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Nationality, Date of Birth	Jordan, 1975

Education

Masters in Diplomacy and International Relations, Jordanian Institute of Diplomacy 2002
Practitioners' license obtained following approval of research thesis entitle "Law Suits against Government", Jordanian Union of Advocates, 1997.

B.A. specializing in law, Yarmouk University, 1995.

The following are a representational selection:

Participated in training course: "Human Rights and the Administration of Justice in the Middle East and North Africa", 8-13 March, 2004.

Participated in Human Rights Training Course, October 16 - 1 November 2003, Copenhagen, Denmark, organized by the Danish Institute for Human Rights.

Participated in Regional Dialogue about Women and the Law: "Supporting Voices of Change", in Amman, 16-18 April 2004, organized by the Jordanian Ministry of Justice and the American Bar Association.

Participated in the regional seminar on "Experiences with Ombudsman Mechanisms in the Arab Region", at the Swedish Institute in Alexandria, Egypt, 29 March-1 April 2004, organized by the National Council for Women in Cairo, in cooperation with the Swedish international Development Agency (SIDA).

Participated in seminar entitled "Training of Trainers on Action for Children" organized by UNHCR in Jordan, February 2003.

Participated in regional seminar entitled "Post September 11/2001- Era and Subsequent Attempts to Suspend Human Rights and International Humanitarian Law" in Ankara, Turkey, 18 August-2 September 2001.

Participated in the Global Consultation on the Protection of Refugees held in Geneva, 8-9 March 2001.

Participated in Meeting of the High Commissioner for Refugees with Non-Governmental Organizations in Tunisia, 4-9 November 2000.

Participated in seminar entitled "Human Rights and Mechanisms of Security" organized by the Danish Institute for Human Rights, November – December, 2003.

Participated in seminar entitled "Mechanism and Skills of Operation in the Field of Human Rights" at the Arab Center for the Independence of Judiciary and Advocacy in Cairo, Egypt 1999.

Career

Executive Director: Mizan Law Group for Human Rights (2003 – present)

Evaluator: Euromed Youth Programme III in Jordan (2008)

Legal Advisor: UNHCR (2003)

UNHCR Focal Point for NGOs working for refugees in Middle East and North Africa for UNHCR (2000 – 2002)

Legal Counselor /Project Manager: Mizan Law Group for Human Rights (1998-2001)

Lawyer: Private Practice (1997-1998)

Current Position

Executive Director: Mizan Law Group for Human Rights
International women of courage Award 2011 – US Department of state.

Professional Memberships

1. Founding member of Mizan Law Group for Human Rights.
2. Member of the Jordanian Coalition for Support of the International Criminal Court and coordinator in the period preceding Jordan's adoption of the Rome Statute in 2003.
3. Member of the Board of Trustees for Amman-Net Radio Station.
4. Keynote speaker at regional seminar entitled "Women's Rights In Arab-Muslim Societies", in Amman, Jordan, November 2009.
5. Cultural Workshops entitled "Dialogue between Religions and People in Euromed and the Gulf": the first in Paris, France, September 2006, the second in Alexandria, Egypt, January 2008 and the third in Marseilles, France, November 2008.
6. University of Malta Mediterranean Academy of Diplomatic Studies, February 2007.
7. Participated in the 2nd and 3rd International Congresses against the Death Penalty in Montréal, 6-9 October 2004, and Paris, 1-3 February 2007.
8. Arab Institute for Human Rights Tunisia, June 2009.
9. Seminar on "Human Rights and the Administration of Justice in the Middle East" held in Beirut, Lebanon, 8-13 March 2004, organized by the Royal Wallenberg Institute of Lun University, Sweden

Specialisations

Gender Equality and Women's Rights
Human Rights Education
Legislation Drafting
Submission of Reports to United Nations Committee Mechanisms

Languages

English, Arabic