leadership
- Designing PowerPoint presentations with good content
- Flexibility
- Self-motivated
- Teamwork-oriented
- Patience
- Imaginative thinking

INTERESTS

- Reading articles
- Travelling
- Listening to music
- Shopping
- Video games
- Using technology in education

References

- Prof. Mayouf Ali Mayouf, Sebha University, Libya
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- Dr. Abdulrahman Ahmed Hamza, Sebha University, Libya\
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- Mr. Yousif Alhudairy, Sebha University, Libya
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- Alarabi Abdulsalam Almagrabi, Sebha University, Libya
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