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WORK EXPERIENCE

Vice President for Quality and National Accreditation Affairs: University of Jordan
September 2024- present

Dean of Deanship of Scientific research: University of Jordan
2023-August -2024

Professor and Consultant of child Neurology: University of Jordan /Jordan University Hospital
2001-Present

Head of the pediatric neurology division at Jordan University Hospital
2014-Present

Chairman of the pediatric department at the University of Jordan
2007-2014

Part time Associate Professor of child Neurology ; child neurology course for students :
Mutah University, Amman-Jordan

2005-2007

Part time Associate professor of child Neurology; child neurology course for students:
Hashemite University, Amman-Jordan

2009-2014

EDUCATION

Pediatric Neurology- Montpellier–France
1998-2000

General Pediatrics - Jordan University Hospital& University of Jordan
1994 -1998

Internship: AL Bashir Hospital, Amman – Jordan
1993-1994

Bachelor of Medicine & surgery, University of Jordan
1987-1993

LANGUAGES

Arabic: fluent written and spoken

English: fluent written and spoken

French: fluent written and spoken

CERTIFICATIONS

Pediatric Neurology diploma (DIU and AFSA) University of Montpellier–France
2000

Diploma in EMG and Neuromuscular Diseases University of Montpellier-France
2000

Higher specialization degree in Pediatrics University of Jordan
1998

Jordanian Board of Pediatrics
1998

United States medical license examination ECFMG certificate
1996

Bachelor of Medicine & Surgery, Faculty of Medicine (MBBSB) - University of Jordan

1993

Certification in French language exams of the French embassy in Jordan
(1983) Breuvet (1985) Certificat

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Examiner at the Faculty of Medicine, The University of Jordan for undergraduate and postgraduate students and fellowship of child neurology, including OSCE exams
2001-Present

Examiner at the Faculty of Medicine of Jordan University of Science & Technology, Mutah University, Hashemite University
2001-Present

Acting member at the Jordan Medical Council for the Jordanian Board exam in Pediatric neurology
2014-Present

Examiner at the Jordan Medical Council for the Jordanian Board exam in General Pediatrics
2007-present

Acting member at the Arab Medical Council for the Arab Board exam in General Pediatrics
2007-2014

Examiner at the Arab Medical Council for the Arab Board exam in General Pediatrics
2007-Present

Acting member at the Arab Medical Council for the Arab Board exam in Pediatric neurology
2024-present

Examiner at the Arab Medical Council for the Arab Board exam in Pediatric neurology
2018-Present

Academic director of the internship rotation in the pediatric department
2001-2002

Program director for the pediatric residency program
2002-2004

Program director for undergraduate students
2004-2006

Chairman of pediatric department at the University of Jordan

2007-2014

Head of the pediatric neurology division at Jordan University Hospital

2014-Present

Program director for the pediatric neurology fellowship program

2014-Present

Tempus program Trainer after taking a one-week work shop and doing a certifying Exam

2005

Others

King Abdullah II Fund for development: member of the technical committee

2021-2023

Scientific research support fund: member of technical committee

2016-2018

HOSPITAL AND ACADEMIC COMMITTEES

Current committees:

Institutional review board committee: Jordan university hospital

2015-Present

Head of the research committee at the Faculty of medicine-The University of Jordan

2015-2023

Previous committees:

Quality committee

Ethics committee

Patients 'rights committee

Privileges and credentials committee

Higher education committee

Residency training committee

Internship training committee

Students training committee

Pharmacy committee

Library committee

University Committies

Member of the University of Jordan strategic plan committee

2023-Present

Head of Jordan university institutional review board committee

2023-2024

Head of the accredited journals and conferences committee

2023-2024

Editor of three journals published by the university of Jordan/ deanship of scientific research :

Dirasat : Human and Social Sciences

Dirasat : sharia and law

Dirasat : Educational sciences

2023-2024

TRAINING COURSES AND WORKSHOPS

Scientific research skills, center of consultation, technical services and studies, Amman-Jordan

The Evidence-Based Medicine workshop, Center of Educational development, Amman-Jordan

Training Trainers for Tempus and other programs (TTT), Amman-Jordan

Workshops on writing research projects proposals, The Higher Council for Science and Technology (HCST), Amman-Jordan

Human Resources management. Center of consultation, Amman-Jordan

Leadership course, Consultation center, Amman-Jordan

Entrepreneurship training workshop, Empretec Jordan program, Amman-Jordan

Women's Business Leadership program, organized between BDC Jordan and THUNDERBRIDE-School of Global Management -USA

Others

Ultrasound-Guided BTX-A Injection Techniques Workshop

MEMBERSHIP

The Jordan Medical Council

Jordanian Neuroscience Society

Jordanian Epilepsy Society

European Pediatric Neurology Society

International child neurology association

Asian child neurology association

COMMUNITY SERVICES

Member of the technical steering committee for developing National standards for research policies (an initiative form The Jordanian senate)

2023-2024

Member of technical steering committee for developing National standards for Diagnostic Centers for persons with disabilities in Jordan that was issued by the higher council for the Rights of Persons with Disabilities and Health Care Accreditation Council (HCAC)

2018

Trainer for health workers in Ministry of Health on National Standards for Diagnostic centers for Persons with disabilities in Jordan

2019

Member of a steering committee to develop clinical guidelines for diagnosing people with intellectual disabilities and Autism Spectrum Disorders

2022

Acting member of several committees at the ministry of health related to improving services and health of children with neurological diseases

2007- present

Member of Al Hussein Society Jordan center for training and inclusion

2007- present

Education of the general community through lectures, workshops, and TV presentations regarding the manifestations, causes, treatment and prevention of neurodisabilities in children

Awards

Samia Mango award for distinguished researcher ;2015

Distinguished researcher ,The University of Jordan ;2019

Jordan Medical Association Award for Outstanding Physicians in the field of child neurology ;2012

PUBLICATIONS

Masri A, Al Ryalat N, Hadidy A, Al-Shakkah AA, Ali M, Al Jaberi M, Shihadat R, Rayyan A, AlMasri M, Abunameh L. **2024**. " Enhancing Diagnostic Accuracy Through Neuroimaging Revisions in Pediatric Pseudotumor Cerebri Syndrome: A Cross-Sectional Study". *Pediatr Neurol*. May;154:36-43

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Al Jaberi, Mira, Raghad Shihadat, and **Amira Masri**. **2022**. "Post SARS-CoV-2 Guillain-Barré Syndrome in a Child: Case Report and Review of the Literature." *Child's Nervous System*

38(10):2011–16.

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Masri, Amira T., Arwa Nasir, Fatima Irshaid, Farah Alomari, Aya Irshaid, Abdelkarim Al-Qudah, Omar Nafi, and Miral Almomani. **2021**. “Genetic Evaluation of Children with Autism Spectrum Disorders in Developing and Low-Resource Areas.” *Autism: the international journal of research and practice* 1491–98.

Masri, Amira T, Liyana Oweis, Abdelkarim Al Qudah, and Hatem El-Shanti. **2022**. “Congenital Muscle Dystrophies: Role of Singleton Whole Exome Sequencing in Countries with Limited Resources.” *Clinical Neurology and Neurosurgery* 217.

Masri, Amira, Mira Al Jaber, Raghda Shihadat, Abdallah Rayyan, Mohammad AlMasri, Lina Abuna'meh, Majd Ali, Nosaiba Al ryalat, Azmy Hadidy, and Ashjan ahmad Al-Shakkah. **2022**. “Pseudotumor Cerebri Syndrome in Children: Clinical Characteristic and Re-Classification.” *Brain & Development* 44(7):446–53.

Ababneh, Nidaa A., Raghda Barham, Ban Al-Kurdi, Dema Ali, Sabal Al Hadidi, Mohammad A. Ismail, Ahmed S. H. Muamar, Ahmed A. Abdulelah, Adan Madadha, Malik Sallam, Yazan Hassona, **Amira Masri**, and Abdalla Awidi. **2022**. “Generation of a Human Induced Pluripotent Stem Cell (iPSC) Line (JUCTCi019-A) from a Patient with Charcot-Marie-Tooth Disease Type 2A2 (CMT2A2) Due to a Heterozygous Missense Substitution c.2119C > T (p.Arg707Trp) in MFN2 Gene.” *Stem Cell Research* 62.

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Masri, Amira, Areej M. Alfryjat, Dyala M. Alfryjat, Ro'Ya A. Ab. Saleem, and Shaima' A. Elha. **2022**. “Medical Students' Knowledge about Research Ethics.” *Jordan Medical Journal* 56(1):55–63.

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Assoum, Mirna, Christophe Philippe, Bertrand Isidor, Laurence Perrin, **Amira Masri**. 2016. "Autosomal-Recessive Mutations in AP3B2, Adaptor-Related Protein Complex 3 Beta 2 Subunit, Cause an Early-Onset Epileptic Encephalopathy with Optic Atrophy." *American Journal of Human Genetics* 99(6):1368–76.

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Masri, Amira and Iyad Al-Ammouri. 2016. "Clinical Presentation, Etiology, and Outcome of Stroke in Children: A Hospital-Based Study." *Brain & Development* 38(2):204–8.

Zaki, Maha S., **Amira Masri**, Anne Gregor, Joseph G. Gleeson, and Rasim Ozgur Rosti. 2015. "Dandy-Walker Malformation, Genitourinary Abnormalities, and Intellectual Disability in Two Families." *American Journal of Medical Genetics. Part A* 167A(11):2503–7.

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