# **Ghias Shariff**

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#### **EDUCATION**

### 1976 – 1980 PhD in Nutrition/Biochemistry

University of California - Davis, California

\* GPA 3.4

11 research publications

\* One publication adopted as part of university course material

### 1974 – 1976 Master of Science in Poultry Science/Nutrition

University of Agriculture – Faisalabad, Pakistan

- \* Top division student (percentile system)
- \* Recipient of merit scholarship

### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# 2016 – Present Professor (adjunct) Nutrition

Augusta University, Augusta, Georgia

- Teaching advance nutrition courses to graduate classes
- Using latest web base technology such as the D2L & WebEx

# 2003 – present Professor(adjunct) of Nutrition & Biology

Houston Community College, Houston, TX

- \* Taught a maximum of seven classes simultaneously, with an average of 30 students per class (approx. 160 students total), demonstrating the ability to successfully handle a large workload.
- Taught at five different campuses, thereby teaching a diverse student body effectively.
- Developed teaching materials that were adopted by other professors.
- \* Achieved an excellent student rating for overall performance.
- Using latest web base technology such as the Learning Web and Eagle online

### *08/2010 - 08/2012*

### Professor (Adjunct) of Biochemistry

University of Bridgeport, Bridgeport, Connecticut

- \* Taught 2 online classes simultaneously (approx. 50 students total) using web based teaching tools such as Blackboard and Wimba.
- \* Made effective use of online forums for engaging students in discussion, thereby enhancing the learning experience.
- Developed a syllabus that is both comprehensive and challenging.
- Held students to a higher level of achievement, pushing them to truly absorb class material.

# Feb 2004 - Jan 2005

### **Nutritionist Consultant**

Doctors' Hospital, Lahore, Pakistan

- \* Spent one year in Pakistan, between teachings at HCC, gaining experience in applied nutrition at a leading medical institution of Pakistan.
- \* Dealt with indoor/outdoor patients, giving nutritional advice to sufferers of heart disease, hypertension, diabetes, obesity, etc., thereby gaining insight into the real-world application of nutrition.
- Developed diet plans for referred patients.

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### **Professional Achievements and Publications**

- 10 publications in different scientific journals
- Shariff. G, P. Vohra, C.O Qualset,& Williams (1983). Establishing relationship of nutrient composition and quality of wheat and triticale grains using chicken, quails and flour beetle bioassays. Hilgardia 51(4);1 -11
  - Shariff, G, P.Vohra & C.O Qualset (1980). Further studies on the nutritional evaluation of wheat, triticale and rice grains using the red flour beetle. Cereal Chem. 58(2):86-8