
Personal Information	Marital status: Single. Nationality: Kuwaiti. Place of Birth: Kuwait.
Languages	Arabic – native language. English – speak fluently and read/write with high proficiency.
Experience	<p>Acting Vice Dean for Student Affairs, College of Computing Sciences and Engineering, Kuwait University Oct/16 – Oct/18</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Managed the student affairs at the college level.• Provided guidance and counseling to students.• Participated in university level committees related to admissions and registration processes and student affairs.• Supervised the course scheduling process of the departments with the college. <p>Assistance Professor, Department of Information Science, Kuwait University May/13 – Present</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Teaching computing courses.• Participating in administrative committees at the department. <p>Teaching Assistance on Scholarship, Department of Information Science, Kuwait University Sep/06 – May/07</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Performed the tasks of a teaching assistance. <p>System Programmer II, Kuwait Institute for Scientific Research Aug/02 – Sep/06</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Installed and administered Windows 2000 and 2003 Servers and maintained the operation of Windows Services.• Installed and administered Windows XP and 2000 Professional workstations.• Administered KISR Firewall Applications.• Assisted in maintaining KISR LANs (Installations, Configurations, and Troubleshooting).• Assisted in maintaining KISR connectivity.
Education	<p>Kuwait University – Kuwait B.S. in Computer Science, Minor in Accounting Sep/98 – Jun/02</p> <p>Southern Methodist University – USA M.S. in Computer Science Jun/07 – Dec/08</p>

Southern Methodist University – USA
Ph.D. in Computer Science
Jan/09 – May/13

Awards

- SMU student research day, Kent and Nancy Fuka award, 2013
- SMU student research day, Nokia award, 2011
- SMU student research day, Ken Roman award, 2010
- SMU computer science and engineering outstanding graduate student award, 2009

Training Courses and Workshops

- Designing Exemplary Courses (2018)
- How to design effective learning experiences: an approach between teaching and learning (2018)
- Data Management for Accreditation & Quality Assurance Purposes: Collection, Analysis, and Reporting (2018)
- Developing Direct & Indirect Assessment Measures of Student Competencies & the Achievement of Learning Outcomes (2018)
- Active Teaching with Technology (2018)
- Sogeti at SMU with Android (Feb 2013)
- Implementing Microsoft Windows 2000 Professional & Server (2003)
- Deploying and Managing Microsoft ISA and Exchange (2003)
- Microsoft Windows 2000 Network & Operating Systems Essentials (2002)

Teaching Experience

- Information Security
- Java programming
- Data structures
- Introduction to Information Systems
- Operating System and File System Organization
- Fundamentals of Personal Computers
- Web Programming
- Internship
- Capstone Project

Publications

- R. Alawadhi, T. Hussain, "A Method Toward Privacy Protection in Context-Aware Environment," in The 2nd International Conference on Emerging Data and Industry 4.0 (EDI40), Leuven, Belgium, 2019
- R. Alawadhi and S. Nair, "CSEEC: Crypto-System with Embedded Error Control," Southern Methodist University, Technical Report 13-CSE-01, Mar. 2013.
- R. Alawadhi and S. Nair, "A Joint Scheme for Secure and Reliable Communication in Wireless Sensor Networks," Eleventh ACS/IEEE International Conference on Computer Systems and Applications, Morocco, 2013.
- R. Alawadhi and S. Nair, "A Crypto-System with Embedded Error Control for Secure and Reliable Communication," *International Journal of Computer Science and Security*, vol. 7, no. 2.