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# PhD, M.Sc. & PGDip in Food Science, UK's Universities

**Research Interests:** Food Authenticity & Quality Control, Food Fraud Detection Approaches, Analyzing Food Hazards and Metal Detection, Assessing Consumers' Perception & Trust, Developing New Product & Functional Food, Food Security and Sustainability, Human Nutrition and Public Health.

# **Personal Profile & Objectives:**

Currently I am a lecturer on Food Authenticity & Quality Control. I am extremely interested in getting involve into your institution to make use the knowledge I got from the UK universities and in Kurdistan Region- Iraq to improve and develop this field and for my career skills now and in the future through the facilities available at your institution/ organisation.

I have special interests to work with your institution/ organisation on the aspect of teaching, collaborative and doing researches. I am hard-working, enthusiastic, highly adaptive and have strong analytical, laboratory, organizational and interpersonal skills that make me capable of successfully completing any project. I am looking forward for considering my application and work together in a better future.

Skills:	<u>Personal</u>	Computer, IT & Laboratory
	Adaptability at different cultures & environment	Questionnaire surveys design
	Excellent on communicating & time managing	Windows & Office
	Social orientation & well mannered	Data analysis
	Self- confidence and motivation	SPSS, Minitab

Able to work at multidisciplinary team Experimental design

Problem solving & Critical thinking PCR technique, DNA isolation,

Ambitious & curiosity Sequence analysis

Aware of multicultural diversity

Near-infrared spectroscopy

Flexibility in difficult situations Spectrophotometry

Can work under pressure Enzymatic assays

Attention to details Optical & Electronic Microscopy

# **Education History:**

2012-2017 PhD in Food Authenticity and Quality Control, University of Plymouth, UK Thesis's title: Authenticity and Quality of Muscle Foods: Assessing Consumer Trust and Fraud Detection Approaches.

2009-2010 M.Sc. in Food Safety and Quality Management, University of Greenwich, UK.

Dissertation's title: Consumer perceptions of chicken meat raised by different farming systems in the UK.

2008-2009 PGDip in Food Production Management, Nottingham University, UK.

**2001-2005** BSc. in Animal Resources, University of Salaha

ddin- Erbil, Kurdistan, Iraq.

# **Work Experience:**

2019- Present Visiting Lecturer at Nutrition and Dietetics Dept. at Cihan University- Erbil,
2018- Present Full time Lecturer at College of Agriculture, University of Salahaddin-Erbil.
2018- 2019 Visiting lecturer at Technical College-Akre, Duhok Polytechnique University.
2016- 2018 Worked as interpreter for Kurdish & Arabic with Language Empire Ltd, UK.
2011- 2018 Full time Assistant lecturer at University of Salahaddin- Erbil/ Kurdistan- Iraq.
2011-2015 Established and worked as coordinator for the ISAS Office in Erbil which represents several UK Universities and English institutions for helping students to get offers for English courses, M.Sc. and PhD degrees.
2005- 2008 Full time Lab Assistant at College of Agriculture, University of Salahaddin-Erbil.

# **Supplementary Education & Academic Activities:**

#### 1- Conferences

June 2021 The 4<sup>th</sup>- Scientific Conference on Outstanding Graduation Project by Students of Cihan University- Erbil, Panel Reporter.

**Dec. 2019** Erasmus Students Annual Conference, SGGW University, POLAND.

**April 2019** 3rd International Conference of Cihan University-Erbil on Biological & Health

Sciences (CIC-BIOHS'19). Organizing, Chair Committee, & Papers Reviewer.

**June 2017** School of Biological Poster, Presentation and Networking Event.

**July 2016** 4th ISEKI\_Food Conference- Bringing training and research for

Industry and the wider community/ Vienna- AUSTRIA.

**Janu. 2016** Joint Research group conference, Prize for best poster, Plymouth, UK

Nove. 2014 28th EFFoST Conference on Food Factory, Uppsala, SWEDEN.

May 2014 Institute of Food Science and Technology/Jubilee Conference, London, UK.

**June 2013** CARS Postgraduate Symposium Duchy College, UK.

#### 2- Workshops and Symposiums:

Oct. 2022 World Food Day: Leave No One Behind. Cihan University- Erbil, Kurdistan- Iraq

April 2021. Workplace Syndromes Symposium, Cihan University- Erbil, Kurdistan- Iraq.

Oct. 2019 World Food Day: Towards Healthy Diets. Cihan University- Erbil, Kurdistan- Iraq

**April 2019** Nutritional Traffic Light Labelling, Duhok University, Faculty of Education- Akre.

May 2019 International Workshop on Scientific Writing Skills Cihan University- Erbil,

**April 2019** Psychology of University Students, Cihan University- Erbil, Kurdistan- Iraq.

**March 2019** Building Healthy Life, Soran University, Kurdistan- Iraq.

**April 2016** Transferring your skills into an offer for services Plymouth, UK, (one day)

July 2013 Hands on Molecular Biology & Proteomics, Plymouth University, UK, (1 week)

### 3- Languages Skills (Fluent in Many Languages), Courses & Certificates:

Jan.- July 2008 English as a Foreign Language, Castle College, Nottingham, UK.

July- Sep. 2008 Academic Pre-sessional English course, CELE Nottingham University, UK.

June 2018 IELTS Certification, Plymouth, UK.

Native Kurdish (mother-tongue) & Fluent in English and Arabic.

### 4- Awards, Achievements & Scholarships:

2012-2017 Scholarship for studying PhD degree in the UK, HCDP, KRG.

March 2016 Prize for best poster, Joint Research group conference, Plymouth University.2008-2010 Scholarship for studying master's degree in the UK, Ministry of Higher Education

# 5- International cooperation & Academic partnerships:

- 1- Supervised an official delegation with 10 students from Nutrition Dept. of Cihan University- Erbil to Warsaw University of Life Sciences (SGGW) in Poland from 29 Nov. to 10 Dec. 2019.
- 2- Working with SGGW University to make strong relationship toward dual degree with Nutrition Dept. Also working on Erasmus Plus with SGGW University and other international organisation.

3- I conducted many international conferences, workshops, on Nutrition and Food Science. The most recognised workshop was on the occasion of "WORLD FOOD DAY" (WFD) on 16 October every year from 2019, to 2022. We were able to add Cihan University and Kurdistan Region-Iraq into the map of those 150 countries that celebrate the WFD BY FAO on their website.

- 4- I also worked through Cihan University- Erbil with University of Plymouth, UK and established and conducted international workshops presented by one of famous Scientist in the field of Environmental Nanotoxicology "Prof. Richard Handy" with more than 20,000 google citations.
- 5- I Established and worked as coordinator for the ISAS Office in Erbil represented several UK Universities helped students get offers for English, M.Sc. and PhD degrees from 2011 to 2016.

#### **Hobbies and interests:**

I enjoy team sports (football and badminton), and good on swimming. I also enjoy reading, cooking, watching TV & listening to music. I also have keen interests in traveling, photography, and learn about cultural diversity.

#### **Recent Publications:**

- 1- Zebari, S.M., Mahgoob, N.Q., Qahtan, M.N., Jassim, N.M., Adil, H.O. and Hashim, A.Q., 2022. Pre and Early Post-Operative Iron Assessment in Obese Patients Underwent Laparoscopic Sleeve Gasterctomy. *Cihan University-Erbil Scientific Journal*, 6(2), pp.153-160.
- 2- Szpicer, A., Bińkowska, W., Wojtasik-Kalinowska, I., Salih, S.M. and Półtorak, A., 2023. Application of computational fluid dynamics simulations in food industry. *European Food Research and Technology*, pp.1-20.
- 3- Galali, Y., Zebari, S.M., Younis, K., Rizgar, Z., Sidiq, N. and Taha, B., 2022. Influence of the COVID-19 Lockdown on the Lifestyles and Eating Behavior of Cihan University Students. *Cihan University-Erbil Scientific Journal*, *6*(2), pp.141-146.
- 4- Salih, S.M., 2017. Authenticity and Quality of Muscle Foods: Assessing Consumer Trust and Fraud Detection Approaches (Doctoral dissertation, University of Plymouth).

# **Attached Documents are Available on Request**