

Personal Information

Name	Mahmoud Jaran
Place and date of birth	20/1/1981 Jarash (Jordan)
Faculty	Foreign Languages
Department	European Languages

Qualifications

Qualification	Specialization	University of donor rank	Date
PhD	Literary Science	Department of Romance and Germanic Languages and Literatures. University of Udine, Italy.	2009
Master	Italian as a Second Language	Department of Romance and Germanic Languages and Literatures. University of Udine, Italy.	2005
Bachelor	English Language and Literature (Minor Italian)	University of Al-Bayt, Jordan.	2004

Specialization and domain of interest

Specialization	Italian Literature and Comparative Literature
Domain of interest	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Literary Studies. • Italian Literature. • World Literature. • Comparative Literature. • Cultural Studies.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Literary Theory. • Literary Criticism.
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Career Experience

Job Title	Place of work	Date
Lecturer	Faculty of Foreign Languages	2009
Assistant Professor	Faculty of Foreign Languages	2013
Associate Professor	Faculty of Foreign Languages	2015

Administrative works and committees

Administrative work and committee	Date
Dean's Assistant for Students' Affairs	2013 - 2014; 2016 - 2017
Head of European Languages Department	2014 – 2016; 2022 – 2023; 2024 – till now

Recent Publications within last five years

Name of researcher	Research title, Publisher, Date
Mahmoud Jaran	The functional dimension of crusade literature: A comparative perspective. Research Journal in Advanced Humanities, 5(4). 2024.

Mahmoud Jaran	“Prophet Muhammad in Dante’s Divine Comedy: An anxiety of influence”, <i>Kervan, International Journal of Afro-Asiatic Studies</i> , (26), 2022.
Mahmoud Jaran	“Brunetto, Dante e l’Islam”, <i>Transcultural Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences</i> , 3(3), 22. (in Italian)
Mahmoud Jaran	“Gli spazi narrativi di Orano tra lo straniero e l’indigeno”, <i>Dirasat, Human and Social Sciences</i> , 47(2), 2020. (in Italian)
Mahmoud Jaran	"Bellek, insan ve Tarih Catismasinda Gun Olur Asra Bedel", in <i>Yayina Hazirlayan, Omar Erdogan, Bozkirin Uyanisi Gengiz Aytmatov</i> , Kafyapim, 2019. (in Turkish)

Scientific conferences and symposia

Conference Title	Place and date of conference	Type of participation
International Conference of Philosophy	University of Jordan - 2024	Chairman
The 1ST International Conference on Dante and the Arab World	University of Badr (Cairo) - 2021	Speaker

Conference on Mahmoud Darwish	Sultan bin Owais Foundation (Dubai) - 2019	Speaker with a paper on “The Italian Culture and Literature in Mahmoud Darwish’s Jidariyya”
American Association for Italian Studies Annual Convention	University of Zurich, Switzerland - 2015	Speaker
Cinquant’anni di Italianistica ad Ain Shams Conference	University of Ain Shams, Cairo, March 2013	Speaker
International Festival of Literature of Mantova	International Festival of Literature of Mantova, Italy, September 2012.	Speaker. Paper’s title: “L’Arab(b)ia di Pier Paolo Pasolini”.
International Festival of Literature of Mantova	International Festival of Literature of Mantova, Italy, September 2012.	Speaker. Paper’s title: “La gran bontà di Ferrau. Sguardo interculturale al Furioso”
The International Conference: Destination Italy.	University of Oxford, Great Britain, April 2012.	Speaker
The International Conference: Imagining Italy: Exploring the Role of Representation in Migratory Movements	Helwan University, Cairo, October 2011.	Speaker

Teaching activities

Taught Courses	Bachelor	Graduate
Introduction to Italian Literature	*	
Italian Literature till the End of Nineteenth Century	*	
Italian Civilization	*	
Contemporary Italian Thought	*	
Contemporary Italian Literature	*	
Translation Arabic – Italian	*	

Membership in scientific and professional bodies and societies

Name and place of scientific body and society	Date
Società Dante Alighieri - Amman	2011
American Society for Italian Studies	2014
Jordanian Philosophical Society	2015