

The 2nd Term-Test n°3

Professor Kamel Youcef Toumi is an Algerian scientist who invented highly sophisticated robots which have many applications, like robot arms in the process of manufacturing cars. He was born in 1954 in Kasr El Bokhari in Medea. He studied at Fakhar High School in the same town. Then, he joined the University of Bab Azzouar in Algiers where he completed a diploma of higher education in Mechanical Engineering.

After that, he got a scholarship to study in the USA at Cincinnati University. He got a master's degree and a PhD degree in Mechanical Engineering (1981-1985) in Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT). While he was living in the USA, Professor Kamel Youcef Toumi was working on designing, modelling, simulation and automatic control systems. The applications were including manufacturing robots, automation, metrology and biotechnology.

He is the author of over 200 publications. He has been invited as a lecturer at over 160 seminars at companies, research centres and universities.

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READING COMPREHENSION (7pts)

TASK 1: Read the text and then write: 'True' or 'False': (3pts)

1. He is 69 years-old now.
2. He got a scholarship to study in the UAE.
3. He published over 100 publications.

TASK 2. Read the text and answer the following questions: (3pts)

1. What did he invent?
2. Where was he born?
3. Is he the author of over 100 publications?

TASK 3: Sort out from the text words that are synonym or opposite to: (1pt)

Finished =(§1) Before ≠(§2)

MASTERY OF LANGUAGE (8pts)

TASK 1: Spot the mistakes and correct them: (2pts)

1. Two week ago, Kamel travelled to Algiers.
2. These people worked and got money.

TASK 2: Put the verbs between bracket into the past continuous or past simple tenses. (3pts)

1. My sister (to wash).....the plates while I (to eat).
2. Last week, Khaled (to move...)..... to Scotland and (to spend.)..... three days there.

TASK 3: Classify the following words according to the pronunciation of: 'ed': (3pts)

loved-accepted-typed -travelled - worked-needed

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SITUATION OF INTEGRATION (5pts)

Taking the text as an example and in few lines, write a short biography about: Bachir Halimi

- Name: Bachir Halimi

- Place of birth: Mdaourouch - Souk Ahras – Algeria
- Date of birth: 1956
- Nationality: Algerian
- Occupations: a scientific researcher in computing
- Achievements: 1974, discovering a mistake in mathematics baccalaureate / 1986, introducing the Arabic language to computer systems/ 2012, establishing "Speech Mobility", a telecom software company