

CURRICULUM VITAE

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EDUCATION

Institution	Dates of attendance	Degree/program	Area of concentration
Baghdad High School	1990-1993	Diploma	Scientific track
College of Medicine Al-Nahrain University	1993-1999	MBChB	General medicine and general surgery
College of Medicine Al-Nahrain University	2002-2004	MSc	Community Medicine
Georgia State University	2006-2008	MPH	Health Promotion and Behavioral Sciences
Georgia State University	2012-2015	PhD	Public Health and Epidemiology
Georgia State University	2015-2017	Fellowship	Tobacco control/ regulatory science

PROFESSIONAL

(Experience in Chronological Order)

09/1999 – 09/2001	Resident Physician AL-Kadhymia University General Hospital, Baghdad, Iraq
01/2001 – 01/2002	General Practitioner Al-Ja'mia Private Hospital, Baghdad, Iraq
01/2005 – 07/2006	Public Health Officer Department of Health Promotion, Ministry of Health, Baghdad, Iraq
09/2008 – 04/2011	Health Scientist Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Atlanta, Georgia, USA
06/2017 – present	Assistant Professor of Epidemiology Department of Population Health Sciences, Medical College of Georgia, Augusta University, Augusta, Georgia, USA

COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENTS

2020 – present Member, MCG Women's Career Development Symposium

	Planning Committee
2021 – present	Member, MS in epidemiology Committee
2017 – 2018	Member, Social Committee, Augusta University
2018 – present	Member, Campus-Wide Teaching Committee, Augusta University

EDUCATION

Medical, graduate, and health professional education

2021	Facilitator , Pre-Clerkship Case Based Learning (CBL)
2021	Course director , STAT 7130, Introduction to Epidemiology
2020	Facilitator , Pre-Clerkship Case Based Learning (CBL)
2020	Course director , STAT 6300, Introduction to Epidemiology and Biostatistics
2019	Lecturer , MEDI 6595, ECM 2-Foundations
2019	Lecturer , MEDI 5594, ECM 1-Foundations
2019	Course director , STAT 6300, Introduction to Epidemiology and Biostatistics
2018	Course director , STAT 6300, Introduction to Epidemiology and Biostatistics
2018	Course director , STAT 8130, Introduction to Epidemiology
2019	Course director , STAT 7130, Introduction to Epidemiology
2019	Guest lecturer , Alternative Tobacco Products: Real and Perceived Harm: Seminar, IPPH summer series
2019	Guest lecturer , Charting Your Research Map: Understanding Basic Study Designs: Sixth annual summer workshop organized by Department of Medicine
2018	Lecturer , MEDI 6595, ECM 2-Foundations
2018	Lecturer , MEDI 5594, ECM 1-Foundations
2015	Guest Lecturer , Urban Health Seminar (PH 7325) School of Public Health, Georgia State University Topic: Electronic Cigarettes: Epidemiology and Regulation
2010	Guest Lecturer , Global Health (PH 7600) School of Public Health, Georgia State University Topic: Public Health in Conflict Ridden Country
2010	Lecturer , Field Epidemiology Training Program Center for Global Health, CDC Topic: Principles of Epidemiology and Surveillance

RESEARCH AND TRAINING GRANTS AWARDED (PAST FIVE YEARS)

“Effect of tobacco use patterns on toxicant exposure and successful cessation: a longitudinal study among U.S. adult cigarette smokers.” FDA/NIH R21, March 2021. Funds requested \$437,332.00. (PI: Ban Majeed) Effort: 40% – pending

“Proposed warning labels on electronic nicotine delivery systems.” Postdoctoral research award. 2015-2016. Total costs: \$10,000 (PI: Ban Majeed)

“The Science of Decision Making: Connecting People and Policy.” NIH/FDA. P50DA036128. 2014-2017. (Post doc fellow: Ban Majeed)

UNIQUE RESEARCH SKILLS

- Tobacco Treatment Specialist, Certified Tobacco Treatment Training Program, MD Anderson Cancer Center, March 22-26, 2021
- Proficient STATA programmer
- Proficient SPSS programmer
- Proficient NVivo programmer
- Paper and online survey designer
- Effective individual and group interviewer

AWARDS/HONORS

- 2018 **AJPM Finalist Article of the Year**
 “*Changing Perceptions of Harm of E-Cigarettes among U.S. Adults, 2012-2015*” Honorable mention for the quality of scholarship and impact of contribution
- 2016 **Invited Participation**
 “Emerging Research on Tobacco Product Warnings: Advancing Theory and Methods Grantee Meeting 2016”, March 1st, Chicago, IL, USA
- 2015 **Invited Participation**
 “*Secondary Analysis of Data from the Population Assessment of Tobacco and Health (PATH) Study.*” National Addiction & HIV Data Archive Program’s (NAHDAP) summer workshop
- 2015 **Inducted Member**
 Delta Omega Honorary Society in Public Health
- 2015 **Fellowship**
 Tobacco Center of Regulatory Science, GSU
- 2011 **O1 “Extraordinary Ability” status**
 The O-1 visa category is designated for individuals of extraordinary ability in the sciences, arts, or education
- 2006 **Fulbright Scholarship**
 Fully funded Fulbright Scholarship to study public health
- 2003 **First Prize**
 Young Arab Researcher Award. The Center of Arab Women for Training and Research. Tunisia

SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

(Include Offices Held)

Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco	Member - 2014
International Epidemiological Association	Member - 2019
The Institute of Public and Preventive Health	Partial assignment – 2020
American Heart Association	Member - 2020

COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Community education and outreach. Volunteered to deliver an in-person informational lecture session (~40 minutes) related to e-cigarette and vaping issues on March 26, 2020 at Fort Valley. The lecture was scheduled to be part of the 2020 Farm Home Ministry Conference (FHMC) at Fort Valley State University, Fort Valley, GA. Targeting community members in rural GA. The conference was cancelled due to precautionary

reasons in response to COVID-19 outbreak.

Ad-hoc Reviewer

- Annals of Epidemiology
- Tobacco Control
- International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health
- Nicotine and Tobacco Research
- American Journal of Preventive Medicine
- Preventive Medicine
- Addictive Behaviors

PRESENTATIONS AT NATIONAL, REGIONAL AND STATE MEETINGS

Ban Majeed, Krishna Shah, Lakshmi Thulluri, Carol Brody, and Rodger MacArthur “Impact of COVID-19 pandemic on mental health: a survey of nurses at the front line” Oral Rapid Fire presentation. **June 1-3, 2021** CSEB Annual Meeting, Virtual meeting.

Ban Majeed, David Walsh, Deepak Ayyala, and Christos Hatzigeorgiou “Trends in hospitalization rates of lab-confirmed COVID-19 patients treated at a large academic health center in the U.S., March-August, 2020” Oral Rapid Fire presentation. **June 1-3, 2021** CSEB Annual Meeting, Virtual meeting.

Ban Majeed “Flavor Appeal in women who do not use e-cigarette: an internet experiment” Poster presentation. **February 24-26, 2021** SRNT Annual Meeting, Virtual meeting.

Ban Majeed, Daniel Linder, Yelena Tarasenko, Danielle Smith, Yutao Liu, Thomas Eissenberg, and David Ashley Cluster analysis of urinary tobacco biomarkers among U.S. adults: Population assessment of tobacco and health (PATH) biomarker study (2013-2014). Poster. 7th Annual Conference “Complementary Contributions of Tobacco Control and Regulatory Science Research to Protecting the Public Health, held October 10-11, 2019 at Burlington Hilton Hotel. Vermont Center on Behavior & Health University of Vermont.

Ban Majeed “Liking, Perceptions, and Openness to Use Flavored Vaping Products among Non-User Adults.” Poster presentation. **March 11-14, 2020** SRNT Annual Meeting, New Orleans.

Majeed B, Sterling KL, Weaver SR, Pechacek TF, Eriksen MP. “Prevalence and Harm Perceptions of Hookah Smoking among U.S. Adults, 2014-2015” Poster presentation at the Fall TCORS Grantee Meeting, Tobacco Regulatory Science Conference, Nov 7-8, 2016, Natcher Conference Center, Bethesda, MD.

Gregory K, **Majeed B**, Burns J. “Perceptions of Nicotine in the Context of Warning Statements: A Survey of U.S. Adults 2015” Poster presentation at the NIH/Tobacco Regulatory Science Conference, May 16-18, 2016, Natcher Conference Center, Bethesda, MD.

Majeed B. “Changing perceptions of electronic cigarettes among US adults: 2012-

2015” Invited talk. NIH/Tobacco Regulatory Science Conference, May, 2015, Natcher Conference Center, Bethesda, MD.

Gregory K, **Majeed B**, Burns J. “FDA-Proposed Warning Label on Electronic Nicotine Delivery Systems: Perceptions Among U.S. Adults, 2015” Poster presentation at the Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco (SRNT) annual meeting held in Mar 2-5, 2016, Chicago, IL.

Majeed B, Dube SR, Sterling K, Eriksen MP. “Perceived Harm of Electronic Cigarettes Relative to Regular Cigarettes Among U.S. Adults, 2012” Poster presentation at the Society for Research on Nicotine and Tobacco (SRNT) annual meeting held in Feb 25-28, 2015, Philadelphia, PA.

Majeed B, Dube SR, Sterling K, Whitney C, Eriksen MP. “Opinions About Electronic Cigarette (E-cigarette) Use in Smoke-Free Areas among U.S. Adults, 2012” Invited talk. 20th Annual SRNT Meeting, Feb 5-8, 2014, Sheraton Seattle Hotel, Seattle, Washington.

Majeed B. “Racial differences among Callers to the Georgia Tobacco Quitline, 2007” Invited talk. 20th National Conference on Chronic Disease Prevention and Control, Feb 23-25, 2010, Gaylord National Convention Center, National Harbor, MD.

PUBLICATIONS IN REFEREED JOURNALS

Majeed B, Linder D, Eissenberg T, Tarasenko Y, Smith D, & Ashley DA. Cluster Analysis of Urinary Tobacco Biomarkers among U.S. Adults: Population Assessment of Tobacco and Health (PATH) Biomarker Study (2013-2014). Preventive Medicine. 2020. November; 140:106218. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ypmed.2020.106218>

Coughlin SS, Vernon M, **Majeed B**, Clary C, Moore J, Islam KM, Tingen M. Tobacco Cessation, Rural Residence, and Lung Cancer. J Environ Health Sci. 2020; 6(1): 1–4.

Coughlin SS, Ayyala D, **Majeed B**, Cortes L, Kapuku G. Cardiovascular Disease among Breast Cancer Survivors. Science Repository 2020.

Sterling K, Jones D, **Majeed B**, Nyman A, Weaver S. Affect Predicts Small Cigar Use among a National Sample of U S Young Adults. Tobacco Regulatory Sciences, 2019;5(3):253-263.

Popova L, **Majeed B**, Owusu D, Spears CA, Ashley DL. Who are the smokers who never plan to quit and what do they think about the risks of using tobacco products? Addictive Behaviors. 2018 Dec;87:62-68.

Majeed B, Nyman, A, Sterling K, & Slovic P. Little cigars and cigarillos: Affect and perceived relative harm among U.S. adults, 2015. Addictive Behaviors, 2018, Oct;85:107-112.

Nyman, A, Sterling K, Weaver S, **Majeed B**, & Eriksen M. Little Cigars and Cigarillos: Users, Perceptions, and Reasons for Use. Tobacco Regulatory Science, 2017;2(3):239-251.

Jones D, **Majeed B**, Weaver S, Sterling K, Pechacek T, & Eriksen M. Prevalence and

Factors Associated with Smokeless Tobacco Use, 2014-2016. *Am J Health Behav.* 2017 Sep 1;41(5):608-617.

Nyman A, Sterling L, **Majeed B**, Jones D, & Eriksen M. Perceptions of Flavors in Little Cigars and Cigarillos Among U.S. Adults, 2015. *Nicotine and Tobacco Research.* 2017, Jul; 2(3): 239–251.

Majeed B, Sterling K, Weaver SR, , Pechacek T, & Eriksen M. Prevalence and harm perceptions of hookah smoking among U.S. adults, 2014–2015. *Addictive Behaviors.* 2017 Jun;69:78-86.

Majeed B, Weaver SR, Gregory K, Whitney C, Slovic P, Pechacek T, & Eriksen M. Changing Perceptions of Harm of E-Cigarettes Among U.S. Adults, 2012-2015. *American Journal of Preventive Medicine.* 2017 Mar;52(3):331-338.

Majeed B, Stanton C, Dube S, Sterling K, Burns J, & Eriksen M. Electronic Cigarette Use among Current Smokers: A Pilot Qualitative Study. *Health Behavior & Policy Review.* November 2016, pp. 590-596(7).

Majeed B, Dube SR, Sterling K, Whitney C, & Eriksen MP. Opinions about electronic cigarette use in smoke-free areas among U.S. Adults, 2012. *Nicotine Tob Res.* 2015 Jun;17(6):675-81.

Weaver SR, **Majeed B**, Pechacek TF, Nyman AL, Gregory KR, & Eriksen MP. Use of electronic nicotine delivery systems and other tobacco products among USA adults, 2014: results from a national survey. *International Journal of Public Health.* 2016 Mar;61(2):177- 88.

Sterling, KL; Fryer, C; Duong, M, & **Majeed, B**. Promotion of waterpipe tobacco use, its variants and accessories in young adult newspapers: a content analysis of message portrayal. *Health Education Research*, 2015, 30(1):152-61.

Nyman AL, Sterling KL, Weaver SR, **Majeed B** & Eriksen MP. Little Cigars and Cigarillos: Users, Perceptions, and Reasons for Use. *Tobacco Regulatory Science.* 2016; 2(3):239-251.

Majeed, B, Dube, S. R., Sterling, K., Whitney, C., & Eriksen, M. P. Opinions about Electronic Cigarette Use in Smoke-Free Areas among U.S. Adults, 2012. *Nicotine & Tobacco Research.* 2015 Jun;17(6):675-81.

Majeed, B., Dicker, R., Nawar, A., Badri, S., Noah, A., & Muslem, H. Morbidity and mortality of Crimean-Congo hemorrhagic fever in Iraq: cases reported to the National Surveillance System, 1990–2010. *Transactions of the Royal Society of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene.* 2012; 106(8):480-483.

Majeed, B., Sobel, J., Nawar, A., Badri, S., & Muslim, H. The persisting burden of visceral leishmaniasis in Iraq: data of the National Surveillance System, 1990–2009. *Epidemiology and Infection*; 2013; 141(2): 443-446.

PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT

Majeed, B. & Dicker, R. Surveillance for Visceral Leishmaniasis in Iraq. CASE STUDY based on surveillance data from CDC Baghdad. Developed in 2011 for CDC's Division

of Public Health Systems and Workforce Development. Used in Field Epidemiology Training Programs and Epidemic Intelligence Service (EIS). No. 113-N12FETP.

Kymberle Sterling and **Ban Majeed**. Comprehensive Evaluation of the Georgia Tobacco Quit Line. Report prepared for the Georgia Department of Community Health, Division of Public Health. 2012

Ban Majeed. Women's Resource Center to End Domestic Violence - Support Group: Evaluation Report. December, 2012.