

**CURRICULUM VITAE**  
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**I Personal Information**

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**II Education**

PhD: English; Yale University, 1996

MA: English; Yale University, 1991

Doctorate: English; University of Tunis, 1984

Maitrise: English; Sorbonne-Nouvelle, Paris III, 1977

Licence: English; Sorbonne-Nouvelle, Paris III, 1976

Baccalauréat: Philosophie-Lettres Modernes, Tunis, 1968

**III Dissertations and theses**

PhD: "The Rhetoric of Authenticity in Wordsworth's Poetry"; Supervisor: Geoffrey H. Hartman

Doctorate: "Social Commitment in Postwar British Drama: Aspects and Limits"; Supervisor: Anwar Attia

Maitrise: "The Social Scene in the Letters of Lady Mary Montagu"; Supervisor: Suzanne Halimi

**IV Academic distinctions and fellowships**

Spring 2002: The Bogliasco Foundation Fellowship,  
Bogliasco Study and Conference Center, Italy

Fall 1999 : Bourse de Transfert de Technologie,  
Yale University

1997 The Rockefeller Foundation, Bellagio Study  
and Conference Center, Italy

- 1990-1995: Fulbright Scholarship, Yale University  
 Summer 1999: Dante Alighieri Istituto Stipendium: Università per Stranieri, Perugia, Italy  
 July 1989: British Council Fellowship; University College, Cardiff, Wales

## **V Teaching and professional experience**

- 2008 Academic consultant for US World Learning program in Tunisia  
 2002-2007 Advisor to the Minister of Higher Education and Scientific Research, in charge of International cooperation and curricula reform  
 2003 Professor of English Language and Literature, Tunis  
 1998-2002 Director of English Graduate Studies  
 1997 Associate Professor of English, Faculté des Lettres de La Manouba  
 1986-1997 Assistant Professor of English, Faculté des Lettres de la Manouba  
 1984-1986 Assistant, Faculté des Lettres de la Manouba,

## **VI Publications**

- \*Social Commitment in Postwar British Drama; Aspects and Limits.* Tunis University Press, 1992.  
*\*"Conversation with Edward Bond", Revue Tunisienne des Langues Vivantes,* 1986.  
*\*"Personal Voice and Narrative Identity in Two 'Lyrical Ballads' by Wordsworth", in Du mot à l'identité; Annales littéraires de l'Université de Franche-Comté, Besançon,* 1997.  
*\*"Lecture rhétorique d'un poème de Philippe Jaccottet", in Lecture et création, Publications de la Faculté des Lettres la Manouba,* 1997.  
*\*"Cultural Translatio in Sir Grenville Temple's Excursions in the Mediterranean", Annales littéraires de l'Université de Franche-Comté, Besançon,* 2002.  
*\*"Wordsworth's Idea of the Nation", in Universalité et particularité culturelle, Tunis, (forthcoming in Revue Orient-Occident, Tunis).*

## **VII Professional activities and affiliations**

- \*Chairman of the Doctorate and Habilitation Committee of English Language, Civilization and Literature (2015)
- \*Member of the Tunisian Academy of Letters, Arts and Science (since 2012)
- \*Founder of the Tunisian Association for Civic Culture (2012)
- \*Member of the « Observatoire de la transition démocratique » (2011)
- \*Academic consultant, World Learning Tunisia (since 2008)
- \* Advisor to the Minister of Higher Education, Scientific Research and Technology (2002-2007)
- \*Chairman of “Maitre Assistant” Jury of Translation Studies (2004-2006)
- \*Chairman of the Doctorate and Habilitation Committee of English Language, Civilization and Literature (1998-2002)
- \*Director of the English Graduate Studies Committee (1998-2002)
- \*Chairman of “Comité de veille pédagogique d’anglais”, at Ministry of Education and Vocational Training (2000-2003)
- \*Chairman of English CAPES Jury, at Ministry of Education and Vocational Training (2000-2002)
- \*Founder of the Research Unit "Langues et Inter-culturalité", at Faculté des Lettres de La Manouba, Tunisia (since 2000).
- \*Member of Maitre-Assistant Recruitment Jury (2002-2004)
- \*Member of Maitre-Assistant Recruitment Jury (1998-2000)
- \*Chairman of “Commission Nationale des Equivalences” (1998-2002)
- \*Member of Yale Alumni Association
- \*Member of Fulbright Alumni Association
- \*Vice-Chairman of the *Legacy Project*, New York

## **VIII Languages**

Arabic, English, French, Italian, Latin