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Married (Syrian married to Lebanese)

Work Experiences

Content Creator (Part Time) – Chosen Ones

August 2022 - Present

Salt Organization

- Creating various content types (Videos, Articles, infographics).
 - Keeping up with and understanding social platforms.
 - Target content to specific audience and focus on trending topics.
 - Brainstorming and suggesting new ways to improve our reach level.
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Mentor - Livelihood Team

January 2023 - June 2023

Caritas Syria

- Develop monthly field plans for the activity and method of work in the livelihood project intended for young beneficiaries.
 - Contribute in the evaluation of candidates to benefit from the livelihood project individually.
 - Contribute to the training of beneficiaries of livelihood projects and guide them through all stages of project implementation in terms of technical ability and skills of practicing the profession.
 - Provide opportunities to train beneficiaries in the chosen professions.
 - Follow-up of beneficiaries who have obtained jobs and provide appropriate career-related advice.
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Mobile Team - Life Skills Trainer (Part Time)

July 2022 - December 2022

Norwegian Refugee Council - North Office.

- Contribute to the implementation of NRC's Education Program by conducting field training activities to the targeted groups (children or youth) in the selected areas.
 - Participate in the preparation of the required equipment and materials for workshops and ensure their readiness.
 - Participate in the mobilization process before any program starting.
 - Provide feedback to the direct line of authority after each assignment and prepare reports as requested.
 - Attend and participate in required NRC-facilitated training, update / reporting meetings.
 - Contribute to the registration of participants' data and counting the total number of participants.
 - Maintain a strong relationship with the participants by creating a friendly and welcoming learning space for participants.
 - Promote and share ideas for technical improvement.
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Outreach volunteer - Livelihood Team

September 2021 - April 2022

Dorcas Relief and Development - Syria

- Interviewing beneficiaries.
 - Make phone calls to beneficiaries and collect information.
 - Entering the beneficiary's data by koBo toolbox application
 - Assisting in the preparation of feasibility studies.
 - Follow-up the beneficiaries who have obtained new projects.
 - Reporting and archiving data in paper and electronic form.
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Mobile Team Social Worker

March 2019 - May 2021

Monastery St. James, The Mutilated Relief Team.

The Community Center at Aleppo - Tal Aran.

- Organize awareness sessions for children , youth, men and woman .
- Arrange focus groups sessions and community activities.
- Connecting beneficiaries with the required services.
- Conduct field visits to asses and review the community's situation.
- Filing, Reporting and Archiving daily data and document.

Education

Bachelor degree in Civil Engineering - 2020 Aleppo University, Syria

Courses & Trainings

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| Training of Trainers | (New Horizon Institute) |
| Training Of Facilitators | (Norwegian Refugee Council) |
| Project Management & Other Tools for Career Development Specialization | (Coursera) |
| Community service initiative: design and implementation | |
| Psychological support training | (Fellowship of The Middle East Evangelical Churches) |
| Teaching and mentoring Children inside and outside churches | |
| Strategies for Trauma Awareness and Resilience. | (The Center for Justice & Peacebuilding and the Star program) |

Languages & Additional Skills

- Professional level of Reading, Writing and Speaking in Arabic, English.
- Excellent knowledge of Microsoft Office collection and Internet software.
- Strong Analytical and Organizational skills.
- Excellent problem solving and working under pressure skills

Extracurricular Activities

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| Alto choir Singer | (Fayha National Choir) |
| 2023 JCI Aleppo Vice President - International Cooperation | (JCI Aleppo) |
| Children Meeting & Youth Leader (4 to 6 & 13 to 25 years old) | (Evangelical church) |
| Volunteer in relief work | (Evangelical church) |