

Curriculum Vitae

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Academic Qualifications:

- 2006 Feb.** Ph.D. degree in philosophy of Urban Planning,
Faculty of Engineering- Ain Shams University/Egypt
- 1997 March** M.Sc. degree in Architecture
Faculty of Engineering- Ain Shams University /Egypt
- 1989 June** B.Sc. degree in Architecture
Faculty of Engineering- University of Jordan / Jordan

Practical Experience:

- 2008 March-now** Executive manager of the Center for Future Studies, Information and Decision Support Centre (IDSC) - Egyptian Cabinet.
- 2008 Sep. 2010 June** Lecturer at Tiba Academy, Department of Architecture.
- 2005 Oct. – 2007 Oct** .General manager of Historic Areas Department, National Organization for Urban Harmony, Egyptian Ministry of Culture.
- 2006 Sep. -2008Dec.** Lecturer at High Technology Institute, 6th of October, Department of Architecture.
- 2007 Feb.- 2008Dec.** Lecturer at Misr International University, Faculty of Engineering, Department of Architecture.
- 2005 Sep.-2006June** Lecturer at Menia University- Faculty of Fine Arts, Department of Architecture.

- 2000 July- 2003Sep.** Consultant Expert at Historic Cairo Development Center, The Egyptian Ministry of Culture.
- 1996 July - 1998 Sep.** Architect at Balqaà Consulting Engineering office - Salt / Jordan.
- 1991 Nov.-1992May** Maintenance Manager at Conserve Engineering Company – Cairo / Egypt.
- 1989 Oct.-1991 Sep.** Architect at Department of Antiquities, Amman/Jordan- Participating in Amman Citadel Archaeological Excavation in cooperation with the American Center of Oriental Research (ACOR).
- 1989 June- Oct.** Architect at Associated Consulting Engineering office, Amman / Jordan.
- 1988 June-Aug.** Building construction training at the Arab Contractors Company (Osman Ahmed Osman) at Cairo.

Published papers:

- Working Paper Series, Information and Decision Support Center, October, 2011- A paper entitled: "Towards Creating Distinct Areas and Sustainable Cities in Egypt- A Critical Vision for Planning New Cities".
- International conference: Security in futures- security in Change, Turku School of Economics, Finland, June, 2010 – A paper entitled: "Egypt's Water Security-Future Vision Using Delphi Method".
- International Conference: Architecture, Urbanism and Time- A Vision for the Future, Ain Shams University, Cairo, October, 2008 – A paper entitled: "A Future Vision for Sustainable Egyptian Cities - Lessons Learned from the International experience".
- International Conference: Environmental management for the Arab Cities, Ain Shams University, Cairo, May, 2008 – A paper entitled: "Environmental Impact Analysis as a tool for sustainable tourism planning in Arab cities".
- International conference: Traditional Mediterranean Architecture, Present and Future (RehabiMed), Berchalona,

- July, 2007- A paper entitled: "Information Technology to Support Sustainable Development in Built Heritage Areas-The Socio-Cultural Impact of Tourism Development at Historic Cairo".
- Creative Arab Women Festival: Creative Arab Women and Research in the area of Urban Heritage, Tunisian Ministry of Culture, April, 2007- A paper entitled: "Tourism Planning for Heritage Areas from an Environmental view".
 - International Conference: Current and Future Environmental Issues in the Arab Region, Ain Shams University, Cairo, 2007 – A paper entitled: "The role of rehabilitation of heritage buildings in sustainable development- A case study from Jordan".
 - 2nd International Conference: Architectural Conservation- Opportunities and Challenges in the 21st century, Dubai Municipality, February, 2007- A paper entitled: "EIA as a tool to achieve sustainable tourism development in heritage areas".
 - 1st International Conference in Planning: "Planning- Theory and Practice", AL-Balqa Applied University, Jordan, November, 2006– A paper entitled: "Sustainable tourism planning".
 - 3rd Architectural Conference of Jordanian Engineers Association: Endangered cities, Amman, October, 2003- A paper entitled: "Social and economic transformations of Historic Cairo, and its influences on the urban settlement".
 - Amman 10th Cultural Meeting: Civilization and cultural aspects in Jordan through the ages, Amman, January 2002- A paper entitled: "The Ottoman Village at Um Qais: An example of local architecture in the Ottoman era".
 - 7th International Conference for Building & Construction “Inter-Build 2000”, Cairo, June, 2000- A paper entitled: “Tourism rehabilitation of heritage areas in the framework of sustainable development – A Jordanian case study”.
 - 2nd International Conference for Conserving Human Heritage, Cairo, April, 2000- A paper entitled: “Scientific principles of adaptive re-use for heritage buildings”.
 - 8th Amman Cultural Meeting: Jordanian Cultural Patrimony, Aqaba – Jordan, November, 1999- A paper entitled:

“Conservation of Cultural Buildings in Jordan– A Comprehensive Methodology”.

- 9th Conference of Egyptian Architects: “Architectural Heritage and Urban Development”, Cairo, April, 2000- A paper entitled: “Selecting the Appropriate Function for Heritage Buildings – Case studies from Jordan”.
- Symposium on “The conservation of Historical and cultural Resources in Jordan”, The American Center for Oriental Research (ACOR), Amman, August 1994- A paper entitled: “Tourism and site preservation”.

Books:

- Published a book entitled: "Tourism planning for heritage areas", 2007.

Training Courses:

- How to be a confident Public Speaker, Dale Carnegie, Training, 5 May, 2011.
- How to Coach Employees to Peak Performance, Dale Carnegie Training, 3-4 April, 2011.
- Performance Management System: 2 January, 2010, Information and Decision Support Center, the Egyptian Cabinet.
- Organizational Learning and Innovation for a Sustainable Future, Peter Senge, 16 May, 2010.
- Future foresight- methodologies and applications, Center for Future Studies, 28 November- 9 December, 2010.
- Future prospective and strategic management: 8-19 November, 2009, Center for Future studies, IDSC, the Egyptian Cabinet.
- Strategic management/Strategic development Capacity building program: 10 August- 22 November, 2008, InWent capacity building International. (Selected for the study tour to Germany).

Academic Activities:

- Attending the World Future Society conference: "Strategies and Technologies for a Sustainable Future", Boston, July, 2010.
- Presented Egypt in the Information Tour: "Germany's Global Commitment" at the invitation of the Federal Foreign Office, June, 2008 (A group of 9 presenting 9 different countries).

- Attending World Bank workshop: "Addressing Cultural Heritage in Urban Planning", third in the series: Economic and management of Cultural Heritage, Cairo, June, 2005.
- Attending Social Sciences Annual Symposium: "From Modernism to Neoliberalism: Transformations in Middle Eastern Urban Landscapes", American University in Cairo, May, 2005.
- Organizing and participating in UNESCO workshop entitled: "Conservation studies on historic buildings and districts in areas of earthquakes", Cairo, 31 March – 7 April 2002.
- Executed archaeological exhibitions, and participated in archaeological promotion programs.
- Participated in Students exchange program (EASTA).

Memberships:

- Egyptian-Arab Futures Research Association (Consultant).
- World Future society.
- Arab World Academy of Young Scientists, Bibliotheca Alexandrina, Egypt.
- Egyptian Engineering Syndicate.
- Jordanian Engineering Syndicate.
- Egyptian Architects Society.
- Conservation of Human and Environmental Heritage Association, Egypt (co-founder and co-moderator).

Skills:

- Translation (English – Arabic), (Arabic – English).
- Typing skills.
- Computer literate (Windows, word, Auto-Cad, Excel, Photoshop, PowerPoint).
- Writing in leading newspapers such as Al-Ahram and Al-Qahira, and editing cultural magazines.
- Communication skills.

Travels:

- Algeria- Australia- Belgium- Dubai- France- Germany- Greece- Indonesia- Jordan- Lebanon- Saudi Arabia – Singapore- Spain- Syria- Tunisia- United States of America.