

HE Prof. Reda Shebli Al Khawaldeh

Qualification

1. PhD Degree in Gardening, University of Illinois, United States of America (USA), 1990. GPA 5/5.
2. Master's Degree in Crop Production, Faculty of Agriculture, University of Jordan, 1986 (Hons).
3. Bachelor's Degree in Crop Production, Faculty of Agriculture, University of Jordan, 1984 (Hons).

Background

1. Member of the twenty-seventh Jordanian council of senate.
2. Minister of Agriculture (June 2016 to September 2016).
3. President of Mu'tah University: From March 2013 to 31 May 2016.
4. President of the University of Jordan: From April 2012 to 30 March 2013.
5. Vice President for the affairs of scientific faculties and institutes, University of Jordan (October 2010 to March 2013).
6. The Dean of the National Center for Agricultural Research and Extension, (NCARE), University of Jordan (November 2009 to October 2010).
7. President Assistant of the Jordan Society for Scientific Research (JSSR) (February 2007 to date).
8. Sabbatical year, Department of Natural Resources and Environment Sciences, University of Illinois, United States of America (USA), September 2005 to August 2006.
9. Dean of the Faculty of Agriculture, Jordan University of Science and Technology (JUST) (October 2002 to September 2005).



10. Promoted to full Professor rank due to the abundance of the published papers and books, Jordan University for Science and Technology (JUST), (2002).
11. Director of the Agricultural Center for Research and Production, Jordan University of Science and Technology (JUST) (October 2002 to September 2005).
12. Fulbright Grants: Department of field crops, University of Purdue, Indiana, United States of America (USA) (September 1999 to August 2000).
13. Chair of the Department of Crop Production (September 1989 to August 1999).
14. Director of the Center of Research and Production, Jordan University of Sciences and Technology (1997 to 1998).
15. Post-Doctoral studies:
 - Department of Natural Resources and Environment Sciences, United States of America (USA), (September 1995 to January 1997).
 - Department of Applied Sciences, University of Langston, Oklahoma, United States of America (USA), (September 1990 to July 1991).
16. Has obtained the following awards:
 - Philadelphia University Prize for the Best Book, 2012.
 - The Islamic Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (ISESCO) Prize, 2012.
 - Distinguished Researcher Award, University of Jordan, 2011.
 - Ali Menco Distinguished Researcher Award, 2010.
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 - Distinguished Paper Award, Agriculture Sector, Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research, Jordan, 2008.



- Sawsana Award for Agricultural Excellence, Technical Consultancy Center, Jordan, 2006.
 - Distinguished Researcher Award, Agriculture Sector, Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research, Jordan, 2005.
 - Agricultural Engineers Association's Award for Distinguished Research, 2006.
 - Scientific excellence grant, Arab Fund for Economic and Social Development, State of Kuwait, 2005.
 - Obtained Hisham Hijjawia Award for Applied Sciences (Agricultural Sector), 2004.
 - Fulbright Grant, 1999.
 - His Late Majesty King Hussein Bin Talal handed him certificate of scientific excellence in 1997.
 - Abdul Hameed Shoman Award for Arab Researchers, 1996.
 - Grant from the Islamic Development Bank, scientific excellence, 1995.
 - Hisham Hijjawia Award for applied sciences /Agricultural Sector, 1994.
 - Phi Kappa Phi Certificate for Academic Excellence, United States of America (USA).
 - Gamma Sigma Delta Certificate for Academic Excellence, United States of America (USA).
17. Prepared 170 published and accepted for publication papers in international indexed and refereed journals from 1990 to date.
18. Has participated in 60 international and local conferences.
19. Has provided consulting services to various local and foreign organizations:
- United States Agency for International Development (USAID).
 - Arab Organization for Agricultural Development (AOAD).



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