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Education

- 2000** **Ph.D** **Arizona State University** (Tempe, Arizona), in Anthropology,
(Title: The Upper and Epipaleolithic Transition in the Southern Levant: Microlith
Typology Versus Technology).
- 1993** **M.A** **Yarmouk University** (Jordan, Irbid), in Archaeology, Prehistory/ Neolithic.
- 1988** **B.A.** **Yarmouk University** (Jordan, Irbid), in Interior Design.
- 1984** **High School** **Islamic and Scientific Collage**, Amman, Jordan

Research Interests:

Prehistory of southern Levant, Human Adaptation, Prehistoric Settlement Patterns, Paleo-environmental changes, and Lithic Analyses, Museums, Cultural Heritage Studies.

Professional positions:

- 2017-2018** **On sabbatical at The Institute of Prehistory in Cologne University/ Germany**
2013-2017 **Dean of the Faculty of Archaeology and Tourism / University of Jordan**
- 2016** **Full Professor**, Department of Archaeology, Faculty of Archaeology and Tourism,
University of Jordan.
- 2010-2015** **Associate professor**, Department of Archaeology, Institute of Archaeology,
University of Jordan.
- 2010-2011** **On Sabbatical** in the Department of Archaeology at Yarmouk University, Irbid,
Jordan.
- 2009- 2010** **Head of the Department of Archaeology**, Institute of Archaeology, University of
Jordan.

- 2009-2010** **Museum Director**, Archaeological Museum and Heritage Museum, Institute of Archaeology, University of Jordan
- 2008-2009** **Dean Assistant for Archaeological and Heritage Museums**, Archaeology Institute, University of Jordan
- 2004- 2007** **Museum Director**, Archaeological Museum and Heritage Museum, University of Jordan.
- 2005- 2007** **Head of the Department of Archaeology**, Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities, University of Jordan.
- 2003- 2004** **Dean Assistant for Student Affairs**, Faculty of Social Sciences and Humanities, University of Jordan.
- 2000- 2009** **Assistant Professor**, Department of Archaeology, University of Jordan.
- 1996- 1999** **Research Assistant**, Archaeological Research Institute, Arizona State University.
- 1995** **Museum Director**, Archaeological Museum, University of Jordan.
- 1991-1994** **Professional Drafts-Person**, Archaeological Museum, The University of Jordan.

Field Experience:

- 2016-Present** **Co-Director** in The First Human Settlements on the Left Bank of the Jordan Valley project, in Corporation with Dr Reto Jagher and Prof. Dr. Jean-Marie Le Tensorer and (University of Basel, Switzerland) and Prof. Dr. Khaled Abu Ghaneimeh (Yarmouk University).
- 2009- Present** **Co-Director in the** Greater Petra Area Survey and excavation project (Wadi Sabra, and Ansab sites) in Corporation with Jürgen Richter (University of Cologne/Germany).
- 2014- 2016** **Project Director**, Tell Abu es-Suwwan Project, Jerash (Neolithic), University of Jordan field school
- 2009-2012** **Co-director** with Debora Olszewski for Early Epipaleolithic in the Western Highlands of Jordan. Funded by National Science foundation.
- 2005-2008** **Project Director**, Tell Abu es-Suwwan Project, Jerash (Neolithic), University of Jordan field school.
- 2007-2008** **Lecturer**, at College of Hospitality and Tourism (JAU) (Prehistory of Jordan

Classes)

Coordinator of the University of Jordan Research Team for the National Museum Exhibit information, Amman, Jordan

Staff member, Wadi Zarqa' Ma'in Drainage, Madaba Plateau project (Middle Paleolithic), Directed by **April Nowell, (Canada)** .

- 2003- 2010** **Senior Personnel and Consultant** for the project work in Jordan, in the Mediterranean Landscapes Dynamics project. Funded by the National Science Foundation (NSF). The International Institute for Sustainability at Arizona State University, <https://shesc.asu.edu/medland/>, <http://www.asu.edu/clas/shesc/projects/medland/summary.htm>
- 2004** **Staff member**, Wadi al Hasa Chert Survey. directed by Deborah I. Olszewski (University of Pennsylvania).
- 2000** **Staff member**, The Eastern al-Hasa Late Pleistocene Project. directed by Deborah I. Olszewski (University of Pennsylvania).
- 1998** **Professional Draft-person**, Tell Abu Na'aj, directed by Dr. Steve Falconer, Arizona State University, United States.
- Staff member**, The Eastern Hasa Late Pleistocene Project, directed by Dr Deborah I. Olszewski (Bishop Museum, Honolulu) and Nancy Coinman (Iowa State University).
- 1997** **Staff member**, The Eastern Hasa Late Pleistocene Project, directed by Dr. Deborah I. Olszewski (Bishop Museum, Honolulu) and Nancy Coinman (Iowa State University).
- Staff member**, Tell Abu NIAJ's in the Jordan Valley (Bronze Age) directed by Dr Steven Falconer, Arizona State University.
- 1996** **Participant**, Rudd Creek (13th century), directed by Dr. Todd Howell Arizona State University.
- 1994** **Professional Drafts-Person**, Umm el Jimal (Roman/ Nabatean) in Jordan, directed by Dr. Bert Devris, Calvin College.
- Professional Drafts-Person**, Kh. Salameh Excavations(Iron Age Byzentin) University of Jordan, directed by Dr.Pear Bekaie, Jordan.
- Participant**, Ain Ghazal (Neolithic) in Jordan, directed by Dr. Gary Rollefson from San Diego state University, USA, and Dr. Zidan Kafafi from Yarmouk University, Jordan.

Professional Drafts-Person, Bait Ras pottery, directed by Dr Cherie Lenzen, Yarmouk University, Jordan.

1993 Professional Drafts-Person, Kh. Salameh Excavations (Iron Age-Byzantine), University of Jordan, directed by Dr. Pear Bekaie, Jordan

1992 Professional Draft-Person, Kh. Salameh Excavations (Iron Age Byzantine), University of Jordan, directed by Dr. Pear Bekaie, Jordan.

1989 Participant, Yasielah Excavations (Byzantines), directed by Dr. Zaidoun Al-Muhassen Yarmouk University, Jordan.

Participant, Ain Ghazal (Neolithic) in Jordan, directed by Dr. Gary Rollefson From San Diego state University, USA, and Dr. Zidan Kafafi from Yarmouk University, Jordan.

Participant, Bait Ras (Islamic) in Jordan, directed by Cherie Lenzen, Yarmouk University, Jordan.

Committees:

2015-present Board member in the Trustees of the Royal Academy of Culinary Arts (RACA), King Abdullah II Fund for Development, Amman, Jordan

2015-2017 Board member in the Scientific Committee at the Scientific Research Support Fund, Higher Education Ministry, Amman, Jordan

2014-2017 Board member in the Department of Antiquities Advisory Board, Amman, Jordan

2013- 2017 Board member in Petra Advisory Board of Trustees, Department of Antiquities, Amman, Jordan

2012-2015 Vice President of the Friends of Archaeology and Heritage Board, Amman, Jordan. <https://sites.google.com/site/friendsofarchaeology/about-us>

2010-2016 Board member, in the DAAD PhD Jordanian students Grant.

2011 External Reviewer, American Pre-Doctoral (Students) Fulbright Grant. Jordanian-American Commission for Educational Exchange(Fulbright), Amman, Jordan.

2010-2012 Vice President in the foundation board of the Jordanian Fulbright Alumni Association (JFAA), Amman, Jordan.

2008-2011 **Board member** in the Friend of Archaeology and Heritage, Amman, Jordan.

Conferences and Workshops:

2019 **Participant and Chair at the 14th International Conference on the History and Archaeology of Jordan (ICHAJ)**, held in January 2019, Florence, Italy.

2018 **Participant** in the third International Conference “Prehistory of the Arab World” ICPAW 2018. Held by the Department of Antiquities and Museums, National Council of Culture and Art. Kuwait from the 20th -24th of February, 2018

2017 **Lecture** at the Institute of Near Eastern Archaeology at Berlin University. On the 6th of December 2017.

2015 **Chair and Participant** in the Sixth International Forum of Writings and Inscriptions" entitled “Prehistory in the Arab World and Africa - Second Cycle" conference ., held by Library of Alexandria, Alexandria, Egypt, From the 2nd -5th of March, 2015

2014 **Chair and Participant** in the Society of the American Archeology-SAA 79th Annual Meeting at Austin, TX. from 23-27 April, 2014

Chair and Participant in "The First International Conference ,Egypt and Mediterranean Countries Through Ages", held by Cairo University, Egypt, from 15-18 October, 2014

2013 **Participant** in "The development of early settlement in arid regions" conference, held by the German Archaeological Institute, in Aqaba between 12 - 15 November 2013.

Visitor Professor, Institut fuer Ur- und Fruehgeschichte Universitaet zu Koeln, in Germany in July 2013. Giving lectures about the Paleolithic of Jordan.

2012 **Participant in the** "First International Congress of Prehistory in the Arab World" held by Cairo University between 15 -19 of December 2012. Cairo, Egypt.

Scientific Committee Member in the World Archeological Congress-7 (WAC-7) which will be held in the Dead Sea/Jordan between 14-18 of January 2013.
<http://wac7.worldarchaeologicalcongress.org/text2.html>

Participant in Le Paléolithique au Proche-Orient Bilan et perspectives (The Paleolithic of the Near east Workshop), held in January 21st-25, 2012,at Anthropologie des Techniques, des Espaces et des Territoires au Pliocène et

Pléistocène (AnTET)les in Eyzies de Tayac/ in southern France, Organized by Eric Boëda

- 2011** **Visitor Professor** at Ferrara University, Italy in March 2011. Giving lectures about the Paleolithic and the Neolithic of Jordan.
- 2010** **Organizing Committee Member of the Scientific Day**, held in May 21st at the Institute of Archaeology, University of Jordan.
- Organizing Committee Member and Participant in the Museum and Public Education Workshop**, held in April 7-8th 2010, at Jordan Museum, Amman.
- **Trainer for Course in "How to Write Grant Proposal"** for the University faculty members, Held in the Technology Center at the University of Jordan, Organized by the Higher Council For Science and Technology.
- 2010-2012** **Building the Capacity of Jordanian Researchers" Project, Three stages of workshops**, Held in at Princess Sumaya University for Technology, Organized by the Higher Council For Science and Technology.
- 2009** **Participant in the Prehistory of Jordan, Past and future Research** held in May 27-30th 2009 at the Department of Archaeology , Amman, Jordan
- Participant in the Workshop for Heritage Status for Jarash Archaeological Site.** held in April 29th 2009 in Jarash , Jordan Supported by Ministry of Tourism in Jordan and UNISCO.
- 2008** **Participant in the Basta Final Symposium**, which was held in April 24-27th , 2008, Freie Universität Berlin, Institut für Vorderasiatische Altertumskunde Arbeitsschwerpunkt Neolithikum - Basta Joint Archaeological Project - ex oriente, Berlin
- 2007** **Member on the Organization Committee of the 10th International Conference on the History and Archaeology of Jordan (ICHAJ)**, held in May 2007, Washington DC
- 2006** **Participant in the 5th International Congress in the Archaeology and Ancient Near East, (SICAANE)** , presenting a paper : “Tell Abu es Sawwan first season Excavation, Neolithic Site in Jordan” April, Madrid, Spain.
- **High Education Course on The Euro- Mediterranean Cultural Heritage“ Knowledge without Borders”**. Brindisi, Pasti-Scientific Park of Brindisi Citadel of Research, Italy.
- Economics and the Management of Cultural Heritage workshop**, Distance Learning Program, Centre for International Studies on Economic Growth (CEIS).

Mediterranean Landscapes Dynamics planning workshop. In the International Institute for Sustainability at Arizona State University. USA

- 2004** **The Fifth International Conference on Yemeni Civilization, San'a History and Cultural Heritage.** San'a University, Sana, Yemen
- 2003** **Fifth World Archaeological Congress (5WAC) Conference.** Paper presented: Microlith Typology and Technology of the Upper and Epi-Paleolithic Transition, Jordan. Washington, USA.
- 2002** **The First Conference on Science and Technology in Archaeology and Conservation.** Queen Rania Institute of Tourism and Heritage The Hashemite University, Jordan.

Publications and Posters :

- 2018** **Al Nahar, Maysoon**
The Neolithic site of Tell Abu Suwwan, Jerash. In *The Archaeology and History of Jerash, 110 years of excavations*, eds. by Rubina Raja and Achim Lichtenberger, British Library Cataloguing in Publication Data BREPOLs publications. Vol. 1, Pp 7-14.
- 2016** **Maysoon al-Nahar and Deborah I. Olszewski**
Early Epipaleolithic lithics, time-averaging, and site interpretations: Wadi al-Hasa region, Western Highlands of Jordan, *Quaternary International*. 396 (2016): 40-51.
- Deborah I. Olszewski and Maysoon al-Nahar**
Late Pleistocene eastern Levant: Landscape strategies in open spaces, *Quaternary International*. 396 (2016) 1-4.
- Persistent and Ephemeral Places in the Early Epipaleolithic in the Wadi al-Hasa Region of the Western Highlands of Jordan, *Quaternary International*. 396 (2016) 20-30.
- Natalie Munro, Michael Kennerty, Jacqueline S Meier, Siavash Samei, Maysoon al-Nahar, Deborah I Olszewski.**
Human Hunting and Settlement Mobility in the Early Epipaleolithic of the Jordanian Western, Highlands. *Quaternary International*. 396 (2016) 31-39.
- Siavash Samei, Natalie D. Munro, Maysoon al-Nahar, Deborah I. Olszewski**
Differential Bone Preservation and Human Foraging at the Early Epipaleolithic Site of Tor at-Tareeq (WHS1065) in the Western Highlands of Jordan, *Quaternary International*. 396 (2016) 52-61.
- 2015** **Abuhelaleh Bellal 1 , M. Al Nahar , U. Thun Hohenstein and G. L. F.**

Berruti 3 , E Cancellieri

Experimental Study of Bone Artifact Manufacture from the Neolithic site Tell Abu Suwwan (PPNB-PN), Jordan, *Adumatu*, (2015) 32 :7-20.

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Early Epipaleolithic sites in the Southern and Central Jordan: Site Function Implications, *Mediterranean Archeology and Archaeometry (MAA)*, Vol.15, No.2: 215-227.

Maysoon Al Nahar and Zeidan Kafafi

The Yarmoukian Pottery Assemblage from Tell Abu Suwwan, Jordan. *Mediterranean Archeology and Archaeometry (MAA)*, Vol. 15, No 3,(2015): 57-72

2014

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"Ain Ghazal and Wadi Shueib: Neolithic Personal Ornaments", in *Settlement, Survey, and Stone, Essays on Near Eastern Prehistory in Honor of Gary Rollefson*, edition: 1, Publisher: ex oriente, Berlin (2014), Editors: Bill Finlayson, Cheryl Makarewaicz, Pp.243-256

Deborah Olszewski and Maysoon al-Nahar

The 2012 Excavations in the Area A Early Epipaleolithic at Tor at-Tareeq, Wadi al-Hasa, , *Neo-Lithics* 1/14: 25-32

2013

Al Nahar, Maysoon

Typo-Chronological and Analytical Lithic Study of the Neolithic Period in Jordan: (Case study: Tell Abu Suwwan) , In *History and Archaeology of Jordan*, University of Jordan Publications. 05/2013; Volume VII(No. (2,3)):120-143.

The First Traces of Man, The Paleolithic Period (<1.5 Million-Ca 20,000 years ago). In the *Atlas of Jordan, History, Territories and Society*. Edited by Myriam Ababsa, Presses de l'Ifpo, Institut français du Proche-Orient., New edition [online]. Beyrouth: Presses de l'Ifpo, 2013 (generated 25 April 2015). Available on the Internet: . ISBN: 9782351594384. Zotero compliant

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Carlos Cordova, April Nowell, Michael Bisson, Christopher Ames, James Pokines, Melanie Chang and Maysoon al-Nahar.

Glacial and Interglacial Desert Refugia and the Middle Paleolithic of the Azraq Basin, Jordan. Special Issue: *The Middle Paleolithic in the Desert., Quaternary International*, 300:194-210.

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The Renovation of the Heritage Museum at the, University of Jordan (Amman).
In *PLACES AND OBJECTS OF THE MEMORY, Valorization of Italian and Jordanian Cultural Heritage. Case Studies*. Edited by Lucilla Rami Ceci, Armando Editor, Rome, Italy

Deborah I. Olszewski and Maysoon al-Nahar

New Excavations at Wadi Madamagh, Petra Region, *Neo-Lithics* 2 /11: 8-13

A Fourth Season at Yutil al-Hasa (WHS 784): Renewed Early Epipaleolithic Excavations , *Neo-Lithics* 1 /11: 30-34.

2010

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Tell Abu Suwwan, A Neolithic Site in Jordan: Preliminary Report on the 2005 and 2006 Field Seasons. In *Bulletin of the American Schools of Oriental Research (BASOR)* 357:1-18.

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Abuhelaleh Bellal 1 , M. Al Nahar , G. L. F. Berruti 3 , E Cancellieri, and U. Thun Hohenstein.

Raw & Worked Osseous Materials, Study of Bone artifacts and use techniques from the Neolithic Jordanian site; Tell Abu Suwwan (PPNB-PN). Poster published in the *International Council for Archaeozoology*, 11 th INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE, PARIS, 23-28 August 2010.

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Al Nahar, Maysoon and Geoffrey A. Clark

The Lower Paleolithic in Jordan, In *Archaeology and History of Jordan*, University of Jordan Publications. Vol 3 (2): 173-215

April Nowell, Michael Bisson, Carlos Cordova James Pokines, Chris Ames and Maysoon Al-Nahar.

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2008

AL Nahar, Maysoon

Tel Abu Suwwan Neolithic site in Jarash /Jordan, The first Three Seasons Results. In *Archaeology and History of Jordan*, University of Jordan Publications. II(3):172-190

2007

Bisson, M., A. Nowell, C.E. Cordova, R. Kalchgruber, and Maysoon Nahar. 2007. Human evolution at the crossroads: An archaeological survey in Northwest Jordan. *Near Eastern Archaeology* 69 (2): 73-85

Carlos E. Cordova, April Nowell, Michael Bisson, Regina Kalchgruber, and Maysoon al-Nahar.

Geomorphological Assessment of Middle Paleolithic Sites on the Madaba Plateau. *Annual of the Department of Antiquities of Jordan* 51:329-337.

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World History (Book), Seventh Grade Curriculum, Curriculums and School Books Management, Ministry of Education, Amman, Jordan

2006

April Nowell, Michael Bisson, Carlos Cordova, Regina Kalchgruber and Maysoon al-Nahar

A Survey of Middle Paleolithic Sites in the Wadi Zarqa' Ma'in Drainage, Madaba Plateau, Jordan." *American Journal of Archaeology* 110(3): 472-475.

Al-Nahar, Maysoon

The Neolithic site of Tell abu es Sawwan Preliminary Report. *Neo-Lithics* 1/06.

Olszewski, Debora and Maysoon Al-Nahar

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2004

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- 2001** **Simmons, A. H., G. O. Rollefson, Z. Kafafi, R.D. Mandel, M. Al- Nahar, J. Cooper, I. Köhler- Rollefson, K. R. Durand.**
Wadi Sueib, A Large Neolithic Community in Central Jordan: Final Report of Test Investigations. *In Bulletin of the American Schools of Oriental Research BASOR* . 321: 2-39.
- Olszewski, D.I., Coinman, N. R., Clausen, T. , Cooper, J. B., Jansson, H., al-Nahar, M. , Saele, L.S., Sampson, A.J. Schurmans, U. and Thompson, J. R.**
The Eastern al Hasa Late Pliestocene Project. Preliminary Report on the 2000 Season, *Annual of Department of Antiquities of Jordan (ADAJ)*. 45: 39-60.
- 2000** **Olszewski, D.I, U. Schurmans, H. Jansson, J. Cooper, and M. al- Nahar**
Chert Raw Material Survey in the Wadi al Hasa, Jordan: Preliminary Findings. *Neo-Lithics* 2-3 /00: 16-18.
- Al- Nahar, Maysoon**
The Upper and Epipaleolithic Transition in the Southern Levant: Microlith Typology Versus Technology. Arizona State University, Unpublished Dissertation.
- 1999** **Coinman, N. R., D.I. Olszewski, K. Abdo, T. Clausen, J.B. Cooper, J. Fox, M. al-Nahar, E. Richey, and L. Saele**
Eastern Hasa Late Pleistocene Project: Preliminary report on the 1998 season. *Annual of Department of Antiquities of Jordan(ADAJ)*. 43:9-25.
- 1998** **Olszewski, D., M. al- Nahar, J. Cooper, K. Abdo and A. Rosen**
Renewed excavations at Tor Sageer (WHNBS-242), an Early Epipaleolithic Site in the Wadi al Hasa, Jordan. *Neo-Lithics* 2/98: 5-8.
- Olszewski, D., N. Coinman, J. Schulderein, T. Clausen, J. Cooper, J. Fox, B. Hill, M. al-Nahar, and J. Williams.**
The Eastern Hasa Late Pleistocene Project: Preliminary Report on the 1997 Season. *Annual of Department of Antiquities of Jordan (ADAJ)*. 42: 53-74.
- 1997** **Olszewski, D. and M. al- Nahar**
The First Season at Tor Sageer (WHNBS-242), an Epipaleolithic Site in the Wadi al-Hasa, Jordan. *Neo-Lithics* 3/97: 11-13.

GRANTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS:

- 2017-2018** **Gerda Henkel Stiftung fund** for my Sabbatical project at Cologne University, Germany
- 2009-2012** **National Science Foundation , (project grant)** for the Early Epipaleolithic in the

Western Highlands of Jordan project. The grant awarded to both directors of the project (Debora Olszewski and Maysoun Al Nahar) for four years (2009-2012).

- 2009** **University of Jordan Scientific Research grant** for the Early Epipaleolithic project in the Karak plateau
- 2005** **Fulbright Alumni Development Grant (Travel Grant)**, Title: Collaborative Research Meeting for Prehistoric Land-use and Ecology Study. At Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona / United States.
- 1996** **Harrel Fellowship Travel Grant**. Title: Travel Jordan to Participate in Tell Abu Ni'aj Project as a staff member.
- 1995-1997** **Fulbright Full Scholarship** For the Ph.D. Degree from Arizona State University.
- 1995-1999** **University of Jordan Scholarship** For Ph.D. Degree from Arizona State University.