

Academic Curriculum Vitae

Personal Information

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Education

Oct. 2019 **Ph.D. in Public Law**, University of Nantes (France).

Title of the thesis: The role of the Federal Constitutional Court in the protection of the constitutional justice "The case of Iraq, Belgium and Switzerland",

2010 – 2011 **Master's degree in Public Law**, University of Nantes (France).

Thesis on the legal framework of the functioning of political parties (Kurdistan region/France).

2003 –2007 **Bachelor degree in Law**, University of Salahaddin-Erbil.

2003 **Baccalaureate - Literary, Erbil.**

Employment

2020 - Present **Lecturer**, University of Salahaddin-Erbil.

2019- 2020 **Assistant at the Student Affairs Department**, Faculty of Law and Political Sciences, University of Nantes.

2018 - 2019 **Reception tutoring**, Faculty of Law and Political Sciences, University of Nantes.

2013 - 2015 **Lecturer Assistant**, University of Salahaddin-Erbil.

2012 - 2015 **Head of Planning Department, College of law**, University of Salahaddin-Erbil.

Jan.–Aug.2014 **Human Resources officer**, Action Against Hunger (Int. Humanitarian NGO), Erbil.
Aid to displaced persons and refugees.

2007 - 2009 **Researcher assistant, college of Law**, University of Salahaddin-Erbil.

Qualifications

- Teaching qualifications:

Critical thinking, Teamwork, Organization, Patience, Imaginative thinking, Leadership, Time management, Communication, Punctuality, Conflict resolution, Reflectiveness.

- IT qualifications

SOFTWARES: Word, PowerPoint, Excel, SPSS, Photoshop, current office software Scolarge, Tigre and Celcat, Notions of internet content management, Good knowledge of IT tools in general.

- Language qualifications

Kurdish: Native language.

French, Arabic, English: advanced.

- Professional qualification

Teamwork; legal consultancy; organizational and planning capacity; taking initiatives at work, working independently; dispute resolution; development and management of human resources files.

Teaching experience

Teaching courses delivered to undergraduate students:

- 2023-2024: Public International Law 2nd stage, Dept. of Law.
- 2022-2023: Public International Law 2nd stage, Dept. of Law.
- 2021-2022: Human Rights 1st stage, Dept. of Law.
- 2020-2021: Constitutional Law 1st stage, Dept. of Law.
- 2014-2015: Academic debate 1st stage, Dept. of Law.
- 2013-2014: Administrative Law (in English) 2nd stage, Dept. of Law.

Research and publications

- **“The positions of the Federal Supreme Court on the election of the President of the Republic in Iraq”**, (An analytical study), Journal of Kufa legal and political science, University of Kufa, 2023, Volume 1, Issue 57, Pages 35-74.
- **“The international participation in the resolution of the issue of disputed territories in Iraq”**, (an analytical legal study), *TWEJER Journal of humanities*, Soran University, Special N°, 2023, pages 41-92. (in Kurdish).

- « **Discrimination positive et représentation politique en droit irakien** », In : Marie Baudel et autres, *Fragilité du droit, fragilité des droits*, Institut Francophone pour la Justice et la Démocratie, LGDJ, Paris, 2022, pages 65-83. (in French).
- « **The constitutional structures of the Federalism in the Middle East**», article published in: *Zanco Journal of humanity sciences*, Université de Salahaddin-Erbil, vol. 20, n° 3, 2016. (in English).
- "**The Executive power in the presidential parliamentary system**" Article published in: *Journal of Yasa u Ramyary*, University of Salahaddin -Erbil, Iraq, vol. 11, n ° 14, 2013. (in Kurdish).
- **Failed State**, legal and political studies, Book published in 2009. (in Kurdish).

Speaker in Conferences

- "**Positive discrimination and political representation in Iraqi law**", article presented at the conference *Fragilité du droit, fragilité des droits*, October 15, 2020, at the University of Nantes (in French).
- "**The constitutionalization of the status of Iraqi Kurdistan**", Communication presented at the 5^e journée de la jeune recherche en droit constitutionnel in Paris on June 27, 2016, at the University of Paris V (in French).

Conferences attended

- Colloque : Sacré et Droit, organisé par le Laboratoire IRDP / CDMO / DCS, Université de Nantes, (Novembre 2018).
- Colloque : Catégorisation des acteurs du Droit d’asile, Université de Nantes, (Novembre 2018).
- Colloque : L’approche de la QPC à la protection des droits et libertés dans les différents champs du droit : un bilan, Université de Nantes, (Octobre 2018).
- International Conference: The issue raised by the Scottish referendum and its impact on the future of the United Kingdom and Europe, University of Nantes, (September 2015).
- Forum of Salahaddin University-Erbil (Toward a Constitution for Kurdistan region), (May 2015).
- Jury member at the competition of Philip C. JESSUP in Washington D.C., United States, (April 2014).

Courses attended

- Juin-Nov. 2023: Shiraka Training Programme on Local Governance 2023, The Hague Academy for Local Governance, Held in the Hague, The Netherlands.
- Teaching Methods Course (11th Class), held in Erbil, Salahaddin University-Erbil, (January-march 2012).
- Intensive French language course, CUEF Center, Stendhal University, Grenoble 3 (France), (November 2009 – Jun 2010).
- Intensive English language course, Language Center, Salahaddin University-Erbil, (June – September. 2005).

Funding and academic awards

- Bursary of Kurdistan region government and French government, for studying French language and Master degree in France at Université de Nantes. (2009-2012).
- Travel grants from Université de Nantes, to present an article in the 5^e journée de la jeune recherche en droit constitutionnel, University of Paris V, (June 2016,).

Professional memberships

- March 2022- Present Forum of Federations in Iraq-FFI
- 2016 – Present Founding member of the French Association for Democracy and International Relations.
- Feb. 2017 - Present Volunteer interpreter, Global Interprétariat (France).
- 2007 – Present Member of the Union of Jurists of Kurdistan.

Professional Social Network Accounts:

Google Scholar: <https://scholar.google.com/citations?hl=fr&authuser=1&user=fcjSaqsAAAAJ>

Research Gate: <https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Shaho-Ahmed>

LinkedIn: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/shaho-ahmed-07258b207/>

Twitter: <https://twitter.com/AhmedShaho1>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/shaho.ahmed.3>