

CURRICULUM VITA

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Job Career:

- **Assistant Professor:** Unit of Hematology, Department of Pathology, College of Medicine & King Khalid University Hospital (KKUH), King Saud University (KSU), Riyadh, Saudi Arabia since **January 2017.**
- **Lecturer:** Unit of Immunology, Department of Pathology, College of Medicine & KKUH, KSU, Riyadh since **May 2011.**
- **Demonstrator:** Unit of Immunology, Department of Pathology, College of Medicine, KSU since **December 2007.**

Current Positions:

- **Senior Registrar** in Hematopathology, KKUH, since November 2015.
- **Assistant Professor** in College of Medicine, KSU, since January 2017.

Recent Awards and Recognitions:

- **3rd Winner Position in the 7th Postgraduate Research Day, King Saud University -2016, April 18.**
- **1st Winner Position in the Postgraduate Research Competition, College of Medicine, King Saud University -2016, April 09.**
- **1st Winner Abstract Award in the First Saudi Hematology Research Day, Oncology Center, King Faisal Specialist Hospital and Research Center (KFSHRC) -2016, March 04.**
- **1st Winner Poster Award in the 8th Resident Research Day, the Postgraduate Center in the KFSHRC -2016, February 18.**
- **Best Resident Award in 2015, Postgraduate Center, College of Medicine, King Saud University -2016, February 17.**

Qualifications and Training:

• Qualifications:

- **King Saud Fellowship-Hematopathology and Blood Transfusion Residency Program**, King Saud University -**2016, August.**
- **Master Degree (Integrated Immunology)**, the University of Oxford, the Nuffield Department of Clinical Medicine and the Nuffield Department of Surgical Sciences -**2012, September.**
- **Master Degree (Infection and Immunity)**, the University of Sydney, Faculty of Medicine -**2011, January.**
- **Saudi License Exam (SLE)**, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia -**2008, October.**
- **Internship**, King Saud University -**2007, December.**
- **Bachelor of Medicine, Bachelor of Surgery (MBBS)**, King Saud University, College of Medicine -**2007, February.**

• Training:

- **Hematopathology and Blood Transfusion Fellowship:** King Khalid University Hospital, King Feisal Specialty Hospital and Research Centre and King Fahad Medical City since **July 2013 till end of August 2016.**
- **First Year PhD Program:** Immunogenetics (Novel Genes involve with Common Variable Immunodeficiency Disorders), Willcome Trust Centre for Human Genetics, the University of Oxford, **October 2012-July 2013.**
- **Research Project:** six months during the master, John Radcliffe Hospital and Willcome Trust Centre for Human Genetics, the University of Oxford, **March-September 2012.**
- **Lab work:** Five months during the master, Department of Infectious Diseases and Immunology, College of medicine, the University of Sydney, **2010.**
- **Residency program:** one year at King Feisal Specialty Hospital and Research Centre, in **Hematopathology** under supervision of the Royal College of Pathologists of Australasia, **2009.**
- **Immunology and General Pathology:** one year rotated at Laboratories of King Khalid University Hospital, **2008.**
- **Internship:** Started at 6th of January 2007 at King Khalid University Hospital and affiliated hospitals **and** completed by the 28th of December **2007.**

Publications and Presentations:

- **Khojah O.**, et. Al. and Khalil S. October 2016. Analysis of Genetic Abnormalities in Newly Diagnosed Plasma Cell Myeloma Saudi Patients. Hematology Review Year, Saudi Scientific Society for Bone Marrow Transplantation, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia.
- **Khojah O.**, et. Al. and Owaidah T. May 2016. Prevalence and Characteristics of Epistaxis in Saudi Adolescents. Poster at the 62nd Annual Scientific and Standardization Committee Meeting of the International Society on Thrombosis and Haemostasis, Montpellier, France.
- **Khojah O.**, et. Al. and Owaidah T. May 2016. Analysis of Heparin Induced Thrombocytopenia Screening Tests in Critically Ill Patients. Oral Presentation at the 24th Biennial International Congress on Thrombosis, Istanbul, Turkey.
- **Khojah O.**, et. Al. and Al-Suhaibani A. April 2016. Concordance between Conventional and Molecular Cytogenetic Techniques in Identification of Genetic Abnormalities among Newly Diagnosed Multiple Myeloma Patients. Poster at the 2nd World Congress on Controversies in Multiple Myeloma, Paris, France.
- **Khojah O.**, et. Al. and Al-Zahrani H. March 2016. Prevalence and Characteristics of Epistaxis in Saudi Population. Poster at the 6th Emirates Hematology Conference, Dubai, UAE.
- **Khojah O.**, et. Al. and Bakshi N. March 2016. A new Algorithm in the Diagnosis of T-Cell Neoplasms by Incorporated Flow cytometry and Molecular Studies. Oral Presentation at the First Saudi Hematology Research Day, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia.

- **Khojah O.**, et. Al. and Owaidah T. February 2016. Molecular Genotype of Glanzmann Thrombasthenia in Saudi Arabia: A Report of Four Novel Mutations. Oral Presentation at the Hematology Review Year, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia.
- H. Khogeer, A. Alfattani, M. Al Kaff , T. Al shehri , **O. Khojah** and T Owaidah. Oct 2014. Antiphosphatidylserine antibodies as diagnostic indicators of antiphospholipid syndrome. Lupus.
- Al-Bakr R. & **Khojah OT**. Aug 2014. Incidence Trend of the Leukemia Reported Cases in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Observational Descriptive Statistic from Saudi Cancer Registry. International Journal of Biomedical Research.
- Bakshi, N, **Khojah OT**, Rawas F, Al-Bugami R. 2013. Application of TCR-VB by Flow Cytometry in T-cell Neoplasms and Concordance with TCR Gene Rearrangement: A single Institute Study. XXVIth International Symposium on Technological Innovations in Laboratory, Toronto, Canada, May 2013.
- **Khojah, OT**. 2011. To what extent can different subsets of dendritic cells be defined, and what is known and not known of their key physiological functions. Poster at the Integrated Immunology Conference, John Radcliffe Hospital, Oxford, UK, December 2011.
- **Khojah, OT**. 2010. Regulatory T-cells are Essential to Maintain a Healthy Immune System. The Fundamental Immunology Conference, Sydney, Australia, June 2010.

Additional Experiences:

Current Academic Experiences:

- Member currently in many scientific committees including; American Society of Hematology, European Bone Marrow Transplantation Society, International Society of Thrombosis and Haemostasis, International Society of Laboratory Hematology, Saudi Society for Hematology, Saudi Scientific Committee for Bone Marrow Transplantation, Saudi Society for Allergy and Immunology, Saudi Scientific Committee for Evidence Based Medicine.
- Reviewer in many scientific journals world widely (Review more than 20 original articles).
- Teaching postgraduate candidates (3 years) and medical students (2 years).
- Member-team inspector in Hematology and Blood Bank labs at the College of American Pathologist (CAP) Accreditation.
- Member in Canadian Accreditation for Hematopathology Residency Program.

Recent Social and Administrative Experiences:

- Chief Resident in KFSH&RC for one year Oct 2014-Sep 2015.
- Member in many Blood Donation campaigns.
- Member in many social non-profit Organizations.
- Conducting more than 10 awareness lectures in local schools and universities in the last two years.

Educational Experiences:

Hematology and Blood Bank:

- Come of Age...Immunotherapy in Multiple Myeloma, Berlin, Germany, 30 Sep-01Oct 2016.
- The 62nd Annual Scientific and Standardization Committee (SSC) Meeting of the International Society on Thrombosis and Haemostasis (ISTH), Montpellier, France, 25-28 May 2016.
- The 24th Biennial International Congress on Thrombosis, Istanbul, Turkey, 4-7 May 2016.
- The 2nd World Congress on Controversies in Multiple Myeloma (COMy), Paris, France, 28-30 Apr 2016.
- The 6th Emirates Hematology Conference, Dubai, U.A.E., 31 Mar-02 Apr 2016.
- The 5th Hematological Malignancies; Critical Review, KFSH&RC, 05 March 2016
- Contemporary Issues in Lymphoma Pathology, KFSH&RC, 07-09 February 2016.
- Blood Bank Rotation, KFSH&RC, April, 2015.
- 3rd Hematology Mini-Symposium on: Myelodysplastic Syndrome, KFSH&RC, 01 April 2015.
- 41st Annual Meeting of the European Society for Blood and Marrow Transplantation, Istanbul, Turkey, 21-25 March 2015.
- 6th Conference on Thrombosis and Haemostasis, KSU, 09-11 March 2015.
- Flow Cytometry in Malignant Hematology Symposium and Workshop, Buraidah, KSA, 01-02 March 2015.
- 4th Annual Symposium on Hematological Malignancies; Critical Review: Progress in the Acute Leukemias, KFSH&RC, 28 February 2015.
- 2nd Hematology Mini -Symposium on Chronic Myeloid Leukemia, KFSH&RC, 11 January 2015.
- 4th Hematology Board Review Course on Benign Hematology, KFSH&RC, 28-29 November 2014.
- 7th Annual Postgraduate Medical Education Research Day, KSU, 20 October 2014.

- Blood Bank Rotation, National Guard Hospital, Riyadh, July-August 2014.
- 1st Board Review Course in Diagnostic Hematology, KSU, 30-31 May 2014.
- 1st World Hemophilia Day Symposium, KSU, 17 April 2014.
- Hematopathology Resident under RCPA, KFSH&RC, January-November 2009.

Immunology and Pathology:

- 5th Saudi Allergy, Asthma and Clinical Immunology Symposium and Workshops, KSFH&RC, 15-17 April 2015.
- Molecular Oncology: State of the Art Technology, KFSH&RC, 11 March 2015.
- Paving the Way for Maximum Protection of Children Receiving Catch up Vaccine, KCUH, 30 October 2014.
- Anatomic Pathology Review Course, KFSH&RC, Riyadh, KSA 16-18 April 2013.
- Master degree in Science, the University of Oxford, October 2011-September 2012.
- Master degree in Medicine, the University of Sydney, March 2010 to February 2011.
- Pathology Update 2010, Melbourne Convention and Exhibition Centre, RCPA, Melbourne 26-28 February 2010.
- Cancer Cytogenetics Conference 2009, KFSH&RC, Riyadh, KSA 26-27 May 2009 (accredited by AACME).
- Introduction to Cell and Molecular Biology Course, KFSH&RC, 23-25 May 2009.
- Application of Genomics in Clinical Medicine Symposium, KFMC, Riyadh, KSA 19-20 May 2009.
- The Fifteenth ICPMR Immunopathology Course, Westmead Hospital, Sydney, Australia 6-8 May 2009.
- Using the Immune System to Treat Lymphoma, KFSH&RC, Riyadh, KSA 13 April 2009.
- Pathology Update 2009 in conjunction with XXV WASP&LM World Congress, Sydney Convention & Exhibition Centre, RCPA,

Sydney, Australia 13-15 March 2009 (accredited by UEMS/EACCME & AACME).

- The Second Pediatric Infectious Diseases Seminar, KFSH&RC, Riyadh, KSA 17-18 February 2009 (accredited by AACME).
- The Fifth Annual AIDS Workshop, KFSH&RC, Riyadh, KSA 20 November 2008.
- International Symposium on Infections in Immunocompromised Host, KFSH&RC, Riyadh, KSA 18-19 November 2008 (accredited by AACME).
- The 31st Annual Scientific Meeting of Australian Flow Cytometry Group, Fremantle, Perth, Australia 12-15 August 2008.
- Advance Asthma Course, McGill University, 6-7 May 2008.
- The 21st Annual Meeting of the Canadian Society for Immunology, Mont-tremblant, Quebec, Canada, 11-14 April 2008.
- Proteomics, College of Medicine, KSU, Riyadh, 16-19 March 2008.
- Current Concepts & Issues in Pathology & Laboratory Medicine, International symposium and workshops, National Guard Officers' Club, Riyadh, 19-21 November 2007.

Other Courses:

- The Biostatistics Research methods Course, KFSH&RC, Riyadh, KSA 25-27 April 2009.
- The Fourth GCC Evidence Based Health Care Workshop 22-26 November 2008.
- The International Computer Driving Licence (ICDL) course, Al-Jazeera Academy, May-July 2008.
- Foundation Evidence Based Medicine Course, King Abdul-Aziz Medical City, Riyadh, 6-8 November 2007.
- Introduction Course of eHealth, GCC, 17-18 April 2007.
- The Sixth Intensive Course: Towards Evidence Based Surgery, KCUH, Riyadh, 18 January 2007.
- Evidence-Based Medicine (EBM) Across Health Care Specialties in Saudi Arabia Symposium, National Scientific EBM Committee, Ministry of Health KSA, 6 September 2006.