

Curriculum Vitae



Position/Designation: Faculty

Department: Foreign Languages

College: Arts & Sciences

University of Nizwa, Sultanate of Oman

Personal Information	
Name: Mohammad Forouzani , <i>ORCID</i> : orcid.org/0000-0002-0311-5503	
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Academic Qualifications	
Ph.D. in TEFL	
MA in English Literature	
BA in English Literature	
Teaching Activities, Current / Previous Experience	
October 2015-	Assistant Professor: teaching TESOL & Literature courses to Translation and Literature students (BA and MA levels); Department of Foreign Languages (DFL), University of Nizwa (UoN), Oman; Students Advising; Member of Curriculum Development Committee and Graduate Studies Committee, DFL, UoN.
October 2014	Senior English teacher, Foundation Inst., UoN.
September 2014	Teacher Trainer: Teacher Training workshops for MOE (Ministry of Education) teachers, Shahid Rajaei University of Teacher Education, Tehran, Iran. Sponsored by MOE, Iran.
July 2014	Teacher Trainer: Teacher Training workshops for MOE teachers, Jaam-e Jahan Gostar Foreign Language Institute, Qom, Iran.
2014	Teacher Trainer: Collaborating with the British Council in revisioning and piloting the CiSELT Series (Certificate in Secondary English Language Teaching). Istanbul, Dubai.

2013-14	-Guest professor: Advanced Writing for Graduate Students majoring in English Literature. Islamic Azad University (IAU), Tehran, Central Branch. -Guest professor: Literature, Methodology, Testing. Undergraduate Program: IAU, Karaj, Iran. -Guest professor: Seminar, Syllabus Design and Materials Development, Graduate Program: Payam-e Noor University, Qom, Iran.
2008	Guest lecturer: TESOL and Literature courses, Undergraduate Program. Islamic Azad University, Karaj, Iran.
2004-2009	Instructor: MA and PHD Preparation Program. Iran English Language Center. Tehran, Iran.
1999-2014	Faculty Member at Islamic Azad University, Qom, Iran. Undergraduate (English Language & Literature) and Graduate courses (Advanced Research, Materials Development, Methodology, Seminar); Theses supervision.
1997-1999	Instructor: Undergraduate Program: Literature courses, Phonology and laboratory courses (Listening- Speaking practice for sophomores). Payam-e Noor University, Varamin, Tehran.
1982-1987	Member of Science Academy, Division of Theology

Research Activities

(includes but not limited to research interests, conference attendance, conference presentations and publications, refereed journal, articles, books, ect.)

Research interests: Literature, Linguistics, Semantics, Critical Pedagogy

Publications:

I. Works in English

Books

Forouzani, M. *A Louvre of Verse*. (In press). Beckham Publication House, US.

Forouzani, M. (2019). *An Illustrative Dictionary of Semantics*. BookVenture. MI, US.

Forouzani, M. (2019). *Out Inside: A collection of poems*. Austin Macaulay. London, UK.

Forouzani, M. (2017). *Inside Out: A Collection of English Poems*. Olympia Publishers, London, UK.

Journal articles

Forouzani, M (2017). Aesthetic vs. Efferent Reading in Reading Comprehension Courses in the Iranian EFL Context. *The Asian Journal of Applied Linguistics*, (4)2, 211-227 <https://www3.caes.hku.hk/ajal/index.php/ajal/article/view/449>

Forouzani, M (2017). Critical Pedagogy in the Iranian EFL Classrooms: From Theory to Teacher's beliefs and Practices. *Epitome: International Journal of Multidisciplinary Research*, 3(6), 99-121.

<http://epitomejournals.com/Archive.aspx?IssueID=49>

http://epitomejournals.com/VolumeArticles/FullTextPDF/261_Research_Paper.pdf

Paper in Edited Book

Foroozandeh E. & Forouzani M. (2015). Developing school English materials for the new Iranian educational system. In C. Kennedy (Ed.). *English language teaching in the Islamic Republic of Iran: Innovations, trends and challenges*. British Council.

https://iran.britishcouncil.org/sites/default/files/english_language_teaching_in_iran_0.pdf

Working papers

- Omani secondary school EFL teachers' perception of learner autonomy
- On the plausibility of critical pedagogy in EFL contexts: A study in Oman

Poems Published in Poetry Journals

Forouzani, M. (2019). "Cubism". Praxis Magazine. October Issue.

<http://www.praxismagonline.com/cubism-by-martin-foroz/>

Forouzani, M. (2019). «Popping Past». Realistic Poetry International: The Valiant, United Edition IV, p. 31.

Forouzani, M (2017). "Child of War." *The Tower Journal*.

http://www.towerjournal.com/fall_2017/poetry/foroz.php

Forouzani, M. (2017). Selected Poems. "Three Sheets to the Wind" and "A Legendary Light". *Mystical Muse Magazine*, 5 (19), 15-16.

<https://sites.google.com/view/mysticalmusepoetrymagazine/home>

Forouzani, M. (2017). Selected Poems. "A Pendulum in Time", "His Society" and "Beginning of an End". *Amulet Magazine*, 14 (139 & 140), 13-15.

<https://sites.google.com/view/mysticalmusepoetrymagazine/home>

Forouzani, M. (2017). A Poem: "No language but feelings". *The Stray Branch*, 17(20), 100-102.

<https://wwwcreatespace.com/7606388>

<http://www.thestraybranch.org>

<http://www.thestraybranch.org/current-issue/features-ss-2017/contributors/martin-foroz-fw-2017/>

Forouzani, M. (2017). A Poem: "Mending Soul". *The Criterion: An International Journal in English Vol.8, Issue-II April 2017*

<http://www.the-criterion.com/>

<http://www.the-criterion.com/V8/n2/PO26.pdf>

Forouzani, M. (2017). 3 poems in *Literature without Borders: Rhythm of Peace*.

https://www.amazon.com/gp/product/B06XW967XX?ref=dbs_s_def_rwt_dirs_l_0&storeType=ebooks

Forouzani, M. (2016). Selected poems. *Scarlet Leaf Review*. October 2016 issue.

<http://www.scarletleafreview.com/octpoems2016/category/martin-foroz>

Forouzani, M. (2016). Selected poems. *Peacock Journal*. October 2016 issue.

<http://peacockjournal.com/martin-foroz-two-poems/>

Forouzani, M. (2016). A poem: Bed. In *Poetry Life & Times*.

<http://www.artvilla.com/plt/bed-a-poem-by-martin-foroz/>

Forouzani, M. (2016). Selected poems. *Daath Voyage: An International Disciplinary Journal in English Studies*. (September 2016 Issue).

<http://www.daathvoyagejournal.com/current-issue.html>

<http://www.daathvoyagejournal.com/imagebag/image102.pdf>

<http://www.daathvoyagejournal.com/imagebag/image103.pdf>

<http://www.daathvoyagejournal.com/imagebag/image104.pdf>

Forouzani, M. (2016). A poem: Darkness. In *The Poet Community*.

<http://www.thepoetcommunity.com/8708/darkness-a-poem-by-mohammad-forouzani-martin-foroz>

Forouzani, M. (2016). Selected poems in *Raven Cage Ezine*.

Forouzani, M. (2016). Selected poems in *Tuck Magazine*.

<http://tuckmagazine.com/2016/08/11/poetry-478/>

Forouzani, M. (2016). Selected poems. In Soudabeh Saeidnia (Ed.). *Voices of Monarch Butterflies: Middle Eastern Anthology by Ten Poets from Ganges to Nile* (pp. 22-34). USA: Createspace.

[https://www.amazon.com/Voice-Monarch-Butterflies-Eastern Anthology/dp/1533565198](https://www.amazon.com/Voice-Monarch-Butterflies-Eastern-Anthology/dp/1533565198)

Forouzani, M. (2016). Foreword to *Street of the Ginkgo Tress: a contemporary poetry collection*. Soodabeh Saeidnia. CreateSpace, US.

<https://www.amazon.com/Street-Ginkgo-Trees-contemporary-collection/dp/1530556988>

II. Works in Persian

Books

Forouzani, M. (2013). *How to write your master thesis and doctoral dissertation*.

Jungle Publication. Tehran. Iran

<https://www.gisoom.com/book/11006932/%DA%A9%D8%AA%D8%A7%D8%A8-%DA%86%DA%AF%D9%88%D9%86%D9%87-%D9%BE%D8%A7%DB%8C%D8%A7%D9%86-%D9%86%D8%A7%D9%85%D9%87-%DA%A9%D8%A7%D8%B1%D8%B4%D9%86%D8%A7%D8%B3%DB%8C-%D8%A7%D8%B1%D8%B4%D8%AF-%D9%88-%D8%AF%DA%A9%D8%AA%D8%B1%D8%A7%DB%8C-%D8%AE%D9%88%D8%AF-%D8%B1%D8%A7-%D8%A8%D9%87-%D8%B1%D8%B4%D8%AA%D9%87-%D8%AA%D8%AD%D8%B1%DB%8C%D8%B1-%D8%AF%D8%B1%D8%A2%D9%88%D8%B1%DB%8C%D9%85/>

<http://www.jpub.ir/university/book.aspx?i=1024&c=75>

Forouzani, M. (1997). *More tired than time*. Collection of poems. Elham Publications. Tehran, Iran.

(all my Farsi books): <http://www.ketab.org.ir/BookList.aspx?Type=Authorid&Code=58844>

<http://www.ketab.org.ir/bookview.aspx?bookid=167422>

Hall, V. (1963). *A short history of literary criticism*. (H. Aghajani, M. Forouzani, & F. Parvaneh, Trans.). The Merlin Press.

<http://www.ketab.org.ir/bookview.aspx?bookid=511161>

<http://www.ketab.org.ir/BookList.aspx?Type=Authorid&Code=58844>

III. Interviews

June 5, 2019 This Week in America with Ric Bratton

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ypi3_wN_Aos

October 2018 Oman Observer Interview :

<http://www.omanobserver.om/the-quest-for-greatness-of-a-poet-from-tehran/>

IV. Virtual classes/presentations

Video class on Semantics:

October 2019

A virtual class on Semantics- Joutsenon Opisto College, Joutseno, Finland

<https://www.instagram.com/p/B4Nb0lohalk/?igshid=h2cc53suutxu>

V. YouTube page

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCJczsLzht9IJUhw1RFfkf3g>

M. Forouzani's virtual semantics course presentations, shared videos on literature & philosophy, linguistics, semantics and discourse analysis

Faculty Administrative Experience

- **2015-16:** Weave Online operator- Analysis of DFL exam questions and CLOs (English, French, German sections)
- **2015- present:** Students advising, degree auditing, exams invigilation, MA thesis supervision, MA thesis examiner, MA thesis examination committee chair
- **2019- present:** DFL-English Section Exams moderator
- **2019- present:** Supervising students' graduation projects

Community Services

- 2018-19: Published literature students' English translation of an Arabic poem in UoN journal

Consultancy Activities

Membership in Professional Bodies

UoN DFL Committee member: Graduate Studies & Research Committee

Associations

- AAAL (American Association of Applied Linguistics)
- Asia TEFL

Editorial Board

- *Applied Linguistics Research Journal* <http://www.alrjournal.com/>
- *The Criterion: An International Journal in English* ISSN 0976-8165.
<http://www.the-criterion.com/editorial-board/#.WQYRYiGPIU>
- *Epitome: International Journal of Multidisciplinary Research* ISSN 2396-6968.
<http://epitomejournals.com/EditorialBoard.aspx>

Awards and recognitions