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The purpose of the CV:

Deepen experience, develop skills, and find suitable job opportunities

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Damascus, 12/05/1970

Overview:

I am a consulting architect and hold a Master's degree in Urban Engineering and Sustainable Urban Development from the Higher Institute of Regional Planning, Damascus University, in collaboration with the University of Marne-La-Vallee-Paris Est, France. I specialize in architectural design and sustainable urban planning, and am a visiting and associate professor at the Higher Institute of Regional Planning, Damascus University, a faculty member at Yarmouk Private University.

Academic qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree in Architecture from Tishreen University (currently Latakia) 1993-1994
- Master's degree in Urban Engineering and Sustainable Urban Development from the Higher Institute of Regional Planning, Damascus University, in collaboration with the University of Marne-La-Vallee-Paris Est, France, with a very good grade and a GPA of 82.58% & GPA 22.5/25 for a thesis entitled "Development and Renewal of Coastal Cities' Waterfronts and Their Impact on the Sustainable Urban Landscape."

Jobs:

- Visiting and Associate Professor at the Higher Institute of Regional Planning - Damascus University - Academic Master's 2021.
- Faculty member at Yarmouk Private University from 2021 until now.
- Former faculty member at Ittihad University 2021-2022.
- Mayor of Shaghour 2024.
- Head of the Building Maintenance Department - Damascus Governor's Office 2010-2012.
- Assistant Director of Information Technology, Training and Qualification, Damascus Governorate 2006-2008.
- Coordinator with French experts to conduct an aerial laser survey to produce a digitally corrected and updated map of Damascus, in integration with the Space Data Center of the General Authority for Remote Sensing, 2007.
- Coordinator with UNDP experts on the Municipal Management and Modernization (MAM) project in Old Damascus in order to integrate the work of ((GIS center, 2006.

Skills:

- Architectural Studies Consultant - Syrian Engineers Syndicate - Damascus Branch 2019.
- Planning Consultant - Syrian Engineers Syndicate - Damascus Branch 2019.
- Environmental Impact Assessment Expert accredited by the Ministry of Local Administration and Environment in cooperation with the Syrian Engineers Syndicate - Damascus Branch, GTZ Program.
- Member of the Heritage and Urban and Regional Planning Committees of the Engineers Syndicate - Damascus Branch, 2020-2021.
- Member of the Urban and Regional Planning Committee of the Engineers Syndicate - Damascus Branch from 2020 to date.
- Real estate appraisal expert at the Real Estate Finance Supervisory Authority - Ministry of Finance since 2024.
- Sworn judicial expert at the Syrian Ministry of Justice since 2019.
- Real estate expert at the State Council since 2023.

Internal training courses:

- A specialized training course (theoretical and practical) in the field of thermal insulation, in cooperation between the Ministry of Local Administration and Environment and UNDP, entitled "Practical Application of Thermal Insulation in Buildings." Supervised and received during the period February 4-6, 2020, at

the headquarters of the Ministry of Local Administration and Environment, Damascus, 2020.

- A specialized training course (theoretical and practical) in the field of energy conservation and renewable energy, in cooperation between the Ministry of Local Administration and Environment and UNDP, entitled "Photovoltaic Systems", supervised and received during the period 9-11/2/2020, at the headquarters of the Ministry of Local Administration and Environment, Damascus 2020.
- High-rise building design course, 15-19 September 2019, Damascus, Syrian Engineers Syndicate.
- French language training course from 9/7/2015 to 6/30/2016, Planning and International Cooperation Authority, French Language Training Center CLF, Damascus, 7/3/2016.
- Course in Management and Strategic Planning, INA Institute - Damascus Governorate Headquarters, 2007.
- Course in preparing annual plans "Modern Planning Methods", INA - Damascus Governorate, 2007.
- A course on preparing leaders to assume local administration duties, INA Institute - Damascus Governorate, 2007.
- B.O.T Course, INA Institute - Damascus Governorate, 2007.
- Crisis Management Course, in cooperation between the Egyptian National Planning Institute and Damascus Governorate, 2007.
- Three-month special course, D1 level, to learn French - CCF, Damascus, 2005.
- Three-month special Italian course, first level - Franciscan - Damascus 1997.

External training courses:

- International Conference on (GIS open source) 17-19/1/2007 Iran - Mashhad - Practical application in Tehran Municipality.
- 13-day informational course on GIS and its various applications, Egypt - Cairo 2007.

Local and international participations:

- Damascus 2040 Workshop: 15-Minute Neighborhood City – An Innovative Approach – University of Damascus – Higher Institute of Regional Planning in collaboration with the University of Dundee, Scotland – Department of Architecture and Urban Planning.
- Voluntary academic workshop entitled "Vision... Palmyra" - Faculty of Architecture - Damascus University, 16-26 April 2016.

- An international conference on the preservation of the heritage of the old city of Damascus, with broad international and Arab participation, and participation in the formulation of the final recommendations, Ministry of Higher Education - Supreme Council for Culture and Arts, Damascus 2002.

Computer skills and programs:

- Architecture REVIT.
- AutoCAD 2D.
- All other Microsoft utility programs.

Languages:

- Good English writing and speaking.
- Good French writing and speaking.
- A little Italian.

Special engineering works:

- Design and implementation of many private projects inside and outside Syria (in the Arab Gulf countries), too many to mention here.