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### **Education**

- Decorate of Parks, Recreation and Tourism Management, Clemson University, USA, 2015.
  - Ph.D. Dissertation “Vulnerability and Resilience Assessment of Ecotourism to Climate Change in Dana Biosphere Reserve, Jordan.
- MA in Geography, University of Jordan, 2006.
  - Master’s Thesis “The Seasonality of Tourism in the Petra Region”
- BA in Geography, University of Jordan, 2002.

### **Academic Experience**

- Associate Professor, Department of History and Islamic Civilization- Tourism Guidance, University of Sharjah, Kalba, UAE (August 2023- present)
- Associate Professor, Department of Tourism Management, University of Jordan, Aqaba (September 2020 - present).
- Assistant Professor, Department of Tourism Management, University of Jordan, Aqaba (September 2015 - 2020).
- Teaching Assistant, Department of Travel and Tourism Management, University of Jordan, Aqaba (August 2009 - August 2010)
- Geography Teacher, Ministry of Education, Jordan (September 2002- January 2004).

### **Professional Employment**

- News Writer and Editor, Directorate of Moral Guidance, Jordan Armed Forces (April 2004- July 2009).

### **Administrative Positions**

- Chair, Department of Tourism Management, University of Jordan, Aqaba (2022 - 2023).
- Chair, Department of Tourism Management, University of Jordan, Aqaba (2020 -2021).
- Assistant Dean for Student Affairs, Faculty of Tourism and Hospitality, University of Jordan (2016 - 2018).

### **Awards & Scholarships**

- Erasmus+ Staff Mobility Scholarship for teaching in the department of Tourism Management, Gaziantep University, Turkey, July 10-14, 2023.
- Erasmus+ Staff Mobility Scholarship for teaching at the Faculty of Business and Economics, Mendel University in Brno, Czech Republic, May 9-13, 2022.
- Erasmus+ Staff Mobility Scholarship for teaching at the Center for Advanced Studies in Tourism – University of Bologna, Rimini Campus, Italy, September 24-28, 2018.
- George Wright Society (GWS) Graduate Student Travel Scholarship to attend the 2015 George Wright Society Conference on Parks, Oakland, California, U.S.A, March 29-April 3, 2015.

- A Scholarship from the University of Jordan to study towards Ph.D. in Tourism, Parks, and Recreation Management at Clemson University, U.S.A, 2011 - 2015.

### **Funded projects**

- A research grant (\$5,500) from the Deanship of Scientific Research, University of Jordan, 2021.
  - Title: A multi-method investigation of the environmental impacts of climate change in Dana Biosphere Reserve.

### **Courses Taught (Undergraduate):**

- Introduction to Tourism Industry
- Geography of Tourism
- Ecotourism and Sustainability
- Tourism and Local Community
- Geography of Jordan
- Tourism Planning and Development
- English for Tourism and Hospitality
- Principles of Statistics
- Tourism Statistics
- Tourism in Jordan
- Special Topic
- Tourism Destination Management
- Hospitality Industry
- Art of Museums
- Tourism Products Management
- Tourism Guidance

### **Research Interests**

- Ecotourism
- Sustainable tourism
- Protected areas management
- Environmental conservation
- Climate change adaptation
- Environmental issues in tourism

### **Research Publications**

- Alazaizeh, M. M., Mura, P., & **Jamaliah**, M. M. (Under review). Community's Support for Local Cultural Festivals: The Role of Value Orientation toward Intangible Cultural Heritage. *Tourism Review*.
- **Jamaliah**, M. M., Alazaizeh, M.M., Sabuhoro, E., & Al-Awaji, M. (2024). Climate Change Through the Eyes of Recreational Hunters: Impacts on Wildlife and Adaptive Responses. *Human Dimensions of Wildlife*.
- Alzghoul, Y. A., **Jamaliah**, M. M., Alazaizeh, M.M., & M.M, Mgonja., & (2023). How Tour Guide Shapes Tourist's Pro-Environmental Behavior at WHS: Cultural vs. Natural. *Journal of ecotourism*.
- Alazaizeh, M. M., **Jamaliah**, M. M., M. M., Mgonja, & Alzghoul. (2022). Tour guide and tourist loyalty toward cultural heritage sites: a signaling theory perspective. *Journal of Tourism Planning and Development*.

- **Jamaliah**, M. M., Mgonja, Powell, R. & Alazaizeh, M. M. (2021). How does Interpretive Tour Guiding promote Tourists' Pro-Environmental Behavior? Evidence from Tanzania. *Tourism Recreation Research.*
- **Jamaliah**, M. M., Powell, R. & Sirima, A. (2020). Climate change adaptation and implementation barriers: A qualitative exploration of managers of Dana Biosphere Reserve- Ecotourism system. *Journal of Ecotourism.*
- Alazaizeh, M. M., Ababneh, A. & **Jamaliah**, M. M. (2019). Preservation vs. use: understanding tourism stakeholders' value perceptions toward Petra Archaeological Park. *Journal of Tourism and Cultural Change*, 1-15.
- Alazaizeh, M. M., **Jamaliah**, M. M., Mgonja, J. & Ababneh, A. (2019) Tour guide performance and sustainable visitor behavior at cultural heritage sites. *Journal of Sustainable Tourism*, 27(11), 1708-1724.
- **Jamaliah**, M. M., Alazaizeh, M.M., Alzboun, N., & Alzghoul, Y.A. (2019). Protected area tourism in Jordan: an exploratory study. *Tourism Recreation Research*, 44 (1), 41-53.
- **Jamaliah**, M. M. & Powell, R. (2017). Integrated vulnerability assessment of ecotourism to climate change in Dana Biosphere Reserve, Jordan. *Current Issues of Tourism*, 22(14), 1705-1722.
- **Jamaliah**, M. M. & Powell, R. (2017). Ecotourism Resilience to climate change in Dana Biosphere Reserve, Jordan. *Journal of Sustainable Tourism*, 26 (4), 519-536

### Presentations

- "The role of extracurricular activities in building students' awareness of natural heritage and conservation" presented at the "Sustainability and preservation of heritage is the duty of all" forum, Sharjah University, United Arab Emirates, April 16-18, 2024.
- "Climate change" presented at the seminar on "climate change and coastal tourism in the Middle East and North Africa", University of Kalba, United Arab Emirates, November 13, 2032.
- "Local hunter's lived experiences of climate change: environmental impacts and adaptive responses" presented at Pathways 2023: managing Wildlife in an Era of Mutualism, Fort Collins, Colorado, U.S.A, May31-June 3, 2023.
- "Ecotourism as a tool for sustainable development" presented at Tourism and Sustainability: Case Studies from the Mediterranean Region. The II<sup>o</sup> Webinar of the UNIMED Sub-Network on Mediterranean Tourism. January 26, 2022.
- "Protected area tourism in Jordan" presented at a workshop on "Tourism and Ecosystem Services", University of Jordan/Aqaba, July 28, 2019.
- "Ecotourism adaptation practices to climate change in Dana Biosphere Reserve, Jordan" presented at the 5th International Conference on Climate, Tourism and Recreation, Umeå, Sweden, July 25-27, 2018.
- "Vulnerability of ecotourism to climate change in Dana Biosphere Reserve, Jordan" presented at the 2015 George Wright Society Conference on Parks, Protected Areas, and Cultural Sites, Oakland, California, U.S.A, March 29-April 3, 2015.

### Workshops attended

- Enhancing tourism benefits through protecting and sustaining marine ecosystems in the Gulf of Aqaba, Aqaba, Jordan, March 14, 2018.
- Quality Standards in the Hospitality sector training programs in Aqaba Special Economic Zone, Aqaba, Jordan, November 16, 2016.

### Conferences attended

- The 2013 George Wright Society Conference on Parks, Protected Areas, and Cultural Sites, Denver, Colorado, U.S.A, March 11-15, 2013.

### Professional services/ academic services and activities

- Chair, study plan revision committee for B.A in tourism management, faculty of Tourism and Hospitality, The University of Jordan, Aqaba, 2022.

- Member of the development committee of a new master's degree program in Ecotourism, Faculty of Tourism and Hospitality, University of Jordan, Aqaba, 2020.
- Member of the development committee of a new bachelor's degree program in Tourism Business Management and Applied Languages, Faculty of Tourism and Hospitality, University of Jordan, Aqaba, 2020.
- Member of the organizing committee for a conference on "The prospects for the development of Tourism and Hotels", University of Jordan, Aqaba, April 4-6, 2017.
- Quality assurance liaison officer, Faculty of Tourism and Hospitality, University of Jordan (2015 - 2018).
- Member of the study plan revision committee for BA in Tourism Management, Faculty of Tourism and Hospitality, University of Jordan, Aqaba, 2015.

#### **Professional development (training courses)**

- Development of Effective Online Learning, Queen Rania Teacher Academy, Amman, Jordan, September 9- October 12, 2021.
- New Trends in Higher Education, Accreditation and Quality Assurance Center, University of Jordan, May 24, 2017.
- Staff Development Workshop, Accreditation and Quality Assurance Center, University of Jordan, August 21-23, 2016.

#### **Languages**

- Arabic (native)
- English (fluent)

**Statistical software:** SPSS, Smart-PLS, EQS