د. مـحمـد بـَـكِــر Dr. Mohammed Baker

Education:

- PhD in Fine Art Studies (Practice-Led in Contemporary Arts), Art and Design Department, Faculty of Art, Computing, and Creative Industries, Sultan Idris Education University (UPSI), Malaysia, 2015.
- Master of Fine Arts, Plastic Arts Department, Yarmouk University, Jordan, 2008.
- Bachelor of Fine Arts, Painting and Drawing Major, Yarmouk University, Jordan, 2005.

Research and Teaching Experience:

Experience	Schools	Universities	Countries of research, teaching, and artistic	
Duration			experience	
12 years	4	8	Oman, Qatar, Malaysia, UK, Jordan, UAE,	
			Yemen, Singapore,	

Latest activities (conferences and art events):

- **December 2016,** publishing an article in the Art and design Department Journal, UPSI, Malaysia, Perak.
- **February 2016, presenter in the** 14th International Conference on Humanities and Social Science (with journal publication).
- **February 2016, presenter in the** 11th International Conference on Advances in ICT for emerging issues in Society (with journal publication).
- March 2015, Art and Economy Conference, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.
- March 2015, Al-Asmakh International Symposium of Art, Doha, Qatar.
- January 2015, publishing an article in the Art and design Department Journal, UPSI, Malaysia, Perak.
- **December 2014, presenter in the** 4th international conference on advances in social sciences (with journal publication), Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

History of full-time employment:

Position	sition Institution		From	То
Assistant	Scientific College of Design			
Professor in	Affiliated with Lebanese	Oman	1 October	30 February
Art and Design	American University		2015	2017
Lecturer of Art	Limkokwing University of	Malaysia	15 July	15 March
and Design	Creative Technology		2011	2013
Instructor of	Scientific College of Design	Oman	15	30 June
Fine Arts	Affiliated with Lebanese		September	2011
	American University		2009	
Teacher of Art	United Nations Relief and	Jordan	12 march	22 august
Education	Workers Agency for		2006	2009
	Palestinian Refugees			
	(UNRWA)			

Note: I worked as Part-time Lecturer in the following institutions from 2008 to 2009:

- 1. Faculty of Art and Design at the University of Jordan.
- 2. Faculty of Fine Arts, Yarmouk University.

Teaching experience in the following areas:

Art and Design: Cultures and Ideas	Post Modern Art			
Design Analysis	Contemporary art			
Art and Design Foundation	Art Criticism			
Color Theory	Art History			
creative art compositions	Islamic Art Seminar			
Figurative drawing and painting	Art of Calligraphy			
artistic anatomy	old masters techniques			
still life, landscape and portrait	Art and Design Research and Practice			
painting	Methodologies			

Awards:

- 2009: First Medal in the Youth Creative Competition, Ministry of Culture, Jordan.
- 2007: First Medal in the Youth Creative Competition, Ministry of Culture, Jordan.
- **1999: Silver Medal** of painting in the International Children's Competition of Shinkar, India.

Conferences:

• **2013 April:** VIII Conference of Contemporary Arab Art, Yarmouk university (presenter), Irbid, Jordan.

- **2012 December:** International Conference on Integrated Knowledge (presenter), Monash University, Sunway campus.
- **2012 December:** International Conference on the Role of Science & Art in Islamic Civilization Renewal. International Institute of Advanced Islamic Studies, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.
- **2012 November:** International Conference on Higher Education Leadership & Management, Sunway-putra Hotel, Kuala Lumpur.
- **2008:** the 4th Mediterranean Congress of Aesthetics (presenter), Al-Yarmouk University. Jordan.

Associations:

- **2014** member of the Association of Modern & Contemporary art of the Arab World, Iran & Turkey. Located in the US, Texas.
- **2010** Member of the Quality Assurance committee. Scientific College of Design, Muscat, Oman.
- **2008:** Secretary of the Jordanian Plastic Artists Association. Amman, Jordan.
- **2007:** Seasons, a group exhibition at Orient Gallery. Amman, Jordan.
- **1999:** A volunteer member of Peace Child International, London, UK.
- **2001-2015:** Organizing and contributing in many artistic and creative events, with number of Middle Eastern and international artists on local and international levels.

Courses:

- **2008:** courses in journalism, project planning and advocacy, Center for Defending Freedom and Journalists, Amman, Jordan.
- **2007:** UNISCO national training on copyright as a development tool for cultural industries, Amman, Jordan.
- **2004:** Video art course with the artists Maha Mustafa and Ibrahim Rashed at Darat Al-Funon, Amman, Jordan.

Published Books:

• **1999:** Co- Author on **PACHAMAMA**, Book published under the title (Pachamama) by United Nations environment program (**global environment outlook for young people**), at Peace Child International HQs London, united Kingdome.

Languages: I speak fluent English and Arabic. Marital Status: Married.