**Curriculum Vitae**

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| **Professional Experience** |
| September 2007 – present  | **Alarshadiya Lod Community School**: As the **school** **principal**, I have served as a leader and innovator for the educational, pedagogical, and social activities of some 65 professional teachers of various subjects in an elementary school with over 700 students. My responsibilities also included managing the administrative and budgetary activities of the school.Prior to being hired for this administrative position, I worked at this school as a physical education teacher for 12 years. I taught physical education with a focus on ball games, floor gymnastics, and health education. Over the years, I have served in additional roles as a team or committee leader including: chairman of the teachers' committee (2000-2002), director of a community school; coordinator of the school’s health education department; coordinator of the Karev educational enrichment project plan, and coordinator of environmental education. |
| July 2010 - present | I am the **volunteer chairman (executive director) of the nonprofit organization** Citizens Build a Community, which I was privileged to co-found in 2004. This organization addresses the accessibility and integration into higher education among the Arab youth of Lod, and the integration of academics from the Arab population into appropriate employment. In the last four years, this organization has worked towards developing and promoting community issues among women, youth, and families.  |
| August 2013 – April 2014 | Tlalim Group (educational tourism): I was the **organizational consultant** for school principals in the city of Baqa al-Gharbiyye, in the field of school uniqueness and in the process of developing the registration areas in the city. |
| July 2002 – August 2004 | Society of Educational and Cultural Institutions in Lod: As **director of the Arab Community Center**, I managed the community center and its team of 10 employees and 33 instructors. This community center serves the Arab population and provides educational, cultural and social responses for 1,200 participants of all ages (from 3 – 40). Thirty percent of my work was devoted to fundraising. In addition to the managerial role, I was a member of the municipal public administration team. I became the manager of the community center after serving as youth coordinator at the community center. In this framework, I was the leader of the municipal Arab youth movement in Lod. |
| 2001 - 2007 | **Director of youth leadership groups.**  I worked with organizations such as the Tchanim Institute (organizational and community development), and the Essence of Life public association, in guiding youth groups for leadership, empowerment, and development of personal identity and a vision for the future. |
| **Education** |
| 2014 - 2016 | Bar-Ilan University master's degree track (M.A.), with a thesis on Leadership and Management in Education Systems |
| 2004 – 2006 | Achva Academic College, master’s degree (M.Ed.) in Education Systems |
| 2001 - 2002 | Bar-Ilan University, Ramat Gan – associate degree in Executive Education |
| 1998 - 2000 | Kibbutzim College, Tel Aviv - Bachelor's degree in Physical Education |
| 1992 - 1995 | Kaye Academic College of Education, Beersheva – associate degree (B.Ed.) and teaching certificate in physical education, with specialization in ball games |
| 1900 - 1992 | Paderborn University, Germany - German language and first year of studies in physical education |
| **Courses and Continuing Education** |
| 2019 | Lod Institute for Educational Staff Development, course on digital tools for online learning |
| 2018 | Rosh Ha-ayin Institute for Educational Staff Development, course in educational leadership |
| 2012 | Lod Institute for Educational Staff Development, course in teacher evaluation and educational leadership  |
| 2010 - 2011 | Lod Institute for Educational Staff Development, course in computers, information management, and database management |
| **Languages** |
| Arabic | First language (mother tongue), full fluency |
| Hebrew | Second language, full fluency |
| German | Third language, high level of proficiency  |
| English | Fourth language, high level of proficiency |

**Projects**

**Citizens Build a Community nonprofit organization**: In 2004, I was one of the founding members of the nonprofit organization Citizens Build a Community, along with other good-willed people from the diverse communities of the city of Lod. I have been the volunteer chairman of the organization from 2010 until the present. In its early years, the organization focused on activities benefitting youth from the city of Lod, such as operating youth centers. Since 2010, the organization shifted its focus to issues related to higher education and employment for youth from the Arab population of Israel in general, and from Lod in particular. The organization runs projects such as a year of volunteer service on behalf of the community, academic guidance and counseling, and employment guidance and counseling for the professional integration of academics. In recent years, the association has additionally focused on community building among women and youth.

**Municipal Environmental Plan**: Under my leadership, the school of which I am the principal won a Green Globe Award from the Israel Ministry of Environmental Protection. Following this, I formulated a municipal environmental plan, with the aim of transforming all Lod public schools into “green schools”. The program was implemented along with the Ministry of Environmental Protection, the Israel Airports Authority, and the Green Network. I coordinated and managed this unique program as part of my role as a municipal community leader. A pilot program was first implemented in the fourth grades of city schools. In light of its success and achievements, the program was developed and expanded to fifth grades, and the following year, a continuation program was designed for sixth grades. It is a notable achievement that 70% of the schools in Lod have received a Green Globe award by the Ministry of Environmental Protection. In addition, Lod city schools participated in a young innovators’ competition sponsored by the Israel Airports Authority for cities and areas near the airports, and the products entered by students from two schools in Lod won first prizes.

**Youth Association for the Community**: After volunteering for several years in the field of youth activities, I founded the Youth Association for the Community. This nonprofit organization provides ongoing social and educational responses to 170 youth (ages 13 – 22) from the Arab community of Lod. It also offers community volunteer activities such as individual tutoring for children, and volunteer community work in Arab neighborhoods, such as neighborhood cleanups and renovating nursing homes and kindergartens.