Lena Ahmed Darweesh

Head of Product Design Department

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Language Proficiency

Language	Read	Write	Speak
Arabic	advanced	advanced	advanced
English	advanced	advanced	advanced
Others			

Academic Qualifications (Beginning with the most recent)

Date	Academic Degree	Place of Issue	Address
2015-2016	PHD	United	School of Art and Design
		Kingdom	
2004-2005	Masters	K.S.A	College of Design
2000-2001	Bachelor	K.S.A	College of Design

PhD, Master or Fellowship Research Title: (Academic Honors or Distinctions)

PhD	Loughborough University	
Master King Faisal University with Honors		
Fellowship IAU		

Professional Record: (Beginning with the most recent)

Job Rank	Place and Address of Work		Date
PHD	United Kingdom	U.K	2015
Lecturer	King Faisal University	K.S.A	2005
Teaching Assistant	King Faisal University	K.S.A	2001

Administrative Positions Held: (Beginning with the most recent)

Administrative Position	Office	Date
Head of Product Design	College of Design IAU	2015
Product Design Program Coordinator	College of Design U.O.D.	2014

Scientific Achievements

Published Refereed Scientific Researches

(In Chronological Order Beginning with the Most Recent)

#	Name of Investigator(s)	Research Title	Publisher and Date of Publication
1	Lena Ahmed Darweesh	(Visualizers versus Verbalizers in	The International Journal of Technology,
	Raneem Al Sulaim	Inflight Safety Animation Videos)	Knowledge and Society, Volume
			13, Issue 2, June 2017, pp.15-24.
2	Lena Ahmed Darweesh	Culturally Coded Artifacts.	International Journal of
			Interdisciplinary Social Sciences . 2012,
			Vol. 6 Issue 6, p1-13. 13p.
3	Lena Ahmed Darweesh	Nonverbal Behaviour as	International Journal of
		Communication: The Arabian	Interdisciplinary Social Sciences . 2010,
		Coffee Making Ritual.	Vol. 5 Issue 7, p175-181. 7p.
4	Lena Ahmed Darweesh	Designing with Culture in Mind	Design Principles & Practice: An
		(Continuity and Change).	International Journal . 2010, Vol. 4 Issue
			4, p1-9. 9p.
5	Lena Ahmed Darweesh	Dweller-initiated changes and	Unpublished MSC thesis. King Faisal
		transformations in Built	University, 2003
		environment: the impact of building	
		regulations	

Refereed Scientific Research Papers Accepted for Publication

#	Name of Investigator(s)	Research Title	Journal	Acceptance Date

Scientific Research Papers Presented to Refereed Specialized Scientific Conferences

#	Name of Investigator(s)	Research Title	Conference and Publication Date
1	Lena Darweesh	Paper Presentation (Cultural Identity in Arabic Typography) - The East Midlands Universities- postgraduate Research Conference, https://sites.google.com/site/emuconference2012/session-	Nottingham. 5 July 2012.
		list.	

Completed Research Projects

#	Name of Investigator(s) (Supported by)	Research Title	Report Date

Current Researches

#	Research Title	Name of Investigator(s)
1-	Design Related Issues (1)	Lena Darweesh, Nur Omar, Nora
2-	Design Related Issues (2)	Lena Darweesh, Lujain

Contribution to Scientific Conferences and Symposia

#	Conference Title	Place and Date of the Conference	Extent of Contribution
1	Public Educational Lecture	March 1 st	Organizer
	by KFUPM Engineer (Fadi		
	Abdel Kareem Al-Badour)		
2	Marhaba College of Design	Sept. 2016	Presenter
	Induction Day		
3	College of Design Induction	Sept. 2015	Presenter
	Day		
4	(Social Media as a	University Center Chicago, Chicago, USA,	Paper Presenter
	Knowledge Tool) - 9th	12–14 March 2015.	
	International Conference on		
	Design Principles and		
	Practices and the Design		
	Principles and Practices		
	knowledge community.		
5	Symposium (Heritage	Khobar. 10 April 2014.	Chair Session Member
	Conservation in the Middle		
	East)		

Membership of Scientific and Professional Societies and Organizations

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Teaching Activities

Undergraduate

#	Course/Rotation Title	No./Code	Extent of Contribution
			(no. of lectures/Tutorials. Or labs, Clinics)
1	Design Studio #3	PRDSG 201	Tutorials /Design studio
2	Design Studio #3	PRDSG 201	Tutorials /Design studio
3	User Centered Design #1	PRDSG 203	Lectures/ tutorials

4	User Centered Design #2	PRDSG 221	Lectures/ tutorials/ site visit (practical)
5	Models and Prototype #2	PRDSG 242	Lectures/ workshop/ practical training

Brief Description of Undergraduate Courses Taught: (Course Title – Code: Description)					

Course Coordination

#	Course Title and Code	Coordinatio n	Co- coordinati on	Undergrad.	Postgrad.	From	То
1	Design Studio #3- prdsg 201	Coordinator		Undergrad		2015	2016
2	Design Studio # 4-prdsg 201	Coordinator		Undergrad		2015	2016
3	User Centered Design #1 prdsg 203	Coordinator		Undergrad			
4	User Centered Design #2 prdsg 221	Coordinator	C0-	Undergrad		2015	2017
5	Models and Prototype #2 prdsg 242		C0-	Undergrad		2016	current

Guest/Invited Lectures for Undergraduate Students

#	Activity/Course Title and Code	Subject	College and University or Program	Date
	A member of an assessment panel for	Jury Member	University of Bahrain. College of	June 2014-
	undergraduate final design # 8 projects		the Arts	2015

Student Academic Supervision and Mentoring

#	Level	Number of Students	From	То
1		Department Students	2015	2017

Administrative Responsibilities, Committee and Community Service (Beginning with the most recent)

Administrative Responsibilities

#	From	То	Position	Organization
1	2014	Current	Head of the Product Design Department, College of Design	IAU
2	2016	Current	Head of the Industrial Production Lab (Nitaj	IAU
3	2014	2015	Head of the Academic Program Development Board, responsible for Founding and overviewing the initiation of the Industrial Design	IAU

	Department's academic program with University of Canberra y,	
	Australia	

Committee Membership

#	From	То	Position	Organization
1	2015	Current	Head of the Product Design, Academic Accreditation Committee at College of Design,	IAU
2	2015	Current	Member of College Council	IAU
3	2015	Current	Member of Department Council	IAU
4	2014	Current	Member of Product Design Program Development Committee Council with University of Canberra	IAU
5	2017	Current	Member of Strategic Planning Committee	IAU

Scientific Consultations

#	From	To	Institute	Full-time or Part-time

Volunteer Work

#	From	То	Type of Volunteer	Organization

Personal Key Competencies and Skills: (Computer, Information technology, technical, etc.)

1	2D, 3D RELATED SOFTWEAR (general)
2	DIGITAL DRAWING AND SKETCHING
3	OPERATING MACHINES:3D PRINTER, PLOTTER, MILLING, LASER CUTTING.
4	LASER CUTTING
5	MODELING AND PROTOTYPING

Last Update

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