# **CURRICULUM VITAE**

### Nadia ALOTAIBI

#### PERSONAL DATA

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#### **OBJECTIVE**

To obtain a position that gives me a chance to continue studying, searching, and obtaining Master & Ph.D. Degrees, so that I serve countries, universities, students and myself.

#### **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

My Research interests are Natural Antimicrobial Agents from different Natural Sources (Extraction, Isolation, and Assessing any biological activities at molecular level), Infectious Diseases Therapeutics and Diagnostics, and Molecular Biotechnology and Biology.

#### EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT

	High education:				
2013-2014	1) Postgraduate Study: Master of Biotechnology (MBiotech), Science Faculty, The University of				
	Queensland, with overall Grade (6.25 out of 7) with a Dean's commendation for academic excellence				
	in the second semester of master biotechnology program. Excellence Award from Saudi Cultu				
	Mission in the 2 <sup>nd</sup> semester of master's degree.				
Research	Title: (Antimicrobial Efficacy of an Isothiocyanates Derived from Papaya) at UQ-QAAFI Institution.				
&	My research was published by my research project supervisors at Master degree: Dr. Yasmina				
	Sultanbawa (Senior Research Fellow, Queensland Alliance for Agriculture and Food Innovation,				
Publication	University of Queensland, Health and Food Sciences Precinct) and Dr. David William (PhD (UQ),				
	Senior Chemist, Innovative Food Technologies, Agri-Science Queensland, Department of Agriculture,				
	Fisheries and Forestry).				
	Williams, D.J., Pun, S., Alotaibi, N., O'Hare, T.J. and Sultanbawa, Y., 2015. Benzyl isothiocyanate: maximising production in papaya tissue extracts. <i>Acta Hort</i> , pp.101-108.				

	2) Graduate Study: Bachelor's Degree in Medical Sciences (B. Med. Sc) with a final score
2000-2005	82.07% (3.28 out of 4) and an overall grade Very Good from Faculty of Medicine and
	Medical Sciences, Umm Al-Qura University, Makkah, Saudi Arabia.
2003-2004 Graduate Research	Graduation project to Determine the Incidence of Hepatitis B in Saudi Pregnant Women in
	First Trimester by Using Qualitative PCR (Polymerase Chain Reaction). I achieved a final
	score of 90% and an Excellent Grade.

# WORK EXPERIENCE

	Internship in the Department of laboratory Medicine in Al Hada Armed Forces Hospit			
	Taif, (CAP & AABB accredited) which included rotation in laboratory departments: Central			
19/6/2004	Processing Area for (2 weeks), Clinical Chemistry for (6 weeks), Immunochemistry for (9			
ТО	weeks), Hematology for (7 weeks), Blood Bank for (3 weeks), Microbiology for (9 weeks),			
19/3/2005	Histopathology/ Cytopathology for (4 weeks), Tissue Typing for (2 days), and Molecular			
13/6/2000	Pathology & Microbiology for (8 weeks).			
	Major in Molecular Pathology & Microbiology.			
26/3/2005	Work experience in two newly designed protocols for detection and quantification of HBV			
ТО	and HCV by using Smart Cycler (a modern real time PCR instrument) in addition to the			
4/6/2005 routine work carried in the <i>Molecular department</i> such as <b>NAT</b> (nucleic acid				
	for donor, HBV, HCV, HIV, CMV, and TB, for detection and quantification using Cobas			
	Amplicor, TagMan and Amliprep system, Roche.			
21/8/2006	Employed by Ministry of Health, Saudi Arabia, as Medical Laboratory Specialist (05-J-A-			
ТО	38653) (Supervisor at Chemistry Department) in Biochemistry Unit-Laboratory and Blood			
20/11/2007	Bank Department of King Abdul-Aziz Specialist Hospital, (Taif), (1 year & 3 months			
	experience).			
	Participated in the National Health Survey in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia about (Lipid &			
For 2 months	Fasting blood sugar level, HBA1C percentage) according to Biochemistry Unit-Laboratory			
For 2 months	and Blood Bank Department of King Abdul-Aziz Specialist Hospital, (Taif).			
2007	The Winner Candidate for demonstrator position (specialty in Gene Analysis) in			
	governmental employment competition at Excellence Genomics Centre, King Abdulaziz			
	University.			

### WORK EXPERIENCE

2017 Up to	Attending many online courses of Saudi Digital Library, the training courses and workshops of the UQU-		
	E-Learning and Distance Deanships (Infographics, MOOCS, U-Board etc.), the workshops of the		
	UQU- Deanship of Scientific Research within the initiative for Developing of Human Resources and		
Now	Capabilities of Scientific Research, National Transformation Plan-2030 (Researcher Identity in		
11011	Scientific Social Sites, Scientific Research Security Technology etc.), and the training courses and		
	workshops of the UQU -Deanship of Academic Development and Quality ( Active Learning etc.).		
	MBiotech classified by Saudi Commission for Health Specialties as Senior Specialist in Molecular		
23/1/2019	Biology (05-J-A-38653).		
	Participation as a Contestant in Makkah Based Medicine Hackathon organized by the Medicine and		
21-23/3/2019	Medical Sciences Research Centre, Deanship of Scientific Research, UQU (winner group of the best		
	research project)		
2/7/2017	Receiving a promotion to a Teacher Assistant in the Pharmacognosy Department, College of Pharmacy,		
2/7/2017	UQU.		
	Teacher assistant in Pharmacognosy Department, Pharmacy College, Umm Al-Qura University,		
2007 Up To	Makkah, Kingdome of Saudi Arabia. (Participate in teaching Pharmacognosy practical courses &		
Now	attend undergraduate Pharmacognosy (1, 2, 3, 4), herbal medicine, and natural products lectures.)		

# REFERENCES at UQ

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