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**EDUCATION**

**Doctorate of Juridical Science** (Scientia Juridicae Doctor, S.J.D), **American University, Washington College of Law**, Washington, D.C, August 2005.

Honors: Dean's Fellowship, 2004-2005.  
Research Assistantship, Subject area: Third World Approaches to International Law (2005).

**Master of Laws (LL.M)** in International Trade Law, **The University of Arizona, College of Law**, Tucson, Arizona, May 2001.

Honors: James E. Rogers LL.M Fellowship, 2000-2001.

**Bachelor of Laws (LL.B)**, **Yarmouk University, Department of Law**, Irbid, Jordan, June 1999.

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**CURRENT ACADEMIC POST**

**Associate Professor of Law, (September 2005-present)**  
**Faculty of Economics and Administrative Science (Accounting and Commercial Law Program), The Hashemite University, Zarqa, Jordan**

**VISITING ACADEMIC POSTS**

- Visiting Fellow, **International University College of Turin**, Turin, Italy (May-July 2009, May-July 2010)

Taught Masters course on Issues of Law and Finance in the Islamic World.

**CONSULTANCIES**

### **Consultant, The World Bank**

Carried out analysis of different laws, regulations, and rules to complete a template designed to capture Saudi Arabia's corporate governance regulatory framework and information on corporate governance practices. The assessment is used by the World Bank to determine how corporate governance works in Saudi Arabia and gauge progress in adopting reforms. (December 2007-May 2008).

### **Consultant, Government of Iraq and the United States Agency for International Development (USAID), IZDIHAR Project (Prosperity in Arabic)**

Advised on Iraq accession to the World Trade Organization and assisted in drafting Iraq's intellectual property laws, customs law, memorandum of foreign trade regime, and provided technical assistance including preparing comments and legal advice on variety of laws and regulations to be addressed to government officials and other interested parties on issues of WTO law. (February 2006-December 2007).

### **Consultant, Center for Institutional Reform and the Informal Sector (IRIS), Maryland, U.S. and Department for International Development (DFID), United Kingdom, Rule of Law in the Middle East Project**

Researched and analyzed various statutes and regulations regarding corporate laws, insolvency, judicial independence, secured lending, and enforcement of agreements and constraints on the state of six Middle Eastern countries- Algeria, Egypt, Jordan, Lebanon, Morocco, and Tunisia- as part of implementing the European Union Association Agreements with the Mediterranean area. (January-June 2004).

## **PUBLICATIONS**

### **Books**

1) JORDAN AND THE WORLD TRADING SYSTEM: A CASE STUDY FOR ARAB COUNTRIES (Germany: VDM Verlag, 2008), ISBN: 978 3 8364 9256 0.

### **Articles (Peer-Reviewed Journals)**

1) *Rules of Origin under U.S. Trade Agreements with Arab Countries: Are they Helping and Hindering Free Trade?* 10 Journal of International Trade Law and Policy 29-48 (2011). (United Kingdom).

2) *Sustainable Agriculture within WTO Law and Arab Countries*, 17 International Trade Law & Regulation 1-9 (2011). (United States).

3) *The Jordanian Intellectual Property Regime: Triangle of Copyright, Trademark, and Patent*, 7 Macquarie Journal of Business Law 237-261 (2010). (Australia).

- 4) *Come and Go? How Temporary Visa Works under U.S. Bilateral Trade Agreements with Arab countries*, 24 *Journal of Immigration, Asylum and Nationality Law* 145-158 (2010). (United Kingdom).
- 5) *U.S. Trade Relations with Arab Countries: Past, Present, and Future*, 9 *Global Jurist* 1-54 (2009). (United States).
- 6) *The Social Clause of the U.S.-Jordan Free Trade Agreement: One Step Forward*, 32 *Journal of Law* 11-42 (2008). (Kuwait).
- 7) *Arbitration and the World Trade Organization—The Forgotten Provisions of Article 25 of the Dispute Settlement Understanding*, 24 *Journal of International Arbitration* 173-188 (2007). (The Netherlands).
- 8) *E-Commerce in Light of International Trade Agreements: The United States-Jordan Free Trade Agreement*, 15 *International Journal of Law and Information Technology* 153-169 (2007). (United Kingdom).
- 9) *Anatomy of the Case of Arab countries and the WTO*, 20 *Arab Law Quarterly* 110-151 (2006). (The Netherlands).
- 10) *Islamic Law and Free Trade: Compatibility and Convergence*, 2 *Journal of Islamic State Practices in International Law* 37-54 (2006). (United Kingdom).
- 11) *Securing Peace through Trade Dividends: Qualifying Industrial Zones between the U.S, Israel, Jordan, and Egypt*, 13 *Currents: International Trade Law Journal* 3-8 (2004). (United States).

### **Book Reviews**

Book Review of "Chad P. Bown, *Self-Enforcing Trade: Developing Countries and WTO Dispute Settlement* (2009)", 9 *Political Studies Review* (2011).

Book Review of "Peter-Tobias Stoll, Jan Busche, and Katrin Arend (eds.), *WTO- Trade Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights* (2009)", *Global Law Books*, available at < <http://www.globallawbooks.org/reviews> > (2011).

Book Review of "Simon Lester Et. Al., *World Trade Law: Text, Materials and Commentary* (2008)", 2009:2 *Web Journal of Current Legal Issues* (2009).

## **COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT**

### **Volunteer, The United Nations Global Compact Project**

Reviewed and evaluated progress reports submitted by companies worldwide to foster corporate social responsibility by implementing the United Nations principles in the areas of human rights, labor, environment, and anti-corruption. (October 2007-February 2009).

## **RESEARCH GRANTS**

- Todd G. Patkin Fellow, **Saban Center for Middle East Policy, The Brookings Institution**, Washington D.C, United States (2008).

Authored a policy paper that analyzed trade relations between Arab countries and the United States and the impact of bilateral trade agreements on Arab economic and regulatory reform.

- **Deanship of Research and Graduate Studies, Hashemite University**, Jordan (2005-2007).

Received a grant to examine the amendments adopted in legislations, administration, and enforcement of intellectual property rights in Jordan to bring them in line with international standards.