

# SAYED MAHMOOD ALAALI

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## PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

*A creative and dedicated individual, who enjoys seeing a project through to completion. Quick to grasp new ideas and concepts, and to develop innovative and creative solutions to problems. Able to work well on his own initiative and to demonstrate his altruistic side through his charity work and volunteering. Possesses excellent interpersonal skills and can communicate concisely at all levels. Now looking for a new and challenging position, one which will make best use of existing skills and experience yet enable further personal and professional development. He is particularly keen on the implementation of new technologies to improve business practice.*

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## EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS

- MSc:** **The University of Manchester**  
Information Systems; E-business Technology (expected: November, 2008)  
Dissertation on "Extending a self-help mental health online community using web 2.0"
- BSc:** **Jordan University of Science and Technology**  
Computer Information Systems (2007)

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## FURTHER SKILLS

- Programming Skills:** SQL, PHP, (X) HTML, Oracle, ASP.NET, C++ and C#  
**I.T. Proficiency:** Microsoft Office, Visual Studio 2003-2005 and Zend Editor  
**Languages:** Arabic (Native Speaker), English (Fluent)

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## EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

**2007-2008** ***Application Developer, Al Nafaq Constructing and Excavation, Bahrain***

- Assisted the company with a move from manual to computerised systems and helped to ameliorate and upgrade the company's accounting package
- Implemented a new system to track cost and introduction of a move towards web applications

**2007** ***Teacher (Part time), Capitol Institute, Bahrain***

- Responsible for teaching Excel for beginners to a class of ten pupils of secondary school age which required both Arabic and English language skills

**2006** ***IT Assistant (summer training), Ministry of Finance, Bahrain***

- Working with HP Unix Tru64, responsible for the installation of printers and upgrading of systems including installing new hardware and developing a shell application to monitor the system

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## PERSONAL DETAILS

- Driving Licence:** Full/Clean  
**Health:** Excellent; non-smoker

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## INTERESTS AND ACTIVITIES

**Currently include:** Football, Swimming, Reading, Cooking, Video Photography and writing articles about IT. Also an active volunteer through his summer teaching in the Village Education Centre and creation and design of a magazine for Bahraini students in Jordan.

REFERENCES AVAILABLE ON REQUEST