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# **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

A highly disciplined and results-driven professional with a Master's degree in International Law and currently pursuing a PhD in Economic Public Law, specializing in public finance and climate change. With a proven track record of academic excellence, research, and hands-on experience in public management, law, and auditing, I bring valuable expertise in governance, public budgeting, and environmental auditing. I am proficient in navigating complex legal frameworks and delivering impactful solutions in the public sector. I hold professional certification in law and auditing, alongside strong communication, leadership, and cross-cultural skills. Fluent in multiple languages, I am eager to contribute to the development of sustainable, transparent, and efficient governance in the Gulf region.

# **EDUCATION**

• PhD Candidate in Economic Public Law (Public Finance)

University of Oran2, Algeria | Thesis: "The Public Budget in the Face of Climate Change"

(Emphasizing fiscal policies and climate resilience, aligning with GCC countries' sustainability goals)

- Master's in International Law and Human Rights
  - University of Mostaganem, Algeria | 2015–2017 | Thesis: "International Human Rights Law in the Face of Climate Change"
- Bachelor's in Administration and Law Sciences University of Oran, Algeria | 1996–2000

# **CERTIFICATIONS**

- Professional Qualification Certificate for Lawyer University of Oran, Algeria | 2001
- Professional Qualification Certificate in Environmental Auditing International Center for Information and Audit Systems, India | 2018

# **TRAINING**

- **Disaster Audit Training** (Online, Saudi Arabia) | 2021
- ISO 9001:2015 Standard Interpretation Training (Online, Algeria) | 2020
- Management Quality Control Training (Algeria) | 2017
- Dematerialized Cash Clearance Workshop (Algeria) | 2018
- Audit Training (Egypt) | 2013
- Environmental Audit Training (Kuwait) | 2014

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Magistrate (Counselor), Algerian Court of Audit | Since December 2008 (Conducting audits and evaluations of public sector financial practices, with a focus on environmental compliance and climate-related expenditures)
- Manager Director, Municipality of Mostaganem | 2001–2007 (6 years) (Leadership in municipal governance, strategic management, and operational oversight in line with public administration best practices)
- Associate Professor, Faculty of Law, University of Mostaganem | 2004–2005 (1 year)

(Teaching courses on law, governance, and public finance, contributing to the development of future legal professionals)

• Lawyer | 1 year (Providing legal services with a focus on corporate, public law, and environmental regulations)

# **KEY COMPETENCIES**

- **Public Sector Governance**: Extensive experience in managing public sector institutions, with a focus on transparency, accountability, and regulatory compliance.
- Environmental Audit: Expertise in conducting audits on environmental policies, particularly in line with sustainable development goals and climate change mitigation.
- Climate Change & Sustainable Development: In-depth knowledge of integrating climate change considerations into public budgeting and policies, crucial for GCC countries' growing focus on sustainability.
- Leadership & Communication: Proven ability to lead diverse teams, engage with stakeholders, and communicate complex legal and policy concepts effectively.
- **Multilingual**: Fluent in Arabic, French, and English, enabling effective communication in a multicultural environment.

# **PUBLICATIONS**

- The Role of Supreme Audit Institutions in Disaster Risk Reduction, Financial Control Review, No. 72, June 2018 / ARABOSAI (Arabic translation)
- Integration of Climate Change into the Public Budget Process, Comparative Legal Studies Journal, Vol. 2, 2020, Pp. 4140-4931
- Areas of Fraud and Corruption in Public Procurement, International Journal Research in Educational Sciences, Humanities, and Languages, Vol. 1, No. 6, Jordan, 2020, Pp. 57-599
- Public-Private Partnerships and Sustainable Development, Investment and Sustainable Development Journal, Algeria, Vol. 1, No. 2, 2022, Pp. 48-68
- What Contribution Do SAIs Make to Achieving Effectiveness in Public-Private Partnerships?, African Journal of Comprehensive Auditing, Issue 26, 2023

# **SEMINARS & CONFERENCES**

• Study Day on Partnership Contracts and Sustainable Development University of Oran2, Faculty of Law and Political Science | 2019

- Paper on State Budget Contribution to Nursery School Financing University of Oran2, Faculty of Law and Political Science | 2021
- Scientific Paper on Public Procurement Investigations

  Coordination Meeting between Judges and Judicial Police Officers | March 2022
- Paper on Environmental Dimension in Public Transactions
  Ibn Khaldun University, Tiaret, National Forum | May 2023
  Title: "The Audit of the Court of Accounts on the Environmental Dimension of Public Procurement"

# RELEVANT SKILLS & EXPERTISE

- Public Financial Management
- Environmental Compliance & Auditing
- Climate Change Adaptation & Mitigation
- Regulatory Frameworks & Legal Compliance
- Cross-cultural Competence
- Project Management in Public Administration

# TARGET ROLES IN THE GULF REGION

- Senior Advisor or Auditor in **Sustainable Development**, **Climate Change**, **or Environmental Compliance**
- Leadership roles in **Public Sector Governance or Public Financial Management**
- Legal Expert in Environmental Law or International Law for governmental and non-governmental organizations
- University Faculty in Law, Public Policy, or Environmental Auditing

# **CONTACT**

Available upon request.