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About me

I have started my career as a breast imaging and general radiology consultant since 2015. Knowing that breast cancer is an area of global concern and being the only specialized breast imaging radiologist in north of Jordan, I felt the importance of offering the service for women in my region.

On top of my role as a medical doctor, I have also had the opportunity to volunteer in the Jordanian communities to help and educatewomen about this disease. In Jordan, being a female Dr. specialized in mammogram is an advantage to play the role of patient advocate.

Work Experience

Associated Professor/Breast
Imaging and General
RadiologyConsultant
College of Medicine

College of Medicine,
JordanUniversity of Science and
Technology (JUST)/Radiology
Department, King Abdullah
University Hospital, Irbid, Jordan
February 2015 – Present

Teaching and Research Assistant

College of Medicine, Jordan University of Science and Technology (JUST). Irbid, Jordan November 2009 – June 2011

Education

Breast imaging and general radiology training

Royal Wolverhampton and Royal Shrewsbery Hospital, UK; 2013

Jordanian Board in radiology

Jordan Medical Council, Jordan; 2009

High specialty degree in diagnostic radiology

Jordan University of Science and Technology, Irbid, Jordan; 2009

Medical internship

King Abdullah University Hospital, Irbid, Jordan; 2005

Bachelor Degree of medicine and surgery

King Abdullah University Hospital, Irbid, Jordan; 2004

Teaching courses

- 1. Diagnostic radiology for medical students 4th and 5th years
- 2. Diagnostic radiology for high specialty degree students in diagnostic radiology

Training courses

- 3. Radiologist specialist course, Nottingham Breast Institute. 2012
- 4. Breast Biopsy day, Nottingham Breast Institute. 2013
- 5. Multidisciplinary workshops in breast imaging, Jordan Breast Cancer Program/ King Hussein Cancer Foundation. 2015
- 6. Multidisciplinary workshops in breast imaging, Jordan Breast Cancer Program/ King Hussein Cancer Foundation. 2017
- 7. Multidisciplinary workshops in breast imaging, Jordan Breast Cancer Program/ King Hussein Cancer Foundation. 2019
- 8. Application training for use and operation of Hologic's Selenia Dimensions with Iveiew, Affirm Upright and Suros, reference center, Dubai. 2021
- 9. One day Online Pack up For Mammography and Biopsy Application Training September 2021.
- 10. CT and MR of the Abdomen, Jordanian Radiology Society. 2019
- 11. Breast Imaging Multimodality workshop, Jordan Breast Cancer Program, 2023

Conferences

- 1. Introductory series of the multidisciplinary conference, Online with Jordan Breast Cancer Program. 2021
- 2. 8th international Medical conference, Jordan University Of science and Technology. 2016
- 3. 9th Scientific Conference of Faculty of Medicine, Jordan University Of Science And Technology. 2017
- 4. European Congress of Radiology. 2021

Extra-curricular activities

- 1. Lecture about the last update of breast cancer screening, Jordan Medical Association, October 2022.
- 2. Breast Cancer Awareness football match. Octob/ 2022

- 3. Jordanian medical radiology board examiner. August 2021 & Feb 2022
- 4. Invited Speaker on Social Media Webinar. Breast Cancer awareness. Jordan Breast Cancer Program. October 2020
- 5. Invited Speaker on Social Media Webinar. Breast Cancer awareness. Jordan Breast Cancer Program. October 2021
- 6. Free medical day for the awareness of breast cancer. King Abdullah University Hospital. Ajlun. October 2016
- 7. Free medical day for the awareness of breast cancer. King Abdullah University Hospital. Irbid. August 2016
- 8. Free medical day for the awareness of breast cancer. King Abdullah University Hospital. Jerash. March 2015
- 9. Jordanian breast cancer awareness marathon coordinator. October 2021
- 10. Referee of a book on breast cancer prevention. March 2022
- 11. Referee of a book on breast cancer prevention. November 2020
- 12. Referee of a book on breast cancer prevention. February 2020
- 13. Representative of the Department of Radiology in the Medical College Council 2016-2021
- 14. Mammographic machine purchase committee. 2022
- 15. MRI machine purchase committee. 2022
- 16. Lecturer: King Abdullah University Hospital Breast Cancer Cases and prevalence estimate from North of Jordan. 2018
- 17. Chief Resident. King Abdullah University Hospital. 2008-2009

Publications

- 1. Gharaibeh M, El-Obeid E, Khasawneh R, Karrar M, Salman M, Farah A, Ahmmed S, Al-Omari M, Elheis M, Abualigah L. Impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on imaging case volumes in King Abdullah University Hospitals (KAUH). Front Med (Lausanne). 2023 Feb 9;10:1103083.
- 2. **Gharaibeh MM**, Elobeid EA, El-Heis MA, Bataineh LA, Alorjani MS. Radiological and Histological Correlation in Small Cell Neuroendocrine Carcinoma of the Breast: A Case Report. Am J Case Rep. 2021 Sep 27;22:e932274.
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- 4. **Gharaibeh, Maha**, Dalia Alzu'bi, Malak Abdullah, Ismail Hmeidi, Mohammad R. Al Nasar, Laith Abualigah, and Amir H. Gandomi. 2022. "Radiology Imaging Scans for Early Diagnosis of Kidney Tumors: A Review of Data Analytics-Based Machine Learning and Deep Learning Approaches" Big Data and Cognitive Computing 6, no. 1: 29.

- 5. **Gharaibeh M**, Elheis M, Khasawneh R, Al-Omari M, Jibril M, Dilki K, El-Obeid E, Altalhi M, Abualigah L. Chest Radiograph Severity Scores, Comorbidity Prevalence, and Outcomes of Patients with Coronavirus Disease Treated at the King Abdullah University Hospital in Jordan: A Retrospective Study. Int J Gen Med. 2022;15:5103-5110
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- 7. Ruba A. Khasawneh, Ziyad Mohaidat, Firas A. Khasawneh, Ahmad Farah, **MahaGharaibeh**, Mwaffaq El-Heis. Extraspinal findings prevalence and clinical significance in 4250 lumbar spine MRI exams. Sci Rep 11, 1190 (2021).
- 8. Khasawneh RA, Mohaidat ZM, **Gharaibeh MM**, Hdeeb A. Post-Traumatic Hemosiderotic Synovitis of the Knee Mimicking Pigmented Villonodular Synovitis on Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI) in a Child: A Case Report. Am J Case Rep. 2021 Jun 29;22:e931992.
- 9. Al-Omari MH, Obeidat N, Elheis M, Khasawneh RA, **Gharaibeh MM**. Factors Affecting Pregnancy Rate Following Fallopian Tube Recanalization in Women with Proximal Fallopian Tube Obstruction. J Clin Med. 2018 May 10;7(5):110.
- 10. El-Heis M, **Gharaibeh M**, Al-Omari M, Khasawneh R. The centre edge angle of wiberg of acetabulum in adult jordanian population. MOJ OrthopRheumatol. 2018;10(2):168-170.
- 11. El Heis, Mwaffaq, **MahaGharaibeh**, Mammon Al-Omari, and RubaKhasawneh. "The Radiographic Features of Mycobacterium Malmoense Infection." BioMedical. Age 8 (2018): 33-33.
- 12. Mwaffaq El-Heis, **MahaGharaibeh**, Mammon Al-Omari, RubaKhasawneh. Multiple Sclerosis and Neurofibromatosis Type 1. Research Journal of Medical Sciences 100 (5-6), 203-207.
- 13. Rami J. Yaghan, Nehad M. Ayoub, ShadiHamouri, Alia Al-Mohtaseb, **MahaGharaibeh**, Lamees Yaghan, Mahmoud Al-Dari, Hiba Al-Kaff, Nabil A. Al-Zoubi, "The Role of Establishing a Multidisciplinary Team for Idiopathic Granulomatous Mastitis in Improving Patient Outcomes and Spreading Awareness about Recent Disease Trends", International Journal of Breast Cancer, vol. 2020, Article ID 5243958, 9 pages, 2020.
- 14. Mwaffaq El-Heis, **MahaGharaibeh**, Mammon Al-Omari, QusaiAljarrah and RubaKhasawneh, 2018. The Non-Urological Findings of CT Urography. Research Journal of Medical Sciences, 12: 75-77.
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