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Marital Status:

Timothy is a US-UK-IRL citizen who has lived in the Middle East for over 25 years. He has been teaching for 20+ years and also has many years of experience in program management in HEIs and Language Institutes. In addition to his 15+ years of experience at HEIs in Oman, Timothy has also worked in education in Denmark, France, Haiti and South Korea.

Academic Qualifications

MA in Anthropology of Education and Globalization, Aarhus University, Copenhagen Campus, 2016

TEFL Teacher Training Certificate, LADO International Institute, Washington D.C., 2007

BA in International Studies - Sociology and History of the Middle East, University of California San Diego, 2007

Teaching Activities

ALL Intensive English Language Program courses

Research Activities

- Research Interests

Nationalization policies in the GCC; the transition of youth from HEIs to the labor market

Faculty Administrative Experience

2011 - 2014: Head of Department - Sur University College, General Foundation Program

Managed and developed the department to ensure it achieved excellence in Teaching, Learning, and Assessment; promoted the highest level graduate attributes in accordance with the guidelines set forth by the OAAA and with respect to the department's stakeholders. Provided leadership and strategic direction in close coordination with the Dean of Faculty, Assistant Dean for Academic Affairs, Assistant Dean for Student Affairs, and Registrar; responsible to the Dean of Faculty. Member of: College Academic Board, Curriculum and Study Plan Committee, Promotion Committee, Examination and Evaluation Committee, Academic Staff Employment Committee, Quality Assurance and Risk Management Committee, Appeals Committee, and Student Grievance Committee. Oversight of the following Department-level Sub-Committees: Examination and Evaluation, Curriculum and Study Plan, Teaching/Learning Resources, Extracurricular, Quality Assurance and Risk Management.

2010 - 2011: Level Coordinator for academic courses Technical English I and Technical English II - Sur University College, Oman

Duties included designing and developing course curricula, standardizing the teaching, learning and assessment methods across all courses, writing exams, overseeing moderation of exams, supervising exam invigilators, supporting course instructors. Member of: Quality Assurance and Risk Management Committee, Examination and Evaluation Committee.

2008 - 2009: Head Teacher - LASS Language Institute, South Korea

Supervisor for all native English-speaking teaching staff. Chief Editor for affiliated publishing house. Principal Voice Over Narrator / Voice Actor.

Award and Recognitions

2011 Appreciation for Excellence in Teaching, conferred by the Dean of Faculty and the Quality Assurance Officer, Sur University College

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