

## Curriculum Vitae

### Husam Hassan Ali Ghalib

**Date of Birth** : 1936  
**Nationality** : Iraqi (USA Resident)  
**Marital Status** : Married  
**Languages** : English , Arabic  
**Email** : [ghalibfamily@yahoo.com](mailto:ghalibfamily@yahoo.com)  
**Major Field Exp** : Date palm expert and consultant

#### Academic Qualifications:

- Post-Asst. Professor - University of Basrah (Iraq) ,1989
- M.Sc. (Horticulture) - University of Minnesota (U.S.A), 1965, Thesis : **The Culture of the Date Palm**
- B. Sc. Horticulture - Arkansas State of University (U.S.A) ,1959

#### Academic Achievement:

##### Courses Taught at Collage of Agriculture University of Basra (Iraq) 1972-1990:

- Date Palm Production.
- Physiology and Anatomy of Date Palms.
- Date Palm Varieties.
- Principle and Advances Horticulture.

##### M. Sc. Advisor (Graduate School) In Horticulture and Date Palms

##### Papers And Books Published:

- Published over 30 scientific research papers.
- Published the following text books:
  - Atlas of Date Palm Cultivar in UAE (six volumes) - 2008
  - Date Palm (*Phoenix dactylifera*, L.) trees in respective of UAE. 2003.
  - Annual Guide for Date Palm (*Phoenix dactylifera*, L) cultivation services – 2002.
  - Botanical Classification, Morphology and Anatomy of Date Palms (*Phoenix dactylifera*, L.) - 2002.
  - Plant Propagation - 1990.
  - Mechanical Pollination of Date Palms - 1986.
  - Practical Date Palms - 1980,
  - Horticulture Science - 1979.

#### Agriculture Feasibilities Studies and Consulting Projects:

- Assessments of M. Sc. Date Palm Thesis - 1990- 1992.
- Selection of the Ideal Agriculture Crops In Iraq - 1988.
- Mechanization of Date Palms - 1984- 1986.
- Date Palm Propagation (Nursery) Project - 1983- 1985.
- Al Saad River Agriculture Project. - 1978.
- Shatt Al-Arab Agriculture Project - 1973.

**Professional Qualifications:****Duration of Experience: 40 years as follows:****2005 - 2006**

Al Foa Date Palm, Palms Development Company Abu Dhabi, U.A.E (Under Auspices of Private Office of Sheikh Hamid Bin Zayed Al Nahyan) Position Held:

- Date Palm Consultant
- Head of Agro (Date Palm) Operation Department

**2002-2005**

**Emirate of Abu Dhabi, Dept. of Municipalities & Agriculture Abu Dhabi, U.A.E**

**Position Held:** Agriculture Date Palm Specialist

**2001-2002**

**Al Safa Date Palm Services Center (Private Sector) Al Sin, U.A.E**

**Position Held:** Date Palm Production Consultant

**1999 - 2001**

**U.A.E. Agriculture (Private Sector) Western Region, U.A.E**

**Position Held:** Date Palm Production Consultant

**1995 - 1999**

**MEZOMAR Foreign Trade Company for Ind. & Agri. Products Mardin, Turkey Position Held:** General Manager

**1994 - 1995**

**Al Ajjal Company for Agriculture Investments Baghdad, Iraq**

**Position Held:** Agriculture Consultant and Advisor

**1990- 1994**

**Gardinia Agriculture Company Baghdad, Iraq**

**Position Held:** Agriculture Consultant and Advisor

**1971-1990**

**University of Basra, Basra, Iraq**

**Position Held:** Asst. Professor

**1978**

**Date Palm Expert (U.N.I.D.O.) Basra, Iraq**

**Position Held:** Agri. Specialist

**1970— 1971**

**Agriculture and Date Palm Establishment Baghdad, Iraq**

**Position Held:** Agri. Specialist

**Symposiums. Conferences and Agri. Scientific Meetings**

Participated in (15) Symp., Conf. & Agri Scientific Meetings in Iraq and the Arab World.

**Appraisals and Awards:**

Received (39) appraisals and awards.

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**Post Nomination:**

- Director of region center of date palm in Middle East and North Africa .FAO 1985.
- Date Expert UNIDO 1978.