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| **Curriculum Vitae – Wisam Khalid Shaban El Shawa Kassab** |

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| **Personal Details** |

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| 19-1-1974 | Date of Birth |
| Associate Professor of English Literature | Academic Title |
| Al Quds open university - Gaza | Place of Work |
| English Poetry | Specialization |
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| **Educational Background** |
| Specialization | Country | University | Graduation Year | Academic Degree |
| English Poetry | Romania | Alexandru Ioan Cuza University | 17-12-1999 | Ph.D and M.A. |

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| **Relevant Experience** |

Work Experience:

1- A part time academic professor in Al Quds Open University in Khanyounis Branch January 2000- August 2000

2- A full time academic professor in Al Quds Open University- Gaza Branch from September 2000 till now.

3- A part time academic professor in Al Azhar University in 2005.

2- An English Language teacher in the Jordanian School in Bucharest 1996-1999.

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| Published Research papers |
| 1- Tennyson and the English RomanticsAl Aqsa University Journal- Gaza- 8th volume- the second issue 2004<http://www.alaqsa.edu.ps/site_resources/aqsa_magazine/files/20.pdf> |
| 2- Enhancing Learner Autonomy in Vocabulary Learning: How and Why? A research paper presented in Al Quds open University National Conference with collaboration with Amideast under the title:Improving TEFL Methods and Practices at Palestinian Universities |
| 3- E-Learning and its Role in Promoting English Language Acquisition: a Theoretical PerspectiveA research paper published in PERSA Journal in Gaza- the 19th issue 2012 |
| 4- The Impact Of Women On HemingwayA research paper published in Research Journal of English Language and Literature (RJELAL) <http://www.rjelal.com/Vol1.Issue%204/Dr.%20WISAM%20KHALID%20AL%20SHAWA%20108-119.pdf> |
| 5- John Keat's "La Belle Dame Sans Merci": A Stylistic AnalysisA research paper published in INTERNATIONAL JOURNAL OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE, LITERATURE AND TRANSLATION STUDIES (IJELR) Vol.2.S.1.,2015[http://www.ijelr.in/Vol.2.S1/27 41%20Dr.%20WISAM%20AL%20SHAWA.pdf](http://www.ijelr.in/Vol.2.S1/27%2041%20Dr.%20WISAM%20AL%20SHAWA.pdf) |
| 6- Stylistics Analysis of the Poem ‘To A Skylark’ By P. B. Shelley.A research paper published in IOSR Journal Of Humanities And Social Science (IOSR-JHSS) Volume 20, Issue 3, Ver. III (Mar. 2015), PP 124-137e- ISSN: 2279-0837, p- ISSN: 2279-0845. <http://www.iosrjournals.org/iosr-jhss/papers/Vol20-issue3/Version-3/Q02033124137.pdf> |
| 7- A Stylistic Analysis of Robert Herrick's To the Virgins: to make Much of TimeA research paper published in:Journal of English Language and Literature JOELL. Vol. 2. Issue 4. 2015<http://joell.in/wp-content/uploads/2015/10/A-Stylistic-Analysis.pdf> |
| 8- A Stylistic Analysis of Shakespeare's Sonnet 130. IOSR Journal of Humanities and Social Science(IOSR-JHSS)Volume 22, Issue 6, Ver.6 June 2017<http://www.iosrjournals.org/iosr-jhss/papers/Vol.%2022%20Issue6/Version-6/I2206066779.pdf> |

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| **Refereed papers for workshops and seminars** |

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| Titles |
| 1- A paper on e-learning: definition, classifications, aims, techniques, obstacles. This paper eas presented in the symposium of e-learning in universities- Al Quds Open university – the Roots Hotel ,17th May 2010.  |
| 2- A refereed paper entitled:Integrating Technology in English Language Teaching in Universities   Reasons and ChallengesThis paper was presented in the seminar on using IT and technologies in learning at universities on 28th May 2013 |
| 3- The main differences between American English and British English. This paper was presented in the seminar in Gaza Branch 2018 |

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| Activities |
| 1- Head of the organization committee of the English Language symposium on English language learning in Gaza in 2018.2- A member of the scientific committee of the Palestinian Prisoners in Literature which will be on September 2018.3- Head of the organization committee of the Palestinian Woman Conference – Al Quds Open University that was held on 10-11 September 2012 in Al Mathaf Hotel  |
| 4- A member in the organization committee for the first cultural competition on 2-4-2014 in Al Quds open Univerity. |
| 5- A member of the organizing committee of the seminar on e-learning 17-6-2010 |
| 6- A jury in the literary competition in Al Quds Open University on 13-4-2014 |
| 7- A member of the organizing committee of the English language conference entitled:Improving TEFL Methods and Practices at Palestinian Universities which was held on 20 October 20100 |
| 8- A member of the scientific committee of the conference entitled:Improving TEFL Methods and Practices at Palestinian UniversitiesAnd was held on 20 October 2010. |
| 9- The presenter of graduation ceremonies on 17-8-2015 |
| 10- A member of the organizing committee for the symposium entitles Kindergarten children in Gaza strip which was held on 21-11-2012. |
| 11- A member of the central committee of graduation ceremonies in 2013 |
| 12- A presenter of the distinguished students ceremony in Gaza 2015 |
| 13- A member of the self-evaluation committee of Al quds Open University |
| 14- A member of the scientific committee of the scientific day which was held by Al Quds Open University on 30-5-2015 under the title of:Teaching Speaking Skill in the Light of Modern Educational Trends |

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| Workshops |
| 1- Participating with the British Council Workshop on 15 January 2007. The title of the workshop is: Teaching communication skills to larger classes  |
| 2- Running a study session in the British Council on Lesson planning on 12 march 2007. |
| 3- Participation with the British Council Workshop on E-learning |
| 4- Participation with the British Council workshop onTeaching and developing Writing skill on 16 April 2007 |
| Teaching Mixed Ability Classes  21 May 2007 |
| : 5- Running a workshop under the patronage of the British Council on Successful learner Autonomy and learner independence in self-directed learning on 29 May 2007  |
| 6- A trainee in a training course by UNESCU and Save the children for 5 days on INEE MS Training course on 9-13 May 2009 |
| 7- Participating in training seminars on 11-12 February 2012 with Amidest : PFDP National Round tables on Higher Education in Palestine, Round table Six entitled Teaching and Learning, The University Teacher as Reflective Practitioner. |
| 8- Participating in the 7th seminar in Ramallah on 16-17 March 2012 :The 7th PFDP National Round table Seminar on Development and Management of Continuing Education  |
|  9- participating in The 8th PFDP National Roundtable Seminar on  “University-Private Sector Collaboration” in leaders Hotel on 21-22 April 2012. |
| 10- Participating in a group of workshops with UNESCU on ICT and Latina 4 Palestine on 10-13 November 2012.  |
| 11- A course on Virtual Classes in 2009 |
| 12- A training course for 50 hours on developed skills of e-learning November 2012- February 2013. |

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| Membership |
| A member in Arab Society of English language studies ASELS<http://asels.org/wisam-khalid-al-shawwa/> |
| A member in Al Fakhora for scholarships in 2012. |

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| Research papers refereed by me |
| An Analytical Study On The Fairies And Their Place In English Folklore And Literature (2008) Journal of Alazhar university-Gaza (Humanities |
| A powerful Feminist Discourse in Isabella Whitney's "The Lamentation upon the Death of William Gruffith" Journal of Alazhar university-Gaza (Humanities |
| An Investigation of English Teaching Methods and Practices in The English as a Foreign Language Classroom in Gaza Strip 2009Journal of Alazhar university-Gaza (Humanities |
| Attitudes at Al-Azhar University of Using E-Learning Resources in Developing Students' Speaking Skills: A Case Study. The First educational Conference- Al Azhar University |
| Improving TEFL Methods and Practices at Palestinian Universities for the conference of A Quds Open University. |
| Using Drama Activities and Techniques to Foster Teaching English as a Foreign Language: a Theoretical Perspective. For the conference of A Quds Open University. |
| و البحث كان بعنوان:Evaluating the Experience of Literature Teaching through Video Streaming at Al-Quds Open University. For the conference of Improving TEFL Methods and Practices at Palestinian Universities |
| Evaluating a group of papers on Teaching Speaking Skill in the Light of Modern Educational Trends |