# CURRICULUM VITAE SULTAN QABOOS UNIVERSITY | COLLEGE OF EDUCATION





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## **Overview:**

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# **Research Interests:**

- Curriculum studies
- ➤ Learner autonomy
- Academic readiness
- > Teaching English as a foreign language
- Problem-based learning

# **Teaching Areas**

- Curriculum design
- > Teaching methods
- > Action research
- Curriculum theory

#### **Publication**

- Al-Busaidi, S. & Al-Seyabi, F. (2021). Project-based learning as a tool for student teachers' professional development: A study in an Omani EFL teacher education program. International Journal of Learning, Teaching and Educational Research, 20(4), 116-136.
- Al-Busaidi, S., Tuzlukova, V. (2021). Skills for the 21st century in higher education in Oman. Academia Letters, Article 199. https://doi.org/10.20935/AL199
- Al-Habsi, T., Al-Busaidi, S. & Al-Issa, A. (2021). Integrating technology in English language teaching through a community of practice in an Arabian Gulf country: Implications for policy implementation. Educational Research for Policy and Practice, 1-26. DOI: https://doi.org/10.1007/s10671-021-09291-7
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- Al-Yahmedi, Z., Al-Busaidi, S., & Al-Seyabi, F. (2019). Using word study approach to improve Omani EFL students' spelling performance. English Language Teaching, 12(8), 112-125.
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- Al Bulushi, A., Al Seyabi, F., & Al-Busaidi, S. (2018). The role of test taking strategies in improving Omani students' listening comprehension. International Journal of Education, 10(4), 57-77.
- Al-Kindi, E., Al-Mekhlafi, A., Al-Busaidi, S. (2018). Omani EFL teachers' and students' views on the current practices of the student's portfolio. Journal of Applied Linguistics and Language Research, 5(5), 182-199.
- ➤ Tuzlukova, V., Al Busaidi, S., Burns, S. & Bugon. G. (2018). Exploring teachers' perceptions of 21st century skills in teaching and learning in English language classrooms in Oman's higher education institutions. The Journal of Teaching English for Specific and Academic Purposes, 6(1), 191-203.
- Al-Busaidi, S. & Tuzlukova, V. (2018). Teachers' perceptions of practices and challenges of innovating for the inclusion of special needs university English language learners in Oman. Journal of Educational and Psychological Studies, 12(4), 659-671. DOI http://dx.doi.org/10.24200/jeps.vol12iss3pp659-671
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- Al-Busaidi, S. (2017). Predicting academic achievement. Asian EFL Journal, 101(5), 4-29.
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- > Tuzlukova, V., Al-Busaidi, S. & Burns, S. (2017). Critical thinking in the language classroom: teacher beliefs and methods. Pertanika Journal of Social Sciences & Humanities (JSSH), 25(2), 615-634.
- Tuzlukova, V. & Al-Busaidi, S. (2016). Analyzing information, communicative and technological support in skills' development of language learners in Oman. Journal of Teaching English for Specific & Academic Purposes, 4(1), 105-112.
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- Al-Busaidi, S. & Al-Saqqaf, A. (2015). English spelling errors made by Arabic-speaking students. English Language Teaching, 8 (7).
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- Tuzlukova, V. & Al-Busaidi, S. (2015). Exploring English academic texts on language education and pedagogy: structural, stylistic and lexical features. Theory and Practice in Language Studies, 5(2), 255 – 262.

## **Projects**

- > A Project-Based Model for Teaching English Through Art: An Innovative Approach
- Critical Thinking Skills Development at SQU: Design, implementation and evaluation of an On-line Professional Development course for SQU faculty

## **Supervision Service**

- Towards Effective Writing Instruction: The Effect of Face-to-Face Process Genre Approach and Blended Process Genre Approach on Students Writing Performance, Self-efficacy, and Learner Autonomy in Oman
- Investigating the Effectiveness of an Art-integrated English Language Curriculum on Omani Undergraduates' English Proficiency Level, Critical Thinking Skills, and Attitudes
- Examining the Effectiveness of Grade Four English for Me Textbooks in Developing Students' Writing Skill.
- Peer instruction: Its Effect on Grammar Acquisition of Omani Grade 11 EFL
- Evaluating the Impact of Synthetic Phonics Teaching on Literacy Skills for Omani Third Graders

# **Rewards and Recognitions**

- Best Teacher Award of 2019 Sultan Qaboos University (May 2, 2019).
- Venus International Research Awards VIRA 2017 Distinguished Scientist in Curriculum Design, Chennai, India. (2 November 2017).
- College of Education Dean's Recognition for outstanding student evaluating for teaching in Fall 2017.
- College of Education Dean's Recognition for outstanding student evaluating for teaching in Spring
- Co-won the English Language Teaching Research Partnership Award 2010. British Council: UK.
- Won a British Council sponsorship to participate in a seminar "Mining the Gap: Intercultural Approaches to ELT" conducted in Durham, UK (21 –26 March 2005).