

## SR. HANAN ESHOA SHABA



### Events

Born: December 8, 1976, in Kermeles, Iraq.  
Entered in Convent: 1992, Chaldean Sisters of Daughters of the Immaculate Heart of Mary  
First Profession: December 8, 1995  
Final Profession: August 31, 2002

### Formation

October 1983 – May 1992: Government School, Kermeles  
October 1992 – May 1995: Government Higher Secondary School, Mossul and Baghdad.  
October 1992 – May 1995: Diploma in Philosophy and Theology, St Joseph's Catholic Centre, Baghdad  
August 1995 – May 1997: Diploma in Music, Sandi Music School, Jordan  
October 2004 – June 2009: Diploma in Pastoral Vocation; Bachelors Degree in Religious Education; Masters in Youth Ministry and Catechesis.  
September 2018: Doctorate in Youth Ministry and Catechesis

### Pastoral Experiences

December 1993–1995: St. Paul Chaldean Church, Safarania – youth ministry; Sacred Heart Chaldean Church, Baghdad – catechesis.  
1995 – 1997: Chaldean Community in Jordan – Preparing Iraqi students for state exams (Mathematics).  
1997 – 2001: Chaldean Churches in Shakalawa  
2001 – 2004: Mar Pethion, Baghdad; Church of Rosary, Baghdad, Baghdad; Mar Gorgis, Baghdad; Church of Mary the Comforter, Baquba.  
2004 – 2009: Church of Nativity of Mary, Selva Candida, Rome  
2009 – 2011: Chaldean Community and School in Basra, Iraq  
2012 – 2015: Apostolic Nunciature in Iraq, Baghdad.

## **Languages spoken**

Arabic, Aramaic, Chaldea, Italian and English (spoken)

## **Membership in Commissions**

1. Secretary, Commission for the Teaching of Religion in State Schools in Iraq (Ministry of Education and Council of Bishops in Iraq)
2. Responsible of the Formation, Supreme Commission for Catechesis of Assembly of Catholic Bishops' in Iraq

## **Books: (All in Arabic)**

1. The history of the sanctuaries of Shaqlawa (2001);
2. The contemplative stages (2001);
3. Booklet of spiritual harp (2001);
4. Gatherings of formation for high school students (2003);
5. Novena to St. Bethion (2003);
6. Booklet for the companion of Carmel (2003);
7. Pastoral project: the harmony between faith and life (2007);
8. Pastoral project: in the footsteps of Mary (2011);
9. Teamwork (2012);
10. Songs of hope (2012);
11. Rabbi, Jesus (2012, 2015);
12. Catechesis, School of the Faith (2013);
13. ApfaNunzio (Translation 2013)
14. Book of the preparation of First Holy Communion: Jesus, my companion (2013) and revised the title of "Jesus my teacher" (2014); with the guidance of teachers (2014);
15. Eucharist, School of Love (2014);
16. Colour of Life (2015);
17. Books written for the teaching of religion in State School: I believe in one God (2015);

## **Articles, Research Papers and Multimedia**

1. Two music CDs (2002);
2. Activities of youth (CD) 2013
3. Research on the state of Christian education in Catholic churches - Baghdad (2014).