

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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## Qualifications:

- 2012–2017. **Doctor of Philosophy in Information Systems** from Norwich Business School at the University of East Anglia, Norwich, England, United Kingdom. My thesis was entitled, “Power/knowledge of consultants and project management office in Enterprise System implementation: case study of a Saudi Arabian university,” under the supervision of Mr. James Cornford and Professor. Hing Kai Chan.
- 2008–2009. **Master of Science Degree in Computing and Management** from the School of Computing at the University of Leeds, Leeds, England, United Kingdom. My dissertation was entitled, “Evaluation of the potential for using information integration technology in higher education,” under the supervision of Dr. Brandon Bennett.
- 2005–2008. **Bachelor of Science Honors Degree in Business Information Systems** from the school of Computing, Creative technologies and Engineering at Leeds Metropolitan University (known now as Leeds Beckett University), Leeds, England, United Kingdom. My dissertation was entitled, “The role of leadership in information systems project management,” under the supervision of Professor Dave Webb.

## Current Employment:

- June 2019- Now. An **Assistant professor** in Management Information Systems at the College of Business Administration at King Saud University, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia.

## Research Interests:

- Enterprise Resources Planning implementation.
- Information Technology Project Management.
- Issues of power and knowledge in the development and implementation of information technology.
- Influences of Information Systems and Technology in organizations.

## Courses Taught:

- 2019- 2020. **E-Government** (a Postgraduate course for Public Administration Masters program at King Saud University). Developing basic skills in the field of information management for leaders in the public sector. It reviews the role of information systems in the decision-making process. The course also focuses on discussing the e-government role in raising and improving the performance of government agencies. It specifically includes a discussion of organizational foundations, information management systems, types of computer systems, decision-making support tools and analytical methods for implementing e-government with case studies of some governments in the application of e-government.
- 2019-2020. **E-Business** (an undergraduate course for MIS program at King Saud University). The course introduces the principles and concepts of e-commerce: the types of e-business solutions; planning and design of e-business solutions; e-business solutions in various business sectors; integrated information systems, the legal and ethical dimensions of e- business solutions; risk management in e-business solutions; new trends in e-business solutions; and cases studies in e-business solutions.
- 2019-2020. **Decision Support System & Expert Systems** (an undergraduate course for MIS program at King Saud University). The course introduces students to the concepts of artificial intelligence and how to build an integrated decision support system. Topics covered include: methods for evaluating decision support systems, modeling and analysis of the development of decision support systems, data management, modeling, and user interface, the concepts of artificial intelligence and intelligent systems, including the evidentiary rules of the cases.
- 2019-2020. **Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP)** (an undergraduate course for MIS program at King Saud University). Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) systems are now the norm in all types of businesses. Familiarity with such systems is therefore essential both in its own right and as preparation for any future career in business. This course provides the students with a broad understanding of the fundamental concepts of ERP systems and explains their strategic, tactical, operational influences on businesses. It introduces the ERP functionalities and capabilities in contrast to the unintegrated information systems. It defines the business functional areas, processes, ERP development history, and enabling technologies. It also discusses the pros and cons of implementing an ERP system and the benefits of Customer Relationship Management (CRM) software, Supply Chain Management (SCM) systems, and accounting and management-reporting as useful extensions of ERP software. In addition, it introduces the development of event process chain (EPC) diagrams of basic business processes and the development of processes improvement suggestions.
- 2017-2019. **Management Information Systems** (Undergraduate course for MIS program at Qassim University). This course discusses the strategic perspective of

information systems, the implications of the interrelationships between organizations and information systems, information systems and work design, ERP systems, sources of information systems, management of IT projects, business intelligence and decision making.

- 2018-2019- **Essentials of Secretary and Administrative Communication**. This course is intended to be delivered to higher diploma students where this course focus on the role of Secretary in organizations and how they can deliver their work in a way to aid management by applying Information Technology in carrying Administrative Communication duties.
- 2016- 2019. **Introduction to Management Information Systems** (Undergraduate course for MIS program at Qassim University). This course covers the principles and concepts of management information systems, strategic use of information systems, business functions and supply chain, telecommunications networks, databases and Data Warehouses, the web enabled enterprise, the challenges of global information systems, decision support systems, expert systems and knowledge management and business information.
- 2016- 2018. **Introduction to Computer Concepts and Programming** (an undergraduate course for MIS program at Qassim University). This course aims to present the basics of programming languages. In the beginning, it introduces the machine language as well the base number conversion (binary, decimal, hex, octal). After that, it presents the programming languages levels of the methods used to convert the source program that is written by using comprehensible language near the human language into a goal program written in machine language ready to use. This course also provides a glimpse of the methods used in programming. The random programming is considered the oldest method and object-oriented programming is the most recent. Similarly, we focus on writing algorithms and flowchart in order to find a computerized solution to a particular problem. In the last, it presents an overview of the programming languages used in the dynamic and static website programming. So, it focuses on the static website programming language HTML and CSS.
- 2013-2014. **Information Systems for Management** (Seminar leader at the University of East Anglia). The course addresses the changing role of information technology and management information systems in organizations today. In particular, it examines the role of IT and MIS as competitive tools for all organizations and the role of IT as an essential enabler of innovation. It aims to provide an understanding of the use of information by modern organizations and an understanding of concepts such as systems theory, data warehouses and electronic commerce.

### Previous Employment:

- 2017- June 2019. An **Assistant professor** in Management Information Systems at the College of Business and Economics at Qassim University, Al-Mulida, Qassim Province, Saudi Arabia.

- 2011-2017. A **Lecturer** in Management Information Systems Department at the College of Business and Economics at Qassim University, Al-Mulida, Qassim Province, Saudi Arabia.
- January 2014 – May 2014. An **Associate Tutor** at Norwich Business School at the University of East Anglia, Norwich, England, United Kingdom.
- 2009-2011. A **Teaching Assistant** in Management Information Systems Department at the College of Business and Economics at Qassim University, Al-Mulida, Qassim Province, Saudi Arabia.

### Publications:

- Almatrodi, I., (2019), '**Realizing the missing: how does the sense of organizational belonging influence the success of enterprise resources planning (ERP) implementation?**', *Int. J. of Business Information Systems (SCOPUS indexed)*, (In Press).
- Almatrodi, I., (2020), '**Organizational politics and enterprise resources planning (ERP) implementation: an examination of the influence of political skills**', (under review).

### Conferences Papers Given:

- Almatrodi, I., (2014) "**How internal public sector IT consultants 'work,' the conceptualization of power/knowledge in the use of internal consultants.**". Proceedings of Information Systems Post-implementation and Change Management Conference (ISPCM), Lisbon, Portugal, 17-19 July.
- Almatrodi, I., Cornford, J., (2013) "**The uses of user resistance for the institutionalization of power in systems implementation.**" Proceedings of the European, Mediterranean and Middle Eastern Conference on Information Systems (EMCIS), Windsor, United Kingdom, 17-18 October.

### Workshops:

- Almatrodi, I., (2016) "**The power/knowledge of consultants and project management office in Enterprise System implementation: a case study of a Saudi Arabian university.**" British Academy of Management Workshop, University of East Anglia, 12 January.
- Almatrodi, I., (2014) "**Exploring power politics and power knowledge in information systems implementation and use: theoretical and methodological**

**challenges.”** British Academy of Management Workshop, University of East Anglia, 12 June.

### **University and community service:**

- 2019-, **Head of Postgraduate Studies and Research Committee**, Management Information Systems Department, College of Business Administration, King Saud University.
- 2019-, **Head of Quality and Accreditation Committee**, Management Information Systems Department, College of Business Administration, King Saud University.
- 2019-, **Member of Faculty Committee**, Management Information Systems Department, College of Business Administration, King Saud University.
- 2019-, **Member of Curricula Development Committee**, Management Information Systems Department, College of Business Administration, King Saud University.
- September 2017-May 2019, **Member of Department Council**, Management Information Systems Department College of Business and Economics, Qassim University.
- January 2019-June 2019, **College of Business and Economics Representative at the Humanities Research Centre Council** at the Deanship of Research Studies, Qassim University.
- November 2018-June 2019, **Research Coordinator for college of Business and Economics**, Qassim university.
- February 2018- 2019, **Head of MIS courses Syllabus development committee** at the MIS Department, College of Business and Economics, Qassim university.
- December 2013- December 2014, **A Post Graduate Research Student Representative** at Norwich Business School in the University of East Anglia, Norwich, England, United Kingdom.
- May 2014- October 2014, **PhD colloquium organizing committee member** at Norwich Business School in the University of East Anglia, Norwich, England, United Kingdom.
- **A licensed translator** of Arabic and English authorized by the Saudi Arabian Institute of Public Administration since 2009.
- Ad hoc Reviewer for the 2015 **Academy of Management Annual Meeting**. Vancouver, Canada.
- Ad hoc Reviewer for the 2014 **European Conference on Information Systems (ECIS)**.
- Ad hoc Reviewer for the 2014 **Academy of Management Annual Meeting**. Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, the United States of America.
- Ad hoc Reviewer for the Human Behavior and Information Systems track at the 2013 **International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS)**, Milan, Italy.
- From 2012 to 2016, a member of the **Innovation, Technology and Operation Management research group** at the Norwich Business School at the University of East Anglia.

### Skills Development Courses:

- 2019- Attending a course in **designing and building the course** provided by the Deanship of Skills 2019Development at King Saud University.
- 2019- Attending a course in **effective university teaching** provided by the Deanship of Skills Development at King Saud University.
- 2019- Attending a course in **mini teaching and peer counseling** provided by the Deanship of Skills Development at King Saud University.
- 2019 - Attending a course in **assessing learning outcomes** provided by the Deanship of Skills Development at King Saud University.
- 2004–2005. **International Foundation Year in Science and Engineering** at the University of Leeds, Leeds, Leeds, England, United Kingdom.
- 09/2003–07/2004. **English Language for Undergraduate Study** at the University of Leeds, Leeds, England, United Kingdom.
- 03/2003–08/2003. **A general English academic course** at Harrogate Language Academy, Harrogate, England, United Kingdom.

### Scholarships Awarded:

- Saudi Arabian Higher Education scholarship for **undergraduate study in Business Information Systems** at Leeds Beckett University in the United Kingdom.
- Saudi Arabian Higher Education scholarship for undertaking a **Master of Science degree in Computing and Management** at the University of Leeds in the United Kingdom.
- Qassim University scholarship for studying a **Ph.D. in Information Systems** at the University of East Anglia in the United Kingdom.

### Referees:

- Available upon request.