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**RESEARCH INTERESTS:**

ethnography, discourse analysis, belonging and identity, minoritized language, language ideologies, linguistic anthropology, Jazan, Saudi Arabia

**ACADEMIC PREPARATION:**

**Ph.D. Sociolinguistics (2020)**, *University of Essex*, Colchester, UK

Ethnographic research conducted in Harub, Jazan, Saudi Arabia

Thesis title: Language and the negotiation of identity and belonging in Harub, Saudi Arabia

**M.Ed. TESOL (2002)**, *Seattle University*, Seattle, WA

Adult Education and TESOL

**B.A. Cultural Anthropology (2000)**, *University of Washington*, Seattle, WA

Study Abroad Program in India

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:**

**Assistant Professor of English**, August 2022 - Present

*Alfaisal University*, Riyadh, KSA

Teaching Anthropology and English courses

**Project Manager / Coach (Contract)**, 2018 – 2019

*Fullbridge*, Riyadh, KSA

Managed curriculum development and program delivery at PSU

Delivered workshops: Personal Pitch, Interview Skills, Building your Professional Network

**ESL Instructor**, 2011 - 2013

*Alfaisal University*, Riyadh, KSA

Prepared and taught courses in the University Preparatory Program using content-based instruction, project- and task-based learning

**ESL Instructor**, 2009 – 2011

*Dar Al Uloom University*, Riyadh, KSA

Prepared and taught courses in Preparatory Year Program

Coordinator of Speaking and Listening Courses

**ESL Instructor**, 2008 – 2009

*Bell/Obeikan/King Saud University*, Riyadh, KSA

Prepared and taught courses in Preparatory Year Program

**ESL Instructor, Coordinator**, 2005 - 2008

*INTERLINK/Al Yamamah University*, Riyadh, KSA

Prepared and taught courses in Orientation Year Program  
Mentored new teachers  
Prepared training material for teacher training

**ESL Lecturer, 2003-2005**

*Prince Sultan University, Riyadh, KSA*

Prepared and taught courses in the Preparatory Year Program  
Designed and developed curriculum

**ESL Lecturer, 2002-2003**

*Dar Al-Hekma College, Jeddah, KSA*

Prepared and taught courses in the College Preparation Program

**PUBLICATIONS:**

Lowry, J. (2021) Enregistering the *Badawi* Dialect in Jāzān, Saudi Arabia, *Journal of Arabian Studies*, 11:1, 38-55.

Lowry, J. (2022). A Place to Belong: The Social Construction of *Badu* Identity in Jazan, Saudi Arabia. In *Language and Identity in the Arab World*. Routledge Press.

Under Review: Chronotopes of *Zamān* ‘the Past’ and *Alh̄n* ‘Now’ in Harūb, Saudi Arabia: Shifting Notions of Moral Womanhood between Two Generations

**CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS:**

Lowry, J. (2020, November). *The enregisterment of the Badawi dialect in Jazan, Saudi Arabia*. Paper presented at the 1<sup>st</sup> International Symposium on Applied Linguistics Research, Prince Sultan University, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia.

Lowry, J. (2019, June). *The social construction of bedu identity in Jazan, Saudi Arabia*. Paper presented at the 16<sup>th</sup> International Pragmatics Conference, Hong Kong Polytechnic University, Hong Kong.

**SKILLS AND COMPETENCIES:**

- Ethnographic and linguistic field research
- Qualitative research
- Intermediate Arabic
- Experience with KSA and Middle Eastern cultural practices
- Educational technology
- Curriculum development
- Project-based and Task-based learning

References provided upon request