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CURRICULUM VITAE

QUALIFICATIONS:

Ph. D. in Japanese Studies

Tsukuba University
Japan (www.tsukuba.ac.jp)
Department of Education for Graduate Studies, March 1994
Thesis Title: Development and Spread of Primary Education in Japanese provinces during the reign of Meiji

Master of Arts in Japanese Studies

Tsukuba University, Japan
Department of Regional Studies for Graduate Studies, March 1987
M.A. Title: Role of Education in the Modernization of Japan, from an Egyptian Perspective

Bachelor of Arts in Japanese Language and Arts

Cairo University, College of Arts, Department of Japanese Language and Arts, May 1980

Professional History

Assistant Professor: Department of Asian Languages and Translation
Japanese Language Program
King Saud University
Nov 29, 1994 – Sept 26, 2005

Associate Professor: Department of Asian Languages and Translation
Japanese Language Program
King Saud University
Nov 26, 2005 - to date

Coordinator Of Japanese Language Program:

Department of Asian Languages and Translation
King Saud University, Sept. 2002 - to date

Faculty and Department Committees:

Member of the Committee of Curriculum and Educational Planning
College of Languages and Translation
King Saud University, Riyadh

Member of the Committee of Schedules and Examinations
College of Languages and Translation
King Saud University, Riyadh

Member of the Committee of Students Affairs and Registration
Department of Asian Languages and Translation
College of Languages and Translation
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Member of the Editorial Board of King Saud University
Journal of College of Languages and Translation
First term 2006 – to date
King Saud University, Riyadh

Member of the Committee for Restructuring College Programs
College of Languages and Translation
First Term 2006 – to date
King Saud University, Riyadh

Member in the Unit of Assessment and Academic Accreditation
First term 2006 – to date
King Saud University, Riyadh

Society Membership:

Member of Saudi History Society, 2000 – to date

Conferences:

- 1- Arabization and development of translation in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, 22-23 Dec. 1998, King Saud University, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
(see Research Publications, item 3)
- 2- Society Modernization Seminar and Maintaining Customs and Traditions, The Japanese Experience, King Faisal Centre for Research and Islamic Studies, Sept. 19, 2005
- 3- Back to the Future: Planning and Economic Boom
Department of Urban Planning
Faculty of Architecture and Urban Planning
King Saud University, March 14-15, 2006.
- 4- Workshop – Celebration of the 50th Anniversary of King Saud University, sponsored by the Ministers of Higher Education, Finance, Labor, and the University Vice Chancellor, King Saud University, May 16, 2006

- 5- The first workshop on Self-Assessment and Quality Control, organized by the Administration of Assessment and Academic Accreditation, Agency for Research Studies, Development, and Academic Follow-up, King Saud University, Nov. 21, 2005
- 6- International Face of King Saud University, its participation in teaching Arabic for Non-Arabs. King Saud University, under the auspices of the Ministry of Higher Education, Dec. 19, 2006

Research Interests:

Japanese Language and Culture, History of Japan, History of Education in Japan, Education in Japan

Links to Scientific and Research Centers:

Office of Japanese Foundation, Cairo, Egypt
www.tsukuba.ac.jp

Site of teachers and students of Japanese Language
momo.jpf.go.jp/j/pt/home.html

Site of the Japanese Foundation of Enquiry (about books, Journals and conferences) www.jpf.go.jp/j/urawa/public/plc_01.html

Site for research publications on Japanese, Japanese Language Centre
www.jpf.go.jp/j/urawa/public/plc_01.html

Publications and Books:

- Collaboration in Writing the Encyclopedia of Japanese Characters, Japanese Publishing Company, Shinchousha, Tokyo, Japan, March 1991
- Collaboration in writing an Introduction to Egyptian Colloquial Speech (2 Volumes) Tokyo University for Foreign Languages, Tokyo, Japan, March 1993
- Japanese Language for Arabic Speakers with Dr. Karam Khalil Salim and Toshuyuki Abe
Al-Ahram Publishing Agency, Arab Republic of Egypt, February 2000
- Let Us Learn Japanese Iconic Letters
Al-Ahram Publishing Agency, Arab Republic of Egypt, February 2000

Research Publications

1. Mohamed Ali's Attempt to Update Education in Egypt (in Japanese), published in a book entitled Studies in the History of Japanese Education, Japanese Publishing Agency (Daiichi houki), Tokyo, Japan, March 1993
2. Establishment of Zakouji School – A Model of Rural Japanese Schools, Journal of the Japanese History of Education – Tsukuba University, Japan, Volume 2, April 1993

3. Arabization: Technology Transfer and Heritage Revival. Conference of Arabization and translation development in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, King Saud University, 1999
4. The Japanese Experience between Traditions and Modernization, the Meiji Reform Movement, Journal of Saudi History Society, King Saud University, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
January 2000
- 5- The Japanese Experience: Voluntary Isolation and Modernization. Faculty of Arts, Cairo University, January 2004
- 6- Japanese – Some language Features and Problems.
Centre of Research for the College of Languages and Translation,
King Saud University, October 2004

Other Non- Peer Reviewed Works:

- 1- Documented Research: Some Characteristics of Contemporary Japanese Education, Journal of Knowledge (Ma'rifah), Riyadh, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, January 2002
1. Japanese Woman and Development, Al Ma'rifa Alnisaiyya Journal, Riyadh, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, January 2002 (Article)
2. Workpaper – Current situation of teaching Japanese in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia: between the Current State of Affairs and Ambitions (in Japanese (in collaboration with Dr. Karam Khalil Salim), Journal of Japan (Language and Culture), Department of Japanese Language and its Arts, Faculty of Arts, Cairo University, February 15, 2001.