

Tanya Awad Ghorra

Curriculum Vitae



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Education:

High School : Collège de La Sainte Famille Française-Jounieh(19975-1990)

Majors:

MA: in Journalism public Relations-Lebanese University (1990-1994)

DES: Journalism from CFPJ-IFP- Paris, Panthéon, Assas (1995-1996)

Master's: Nonviolent Education and Conflict Transformation-AUNOHR (2009-2011)

Accredited practitioner: in iMA Strategies for profiling in business (UK-2012)

ForB trainer: Freedom of Religion and Belief 6 weeks training with forb.org(2019)

Languages:

Arabic: Native spoken and written

French: Native fluency spoken and written

English: Excellent spoken and written

Work Experience (TV AND RADIO)

Future TV (2012-2019)

Concept and presenter of “Khallina Naʿki” segment on Alam Al Sabah morning show, promoting Nonviolent Communication and conflict management/resolution

Studiovision (2007-2009)

Concept development manager

Imagic production house (2004-2006)

- Producer for reality TV show “Dayf El Beit”
- Teacher and executive producer for Miss Lebanon-2006

MTV Lebanon (1994-2002)

- Weather forecast presenter
- News reporter and producer
- Producer and co-presenter of cultural magazine “Beirut ya Beirut”
- Special events live interviewer (Paul Anka, Sean Connery...)
- Special coverage under fire during “Grapes of Wrath attack”(April 1996) for MTV Lebanon and Radio Nostalgie -Paris(Special correspondent)

Al Hurra TV (2002-2005)

- Producer for fashion show
- Co-presenter for a social program

Radio Sawa -Arab World (2000-2012)

- Hollywood news producer, translator and voice presenter
- Games news producer, translator and voice presenter

ICN Televison (1991-1994)

- News reporter/producer
- “Khabriyyet” sarcastic political segment writer and presenter
- Assignment manager(news department)
- Promotion department director

Magic 102 FM radio (1989-1992)

French animator, live coverage, DJ

Free-lance jobs (1990-today) in media

- Voice over talent and dubbing for local and international clients, telecom voice in MENA , documentaries...in 3 languages.
- TV presenting trainer.
- Documentary researcher and reporter for AL JAZIRA TV(2000)
- Master of Ceremony, moderator for numerous local and international galas, events, conferences, webinars...
- Creating member of the “Administrative Information Unit” under the supervision of the ministry of Administrative Development (OMSAR) in collaboration with European Community(2001-2002).

Consultancy and training (2011-present)

- EU Delegation 10 days training for Beirut and Syria chapter employees on NVC (2023)
- Medical services sector trainer on NVC (Non-Violent Communication) for health services through ICRC (Rafic Hariri Hospital and Tripoli Public Hospital during Pandemic 2019-2021), and Doctors Without Borders(MSF) Geneva Chapter in Lebanon (2022).
- Banking sector consultant on Effective and empathic communication for call center employees(AUDI, BYBLOS, BLOM, SOCIETE GENERALE) (2013-2018).
- ADYAN Europe Board member and Vice President (2022).
- Local Mediators training in Menieh and West Beqaa with Mercy Corps and AUNOHR(2019-2020).
- Syrian refugees mediation training with AMEL Foundation (2021)
- Contributor on the creation of ALWAN Junior education tools(ADYAN) for inclusion and diversity school program, contributor on the adaptation of the Arabic FoRB online training platform, and teacher (2019-present).
- Nonviolence and Conflict resolution/management and mediation senior trainer for local and International NGOs, corporate business(banks, telecom(ALFA), insurance companies(ALIG)...), Syrian and Palestinian refugees, schools, parents, teachers...in Lebanon, Egypt, Iraq, Jordan, Kurdistan, and online(2011-present).
- Women empowerment in business with ZAIN Iraq, in compliance with the UN plan of Action(2018).
- Women empowerment for Syrian refugees(2016-present).

- Women PVE and NVC training with SHIFT, Tripoli(2021).
- Training ISF team on NVC to humanise relationships with women foreign workers in custody with KAFA(2019).
- Board member, project manager, senior trainer with ADYAN Foundation for diversity and inclusive citizenship (2014-present).
- Creator of educational material on FoRB, countering hate speech, inclusive citizenship, empathy, Non Violent Communication for trainers, teachers, spiritual leaders, youth and children.
- NVC, empathy and resilience trainer in MENA(2011-present).
- UNHCR collaborator on freedom of speech and hate speech, representing ADYAN Foundation
- Educational Coordinator for the national campaign to abolish death penalty with ECPM and World Coalition to Abolish Death Penalty(2013-present).

Publications:

- Collaborator columnist at Taadudiya online platform (www.taadudiya.com)(ongoing).
- Contributor and creator of training materials in several manuals for NGOs, and the Ministry of Education(2011-present).
- Special research on Beirut Public squares, published under the supervision of Dr. Antoine Messarra in “La Génération de Demain” and “Citoyen de Demain” books(1993).
- Blog: <http://tanyaawad.blogspot.com/>

Rewards/ appreciation:

- Certificate of “Heroism recognition” for the coverage of “Grapes of Wrath” war(1996)
- LIU university achievement and services trophy (2016)
- ANA KHAYYAK association appreciation trophy(2018)
- Kataeb-Baabda recognition trophy(2016)
- JCI Lebanon recognition trophy(2017)

