

## PERSONAL INFORMATION

## Ahmed Mahmood

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## WORK EXPERIENCE

2004–2007

**Demonstrator**

University of Duhok, Duhok (Iraq)

Laboratory assistant for wood industry, wildlife management, and forest protection (September 2005-September 2007)

2011–2015

**Assistant Lecturer**

University of Duhok, Duhok (Iraq)

- Teaching orientations: « Wildlife Management and Conservation, Forest Protection, Rangeland Management, and Ecological Surveying »
- Expertise orientations: « Protected Area Management, Biodiversity Surveys and Ethnobotany Mesopotamian region »

2015–Present

**Lecturer**

University of Duhok, Duhok (Iraq)

- Teaching orientations: « Wildlife Management and Conservation, Protected Area Management, Ecological Surveying, Rangeland Management, and Forest Protection »
- Expertise orientations: « Protected Area Management, Biodiversity Surveys and Ethnobotany Mesopotamian region »

**Training and workshops**

- Learning methodology (2012). Prepared by Cultural and social centre university of Duhok for two months.
- Training on national park management, prepared by Cedric Dentant and Ecrins national park staff from 1 to 10 April 2014 in France.

**Researchs and Publications**

- M. Sc. Thesis "Habitat Determination of European Hare (*Lepus Sp.*) in Majilmakhte in Duhok Governorate" [in English].
- Errol Vela, Sami Youssef & **Ahmed Mahmood** (2013). First survey on Orchids (Orchidaceae) of Duhok province in Kurdistan region (N-Iraq). *J. Eur. Orch.* 45 (2): 501 – 519.
- Sami Youssef, **Ahmed Mahmood**, Honar Mahdi and Errol Vela (2015). New contribution on Orchids (Orchidaceae) of Duhok Province in Kurdistan Region (N-Iraq). *J. Eur. Orch.* 47 (2-4): 501 – 516. 2015.
- Sami Youssef, **Ahmed Mahmood** & Errol Vela (2017). On the genus *Sternbergia* (Amaryllidaceae) in Iraq. *Anales del Jardín Botánico de Madrid* 74(1): e053 2017. ISSN: 0211-1322.
- Youssef S, Mahdi H, Mergý Z, Saleem J, **Mahmood A**, Vela E. 2017. Two new records of Orchid species for the Flora of Iraq: *Anacamptis papilionacea* (L.) R.M.Bateman, Pridgeon & M.W.Chase, *Dactylorhiza romana* (Sebast.) Soó. *ARO-the scientific journal of Koya university* 5 (2):55-60.
- Youssef S, **Mahmood A**, Cartereau M, Vela V. New cytological, morphological and chorological data on *Prospero seisumsianum* (Rukšans & Zetterl.) Yıldırım (Asparagaceae) from the Zagros area. Submitted in *Turkish Journal of Botany*.
- Muhamed H, Youssef S, **Mahmood A**, Suliman H, Abdulkader A, Mohammed H, Michalet R. Characterizing the natural regeneration of *Pinus brutia* Ten. in Duhok governorate, N Iraq. *Journal*

of Forestry Research. In Revision .

•Véla E, Youssef S, **Mahmood A**. 2017. Allium notabile. The IUCN Red List of Threatened Species 2017: e.T117540944A117540947.

•Youssef S, **Mahmood A**, Hussein W, Véla E. 2017. Montagnes du Zagros, un paradis terrestre aux pratiques ethnobotaniques vivantes. La Garance voyageuse, 120: 41-45.

## 2014–2016 Administrative Positions

Reporter at Recreation and Ecotourism department/ College of Agriculture/ University of Duhok.

## Memberships

- Member of the Kurdistan Agronomist Syndicate since 2004 up to now
- Member in quality assurance committee at School of Forestry 2012 - 2014
- Member in Scientific committee at college of Forestry from September 2012 to September 2014.

## References

### Dr. Sami Youssef

Lecturer

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## EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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### 1986–2000

Schooling

Serok Primary School

Serok Primary School (1986 - 1991) Duhok / Iraq

Peeris Secondary School (1991 - 1995) Duhok/ Iraq

Brayety High School (1995 – 2000) Duhok/ Iraq

2004–Present

University  
University of Duhok, Duhok (Iraq)

M.Sc. in Wildlife Management (2010) Duhok University / College of Agriculture/ Forestry Dept.

B.Sc. in Forestry Science (2001-2004) Duhok University / College of Agriculture/ Forestry Dept.

PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s) Kurdish

Other language(s)

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production	
English	B2	B2	B2	B2	B2
Arabic	C2	C2	C1	C1	C2

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user - B1 and B2: Independent user - C1 and C2: Proficient user  
Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Communication skills Very good communication skills gained through my experience as a demonstrator and Assistant Lecturer at university of Duhok/ College of Agriculture.

Organisational / managerial skills Good Managing skills gained through my experience as responsible for students' Projects and seminars, and student summer training.

Job-related skills I have gained a good experiences in ecological surveying returning back to my specialization. I have a good skills on cultivation of **White Button Mushroom**, and I worked as an assistant trainer in **ZSVP organization**.  
**I worked with Rawanga organization about (Awareness).**