

\* Media content analysis

\* Palestinian and Arab print media

\* Palestinian \ Arab print media in Israel

\* German print media

**Electronic Media**

\* German modern television

\* Cinema and television in the Arab world

\* Production of radio programs

**Political Science**

\* Arab-Israeli conflict

\* German political system

**Orientalism and Arabic language**

\* Arab and Islamic worlds: Politically, economically, socially and culturally.

\* Seven years experience in teaching Arabic language to non-native speakers(including preparing workshops for foreign journalists interested in working in Arab countries). Also, participated in writing and designing curriculum and teaching materials, audiovisual devices and language - aid - games. Plus,experience in planning, realization and evaluation of the courses.

**Languages**

Arabic, Hebrew, English, and German (in speaking, reading, and writing).

**Academic Teaching Positions and Experience**

2010 – present Dean, Faculty of Mass Media

An-Najah National University, Nablus, West Bank

2010 – present Lecturer (Mass Communication)

Faculty of Media

An-Najah National University, Nablus, West Bank

2008 – present Founder and Head of the “ Media Center”

Al-Qasemi Academy / Israel

2005 – present Founder and Director of the Academic Radio Station

Al - Qasemy Academy , Israel

2005 – present Lecturer (Mass Communication)

Al-Qasemi Academy / Israel

2003 – 2008 Lecturer (Mass Communication)

Department of Journalism (Head of Department)

University of Indianapolis / Mar- Elias Campus, Iblin,

Israel.

2000 – 2006 Lecturer (Mass Communication)

Department of Journalism (Head of Department)

Mar- Elias College, Iblin, Israel

1995-2000 Lecturer (Mass Communication)

Department of Journalism

Beir Zeit University, Beir Zeit, West Bank

1995 – 2000 Department of Journalism(Head of Department)

### An-Najah National University, Nablus, West Bank

1994 - 1995 Department of Political Science and Journalism (Head of Department), An-Najah N. University

1992 – 2000 Lecturer (Mass Communication / Journalism courses).

An-Najah N. University.

1992 - 2004 Lecturer (Mass Communication)

Cinema and TV Department

Ramat Aviv University, Tel Aviv, Israel.

1998 – 1999 Visiting Fulbright Scholar ( Teaching and Research )

Department of Mass Communication & Journalism

California State University , Fresno , U.S.A

1985 - 1992 Lecturer (Arabic Language / Journalism)

Institute of Nordrrhein Westfalen,

Bochum, West Germany.

1997-2000 Editor-in-Chief, Journal of Involuntary Migration,

An-Najah National University

1996 – 2000 Co-editor-in-chief, Sawt An-Najah

Student newspaper, Department of Journalism,

An-Najah N. University

1995 - 1996 Editor, An-Najah Magazine for Research in Human

Sciences

An-Najah N. University

1994 – 2000 Editor-in-chief, Mashael magazine, Nablus.

1988 - 1992 Freelancer journalist, West Germany

1979 - 1980 Co-editor-in-chief, Key Publishers House

Tel Aviv, Israel

# Professional / Academic Association Memberships

Member University Council (An-Najah N. University)

Head Council of the Faculty of Media (An-Najah N. University).

Member Council of the College

(Al - Qasemy Academy , Israel)

Member Council of the Al – Qasemi Arabic Language Academy

Member Council of University of Indianapolis / Mar- Elias Campus,

Israel.

Member Palestinian-German Friendship Academic Committee.

Member Economic Faculty Council (An-Najah N. University)

Member The Arab-US Association for Communication (AUSACE)

Member Arts Faculty Council (An-Najah N. University)

Member Journalism Department Council (Beir Zeit University)

Member Regional Research & Development Center Board: The

Galilee Society.

Member Founder and Administration Council of Mar- Elias Campus:

The branch Campus of University of Indianapolis in Israel.

**Seminars / Conferences**

**Papers presentations:**

### June 2-4, 2002: Presented a paper entitled: “Television in Conflict: Al-Jazeera, CNN, and the Israeli Television” to an international conference named “The Fourth International Colloquium for Cinema and Television Studies”, organized by the Faculty of the Arts, Tel Aviv University, Israel

Oct. 22-25, 1996: Presented a paper entitled: “The Academic Reality of the Palestinian Mass Media” to an international conference named: “The Mass Media in Germany and Palestine”, organized by the Foreign Department of the Press and Information Office of the Federal Republic of Germany (B.P.A), Friedrich - Ebert - Foundation, Representation of F.R. Germany, and department of Journalism, An-Najah N. University, Ramallah, Nablus, West Bank.

May 7-8, 1996: Presented a paper entitled: “The Need for Having a School of Communication in Palestine to fulfill the Informational Need of the Palestinian Society”, to a conference named: “The Development of the Schools of Humanities in Palestine”, organized by An-Najah N. University.

Nov. 25-30, 1994: Presented a paper entitled: “Palestinian Mass Media under the Oslo Agreement”, to an international conference named: “The Effects of the Political Development on the Middle East”, organized by Friedrich-Nauman Foundation (West Germany), Cairo and Alexandria, Egypt.

Oct. 1, 1990: Presented a paper entitled: “Islam and the West Relation During the Gulf War”, to a conference named: “Gulf Crisis and its Reflection on the German Society”, organized by landesinstitut fur Schule und Weiterbildung, Soest, West Germany.

**Conference Participation and Discussion:**

### June 2-4, 2002: The Fourth International Colloquium for Cinema and Television Studies, organized by the Faculty of the Arts, Tel Aviv University, Israel (Chair of a Session called Society in Change and the Palestinian Cinema).

## March 24-27, 1999:The Global Environment: Challenges for the future, The 1999 Fulbright Visiting Scholar Conference, Washington D.C., U.S.A.

March 20 ,1999: 64th Conference of the Association of Social and Behavior Sciences, Atlanta ,Georgia ,U.S.A.

November 20-22, 1998 : Elections and Democracy Around The World Conference,Monterey ,CIES-Enrichment Program , San Fransisco , California ,U.S.A.

October 9, 1998:Reporting Revival Conference,Department of Mass Communication and Journalism

Dec. 21, 1996: Palestinian Society and Television Conference, organized by Institute of Modern Media, Al-Quds University, Ramallah, West Bank.

Nov. 7-9, 1996: Nablus International Conference: The Role of Higher Education in the Context of an Independent Palestinian State, organized by An-Najah N. University.

Jan. 5-8, 1994: Palestinian Broadcasting - Promises and Challenges Conference, organized by the Jerusalem Film Institute, Internews and Palestinian Broadcasting Authority, At-Tantur Ecumenical Center, Jerusalem.

**Symposiums**

**Main Lecturer:**

Spring Semester, 1999:Lectures on International Mass Communication and Media Stereotypes seminars, Mass Communication and Journalism Department, California State Univesity, Fresno, California, U.S.A.

March 1999, Guest lecture, Mass Communication Department, Georgia State University, Atlanta, Georgia, U.S.A.

March 18, 1999, Lecture on The Middle East Peace Process:a Palestinian Perespective during a symposium organised by Georgia Stat University’s Middle East Center for Peace, Culture and Development, Georgia State University, Atlanta, Georgia, U.S.A.

April 8,1999:Giving Symposium on U.S.Media Coverege of the Middle East : Image vs. Reality to university faculty , students, local media professionals, and the general public, California State University ,Fresno,California, U.S.A.

Dec. 17, 1996: Lecture entitled: “Portrayal of the Arab in the Western Media” to a symposium “Arabs and the West”, organized by the Center for Family and Women, Nablus.

Sept. 13, 1996: Lecture entitled: “The Arab Press in Israel between Modernism and conservatism to a symposium, organized by Galilee Research Center and German F. Nauman Foundation, Nazareth, Israel.

Nov. 29, 1994: Lecture entitled: “Present Political Situation in Palestine” to a symposium: “Toward a Palestinian State”, Treer University, West Germany.

March 2, 1992: Lecture entitled: “Informational Value of Literature” to a symposium, organized by the Department of Journalism, Hebrew University, Jerusalem.

**Organization and Presiding over Symposiums:**

Jan. 15, 1997: Presided over a symposium entitled: “The Palestinian Refugee in the Mass Media”, An-Najah N. University.

May 22, 1996: Organized and presided over a symposium entitled: “The Importance of the Modern Mass Media to the Palestinian Society”, An-Najah N. University.

Nov. 12, 1995: Organized and presided over a symposium entitled: “The Palestinian TV”, An-Najah N. University.

Nov. 22, 1995: Organized and presided over a symposium entitled: “The Palestinian Broadcast: The Current Position and the Expected Development”, An-Najah N. University.

**Workshops**

May 18-22, 1966: Organized and presided over a Radio Workshop, sponsored by Department of Journalism at An-Najah National University, Palestinian Broadcasting Corporation, and Dutch Journalist Association.

June 24-28, 1966: Organized and presided over a newspaper workshop, sponsored by Departments of Journalism at An-Najah National University,, and Georgia State University at Atlanta, USA.

Nov. 27-Dec. 10, 1994: Organized and accompanied a Journalism delegation from An-Najah National University to various German media institutions, funded by German Academic Exchange Program (DAAD), Bonn.

**Publications**

Salama, Atef, “ The Image of the Arab in American Media :Content Analysis of the news magazins Time, Newsweek, and U.S. News & World Report,(on publishing).

Salama, Atef, (1997), “The Ideal Mass Media System For Palestine in Serving Democracy and Human Rights,” (Being Published) by Cmpletency University Press, Madrid, Spain.

Salama, Atef, (1997), “The Palestinian Refugees in the Mass Media,” Journal of Involuntary Migration, No. 2, An-Najah National University.

Salama, Atef, (1996), “The Need for Having a School of Communication in Palestine,” In Towards Developing the Colleges of Humanities in Palestine, An-Najah N. University.

Salama, Atef, (1988), Auslander Schreiben: Deutschsprachige Kulturpolitische Auslazderneitschriften in der BRD (Foreigners Publications: Political and Cultural Periodicals Issued by Foreigners living in Germany), Munster: Lit Verlag, Munster and Hamburg, West Germany.

Published many articles in different newspapers.

Participated in numerous radio and television interviews and talk shows.

**Referees**

Will be available upon request.

# Curriculum Vitae

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**Personal Information:**

## **Marital status: Married**

**Nationality: Palestinian**

**Date of Birth: 2-2-1958**

**Place of Birth: Nablus – Palestine**

**Education:**

1. **P.H.D Degree in PR and journalism (Saint Petersburg State University) Russia, 16 November 2001.**
2. **Diploma in Teaching Russian language, June, 1982.**
3. **B.A. and M.A in Journalism (A.A Zhdanov State University in Russia), 1976-1982.**
4. **Tawjihi (Jamal – Abd El Naser Secondary School), 1976.**

**Skills:**

* **Languages: Arabic, English, Russian**
* **Computer Skills: Knowledge of using computer system in particular E-mail + Internet.**
* **Typing skills: English + Arabic by using MS-word for windows.**
* **Photography stills and video.**

**Relative Education + Courses:**

1. **A member of the Expanded Administrative Council for the Palestinian Union of Journalists,2010**
2. **A member of the board of trustees for the Palestinian TV and Radio Committee.**
3. **A media consultant for the Arab Women Organization 2010.**
4. **A presenter of many e-lectures on Public Opinion at An Najah University website.**
5. **ICDL Course from Amra center 2008.**
6. **Certificate in photography stills and video from (YMCA), Nablus, 1997.**
7. **Certificate from (Palestinian Journalists’ syndicate) Jerusalem – Palestine, photography – video, 1994.**
8. **Certificate from Amid East and An-Najah National University about completing the course proposal writing workshop, 1994.**
9. **Certificate from women centre for legal and coucegling about Women and Legislation.**
10. **2 Certificates from (PHF) and (NDI) about compelling the Training Sessions Awareness Campaigns: How to teach women about Democracy and Elections and Election Campaigns: steps women can take to prepare themselves and others as Candidates.**
11. **Certificate from the Ministry of Local affairs about completing course (training trainers for elections), 1994.**

**Professional Experiences:**

1. **2010Assistant teacher at Faculty of Media /Najah University September,**
2. **2004-2008 Head Department of Journalism at AL-Najah university.**
3. **1991 – 1992, I wrote several articles about Palestinian Women conditions and have done coverage for women’s activities in Nablus for Al-Mar’a Magazine 1982 – October 1984 I worked as a teaching assistant of journalism at (An-Najah University Nablus).**
4. **May 1990 – May 1991**

**I worked as a freelance journalists for AP.**

1. **August 1989 until December 1992**

**I worked with CBS News as a stringer in Nablus provided them with Information and video tapes of events that have occurred in Nablus area, I arranged interviews with Palestinian Political Figures and academics for them, artists.**

1. **May 1991 – May 1992I worked with AFP.**
2. **November 1984 – February 1985**

**I worked as a supervisor of the photo-laboratory, gave lectures in journalism course at An-Najah University – Nablus.**

1. **Since 1989, I’ve been teaching journalism at AN-Najah University**
2. **1987 until October 1987**

**I began running Nableus press office; will in this period I worked with Several Mass Media, and concentrated on covering events in the North of the West Bank, during the Intifiada.**

1. **1986**

**I did two separate studies:**

* **The first, was in the Role of Palestinian Woman in Written Journalism, this project was sponsored by league of Arab Journalists in Jerusalem.**
* **The second, was “The Palestinian Women and settlement”. This project was sponsored by the Union Committees of Women’s work.**

1. **April 1985 until October 1985**

**I worked as a correspond for “Al-Darb” Newspaper in Social, economic public issues.**

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**In addition:**

1. **Internal examiner for a master degree in political since I conducted many Workshops for woman, about media democracy and election in PHF and An-Najah National University, 1997.**
2. **Name of the sis " Effect of Architectural Media on Development for Student Mohammad Dwaikat 2007I participated, with other photo Journalists, in the Exhibition of “Journal photo” in Jerusalem 1992.**
3. **Supervising Media Master degrees of An-Najah University.**
4. **. A member of the preparatory Committee fo AL-Quds Conference of An-Najah university 2008.**
5. **External expert for women Arab organization for establishing a media strategy for Un Arab women 2007-2008.**
6. **I worked in the Selection Committee and judging in the competition for the best journal health issue which was organized by Health work committees 2001, 2002 in Ramallah.**
7. **I was chosen as a counselor for Wattan T.V in Ramallah 1999.**
8. **I led the Selection Committee and judging the photo exhibition “The Right to Education: Young people under occupation” – November 12, 1998, Ramallah.**
9. **I am in the AUSACE Board of Directors since 15 April 1995 until now.**
10. **A member in "Tanweer" Cultural Center in Nablus.**
11. **I participated in the Exhibition of “Journal photo” took place in Institution of Abdel Hamid Shuman in Amman Jordan, 1993.**
12. **Research in communication population “ The role of media in population comunication issues with you UNFPA Project .**
13. **. I participated with work papers in several local and international workshops and conferences**
14. **in the sphere of Media a PR.**
15. **I’m the chief person in the women Desk in the Palestinian House of Friendship. This is an insulation that cares for ciric and society education, in addition to democracy Dialogue and conflict Resolution Activities.**
16. **I am a member in the Media committee, that worked for the Palestinian delegation, for Madrid conference, 1991.**

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**CAREER OBJECTIVES**:

To utilize my acquired knowledge in the fields of

Mass Communications and Journalism and to gain experience in teaching and researching.

**EDUCATION**:

**1991-1993**: Howard University, Washington, D.C., USA

Doctorate degree in Mass Communications

Graduated: December, 1993

Major GPA: 4:00; overall GPA 4:00/4:00

**1988-1989**: Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville, IL., USA

Master’s of Science degree in Mass Communications

Graduated: June, 1989

Major GPA: 4.6; overall GPA: 4.6/5:00

**1984-1987**: Winona State University, Winona, MN., USA

Bachelor of Arts degree in print Journalism

Minor in Political Science

Graduated: November, 1987

Major GPA: 3.093; minor GPA: 3.1; overall GPA: 3.040/4:00

**WORK EXPERIENCE**:

**October, 1994-**

**Present**: Assistant Professor, An-Najah National University, Nablus, Palestine

Teaching Journalism/Mass Communications courses

**September, 2003 ‏**

**Sept., 2004:** Journalism Dept. Chairman, An-Najah National University

**August, 1997-**

**August, 1999** JournalismDept. Chairman, An-Najah National University

**1997-2000** Teaching Mass Communications Courses, part-time,

at Birzeit University, Birzeit, Palestine

**August, 1993-**

**December, 1993**: Research Assistant, Howard Journal of Communication

and Middle East Affairs Journal

**January, 1992-**

**March, 1993**: Research Assistant, Academic Computing Services, Howard University,

Washington, DC, USA

Collecting, screening, scanning, entering data, and report writing

**March, 1987-**

**Sept., 1987**: Editor, Campus Life, Winona State University, Winona, MN., USA

Generating, editing, and layingout articles

**1994-Present:** Editor, Sawt An-Najah newspaper and Masha’el magazine, Dept. of Jornalism,

An-Najah National University, Nablus, Palestine.

**HONORS & ACTIVITIES**:

**2006**: Published a research entitled: “The role of communication in changing human behavior,” An-Najah Journal for Research.

**2004**: Published a research entittled: "People's right to know," An-Najah Journal for Research.

**1993**: Winner, National Collegiate Communication Arts Awards

**1991-1992 &**

**1993-1994**: National Dean’s List

**March, 1992**: Presented a paper to a communication conference at Central

Connecticut University, USA

**November**

**7-9, 1996**: Chaired a seminar entitled: The Role of Higher Education in the

Context of an Independent Palestinian State, organized by An-Najah

National University.

**May 18-22**: Participated in a workshop sponsored by the Department

of Journalism at An-Najah National University, Palestine

Broadcasting Corporation, and The Dutch Journalist Association.

**June 24-28,**

**1996**: Participated in a workshop sponsored by the departments of

Journalism at An-Najah National University and Georgia State

University, Atlanta, Georgia, USA.

**January, 2004:** Published a paper in An-Najah University Journal for Research (Humanities) (People’s Right to Know)

**SPECIAL SKILLS**

**& INTERESTS**: General Knowledge of Computer

Hobbies include reading, writing, travelling, and playing sports.

**REFERENCES**: Will be furnished upon request.