

Short Biography



President

Salah Alzaroo

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Dr. Alzaroo is the 9th president of Hebron University. His presidential term began in April 2015

Prior to becoming president, Dr. Alzaroo served at the Ministry of Labour in Palestine as an Assistant Deputy Minister from 2006 to 2015, and as Director General of Technical Education from 2000 to 2006. He was in charge of technical affairs, international cooperation and fund raising. Before that he worked as a lecturer, researcher and head of the Continuing Education department at Palestine Polytechnic University from 1984-2000. From 1995-1998, Alzaroo worked as part time researcher at London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine in London.

After receiving his B.Sc. in economic and political science from the University of Jordan, and a higher diploma in education and psychology from Hebron University, he continued his graduate studies in the United Kingdom. In 1994, he earned a British Council scholarship to study for his M. A. degree at the University of Warwick. He obtained his Ph.D. in education from the same university in 1998.

Dr. Alzaroo is the author of 7 books and has published 17 journals' articles and essays, focused on a variety of subjects including Palestinian school education, higher education, international NGOs, technical education and marginalized groups (refugees and Bedouin). He has also been a member of the Palestinian Accreditation and Quality Assurance Commission (AQAC), the National Advisory Council for the Palestinian Central Bureau of Statistics, and head of the Palestinian national team to formulate the Palestinian National Strategy for the Labour Sector for the years 2011-2013.

Dr. Alzaroo has conducted many short and long term consultancies for UN agencies, universities and international donors and NGOs such as: ILO, UNESCO, EU, USAID, DFID,

GTZ, ARD, Save the Children, European Training Foundation (ETF), Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, and the School of Health and Social Policies at the University of Warwick.