

Faculty C.V.

1. **Hala Bader Al-Najjar**
February 1, 1974
 2. **Academic Rank**
Freshman Year Experience ~ Full Time
 3. **Degrees**
Bachelor of Arts - Massachusetts College of Liberal Arts- 1996
Master of Education, Concentration in Cultural and Linguistic Awareness in
Education – Fitchburg State University- 2001
 4. **Service at this Institution**
10 Years of Service to this Institution Including - Full Time and Adjunct Years
2009-2010 Hired as full time in the Intensive English Department as an Instructor
2010-2011 Appointed as FYE instructor in the Under Graduate Program
2013-2014 Appointed as FYE program coordinator
2014-2015 Led team in developing and implementing new FYE course
2015-2016 Developed and implemented the FYE faculty development workshops
2016-2017 Developed and implemented the FYE Mentoring Program
2017-2018 Developed and implemented the Civic Engagement and Responsibility
Program
2018-2019 Managed and Maintained the Faculty FYE Mentorship Program.
- 10 **Professional Experience**
- 2013- 2020 The American University of Kuwait, Present FYE Instructor and
Coordinator
- 2009-2013 The American University of Kuwait, FYE and IEP Instructor
- 2010-2014 Marauder General Trading Company, Educational Advisor
- 2004-2009 American School of Kuwait, Classroom Educator and Team Leader ~
Elementary/Middle School
- 11 **Consulting Experience**
- Ministry of Youth; Curriculum, Instruction and Program Consultant
Effective Strategies for Cultural Awareness in the Classroom
Dealing with Globalization in Education
21st Century Teaching and Learning
First Year Experience Programs Within the Middle East and Gulf Region
Assessing FYE Program Effectiveness
Assessing the Unique Needs of Your Student Population
Assessing the Needs of University Students in the Gulf

12 **Professional Registration**

Massachusetts, USA

13 **Publications**

Best Practices ESL, SPED Resource Manual ~ City of Lawrence

9. **Membership in Professional Societies**

Massachusetts Teacher's Association

Member of the International Board for First Year Experience Programs

10. **Patents, Honors and awards**

Teacher of the Year Nominee 2001 ~ City of Lawrence

Model Classroom for City of Lawrence 1999-2002

Master Teacher 2000-2002

SGA -Most Supportive Faculty Award 2013/2014

AUK Student Faculty Award 2016

International Advisory for FYE Programs 2017-2020

FYE 38th and 39th Annual International Conference Board

Presenter and Speaker 38th and 39th Annual International Conference

Presenter and Speaker 40th Annual International Conference

11. **Courses taught**

Fall ~2009

Intensive English Course, Level 3 Reading and Writing

1hr 50 min Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

Intensive English Course, Level 3 Oral Communications

1hr 50 min Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

Education 100

50min Monday, Wednesday

Spring ~ 2010

Intensive English Course, Level 3 Reading and Writing

1hr 50 min Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

Intensive English Course, Level 3 Oral Communications

1hr 50 min Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

Education 100 ; Lecture

90 min Monday, Wednesday

Fall ~ 2010

Intensive English Course, Level 3 Reading and Writing

1hr 50 min Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

Intensive English Course, Level 3 Oral Communications

1hr 50 min Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday

Education 100-5; Lecture

50min Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday

Fall ~ 2011

Education 100-03, 100-9, 100-15, 100-16; Lecture
50min Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday

Spring ~ 2012

Education 100-03, 100-9, 100-15, 100-16; Lecture
50min Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday

Fall ~ 2012

Education 100-03, 100-9, 100-15, 100-16, 1017; Lecture
90min Monday, Wednesday

Spring ~ 2013

Education 100-03, 100-9, 100-15, 100-16; Lecture
50min Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday

Fall ~ 2013

Education 100-08, 100-9, 100-16; Lecture
50min Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday 90min Sunday, Tuesday

Spring ~ 2014

UNIV 100-15, 100-16, 100-17, Independent Study; Lecture
50min Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday

Fall ~ 2014

UNIV 100-11, 100-12, 100-13; Lecture
50min Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday 90min Sunday, Tuesday

Spring ~ 2015

UNIV 100-10, 100-09, 100-11, 100-13; Lecture
50min Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday

Fall ~ 2015

UNIV100 100-05, 100-6, UNIV110 100-03; Lecture
50min Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday 90min Sunday, Tuesday

Spring ~ 2016

UNIV110 -04, 110-06, 110-11; Lecture
50min Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday

Fall ~ 2016

UNIV 100-15, UNIV110 -03, 110-08, 110-11; Lecture
50min Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday

Spring ~ 2017

UNIV110 -03, 110-04, 110-11; Lecture
90min Monday, Wednesday

Fall ~ 2017

UNIV110 -15, 110-03, 110-09, UNIV110-14; Lecture
50min Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday/ 90min Sunday, Tuesday

Spring ~ 2018

UNIV110 -13, 110-10, 110-09, UNIV110-14; Lecture
75 min Monday, Wednesday

Fall – 2019

UNIV110-09, 110-07, 110 – 13, UNIV100 – 06, 100-08; Lecture
75 min Monday, Wednesday and 50min Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday

Spring - 2020

UNIV110-09, UNIV110-11, UNIV 110 – 13, UNIV110 – 06, UNIV110-04; Lecture
75 min Monday, Wednesday and 50min Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday

12. Other Duties

Assessment Committee, Student Survey Committee, Freshman Survey Committee,
Student Life Awards Committee, FYE Committee, College Curriculum Committee,
University Curriculum Committee, FYE Textbook Committee;

13. Research

Effects of Globalization in Education in Kuwait
Effective FYE Programs and Current Trends for Students in Transition
Impact and Effectiveness of the FYE Program at AUK
Impact and Effectiveness of the Common Reader in FYE programs

14. Participation in Specific Programs

PEAK Conference ~ Participant and Presenter
Teaching for the Future ~ Harvard School of Education Certified
Project Zero Certification ~ Harvard School of Education Certified
21st Century Teaching in Kuwait ~ Presenter
First Year Experience Annual Conference: Presenter and Focus Group Member