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Education:

- B.Sc in Electrical Engineering, communications and electronics: Jordan University of Science and Technology (JUST) Irbid, Jordan. Expected graduation in June 2008.

Honors & Memberships:

- Member of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE).
- Listed twice on the Dean's honor list at the Jordan University of Science and Technology.

Projects:

- Setup LANs and wireless LANs networks in several locations.
- Submitted a website at the end of a web-page design course and acquired an excellent mark.
- Submitted several basic programs in Microsoft Visual Basic 6.0.
- Participated in a website-design competition organized by the Hashemite University about the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan and his majesty King Abdullah II.

Technical Training:

- Participated in the first International Conference on Digital Communications and Computer Applications in Irbid, organized by JUST: Attended several sessions in e-learning and data compression, and a presentation about 3G and WiMAX wireless networks.
- GSM in Jordan, principles and applications: GSM architecture, transmission problems and solutions, transmission standards and channel management, handover, switching system, GPRS and EDGE.
- Participated in the sixth Jordanian International Electric and Electronics Engineering Conference in Amman, organized by the Jordan Engineers Association: Attended several sessions in communications, and a presentation about integrated communication services.
- Semester 1 of Cisco Certified Network Associate (CCNA): Network terminology, protocols, LANs, WANs, OSI model, cabling, routers, Ethernet, internet protocol (IP), subnetting.
- Introduction to PIC microcontrollers: software model, hardware model.
- Web-page design: HTML, FrontPage, Macromedia Flash, JAVA Script.
- Introduction to VB.Net programming with Microsoft.Net.
- Microsoft Visual Basic 6.0.

Additional Skills:**Computer:**

- Excellent proficiency in HTML, FrontPage.
- Solid knowledge in Microsoft Visual C++ 6.0, MATLAB, AutoCAD.

Foreign Languages:

- Excellent proficiency in English: reading, writing, speaking.
- Basic proficiency in French and Italian.

Personal skills workshops:

- Participated in workshops entitled "Self-Development Skills" and "Personal Planning Strategies" in Amman, presented by Mr. Adnan M.Hmidan.
- Participated in a decision-making, problem solving, creative thinking and communication skills workshop in JUST, organized by the Civil Society Development Centre.
- Participated in workshops entitled "Skills of Success" and "How to be a Leader" in JUST, organized by Injaz (Junior Achievement).

Personal Interests:

- Tennis, karate, movies, computer, internet, reading and writing.

Voluntary work & methodic activities:

- Participated in a youth exchange program, organized by the Jordan Youth Forum and the German-Jordanian Friendship Society :
 - Organizer: Jordan, summer 2006.
 - Participant: Germany, summer 2005.
- Participated in Injaz-committee in the university. The committee handled organizing workshops, registering students, and representing the university in national activities.
- Participated in the meeting of Jordan youth – the meeting of the North in JUST, organized by the Civil Society Development Centre.

Sports activities:

- Participated in several tennis and karate championships held in Amman.
 - Former player in Orthodox Club – Amman youth tennis team.
 - Passed the Dan grade examination in karate in 1998, and two-Dan grade examination in 2002.
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