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Qualifications

- Fully Fluent in Kurdish (Mother tongue) and Arabic, Professional Fluency in English
- Experience in variety of Urological procedures from Percutaneous Nephrolithotomy (PCNL), Laproscopic Urology, Extracorporeal shock wave lithotripsy (ESWL), Kidney Transplantation (have done more than 500 procedures and regarded as Pioneer in Kidney Transplantation in Kurdistan Region of Iraq) and many other Urological procedures
- Computer literate, attentive to detail

Education

MChB College of Medicine, University of Mosul	1983 — 1989
Fellow of Iraqi Council of Medical Sciences in Urology (FICMS) College of Medicine, University of Mosul	1994 — 1998

Current Positions

- Assistant professor in Urology in College of Medicine, University of Duhok
- Head of Urology Department in the College of Medicine, University of Duhok
- Director of Renal Disease & Organ Transplant Center, Directorate General of Health in Duhok

Work experience

Al-Zahrawi Hospital in Mosul House Resident	1989 — 1991
The Military Hospital House Resident	1991 — 1993
Al-Zahrawi Hospital in Mosul Senior House Officer	1994 — 1998
Azadi Teaching Hospital in Duhok	2000 — 2004

Head of Surgeons

The College of Medicine / University of Duhok

2004 — 2007

Representative of the Teaching Staff

Azadi Teaching Hospital in Duhok

2004 — 2012

Director

Proposed Fields of Study

- Trained in ESWL (Extracorporeal shock wave Lithotripsy) in German Hospitals with the co-operation of Siemens company (October 2001)
- Trained in Endoscopic Surgery in Germany (Transurethral Resection of Prostate & Bladder tumor, Optical Urethrotomy & Percutaneous Surgery) (November 2002)
- Trained in South Korea for Three weeks about (Integrated Hospital Management) in 2005 with representatives of 16 countries.
- Participation in advanced laparoscopic surgery in urology training course in UK in 10th June 2007.

Distinctions & Awards

- Granted as one of top succeeders in MB Ch B (university of Mosul in 1989)
- Six awards & distinctions for doing extra works in surgery & medical department in Mosul hospitals.
- Two awards in Azadi Teaching Hospital.
- One award from ministry of health.
- One award from directory of health/duhok/kurdistan

Research and Publications

1. Carcinoma of the prostate (A thesis done in 1997 for the degree of FICMS)
2. Relation of urinary stones with infections (published)
3. Optical urethrotomy in the treatment of urethral stricture disease (published)
4. DRE, PSA & prostate biopsy in early detection of prostate cancer (published)
5. modified one stage hypospadias repair
6. PCNL in the management of upper urinary tract stones
7. Tubeless PCNL versus standard PCNL
8. Angiographic variations of renal artery among donors of kidney in Duhok city.
9. Multilocular cystic nephroma treated with nephron sparing surgery (case report).
10. Inflammatory pseudo tumor of the tunica albuginea & vaginalis (case report).

Conferences

1. All medical conferences of college of medicine, University of Mosul (1994-1998)
2. First Medical Conference of College of Medicine, University of Duhok in April (2002).
3. Medical Conference of Ministry of Health in 2001 in Erbil.
4. Reform of Health System in Erbil in 2002.
5. Attending & Presenting a Lecture about Development of Urology in Kurdistan during the last 5 years in British Association of Urological Surgeon (BAUS) Meeting in Glasgow (June 2007).
6. Attending European Renal Association- European Dialysis and Transplantation Association (ERA-EDTA) Congress in Amsterdam (June 2014).

Teaching experience

- Lectures in Urology (5th Year medical students) since 2000 till now
- Clinical teaching of 4th year medical students in general surgery since 2000 till now
- Clinical teaching of 6th year medical students in urology since 2000 till now

Memberships

- Member of Doctors Union in Kurdistan.
- Member of Doctors Union in Iraq.
- Member of British Association of Urological Surgeons
- Member of ACS (American college of surgeons)

Achievements

- Contributed a great deal to the development of urological services in Azadi teaching hospital , Duhok.
- Introduced radical prostatectomy and radical cystectomy to Duhok province.
- Introduced PCNL with help of Dr. Christine Evans to Azadi Teaching Hospital/Duhok and did more than 500 cases including tubeless & supine position.
- Introduced laparoscopic surgery to Duhok with help of Dr. Srinivasen who visited our center 2 times.
- Established a Centre for kidney transplantation in Duhok did more than 500 cases as a leader of the transplant team.
- Organized first Kurdistan conference on female urinary incontinence in Azadi Teaching Hospital on 2nd-5th December 2008. I participate also in operations actively.
- Organized Duhok laparoscopic urology workshop 6th-9th October 2008 which is run by British team of urologists Dr. Srinivasn & Dr. Christine Evans.
- Supervision of three students & training for obtaining Master in Urology.
- Supervision of 8 students & training for obtaining Iraqi board of Urology.
- Supervision of one student & training for obtaining kurdistan board of urology.

References

- Prof. Dr. Mosleh Duhoky President of Duhok University, email: mosleh.duhoky@uod.ac
- Dr. Farhad Khorsheed Sulayvani, Previous Dean of college of medicine Duhok university Iraq MBChB, FICMS, FRCS
- Dr. Nizar Ismat, General Director of Health, Duhok, Iraq, email: nezar.ismet@duhokhealth.org
- Dr. Evans, Christine, Consultant Urologist, United Kingdom, email: christinemaryevans@hotmail.com