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Summary

Distinguished Professor of Biochemistry, Molecular Biology, Genetics and Laboratory Medicine employing creative teaching strategies to engage students fully in the learning process. Driven to inspire students to achieve personal and academic success. Accomplished lecturer who effectively articulates information and responds honestly to questions from students.

Highlights

Educational technology expertise Diverse teaching modalities

Engaging public speaker Committed to cultivating student leadership

Exceptional written and verbal communicator

Assessment and evaluation Curriculum development

Skilled academic advisor

Online course instructor Natural leader

Researcher

Academic Experience

• Professor of Biochemistry (Sabbatical leave)

Sept 2019 - August 2021

Institute of Cardiovascular Sciences. St. Boniface Hospital Albrechtsen Research Centre

University of Manitoba, Max Rady College of Medicine. Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada

Scientific deliberations on subcellular defects in Ca²⁺-handling in cardiovascular disease. (See publications)

Research output during sabbatical leave_2019-2021:

A. In Journals:

- 1. Nusier M, Shah AK, Dhalla NS. Structure-Function Relationships and Modifications of Cardiac Sarcoplasmic Reticulum Ca2+-transport. Physiol. Res. 70: 443-470. Doi.org/10.33549/physiolres.934805
- 2. Nusier M, Ozcelikay AT, Shah AK, Dhalla NS. Role of Intracellular Ca2+-overload in cardiac dysfunction in heart disease. J Clin Cardiol Cardiovasc Interven. 3(1); Doi:10.31579/2641-0419/038, 2020
- 2. Nusier M, Alqudah M, Elimban V, Dhalla NS, Modification of ischemia-reperfusion induced infarct size by ischemic preconditioning in hypertrophied hearts. Can J Physiol Pharmacol, 99: 218–223, 2021.
- 3. Nusier M, Shah AK, Dhalla NS. Structure-Function Relationships and Modifications of Cardiac Sarcoplasmic Reticulum Ca2+-transport. Physiological Research *being submitted for publication*.

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- 4. Dhalla NS, Elimban V, Shah AK, Nusier M. Mechanisms of cardiac dysfunction in heart failure due to myocardial infarction. J Integ Cardiol Open Access Doi:10.31487/J. JICOA.2019.04.12, 2019
- 5. Bhullar SK, Nusier M, Shah AK, Dhalla NS, Role of molecular and metabolic defects in impaired performance of dystrophic skeletal muscles, J Mol Clinic Med. In press, 2021

B. In Books:

- 1. Tappia PS, Shah AK, Nusier M and Dhalla NS. Sex differences in contractile function in cardiac hypertrophy and heart failure subsequent to volume overload. In: Sex Differences in Heart Disease, Advances in Biochemistry in Health and Disease, Vol. 20. Edited by B. Ostadal and NS Dhalla, Springer Nature, Switzerland AG, 111–127, 2020.
- 2. Dhalla NS, Elimban V, Shah AK and Nusier M. Sex-specific differences in β-adrenoceptor signal transduction in heart failure due to volume-overload. In: Sex Differences in Heart Disease, Advances in Biochemistry in Health and Disease, Vol. 20. Edited by B. Ostadal and NS Dhalla, Springer Nature, Switzerland AG, 147–158, 2020.
- 3. Dhalla NS, Nusier M, Shah AK, and Tappia PS. Characteristics of intracellular Ca2+ handling proteins in heart function in health and disease. In: Heart Rate and Rhythm Molecular Basis, Pharmacological Modulation and Clinical Implications. Edited by Tripathi O, Ravens U, and Quinn TA, Springer Nature, Switzerland AG, 2021, Submitted for publication.
- Professor of Biochemistry

Sept 1997 - Sept 2019

Jordan University of Science and Technology,

School of Medicine. Irbid, Jordan

Main duties: teaching, research, supervising graduate students, curriculum development.

Courses or course sections taught: Problem based learning, Medical Biochemistry, Molecular Biology, Medical Genetics, Oral Biochemistry, Cell Biology, Biochemical Techniques, Advanced Biochemistry, Advanced Molecular Biology, Clinical Biochemistry, Medical Technology Instrumentation, Proteins and Enzymes, Advanced Topics in Biomedical and Clinical Research.

Served as **chairperson** for the department from Sep 2002 to Sep 2005. As a departmental chair, I was the academic and administrative leader of the department and served as a representative of the dean and medical school. I directed the faculty of the department in carrying out its missions of teaching, scholarly work, and professional activities.

Joint Appointment: Department of Medical Laboratory Sciences, Faculty of Applied Medical Sciences, Jordan University of Science and Technology.

Served as an advisor, a committee member and external examiner for over 30 graduate students.

• Professor (Sabbatical leave)

Sept 2005 - Sept 2006

University of Jordan, School of Medicine. Amman, Jordan

Main duties: teaching, research, supervising graduate students, curriculum development.

Research Project: Prevalence of Factor V G1691A (Leiden) and Prothrombin G20210A Polymorphisms among Apparently Healthy Jordanians.

Neuroendocrinology Letters. 2007; 28: 699-703

Professor, Vice President and Dean of Research (Sabbatical leave)
 Oct 2013 - Sept 2014

Royal University for Medical Sciences. Amman, Jordan

As a Vice President for Academic Affairs, I served as the chief academic officer of the University and I was responsible for educational policy and academic programs. This includes program review and improvement,

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accreditation and self-evaluation, assessment of student learning and advancement of student success, academic personnel decisions, budget development, enrollment management, fiscal accountability, program and curriculum development, and the encouragement and improvement of teaching and learning. I also served as an advisor to the President in matters related to curriculum and instruction, faculty selection, assignment, development, and retention.

As a Dean of Research, I was responsible for establishing the repute of the University as a research university.

• Post-Doctoral Fellow, Anti-infectives research

Jul 1996 - Jun 1997

SmithKline Beecham Pharmaceuticals R & D. Collegeville, PA, USA

I was involved in the identification of protein secretion components that might serve as potential targets for the development of new antibacterial agents. Responsible for assessing potential compounds for the ability to inhibit targeted enzymes in vitro and in vivo using HPLC, LC MS/MS and tissue culture techniques.

Medical Experience

• Medical Director

Feb 2011 - Feb 2013

United Laboratory Company. Kuwait

Directly heading Al Seef Hospital Laboratories and the Medical Genetic Laboratory. Responsible for providing comprehensive laboratory diagnostic services in newborn screening, diagnosis of metabolic and hereditary disorders, cancer genetics testing and birth defects affecting fetuses, newborns, children, adolescents and adults.

Ensuring the provision of efficient and effective laboratory services by managing operational activities of the clinical laboratories and pathology services.

• Medical Director

Feb 2009-Jan 2011

MedLabs Medical Services. Kuwait

Directly managing Royale Hayat Hospital Laboratory. Setting up and managing company's standalone laboratories. Ensure the provision of efficient and effective laboratory services. Recruiting, training and evaluating managers and medical technologists.

• Consultant of Laboratory Medicine

Princess Basma Teaching Hospital, Irbid, Jordan

Sept 1998 - Sept 2008

General practitioner

University Clinic, Jordan University of Science and Technology

School of Medicine, Irbid, Jordan

Aug 1990 - Jul 1991

General practitioner

Ibn-Nafis Private Hospital, Irbid, Jordan

Sept 1989 - Jul 1990

General practitioner

Royal Health Center, Amman, Jordan, Armed Forces of Jordan

Sept 1987 - Sept 1989

Internship

Sept 1986-Aug 1987

Princess Basma Teaching Hospital

Irbid, Jordan

Education and Certification

 Ph.D. Biochemistry, Molecular Biology and Genetics 1996

Wake Forest University School of Medicine

Winston-Salem, NC, USA

Thesis title: Mechanistic and catalytic studies of microsomal signal peptidase

Supervisor: Professor Mark O. Lively

• M.D. 1986

Kiev Medical University,

Kiev, Former USSR

Medical Counsel of Jordan
 since July 1986

MCJ No. 7262

Medical Counsel of Canada
 since Sept 2007

CAMD-0075-8398

• Kuwait Medical Association since April 2009

KMA 11307

Honors and Awards

- Jordan Ministry of Higher Education Scholarship to Medical School
- Jordan University of Science and Technology Scholarship to Wake Forest University School of Medicine
- Acknowledged Distinguished Professor, Abdel Hamid Shouman Association, Amman, Jordan

Languages

Fluent in: Arabic, English and Russian

Computer Skills

Proficient in MS office, online teaching applications and media

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Publications

- 1. **Nusier M**, Vijayan Elimban V, Prasad J, Shah AK and Dhalla NS. Regulatory Role of Some Protein Kinases in Signal Transduction Pathways in Heart Health and Disease. *Scripta Medica J*. Accepted
- 2. **Nusier M***, Alqudah M, Elimban V, Dhalla NS, Modification of ischemia-reperfusion induced infarct size by ischemic preconditioning in hypertrophied hearts. *Can J Physiol Pharmacol*, 99: 218–223, 2021.
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- 14. Radaideh A. and **Nusier M.*** Postpartum Hypopituitarism and Empty Sella in Type 1 Diabetic Patient, Autoimmune Hypophysitis or Antepartum Pituitary Necrosis? *Psychological Health*. 2019; **2**: 80-88
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- 2. The 8th International Scientific Conference of the Faculty of Medicine. Jordan University of Science and Technology. Integrated research session moderator. 15-17 April 2016.
- 3. The 9th Anniversary of JoHeart Journal. Amman, Jordan. Celiac Disease and Gluten Sensitivity. 31 March 2016. **Invited speaker**.
- 4. The Fourth International Conference of Medical Genetics in Kuwait. Newborn screening a 50 years Journey, Kuwait, April 2012. **Invited speaker**.
- 5. Human Genome Meeting (HUGO) and Arabpan meeting. Dubai, UAE. 15-17 March 2011.
- 6. Risk Markers for Acute Myocardial Infarction. United Congress on Laboratory Management & Medicine. Kuwait. 26-28 April 2010. **Invited speaker.**
- 7. Can the effect of sodium fluoride on aggression, sexual activity and fertility in rats be reversed by vitamin E? Fluoride Research (ISFR) 28th Conference (Aug 7 11) Aug 7 to Aug 11, 2008, UFT, Mississauga, ON. Toronto, Canada.
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- 9. The XVIII World Congress of the International Society for Heart Research. Australia The Role of P38 Mitogen Activated Protein Kinase Phosphorylation in Preconditioning in Hypertrophied Rabbit Heart. 7-11 August 2004.
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- 11. The Diagnostic Efficiency of Cardiac Troponin I(CTNI) in Patients with Acute Myocardial Infarction. 6th International Symposium on GLOBAL RISK OF CORONARY HEART DISEASE AND STROKE: Assessment, Prevention, and Treatment. Florence, June 2002.
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- 14. Risk Factors Associated with Coronary Heart Disease. *The First Jordanian Medical Congress. The 15thAnnual Scientific Day of the Faculty of Medicine*. Jordan University of Science and Technology, School of Medicine. Irbid. Jordan. 10-12 April 2001.
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- 17. Seasonal Pattern of Luteinizing, Follicle-Stimulating Hormone, Testosterone and Progesterone in Adult Population of both Sexes in the Jordan Valley. *The 52nd Yamada Conference, International Symposium on Molecular Steroidogenesis*, Nara Japan. 25-28 August 1999.
- 18. Selective and specific Inhibitors of Bacterial Signal Peptidase, Potential Antibacterial Agents. *SmithKline Beecham Stanford University Symposium*. The Conference Center, SmithKline Beecham Pharmaceuticals, Upper Providence. Collegeville, PA, U.S.A. 16-17 December 1996
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