

## Dilshad Muhammad

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### Education

Since 03/2019	<u>the University of Freiburg</u> Doctoral student – Political Science
10/2012 – 05/2015	<u>Istanbul Aydin University, Istanbul - Turkey</u> M.A. in Political Science and International Relations
10/2005 – 07/2010	<u>Tishreen University, Latakia – Syria</u> B.A. in English Language and Literature
07/2005	<u>Ibn Khaldun High School, Rass Alayn - Syria</u> General Secondary Education Certificate – Scientific Branch

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### Experience

08/2016 – 12/2016	<u>The German Development Institute (DIE), Bonn - Germany</u> Guest Researcher Area: Global Governance, German foreign Policy in the Middle East
06/2015 – 01/2016	<u>Freelance Writer</u> Ultra Sawt: <a href="http://goo.gl/huZ6kU">http://goo.gl/huZ6kU</a> Aljumhuriya: <a href="http://goo.gl/4NJd9Z">http://goo.gl/4NJd9Z</a>
02/2011 – 02/2014	<u>Self-employed</u> Interpreter Arabic localization and interpretation services. Clients included: Iraqi Ministry of Communications & European Environment Agency.
11/2011-11/2012	<u>Freelance Journalist, Istanbul – Turkey</u> Turkish affairs. (Deutsche Welle Arabic TV and Alquds Alarabi Newspaper).

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### Training

08/2016 – 11/2016	<u>The German Development Institute (DIE), Bonn – Germany</u> Successful participation in the Managing Global Governance (MGG) Academy   Conducted in English   Workload: 600 hours
10/2016 – 10/2016	<u>German Federal Foreign Office, Berlin – Germany</u> Successful participation in the International Futures (IF) Programme

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### Membership

	<u>Member of:</u>
02/2018 - Now	Bosch Alumni Network
12/2017 - Now	BMW Foundation Responsible Leaders Network
12/2016 - Now	Global Diplomacy Lab

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## **Papers and Contributions**

- I. Muhammad, D. (2017). Germany Should Assume a Bigger Role in the Middle East. German Development Institute / Deutsches Institut für Entwicklungspolitik (DIE). Bonn, Germany. <https://goo.gl/svy7m0>
  - II. Pauw, W.P, Cassanmagnano, D., Mbeva, K., Hein, J., Guarin, A., Brandi, C., Bock, T., Helms, J., Zalewski, A., Frommé, E., Lindener, A., Muhammad, D. (2016). NDC Explorer. German Development Institute / Deutsches Institut für Entwicklungspolitik (DIE), Bonn and African Centre for Technology Studies (ACTS), Nairobi. DOI: 10.23661/ndc\_explorer\_2016\_1.0
  - III. Muhammad, D., & Katman, F. (2015). Tracing Kurdish Politics in Syria and its Prospects. in: *Syria: Moving Beyond the Stalemate*. [1-3 July 2015] St. Andrews, Scotland: Centre for Syrian Studies, University of St Andrews.
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## **Other Skills**

Languages:

Kurdish and Arabic: Bilingual / Native | English: professional proficiency | Turkish: fluent speaker | German: Telc Deutsch B2