

Polla Khanaqa

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Göttingen, Germany & Sulaimaneyah, KRG-Iraq

Date of birth: 28-7-1960

Place of Birth: Kirkuk , Iraq



Profil

University professor with experiences in research and environment management and competences in the field of higher education and scientific research

Education and Qualifications

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| 2013 | Upgrading to professor at the University of Sulaimani, KRG/Iraq. Topics: Sedimentology and paleogeography. |
| 2006 | Upgrading to assistant professor at the University of Sulaimani, KRG/Iraq. Topics: Sedimentology and paleogeography. |
| 1997-2000 | Post-Doctoral researches at the George-August University, Göttingen, Germany. Topics: Sedimentology, organic petrology, groundwater management and degradation of organic materials. |
| 1994-1997 | Doctoral study at the George-August University, Göttingen, Germany. Topics: Sedimentology, organic petrology, ecology and peat genesis. |
| 1982-1989 | Geology study at the George-August University, Göttingen, Germany. Topics: Sedimentology, organic petrology, coal genesis and geological mapping. |
| 1980-1981 | Visit the language courses for German at the Goethe Institute in Göttingen and preparatory courses at the University of Bremen, Germany. |
| 1979 | General certificate of education (high school) in Kirkuk, Iraq. |

Professional experience

- Since 2009 President of the Institution for Strategic Studies and Scientific Research, Sulaimaneyah, KRG-Iraq, (www.kissr.edu.krd).
- 2005-2008 President of the Technology Establishment, Sulaimaneyah, KRG-Iraq.
- 1995-2003 Scientific employee at the Georg-August University of Göttingen/ center of geosciences, Germany.
Project Supervisor in the fields of Sedimentology, Organic Petrology and Hydrogeology; supervising of Doctoral and of Diploma research & thesis; examining of water project in Arab countries.
- 1989-1995 Research employee at Agrar Soziale Gesellschaft e.V. (ASG) in Göttingen and project supervisor at regional administration (Kreisverwaltung) of Minden-Lübbecke. Projects: Action (Pro rural area), competitive our village should become more beautiful, greening actions, ecology, restoration of wetlands, ...

Vocational Training

- 8/ 2002 – 6/ 2003 Management training for executive personnel (economy & marketing, economic law, techniques of communication & presentation)

Additional Skills

Languages

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| Kurdish | – mother tongue |
| German | – first language of everyday-life |
| English | – very Good |
| Arabic | – very Good |
| Greek & Turkish | – necessary everyday-life proficiency |

Computer Skills

GIS, MS-Office, programs for editing data and photos, internet

Interests

Chess, table tennis

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