

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Academic Degrees:

July 2011 Ph.D. in Vision Science
 School of Optometry
 University of Waterloo
 Waterloo, ON, Canada

Jan. 2002 B.Sc. in Optometry, with 2nd class Honours
 Department of Optometry
 College of Applied Medical Sciences
 King Saud University
 Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

Work Experience:

Nov. 2011– Present Assistant Professor
 Department of Optometry
 College of Applied Medical Sciences
 King Saud University

July 2005 – Oct. 2011 Demonstrator
 Department of Optometry
 College of Applied Medical Sciences
 King Saud University

June 2005	Examiner Ophthalmology Residency Program (Optics section) Jeddah, KSA
Mar. 2003 – July 2005	Optometrist King Abdulaziz Medical City Jeddah, Saudi Arabia
Nov. 2002 – Jan. 2003	Locum Optometrist King Abdulaziz Medical City Jeddah, Saudi Arabia

Administrative Positions:

- Director, Medical Education Unit, College of Applied Medical Sciences, KSU (2011 – present).
- Member, Leadership Committee for Teaching, Learning, and Assessment, Vice Rectorship for Health Specialties, KSU (2011 – present).
- Chairman, Curriculum Development Committee, Department of Optometry, KSU (2011 – present).
- Chairman, Final Examination Committee, College of Applied Medical Sciences, KSU (2011-2012).

Publications:

Journal papers:

1. **Almoqbel F.**, Yadav N., Leat S., Head L. and Irving E. (2011). Effect of sweep VEP parameters on visual acuity and contrast thresholds in children and adults. *Graefes Arch Clin Ophthalmol* 249, 613-623.
2. Yadav N., **Almoqbel F.**, Head L., Irving E. and Leat S. (2009). Threshold determination in sweep VEP and the effects of criterion. *Doc Ophthalmol* 119, 109-121.
3. **Almoqbel F.**, Leat S., Irving E. (2008). The technique, validity and clinical use of the sweep VEP. *Ophthal Physiol Opt* 28, 393-403.

Conference Presentations:

1. Almoqbel F. (2012). The technique of the sweep VEP. Saudi Association of Optometry, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia.
2. **Almoqbel F.**, Irving L. and Leat S. (2010). Development of visual acuity and contrast sensitivity in children: comparison of sweep VEP and psychophysics. American Academy of Optometry, San Francisco, California, USA.

3. **Almoqbel F.**, Head L., Irving L., and Leat S. (2009). Effect of sweep direction, fixation target, stimulus area and range of regression line fitting of the sweep visual evoked potential on acuity and contrast thresholds in children. ARVO annual meeting, Fort Lauderdale, Florida, USA.
4. Head L., **Almoqbel F.**, Yadav N., Leat S. and Irving E. (2008). Parameter optimization of sweep visual evoked potential in children and comparison to adults. ARVO annual meeting, Fort Lauderdale, Florida, USA.
5. Head L., **Almoqbel F.**, Leat S. and Irving L. (2007). Optimizing parameters and regression line of the sweep visual evoked potential in children. Canadian Optometry Conference on Vision Science (6th COCVS meeting), Waterloo, ON, Canada.

Courses and workshops attended:

- Leadership and Management in Medical Education, Centre for Medical Education, University of Dundee, Dundee, UK, July, 2012.
- Current Topics in Curriculum Development, CAMS, KSU, March 2012.
- Effective Teaching, Deanship of Skills Development, KSU, March 2012.
- Micro Teaching, Deanship of Skills Development, KSU, March 2012.
- Student Assessment, Deanship of Skills Development, KSU, February 2012.
- Course Design and Construction, Deanship of Skills Development, KSU, February 2012.
- Course in Medical Education, KSU Chair for Medical Education, January, 2012.

Research Interests:

- Visual Development
- Visually Evoked Potential (Specifically, Sweep VEP)
- Psychophysics
- Signal Detection Theory (SDT)

Awards:

1. University of Waterloo Graduate Scholarship (2010).
2. Excellence Award from the Ministry of Higher Education (through the Saudi Cultural Bureau in Canada) in KSA (2009).
3. University of Waterloo Graduate Scholarship (2008).
4. University of Waterloo Graduate Scholarship (2007).