

# DR HESHAM AL-AWADI

## OBJECTIVE

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## EXPERIENCE

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2005- Professor in History and International and International Relations,  
American University of Kuwait, Kuwait.

2010 Visiting Professor, George Washington University, United States.

2003-2004 Assistant Professor in Modern Middle East History, University  
of Exeter, UK.

Courses taught included:

HIST201:History and Politics of Kuwait

HIST389: Social Trends in Kuwait's History

HIST389: Modern Islamic Movements

HIST221: Survey of Gulf History

HIST110: Twentieth Century Middle East History

HIST311: Ottoman History

HIST305: History of the Islamic World 622-1800

HIST105: World History Since 1900

20<sup>th</sup> Century Arab History

2014- present Weekly Columnist  
*Al-Qabas* Newspaper, Kuwait.

2007-2010 Weekly Columnist  
*Awan* Newspaper, Kuwait.

1997-2004 Political Analyst  
*Al-Watan* Newspaper, Kuwait.

2003 Research Associate  
Economic and Social Research Council, London.

1997-1998 Broadcaster  
BBC World Service, Arabic Section, London.

## EDUCATION

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### *2003 PH.D., POLITICAL SCIENCE*

Institute of Arab and Islamic Studies, University of Exeter, United Kingdom.  
Dissertation: *In Pursuit of Legitimacy: The Muslim Brothers and Mubarak 1981-2000.*

### *1999 M.PHIL. HISTORICAL STUDIES*

University of Cambridge, Cambridge, United Kingdom.  
Dissertation: *Islamism and the Egyptian Regime 1936-1949.*

### *1998 MA., INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS*

University of Kent, Canterbury, United Kingdom.  
Dissertation: *American Foreign Policy towards Iran 1979-1998.*

### *1996 B.A., COMMUNICATIONS AND POLITICS*

London Guildhall University, London, United Kingdom.  
Dissertation: *The Western Responses to Islamists.*  
Units include: Introduction to Politics, Political Thought, Media Studies, and Communication Theory.

## PUBLICATIONS

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“Kuwait” in Lust, Ellen (ed.), *The Middle East*, CQ Press, California, 2022 (forthcoming).

*Tareekh Al'Abeed fi Al-Khaleej* (The History of Slaves in the Gulf), Dar Al-Tanweer, Beirut, 2021.

*Haba: Kaifa Tantashir Alafkar fi Al-Kuwait* (All the Rage: How Ideas Diffuse in Kuwait), That Al-Salasil, Kuwait, 2018.

“Kuwait” in Lust, Ellen (ed.), *The Middle East*, CQ Press, California, 2017.

*Mubammad: How He Can Make You Extraordinary*, CreateSpace Independent Publishing Platform, Middletown Delaware, 2016.

“Kuwait” in Lust, Ellen (ed.), *The Middle East*, CQ Press, California, 2014.

*The Muslim Brothers In Pursuit of Legitimacy: Power and Political Islam in Egypt Under Mubarak*, I.B Tauris, London, 2014.

Al-Awadi, H. "Islamists in Power: the Case of the Muslim Brothers in Egypt", *Contemporary Arab Affairs*, Routledge, London, fall 2013.

Al-Awadi, H. *Al-Islamiun fi al-sulta: balat misr* (Islamists in Power: the Case of Egypt), *Al-Mustqbal Al-Arabi*, Beirut, July 2013. *Al-Mustqbal al-Arabi* (Arab Future) is a peer-reviewed journal, published in Beirute, 2013.

Al-Awadi, H. "Kuwait" in Lust-Okar, E. *The Middle East*, 13<sup>th</sup> Edition, CQ Press, Washington, 2013.

Al-Awadi, H. "Kuwait" in Lust-Okar, E. *The Middle East*, 12<sup>th</sup> Edition, CQ Press, Washington, 2010.

“The Egyptian Regime and the Muslim Brothers”, *Contemporary Arab Affairs*, Routledge, London, Vol.2, No.2, April-June 2009.

*Al-Sira' 'Ala Al-Shar'iyya: Al-Ikhwan Al-Muslimun wa Mubarak 1982-2007* (The Struggle for Legitimacy: The Muslim Brothers and Mubarak 1982-2008), Center for Arab Unity Studies, Beirut, 2009.

“Al-Nizam Al-Misri wa Al-Ikwan”, (The Egyptian Regime and the Muslim Brotherhood), *Al-Mustaqbal Al-Arabi*, (The Arab Future), Beirut, Issue 353, July 2008, pp.85-102.

“Advancing the Argument for Liberal Arts Education in Kuwait”, AUK's 3<sup>rd</sup> Liberal Arts Conference Papers 2008.

“Islamists and Mubarak: Why Has the Honeymoon Ended?”, *Middle East Journal* (accepted for publication in late 2004 or early 2005).

*In Pursuit of Legitimacy: The Muslim Brothers and Mubarak 1981-2000*, I.B Tauris, London, 2004.

*al-Islā' am̄iȳ-un wa-al-hiw̄-ar ma'a al-'ilm̄-an̄-iyab wa-al-dawlab wa-al-Gharb* (Islamism and Dialogue with the State, the West and Secularism) (Arabic), Ibn Hazem, Beirut, 1997.

*Mawqif al-Gharb min al-Islamīyīn* (Western Responses to Islamists) (Arabic), Ibn Hazem, Beirut, 1997.

*al-Bu'd al-rabi' li-azmat al-Khalij* (The Forth Dimension: Iraq-Kuwait Crisis) (Arabic), Ibn Khaldoun Center, Cairo, 1992.

#### ADDITIONAL SKILLS

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- ORGANISATION OF CONFERENCES AND SEMINARS:

“SAUDI ARABIA AND THE WEST: THE IMPACT OF 11 SEPTEMBER”, 15 MARCH 2002, EXETER.

ORGANISED WEEKLY SEMINARS ON VARIOUS MIDDLE EASTERN THEMES, 15 OCTOBER 2003- 14 JANUARY 2004.

- PRESENTATIONS:

“Political Developments in Kuwait, 1990-2012”, Gulf Studies Seminar, 29-31 January 2013, New Delhi, India.

“September 11 & Radical Islam in the Gulf”, 14 November 2001, London. Organized by the Foreign & Commonwealth Office.

“Islamic Opposition in Saudi Arabia”, 15 September 2003, London. Organized by the Foreign & Commonwealth Office.

Regular contributor to BBC World Service on Middle East affairs.

- ATTENDED PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT COURSES

Mastering Organizational Politics, Influence and Alliances, American Management Association, Washington, 2010.

Strategies for Developing Effective Presentation Skill, American Management Association, Washington, 2010.

Effective Executive Speaking, American Management Association, Washington, 2010.

High Impact Decision Making, American Management Association, Washington, 2010.

Training-The-Trainer, American Management Association, Washington, 2010.

The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People, American Management Association, Washington, 2010.

Building Better Work Relationships: New Techniques for Results-oriented Communication, American Management Association, Washington, 2010.

Critical Thinking, American Management Association, Washington, 2010.

How to Communicate with Diplomacy, Tact and Credibility, American Management Association, Washington, 2010.

Strategic Thinker, American Management Association, Washington, 2010.

Time Management, American Management Association, Washington, 2010.

The Voice of Leadership: How Leaders Inspire, Influence and Achieve Results, American Management Association, Washington, 2010.