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Curriculum Vitae

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Summary

I am currently Deputy of Technical College of Management- Mosul and a Lecturer in statistics at Northern Technical University (NTU). I have extensive experience in teaching across multiple applied statistics related programmes, years of study and teaching environments. I have a strong track record for delivering student centred teaching and enhancing the student experience and reputation of the School and University. I am a career researcher whose interests lie in applied statistics research and the study of upper limb recovery using modern prediction and classification modelling. I am therefore perfectly placed as a statistician with technical experience to work in evidenced based teaching and translational research that will impact statistics practice. I actively engage with publication and dissemination of research activity alongside preparation of grant applications for external funding. I have established links and collaborated with researchers who are recognised as international of excellence.

Education

2015 – 19 **PhD**, Applied statistics, *Applied statistical methods for prediction modelling of upper limb functional recovery after stroke*. Doctoral thesis, Keele University. UK

200 – 14 MSC, Applied statistics, Adaptive regression model (Comparison study), 2st class, Mosul university, Iraq.

1997 – 200 BSc (Hons), statistics, 3st class, Mosul university, Iraq.

Experience (Current role)

2019 – Research Assistant, Keele University

2019 – Teaching Lecturer in Department of Statistics and Informatics Technologies, NTU, IRAQ

2006-2014 Teaching Lecturer in Department of electrical power technologies, IRAQ.

Duties and responsibilities

Teaching

- Contribute to research-led teaching at undergraduate and postgraduate level
 - Programmes within the School of Technical college of Management Mosul/ Iraq BSc, MSc, MSc and Pre-reg Management Masters, BSc statistics and informatics techniques
- Undertake assessment and examination duties, including marking and organisation of assessments
- Supervise student research projects at undergraduate and postgraduate level
- Engage in appropriate research to contribute to excellence in research and evidence-based teaching
- Participate in student applied statistics placement supervision
- Teach statistics to undergraduate statistics and informatics techniques.
- Deliver lectures, seminars and practical classes across the undergraduate and postgraduate programmes using appropriate teaching, learning support and assessment methods.
- Module leadership development and identification of student learning needs and objectives.
- Innovative use of IT/technology in learning environments.
- Provide pastoral support to undergraduate and postgraduate students.
- Undertake defined administrative responsibilities.
- Participate actively in School income generation and promotional, innovation and enterprise activities.

Research

- Research Group Lead for the multidisciplinary School Allied Health Professions.
- Develop research collaborations within the University and externally at local, national and international levels
- Publish research papers in peer-reviewed journals and at appropriate national and international conferences.

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- Contribute to collaborative decision-making with colleagues in areas of research, using new research techniques and methods, and using creativity to analyse and interpret research data and draw conclusions on the outcomes.
- Use initiative and creativity to identify areas for research and potential sources of funding.
- · Working to deadlines and managing projects independently, both individual and collaborative research projects

Relevant skills

- Competent in the following software packages
- R, Latex, Matlab,
- Using SPSS of the data analysis.
- How to explain and interpret the results and writing the report.

Clinical

Design a Randomised Control trial (RCT)

Teaching and educational leadership

Keele University, 2014 - current

- Feb2001-Teaching Statistics/ First and Second Year (2001 2005). Teacher Higher Institutes of teacher in Al Zawiya, Libya
- Feb2006 Teaching Math's and Statistics/ First and Second Year (2006 2014). Teacher.
- Feb 2001- Jan2006 → Teaching Statistics/ Higher Institute of Teacher Training at Zawia/ Libya

Leadership and administration

- Jun 2006- July 2009 Manger of Statistics Unit Official/ Technical College/ Mosul, Iraq.
- July 2009- Oct 2013 → Quality and Performance Assessment Manager/ Technical College/ Mosul, Iraq.
- Sept. 2020 to Dec. 2021 Deputy for Administrative and Financial Affairs at the Technical College of Management – Mosul/ Iraq
- Dec. 2021 to till now Deputy for Scientific and Student Affairs at Technical College of Management Mosul/ Iraq

Publications

- 1. Dr Safa Y. Al-Saffawi, Ahmad N. Sheet, Al-shallawi, "Using an Adaptive Regression Model (A Comparative Study)", Al –Rafidian Journal, 2000. (Arabic Lang)
- 2. Ahmad N. Al-shallawi, "Estimate the parameter of linear regression model using flexible least square method ", The 12th Scientific Conference Foundation of Technical Education 2011. (Arabic Lang)
- 3. Khalid Mohammed Shaheen, Fatin Mahmoud Shehab, Ahmad Najim Sheet, "Environmental Awareness in the Community of Engineering Technical College/Mosul (Iraq)", "European Journal of Scientific Research." Volume 82 Issue 3. 2012.
- 4. Ahmad N. Sheet," A Comparison Between Support Vector Machine for Regression(SVR) and Neural Network Back-propagation(BPNN): Applied Study for Tigris Monthly Flow the Water in Mosul City", Iraqi Journal of Statistics Science (IRQ.J.S. S).2013. (Arabic Lang) 2013.
- 5. Fraser Philp, Ahmad Al-shallawi, Theocharis Kyriacou, Dimitra Blana, Anand Pandyan," Improving predictor selection for injury modelling methods in male footballers" BMJ Open Sport & Exercise Medicine 2020. 5.
- 6. M Alt Murphy, A Al-Shallawi, KS Sunnerhagen, A Pandyan," Early prediction of upper limb functioning after stroke using clinical bedside assessments: a prospective longitudinal study" Scientific Reports 12 (1), 2022
- 7. Ahmad NS Al-Shallawi, DKAR Al-Malah," Using Ordinal Regression Models to Predict the Difficulties of Blended Education and their Impact on the Teacher and Student. (As a Model for the Northern Technical University), journal Of AL-Turath University College 2 (34),2022.

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Abstracts:

- Al-Shallawi A, Blana D and Pandyan A," Predicting of upper limb recovery post-stroke", International Journal of Stroke, Volume11, Issue 4S, Nov. 2016. Poster/ Presentations at 11TH UK Stroke Forum Conferences.
- Al-Shallawi A, Blana D and Pandyan A," Improving variable selection for modelling recovery of upper limb function post-stroke", International Journal of Stroke, Volume12, Issue 5S, Nov. 2017. Poster/ Presentations at 12TH UK Stroke Forum Conferences.
- Al-Shallawi A, Blana D and Pandyan A," What cut-off is indicative of no upper limb function in the Action Research Arm Test? "International Journal of Stroke, Volume12, Issue 5S, Nov. 2017 Poster/ Presentations at 12TH UK Stroke Forum Conferences. Personal Interest (Travelling and sightseeing, Sports and music).
- Al-Shallawi A, Blana D and Pandyan A," Predicting of upper limb recovery post-stroke", RSS 2018 Conference being held on 03/09/2018 to 06/09/2018 at Cardiff City Hall

PhD thesis

1. Al-Shallawi, Ahmad Najim Sheet (2019) *Applied statistical methods for prediction modelling of upper limb functional recovery after stroke.* Doctoral thesis, Keele University. https://eprints.keele.ac.uk/view/creators/Al-Shallawi=3AAhmad Najim Sheet=3A=3A.html