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Education:

BS 1973 University of Wisconsin, Madison MS 1975 Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey, New Brunswick PhD 1980 North Carolina State University, Raleigh

Positions held:

1981-1987: Assistant Professor, The Ohio State University 1987-1996: Associate Professor, The Ohio State University 1996-present: Professor, The Ohio State University

Current Duties at OSU:

I teach Nursery Management and Plant Propagation courses at The Ohio State University, Columbus and conduct research on production systems for woody plants, including nutrient and water use efficiency during production, and seed dormancy and transplant establishment.

As part of a USDA funded project, I have mentored a Lebanese PhD student, Hala Zahreddine. Her project was to develop propagation and production protocols for native Lebanese tree species. We are also trying to develop a landscape nursery industry in Lebanon. Dr. Zahreddine is now a post-doc under my direction. We are writing a propagation manual for native Lebanese trees and a plant ID manual for exotic and native landscape taxa for Lebanon.

Administration:

Chairman of the Graduate Studies Committee
Chairman of the OSU Nursery and Landscape Horticulture Short Course Committee
Responsible for all activities involved in delivering three days of educational programing for the nursery and landscape sectors of Ohio's green industry. The Short Course had over

5000 paid attendees and generated \$150,000 for the department's Landscape Horticulture program.

Chairman of the department's Promotion and Tenure Committee

International Experience:

- 1980: October to December. Grafting consultant for the FAO in Guatemala.
- 2001: Study Abroad Resident Director for the six week Landscape Horticulture program at Meyerscough College, Preston England.
- 2003 to present: Co-Principal Investigator in USDA project with OSU, The American University in Beirut and University of Toledo: A Partnership for Pharmaceutical and Economic Development of Wild Lebanese Plants.
- 2005 to present: PhD advisor for Robert Gesimba, on USDA/AID project in Kenya through OSU's International Program in Agriculture.
- I have had internship undergraduate students from Germany, Ireland, England, Slovenia, and Lebanon, and have graduate students from Germany, Lebanon and Kenya.

I have lectured in Brazil, China and France.

Refereed publications, 1999 to 2006.

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