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Assistant Professor in
Accounting and
Finance

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Skills

Student Needs Assessment



Lesson Plan Creation



Classroom Presentations



Online Learning Tools



Student Research
Guidance



Academic Advising



Course Design



Lecturing



Public Speaking



Student Advocacy



Faculty Collaboration



Objective

Innovative Assistant Professor bringing proven success in implementing technology-based curriculum delivery and assessment tools. Passionate about fostering academic development and success for every student. Student-centered Professor with expertise in Accounting and Finance. Offers 31 years background supporting students, developing instructional plans, organizing and grading exams and tests. Commended for sustaining an effective learning environment through prepared classes and relevant assignments and consistently achieving classroom management and academic goals.

Education

2018-12

**Doctor of Business Administration (DBA):
Finance**

University of Khartoum - Sudan

2011-09

**Master of Science:
Accounting and Finance**

University of Khartoum - Sudan

1991-12

**Bachelor of Science:
Financial Accounting**

Omdurman Ahlia University - Sudan

Work History

2024-01 - **Dean, College of Business Administration**

Current

Nile University, Sudan

- Developing and implementing academic policies and procedures to ensure compliance with institutional goals and accreditation standards.
- Leading curriculum development and overseeing academic program review processes to maintain and improve the quality of academic offerings.
- Collaborating with faculty members, department heads, and other stakeholders to ensure effective delivery and continuous improvement of academic programs.
- Managing faculty recruitment, evaluation, retention, and professional development to cultivate a thriving academic environment.
- Representing the institution in meetings, committees, conferences, and external engagements to promote academic excellence and institutional interests.
- Addressing student concerns, resolving academic grievances, and handling disciplinary matters to foster a supportive learning environment.
- Driving strategic planning and institutional initiatives to advance the quality of education, research, and community engagement.

Languages

Arabic

English

- Overseeing budget planning and resource allocation to support academic priorities effectively.
- Promoting diversity, equity, and inclusion in academic programs and faculty hiring practices.
- Fostering interdisciplinary collaboration and innovation in teaching, research, and community outreach.
- Establishing and maintaining partnerships with external organizations, industry leaders, and other educational institutions to enhance academic and professional opportunities for students and faculty.
- Ensuring effective communication and coordination between academic departments and administrative units.
- Monitoring and analyzing academic performance metrics to identify areas for improvement and implement targeted interventions.
- Supporting accreditation and assessment activities to maintain high institutional and programmatic standards.
- Serving as a mentor and leader for faculty and staff, promoting a culture of collaboration, accountability, and excellence.

2022-08 - Assistant Professor in Accounting and Finance

Current

University Of Khartoum, Sudan

- Evaluated and supervised student activities and performance levels to provide reports on academic progress.
- Contributed to campus activities to promote positive university image.
- Created materials and exercises to illustrate application of course concepts.
- Contributed to planning appropriate and engaging lessons for both classroom and distance learning applications.
- Performed research to serve as basis for academic writing for publication.
- Helped struggling students by providing support outside of classrooms and consistently checking in on progress.
- Built strong rapport with students through class discussions and academic advisement.
- Applied innovative teaching methods to encourage student learning objectives.
- Mentored students and communicated internship and employment opportunities.

2022-04 - Assistant Professor in Accounting and Finance

Current

Garden City University, Sudan

- Facilitated academic and community collaborations to increase the number of community-engaged research proposal submissions to extramural funders.
- Performed research to serve as basis for academic writing for publication.
- Contributed to campus activities to promote positive university image.
- Created materials and exercises to illustrate application of course concepts.
- Applied innovative teaching methods to encourage student learning objectives.
- Mentored students and communicated internship and employment opportunities.
- Built strong rapport with students through class discussions and academic advisement.
- Proctored exams and provided remediation for learning improvement goals.

- Facilitated academic and community collaborations to increase the number of community-engaged research proposal submissions to extramural funders.
- Handled classroom administration for professors.
- Evaluated and supervised student activities and performance levels to provide reports on academic progress.
- Contributed to planning appropriate and engaging lessons for both classroom and distance learning applications.

2019-08- **Assistant Professor in Accounting and Finance**

Current

Nile University, Sudan

- Performed research to serve as basis for academic writing for publication.
- Facilitated academic and community collaborations to increase the number of community-engaged research proposal submissions to extramural funders.
- Contributed to campus activities to promote positive university image.
- Created materials and exercises to illustrate application of course concepts.
- Applied innovative teaching methods to encourage student learning objectives.

2018-05 - **Assistant Professor in Accounting and Finance**

Current

Omdurman Ahlia University, Sudan

- Performed research to serve as basis for academic writing for publication.
- Facilitated academic and community collaborations to increase the number of community-engaged research proposal submissions to extramural funders.
- Contributed to campus activities to promote positive university image.
- Created materials and exercises to illustrate application of course concepts.
- Applied innovative teaching methods to encourage student learning objectives.
- Proctored exams and provided remediation for learning improvement goals.

2017-04 – **Lecturer in Accounting and Finance**

2018-04

Nahda College, Sudan

- Evaluated and revised lesson plans and course content to achieve student-centered learning.
- Used a variety of learning modalities and support materials to facilitate learning process and accentuate presentations.
- Collaborated with faculty and staff to create meaningful learning experiences.
- Participated in and led committee meetings to remain aware of developments in subject.
- Conducted individual research projects to actively contribute to institution's research work.

2011-12 - **Lecturer in Accounting and Finance**

Current

Omdurman Ahlia University, Sudan

- Evaluated and revised lesson plans and course content to achieve student-centered learning.
- Used a variety of learning modalities and support materials to facilitate learning process and accentuate presentations.

- Collaborated with faculty and staff to create meaningful learning experiences.
- Participated in and led committee meetings to remain aware of developments in subject.
- Conducted individual research projects to actively contribute to institution's research work.
- Arranged syllabus, developed schedule, and determined reading list for varied courses simultaneously, giving students appropriate time to complete assignments and absorb information.

1993-01 -
1998-06

Teaching Assistant in Accounting Department

Omdurman Ahlia University, Khartoum, Khartoum

- Tutored struggling students individually and in small groups to reinforce learning concepts.
- Assisted teachers with classroom management and document coordination to maintain a positive learning environment.
- Partnered with teachers to plan and implement lessons following school's curriculum, goals, and objectives.
- Maintained safety and security by overseeing students in recess environments.
- Assisted teachers with classroom management and document coordination to maintain a positive learning environment.
- Supported classroom activities, tutoring, and reviewing work.
- Provided instructional support to students unable to attend regular classes.

Additional Information

Publications:

Impact of Macroeconomic and Financial Shocks of Islamic Banks. Comparative Study between Sudan & Malaysia (2018).

Projects:

Determinants of Non-Performing Loans in Islamic banks in Sudan (2019).

Courses

2019-08

Measurement & Evaluation

Khartoum University Center for Advanced Training - Sudan

2019-07

Systems And Methods of University Teaching

Khartoum University Center for Advanced Training - Sudan

References

Available upon request.