



curriculum vitae

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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Date and place of birth	12.06.1988, Jeddah, Saudi Arabia.
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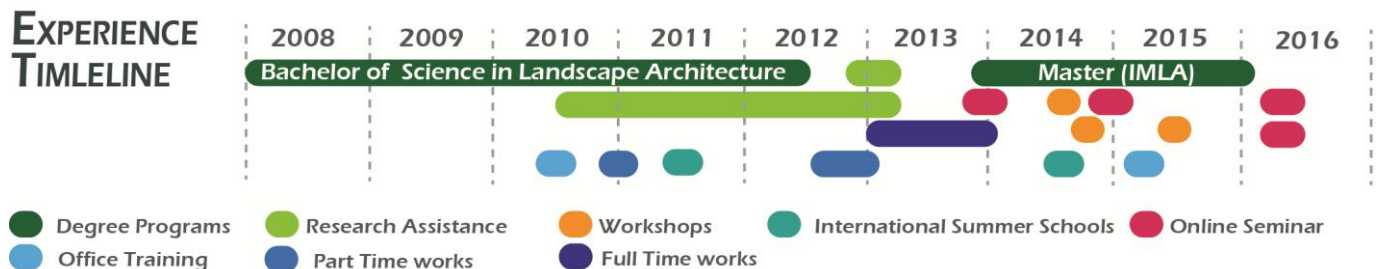


Figure: Timeline for my educational and work experience from 2008 till now

Educational Degrees

	Master Degree
• Date (from – to)	March 2014 - February 2016
• Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Weihenstephan-Triesdorf University of Applied Sciences, Freising, Germany International Master of Landscape Architecture (IMLA)
Duration of the program of study	Two Years (Program in English Language)
• Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	focusing in five main modules: Planning and Project Management, Information Technology in Planning and Design, International Planning and Design, Planning and Design Methods, Main Projects. In addition, program included local and international trips, projects, workshops and summer schools in Germany, Hungary, Austria, Tunisia and Bosnia as well as Online seminars and Internship.
• Title of qualification awarded	Master of Engineering Certificate of Master's Degree: International Master of Landscape Architecture
Final mark obtained	Final Cumulative Grade: 1.5/1 (Very Good) - (Grades scale: Lowest: 5 - Highest: 1) Final Master Thesis Grade: 1/1 (Full Mark - Very Good).

Master Thesis - 2015/2016	
Title	Sustainable Neighborhood: Improving Cities by Green Infrastructure. Case Study of Arriyadh City and Al-Masif Neighborhood, Saudi Arabia
Language	English
Supervisor	Prof. Dr. Dr. Olaf Kühne Dr.-Ing. Ellen Fetzer
Thesis Summary	<p>With the global concern of climate change and global warming as well as the necessity to improve the quality of community life, reveal a need for the development of sustainable strategies to overcome these issues. This master thesis "Sustainable Neighborhood: Improving cities by green infrastructure. The case study of Arriyadh city and Al-Masif Neighborhood" studies a traditional and modern approach of green infrastructure and neighborhoods development in both international and local contexts to provide sustainable neighborhood development in arid regions, especially in the Islamic and Arabic cities, using Arriyadh city and Al-Masif neighborhood as a case study.</p> <p>Arriyadh city has a great sustainable experience in the past through using sustainable and environmental friendly techniques, which resulted distinguished urban characteristics. This situation has been changed with its rapid urban growth and the oil boom since 1940s, which resulted in grey infrastructure depending on car oriented planning and concrete urban fabrics. Since 1980s, the government has been woke up again and started to come back to the green infrastructure through several projects. This research is supporting the past experience and the future vision of the city to improve Arriyadh in a sustainable way.</p> <p>The methodology of thesis is studying and understanding the concept of green infrastructure and sustainable neighborhood development including international and local case studies. Followed by, deep analysis of Arriyadh city and Al-Masif neighborhood including its urban development and growth, green infrastructure experience, and neighborhood patterns to understand the past and current situation. Both literature review as well as Arriyadh city and Al-Masif neighborhood analysis concluded by matrixes explaining the interconnected relations of green infrastructure components and benefits to understand the typical model of the concept in the international context and evaluate the current condition of Arriyadh city and Al-Masif neighborhood. On the basis of this literature and analysis evaluation, sustainable neighborhood strategies and guidelines for Al-Masif neighborhood were developed, which balance the environmental, social and economic aspects. The concept includes open spaces, urban nodes, and services structures in short walking distance as well as mixed landuse, easy accessibility and green walkable and cycling corridors linked with sustainable public transport system, which all encourage public awareness and participation.</p> <p>In addition, this research will help developers, planners, designers, communities to develop sustainable neighborhoods and improve the quality of life for more livable cities.</p>

Bachelor Degree	
• Date (from – to)	2008 - 2012
• Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Department of Landscape Architecture, Faculty of Environmental Design, King Abdulaziz University, Jeddah , Saudi Arabia
Duration of the program of study	5 Years
• Principal subjects/occupational skills covered	Landscape Architecture: artistic and technology courses and projects in different scales: Site analysis, site planning and design, site details and construction, urban design, landscape planning. Program included International summer school in Istanbul, Turkey for one month about Islamic Urban Heritage as well as two periods of internship.
• Title of qualification awarded	Bachelor of Science in Landscape Architecture
Final mark obtained	GPA: 4.83/5 (Excellent - First Honors) - (Grades scale: Lowest: 1 - Highest: 5) Final Graduation Project : 98/100 - (Grade scale: Lowest: 60 - Highest: 100)

Graduation project - 2011/2012	
Title	Documentation and Preservation of Historical Sites in Aden, Yemen
Language	Arabic
Supervisor	Prof. Dr. Ahmed Al-Gilani. Prof. Dr. Abdulkader Al-Gilani

Project Summary	Aden has very unique history from antiquity till British colonial period which has variety of historical sites such as fortifications, mosques, religion places for non-Muslims, markets, plazas, historical buildings and palaces, transportation facilities, water facilities and resources. In this graduation project, more than eighty of historical sites were documented, analyzed, evaluated and classified according to its historical period, value and importance, conditions, human activities, its context. Then according to this classification, strategy of preservation for context and historical sites determined as well as revitalization programme created through different types of historical and cultural trails and tours. This methodology was covered deep analysis and studies as well as setting strategy included: Aden history studies, historical places documentation (research - field - Specialists and citizens interviews), city studies and analysis (natural, built , social, economic , tourism and SWOT Analysis), places classification and preservation strategy, Master plan and tours concepts, and finally, site selection criteria and site planning and design.
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Certifications

Certifications of language knowledge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - English - IELTS score 6 in 2016 (Listening: 6.5 , Speaking: 6.5 , Writing: 6 , Reading: 5.5). - Certificate of Professional English Business Course in October 2012. Wall Street Inst., Jeddah, Saudi Arabia. - certificate of English courses (levels 1 to 8), finish in August 2012. Wall Street Inst., Jeddah, Saudi Arabia. - German language certificate of level A2.2 in 2016 at Deutsche Akademi in Munich, Germany.
Certification of Project Management Professional (PMP)	- " PMP Preliminary " in 2011, with 8 PDUs included : Integration, Scope, Time, Cost, Quality and HR Knowledge Area (KA) Management , taken at iThinker Institute and supported by International American Institute for professional project management (PMI).
International Summer Schools	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - "Islamic Urban Heritage: Research - Preservation - Management" Istanbul, Turkey. One month from 27 June - 29 July, 2011. - "Towards a Sustainable Development of The Littoral Coast in Tunisia. Case study of LELLA HADHRIA, Island of Djerba" Djerba, Tunisia. From 22 Sep. to 03 Oct. , 2014.
International Workshops	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - "Recovering Trebevic Mountain", Sarajevo, Bosnia. From 25 May to 06 June, 2015. - "The RINGpark - Refining a faded jewel", 10th International Wurzburg Architecture Workshop, Wurzburg, Germany. From 15 to 25 Oct., 2014.
Online Seminars As part of IMLA International Master of Landscape Architecture, Germany One Time per Week	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - "Landscape Education for Democracy". March - June, 2016. Spring Semester. - "Social Entrepreneurship for Local Change". March - June, 2016. Spring Semester. - "Green Infrastructure". Oct. - Feb., 2014/15. Winter semester. - "International Perspectives on Planting Design". Oct. - Feb., 2013/14. Winter semester.

Work experience and office training

• Date (from – to)	Feb. - May, 2015 (3 Months - Internship as part of Master program)
• Name and address of firm/university	Bödeker Partner office, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia (German Office).
• Type of business or sector	Landscape Architecture.
• Type of employment	Full time as a Landscape Architect.
• Main activities and responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Participation in landscape architecture planning and design tasks in different scales for short time (site surveying, maintenance, site construction, site planning and design, urban design, environmental planning) including sketches, concept illustrations, plans, sections, elevations, construction details. - Account BOQ for projects. - Join meeting.

• Date (from – to)	April 2013 -Feb. 2014 (11 months).
• Name and address of firm/university	High Education Ministry, Saudi Arabia.
• Type of business or sector	Consultant Committee of The king Abdullah Project for Madinah City Development and The Prophet Mosque Expansion.
• Type of employment	Full time as a Landscape Architect.
• Main activities and responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Participation in planning and design tasks (urban design scale) including sketches, concept illustrations, plans, sections, elevations, 3D modelling. - GIS digitizing for geographical and historical sites in the city of Medinah. - Planning standards calculation tasks. - Join meeting.

• Date (from – to)	Nov. 2012 - March 2013 (5 months)
• Name and address of firm/university	Work for Prof. Dr. Ashraf Al-Turkey at Department of Landscape Architecture, Faculty of Environmental Design, King Abdulaziz University, Jeddah, Saudi Arabia.
• Type of business or sector	Landscape Architecture and Urban Heritage
• Type of employment	Full time as a Research Assistant.
• Main activities and responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Research about "Revival of Historical Gardens" in Madinah, Saudi Arabia including reports, presentation, workshop organization, as well as interviews and meeting.

• Date (from – to)	2012 - 2013 (3 years - not continuous)
• Name and address of firm/university	Work for Prof. Dr. Ahmed Al-Gilani at Department of Landscape Architecture, Faculty of Environmental Design, King Abdulaziz University, Jeddah, Saudi Arabia.
• Type of business or sector	Landscape Architecture
• Type of employment	Part time as a Research Assistant.
• Main activities and responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Several researches about Studying the relation between plants design and the environment of Arabian Peninsula.

• Date (from – to)	June 2012 - March 2013 (10 months)
• Name and address of firm/university	Urban Renaissance Solutions Office, Jeddah, Saudi Arabia.
• Type of business or sector	Landscape Architecture
• Type of employment	Part time for tasks as a landscape architect.
• Main activities and responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Several projects in site design scales for small projects (residential and industrial projects) including concepts, plans, sections, elevations. - Join meeting.

• Date (from – to)	Summer, 2010 (two months - Internship as part of Bachelor program)
• Name and address of firm/university	Hijaz Garden Company, Jeddah, Saudi Arabia
• Type of business or sector	Landscape Architecture
• Type of employment	Full time as a landscape architect.
• Main activities and responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Several projects in site design scales for small projects including analysis, concepts, plans, sections, elevations. - Account BOQ for projects. - Join meeting.

• Date (from – to)	2010/2011 (two tasks).
• Name and address of firm/university	Eng. Eyad Fadel Office for Engineering Consultation, Jeddah, Saudi Arabia.
• Type of business or sector	Landscape Architecture
• Type of employment	Tasks as a landscape architect.
• Main activities and responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Two Landscape Architecture Projects Tasks in Taif, Saudi Arabia including analysis, concepts, plans, sections, elevations. - Join meeting.

Personal skills and competences .
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Mother tongue	Arabic
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Other language(s)

	English	Germany
• reading, writing, speaking, Listening	Very Good	Elementary

Social skills and competences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Very good in Communication skills , Create communication bridges with cultures around the world. - Member at many clubs in the faculty such as social club, faculty students club and green life club. - Participate in many exhibitions inside and outside the faculty. - Participate in campaigns to raise awareness in society. - Participate in Football Faculty Team in University Five -a- Side Football League.
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Organisational skills and competences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - High level of ambition & motivation capable of taking responsibilities and do hard works. - Very good in Team leadership , Encouragement for achievements , Cooperating , Time management , and Positive thinker. - Very good in research and discovering more knowledge . - Vice-chairman of landscape architecture students club. - Participate in many Faculty meetings as a representative of landscape architecture students. - Participate in many Department meetings as a representative of my level students. - Leader of many team works for Academic projects during studying.
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Technical skills and competences	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Very good in AutoCad, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator , Adobe InDesign, ArcGIS, Microsoft Office. - Good in REVIT Architecture, 3D Max.
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Self-Improvement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Intensive-one-month self improvement program about "Success Rules" including courses of : <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The Planning Personal. 2. Achievement and Balance in the Life. 3. Thinking Creative. 4. Positive Thinking. 5. The Development of Self-Confidence. 6. The Financial Intelligence. 7. Patterns of Personal Analysis. 8. Problem-Solving and Decision-Making. 9. The Skill of Oratory. 10. Effective Communication Skills . from 21st February to 21st March 2016. Online in Arabic Language by Trainer Khaled Al-Harbi, certificates of Proficiency by Canada Global Center Consulting and Training. - "Active Changing Strategies" in 2012. Ershad Center for Consultation, Jeddah, Saudi Arabia. - " Creative Thinking" in 2008. Community Services & Continuing Education at KAAU - "Keys to Success " in 2007. EIC club in king Abdulaziz Univ. (KAAU), Jeddah, Saudi Arabia. - "School Success Skills" in 2006. Life Skills Training Center, Jeddah, Saudi Arabia. - Many small self improvement courses without certificates such as : time management , Confidence ... etc.
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<p>Additional information</p>	<p>Research Interests: Islamic Urban Heritage, Historical Sites Documentation and Preservation , Urban Planning and management, Green Infrastructure, Sustainable Development, Urban Corridors .</p> <p>Academic Projects:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - “The RINGpark Wurzburg-The LINK” Wurzburg, Germany. Teamwork - Design studio at Weihenstephan-Triesdorf University of Applied Sciences, Germany. 2014/2015 Winter Semester. - “Munich Suburb Development - Settling The North” Munich, Germany. Teamwork - Planning studio at Weihenstephan -Triesdorf University of Applied Sciences, Germany. 2014/2015 Summer Semester. - “Documentation and Preservation of Historical Sites in Bader” Bader, Saudi Arabia. Leader of Teamwork - Landscape Planning studio at King Abdulaziz University, Saudi Arabia. 2010/2011 Spring Semester. - “Historical Museum Park ” Madinah, Saudi Arabia. Leader of Teamwork - Design and Details studio at King Abdulaziz University, Saudi Arabia. 2011/2012 Fall Semester. - “Redevelopment of KAU Girls Campus ” Jeddah, Saudi Arabia. Leader of Teamwork - Urban Planning and Design studios at King Abdulaziz University, Saudi Arabia. 2010/2011 Fall Semester - 2009/2010 Spring Semester. - “Sport Complex Design” Jeddah, Saudi Arabia. Teamwork and Individual Work - Design Process studio at King Abdulaziz University, Saudi Arabia. 2009/2010 Fall Semester. - “Cultural Museum ” Old Jeddah, Saudi Arabia. Teamwork and Individual Work - Site Analysis and Design studio at King Abdulaziz University, Saudi Arabia. 2009/2010 Spring Semester. <p>References:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Dr. Abdulkader A. Al-Gilani Acting Vice Dean, Assistant Professor, Department of Landscape Architecture, Faculty of Environmental Design, King Abdulaziz University, Saudi Arabia. Supervisor for my bachelor graduation project. Email: thegilani@gmail.com - Mobile: +966500488775 - Prof. Dr. Dr. Olaf Kühne Professor regional development, International Master of Landscape Architecture Program (IMLA) at Weihenstephan-Triesdorf University of Applied Sciences, Germany Supervisor for my master thesis . Email: olaf.kuehne@hswt.de - Mobile: +49 8161 713919 - Prof. Dipl.-Ing. Ingrid Schegk Programme Director of International Master of Landscape Architecture (IMLA) at Weihenstephan-Triesdorf University of Applied Sciences, Germany Email: ingrid.schegk@hswt.de - Mobile: +49 8161 715247
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