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Education Background

- *- **PhD in Plant Protection 1992.** Department of Plant Protection, Agricultural Faculty, Damascus University.
- *- Master Degree in Plant Protection 1988. Department of Plant Agricultural Faculty, Damascus University.
- *- **Diploma in Plant Protection 1982**. Department of Plant Protection, Agricultural Faculty, Damascus University.
- *- **Bs. In Agriculture-1981.** Agricultural Faculty, Damascus University.

Employment:

- **2009-** Up till Now: Bany Yas Station- Research Section Development Sector- Abu Dhabi Food Control Authority. Researcher on Insect pests. Date Palm, Vegetables, Forage and Landscape.
- **-2002- 2008:** United Arab Emirates, Abu Dhabi, General Agricultural Directorate of Abu Dhabi, Department of Municipalities and Agriculture, Abu Dhabi, UAE. Agricultural Research& Experiment Station, Bani Yas Plant protection section, Researcher on pest attack Date Palm, Vegetables, Forage Crops and landscape.
- 1997- 2001 Agricultural Material Company.. Al-Ain-U.A.E. Test the pesticides on different pest on date palm trees, Vegetables, Ornamentals, Forage crops and Landscape.
- -1/7/2001- 29/12/2001: Plant Protection Department, Agricultural Research Directorate, Syria. Entomologist Insect pest on Vegetables, Crops, Landscape, Forage and Horticultures.
- **-1982-1997:** Plant Protection Department, Agricultural Scientific Research Directorate, Syria. Entomologist, Insect pest on Vegetables, Crops, Landscape Forage and Horticultures.

Training:

- Basis and Mechanisms of Preparation of Scientific Research. Abu Dhabi Food Control authority. Al-Ain(UAE) 24 June 2013.
- Chemical Handling. Conducted by TÜV Middle East. Abu Dhabi, 27 October 2011.
- All Modules Required for the Grating of the International Computer Driving Licensesyllabus Version 4.0. April 2007. ICDL GCC Foundation, the awarding for ICDL in Gulf Region
- Desert Locust and Modern Techniques for Monitoring and Control. General Secretariat of Municipalities. United Arab Emirates, Abu Dhabi, 25 April 2005.

- Study in (Windows-Word- Excel- access-PowerPoint- Internet- Typing/ Arabic+ English). Falcon Computer& Languages Institute. Abu Dhabi (UAE) 1 August to 1 October 2003.
- Writing Skills and Reporting Preparing. International Consultants for consulting & Marketing Co. – BIN HAM& PARTNERS (W.L.L). Abu Dhabi Municipality, Abu Dhabi, 13 to 17 December 2003.
- Host Plant Resistance to Insects in Sorghum. International Crops Research Institute for the Semi- Arid Tropics (ICRISAT).24 October to 03 November 1995. Patancheru, Andra Pradesh-India.
- Food Legume Entomology. International Centre for Agricultural Research in the Dry Areas (ICARDA), 15 April to 15 May 1986. Aleppo, Syrian Arab Republic.
- Weed Management Training Course. Agricultural Directorate of Scientific Research, Syrian Arab Republic. 4 to 14 April 1987.
- English Typewriting from the 1 April to 10 August 1977. In the International College. Beirut- Lebanon.
- Arabic Typewriting from the 1 April to 10 August 1977. In the International College. Beirut- Lebanon.

Publications:

Extension Booklets:

- 1- Description of Helicoverpan and Heliothis Species insect, and their damage to agricultural crops. Agricultural Extension Directorate, Ministry of Agricultural & Agrarian Reform, Syria. 1997. 18 pp.
- 2- Farmer Guide for Agricultural Pesticides Use. 2009. Agricultural Sector, Emirate of Abu Dhabi 32 pp.
- 3- Organic planting for Date Palm Trees. 2009. Agricultural Sector, Emirate of Abu Dhabi 32 pp.

Extension Leaflets':

- 1- Red Palm Weevil, *Rhynchophorus ferrugineus* Oliv.(Coleoptera: Curculionidae). 2009. Agricultural Sector, Emirate of Abu Dhabi
- 2- Investment Optimization of Red Palm weevil. 2009. Aggregation Pheromone Traps Agricultural Sector, Emirate of Abu Dhabi
- 3- Date spider Mite *Oligonchus afrasiaticus* Meg.(Acarina: Etranychidae) .2009.Agricultural Sector, Emirate of Abu Dhabi
- 4- Date Palm Stalk Borers. 2008. Agricultural Sector, Emirate of Abu Dhabi
- 5- Date Palm Tree. 2008.(Learning Book for Children's) Lew Festival for Al- Rutab, 2009. Agricultural Sector, Emirate of Abu Dhabi

Scientific committees:

- 1. Scientific committee, department of plant protection, Agricultural sciences research directorate in Syria.
- 2. Supervision of postgraduates students (MSc, Diploma) in Damascus University and Teshrin University(Syria)

- 3. Supervising graduation projects for undergraduates students in Damascus University and Teshrin University (Syria)
- 4. Coordinator (Entomologist) Hard wheat improvement in arid Tropic areas
- 5. Ecological diversity Arabic republic of Syria in corporation with UNDP
- 6. Technical committee for laboratory equipments in Agricultural sciences research directorate in Syria.
- 7. Technical committee for pesticides in Syria
- 8. Scientific committee For selecting pesticides Arabic Republic of Syria
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- 10. Editorial member Al Murshed Magazine agricultural sector Municipality and agricultural department
- 11. Member of national committee for (Red Palm weevil control) in United Arab Emirates
- 12. Member of technical committee agricultural, purchasing sectors Abu Dhabi Emirate
- 13. Member of technical committee for requirement pesticides and fertilizers to Abu Dhabi Agricultural Extension Centers.
- 14. Member of technical committee for the following-up research agricultural general directorate of Abu Dhabi General Agric. Directorate
- 15. The Arabic plant protection union Coordinator in UAE
- 16. Member of Arabic committee for plant protection Society since 1982
- 17. Member of Agricultural Association in Syria 1981
- 18. Scientific referee for some scientific journals
- 19. Scientific referee for scientific reports agricultural research directorate
- 20. Participate for prepare long term strategic planning for plant protection in Syria.
- 21. Participate in preparing annual cooperative scientific programme between agricultural research directorate and (ICARDA) during 1985-1997 period.

Seminars and Conferences

- Al-Saoud, A. H. 2014. Factors affecting the efficacy of ethyl acetate in the red palm weevil aggregation pheromone traps
- Al-Saoud, A.H. 2013. Effect of ethyl acetate and date palm fruits quantity on red palm weevil capture in pheromone traps in UAE. The 61st Annual Meeting of the Entomological Society of America, November 10-13, 2013. Austin Convention Center, Austin, Texas, USA.
- Al-Saoud, A.H. and Sarto, I. Monteys, V. 2013. Effect of trap setting height and colour on pheromone mass-trapping of red palm weevil, *Rhynchophorus ferrugineus* Oliv. (Coleoptera: Dryophthoridae). 8th Spanish National Congress on Applied Entomology.21-25 October 2013. Martes, Spain.
- **Al-Saoud, A.H. 2012**. Effect of Aggregation Pheromone Trap Colors and Kairomone in Attracting Adults of Red Palm Weevil *Rhynchophorus ferrugineus* Oliv.(Coleoptera: Curculionidae) In Al-Rahbba(Emirate of Abu Dhabi) . 1st International Symposium on horticultural Insects Management. 5th-8th November, 2012. Amman-Jordan.
- Al-Saoud.A.H. 2010. Comparative Effectiveness of Eight Colors of Red Palm Weevil *Rhynchophorous ferrugineus* Olivier (Coleoptera: Curculionidae) Aggregation Pheromone Traps on the Numbers of Cached Weevils. 50th Science Week. International Conference on "Agricultural Productivity Increase: Challenges and Means of Development". 28-30 November 2010 Al-Furat University, Der Al-Zoor- Syria.

- **Al-Saoud.A.H. 2010**.Management Red Palm Weevil *Rhynchophorus ferrugineus*(Coleoptera: Curculionidae) Aggregation Pheromone Traps. The second International conference control of "Red Palm Weevil State of the Art and Hopes of Effective Solutions" 14-15 / 5 / 2010, Felice Cires- Italy.
 - **Al-Saoud.A.H. 2009**. Comparative Effectiveness of Four Food Baits on Red Palm Weevil *Rhynchophorous ferrugineus* Olivier (Coleoptera: Curculionidae) Aggregation Pheromone. 10th Arab Congress of Plant Protection, 26- 30 October 2009. Beirut Lebanon.
 - **Al-Saoud.A.H. 2008**. Effect of Aggregation Pheromone Traps Sites of Red Palm Weevil *Rhynchophorous ferrugineus* Olivier (Coleoptera: Curculionidae) on the Number of Captured Weevils. First International Conference of Agricultural Science 13 15 October, 2008 Faculty of Agriculture, Aleppo University, Syria.
 - **Al-Saoud.A.H. 2007**. Red Palm Weevil *Rhynchophorus ferrugineus* Oliv.(Coleoptera: Curculionidae), Distribution, Life Cycle, Damage, Symposiums, Factors help its distribution. Workshop on use of pheromone and other attractants material in control of agricultural pests. Atomic Energy Commission (AECS) Syrian Arab Republic, Damascus 14-19 June, 2007.
 - **Al-Saoud.A.H. 2007.** Control of Red Palm Weevil *Rhynchophorus ferrugineus* Oliv.(Coleoptera: Curculionidae). Workshop on use of pheromone and other attractants material in control of agricultural pests. Atomic Energy Commission (AECS) Syrian Arab Republic, Damascus 14-19 June, 2007.
 - Al-Saoud.A.H. 2007. Use aggregation pheromone in Red Palm Weevil *Rhynchophorus ferrugineus* Oliv.(Coleoptera: Curculionidae) control programs. Workshop on use of pheromone and other attractants material in control of agricultural pests. Atomic Energy Commission (AECS), Syrian Arab Republic, Damascus 14-19 June, 2007.
 - Al-Saoud.A.H.and M.A.A. Almansouri. 2007. Effect of Red Palm Weevil *Rhynchophorus ferrugineus* Oliv.(Coleoptera: Curculionidae) Aggregation Pheromone Traps Contains on The Number of Captures Weevils. The Fourth Symposium on Date Palm in Saudi Arabia (Challenges of Processing, Marketing, and Pests control). King Faisal University- AL Hassa- 5-8 May 2007. Saudi Arabia Kingdom
 - Al-Saoud.A.H. 2007. The Role of Kairomone in Red Palm Weevil *Rhynchophorus ferrugineus* Oliv.(Coleoptera: Curculionidae) Aggregation Pheromone Traps. The first International Conference of Date Palm. Integrated Crop Management of Date Palm and Its Impacts For Producing Clean And Safety Dates. Plant Protection Research Institute Central Laboratory for Date Palm Research and Development. 2-4 September 2007 Cairo, Egypt.
 - **Al-Saoud.A.H. .and M.A.A. Almansouri. 2006**. Control of the Red Palm Weevil *Rhynchophorus ferrugineus* Oliv.(Coleoptera: Curculionidae) Using Aggrigation Pheromones. 9th Arab Congress of Plant Protection, 19- 23 November 2006. Damascus-Syria.
 - **Al-Saoud.A.H. 2006**. Importance of Date Fruit in The Red Palm Weevil, *Rhynchophorus ferrugineus* Olivier (Coleoptera: Curculionidae), Aggregation Pheromone Traps. Third International Date Palm Conference, Abu Dhabi, 19- 21 February 2006. United Arab Emirates.

- Al-Saoud.A.H. 2000. Effect of Chickpea Plant Density on Podborers in Southern Syria. Seventh Arab Congress of Plant Protection 22-26 October 2000, Amman, Jordan.
- Al- Ahmad.M. and Ahmad Al-Saoud. 2000. Screening of Melon Varieties Against Wilt and Root Rot Syndrome, Under Field Condition in Al-Ain Area. Seventh Arab Congress of Plant Protection 22-26 October 2000, Amman, Jordan.
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- Al-Saoud, A.H. and Sammara. F.1997. Susceptibility of 30 Chickpea Genotypes for Podborers Infestation in Southern Syria. Six Arab Congress of Plant Protection, 27-31 October, 1997, Beirut, Lebanon.
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- **Al-Saoud.A.H. 1994.** Effect of Thiodan Application Dates On Chickpea Pod Borers In Southern Syria. Fifth Arab Congress of Plant Protection, Fez, Morocco, 27th November- 2nd December, 1994.
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- Al-Saoud.A.H. 1992. Sorghum Insect Pests in Syria during 1991 Season. Third ARCM RAB/88/003 Sana'a, Yemen, April 13 20 1992.
- Al-Saoud.A.H., Sammara. F. and Suzan Weigand. 1991. Effect of Chickpea Podporers in Syria during 1988-1989, and 1989-1990 seasons. Fourth Arab congress of Plant Protection, 1-5 December, 1991. Cairo, Egypt.
- Al-Saoud, A.H; Sammara, F.; El-Ftayeh, M.A. and Alhamydi, M. 1991. Chemical Control of *Helicoverpa armigera* Hubner (Lepidoptera: Noctuidae) in Southern Syria. Fourth Arab congress of Plant Protection, 1-5 December, 1991. Cairo, Egypt.
- **Al-Saoud. A.H. 1991**. Effect of Chickpea pod borer on the some chickpea promising varieties in Syria. Th³¹Scientific week., 2-8 November, 1991. Tishrin University, Latakia. Syrian Arab Republic.

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- -Al-Saoud.A.H. 1988. Ecological Studies on *Heliothis* sp.(Lepidoptera: Noctuidae) Attacking Chickpea In Southern Syria. 28th Weeks of Sciences. Damascus University, November 1988. Damascus. Syria.

Workshops

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- Al-Saoud.A.H. 2010. Investment Optimization of (RPW) *Rhynchophorus ferrugineus* (Coleoptera: Curculionidae) Aggregation Pheromone Traps in United Arab Emirates. Red Palm Weevil, The Challenge. 30-31 March 2010 Saudi Basic Industries Corporation (SABIC) Riyadh, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.
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- -El-Ahmed.H.; Taweel. W.; El-Ahmed. M.; Al-Saoud, A.H. and Nassif.A.M. 1996. Chickpea in Syria. Pages 55 66 *in* Adaptation of Chickpea in the West Asia and North Africa Region (N.P.Saxina, C.Johanson.S.M. Virmani and H. Harris *eds.* 1996).

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- Al-Saoud.A.H.2012. Comparative Study of Effectiveness of Pheromone Traps Colors of Red Palm Weevil *Rhynchophorous ferrugineus* Olivier (Coleoptera: Curculionidae) Aggregation on the Numbers of Cached Weevils. Damascus University Journal of Agricultural Sciences.28 (2): 219-232.
- **Al-Saoud, A.H. 2011**. Comparative Effectiveness of Four Baits in Aggregation Pheromone Traps on Red Palm Weevil 1 *Rhynchophorus ferrugineus* Olivier. Arab Journal of Plant Protection, 29: 83-89.
- **-Al-Saoud.A.H.2011**. Effect of Aggregation Pheromone Traps Sites of Red Palm Weevil *Rhynchophorous ferrugineus* Olivier (Coleoptera: Curculionidae) on the Number of Captured Weevils. Damascus University Journal of Agricultural Sciences .27(2): 77-95.
- Al-Saoud, A.H. 2010. Effect of Red Palm Weevil *Rhynchophorus ferrugineus* Olivier (Coleoptera: Curculionidae) aggregation pheromone traps High and Colors on the Number of Captured Weevils. Pages 419 429 *in* Acta Horticultura No.882 Proceedings 4th International Date Palm Conference. Abu Dhabi-United Arab Emirates. 15-17 March 2010. (A. Zaid. and G.A. Alhadrami ed.).
- Al-Saoud, A.H.; Al-Deeb, M.A. and A.K. Murchi 2010. Effect of Color on the Trapping Effectiveness of Red Palm Weevil Pheromone Traps. Journal of Entomology 2010. 7(1): 54-59
- Al-Saoud, A.H. 2009. Effect of Red Palm Weevil *Rhynchophorus ferrugineus* Olivier (Coleoptera: Curculionidae) aggregation pheromone trap Contains on the Number of Capture Weevils. Damascus University Journal of Agricultural Sciences.2009. Vol.25-No (1):151-175.
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- Al-Saoud, A.H. 2006. Control of the Red Palm Weevil, *Rhynchophorus ferrugineus* Olivier (Coleoptera: Curculionidae) Using Aggregation Pheromone. Damascus University Journal of Agricultural Sciences. 2006. Vol. 22-No (1):147-164.
- Al-Saoud, A.H. 2004. Effect of Parasitism on Chickpea Pod Borers *Helicoverpa*(Heliothis) armigera Hubner and *Heliothis viriplaca* Hufn (Lepidoptera: Noctuidae) in Southern Syria. Emirates Journal of Agricultural Sciences.2004.16 (1): 10-21.
- Al-Saoud, A.H. and Fawzi Samara. 2001. Effect of Chickpea Plant Density on Podborers in Southern Syria. Damascus University J. Agric. Sci. 17(1): 31-44.
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- Samara.F.; Ftayeh,M.A.; Alhamidi.M and Ahmad Hussen Al-Saoud. 1991. Chemical Control of *Helicoverpa armigera* Hubner(Lepidoptera: Noctuidae) in Southern Syria. Arab Journal of Plant Protection. 1991. 9(2): 95-102.
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Other Publications:

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Cooperation With International Agricultural Centers

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