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Nationality

Egyptian

Date of birth

30.08.1963

Gender

Male

Employment / Occupational field

Professor of Architecture and Environmental Design

Work experience

Dates

2011- to Date

Occupation or position held

Professor of Architecture and Environmental Design

Main activities and responsibilities

General Academic Activities, Coordination, Teaching, and Supervision of Research.

Teaching Courses of: Architectural Design, Regional and Urban Planning, Theories of Housing, Research Methods, and Building Economics.

(also visiting Staff teaching Research Methods at Arab Academy for Science and Technology, Alexandria)

Name and address of employer

Alexandria University

Faculty of Engineering - Department of Architectural Engineering

Alexandria, EGYPT

2007- to 2011

Dean of Faculty of Architectural Engineering, Beirut Arab University.

Professor of Architecture and Environmental Design

2005- 2007

Professor of Architecture and Environmental Design

Faculty of Architectural Engineering, Beirut Arab University.

Teaching Courses: Architectural Design, Building Construction, Design Economics, Theory of Housing, Theory of Architecture and Criticism, in addition to Supervision of Postgraduate Research, and teaching of Courses: Research Methodology, and Sustainable Architecture.

2000- 2005

Associate Professor, Department of Architectural Engineering, Faculty of Engineering, Alexandria University.

Lecturing the undergraduate courses of : Architectural Design, Regional and City Planning, Urban Planning and Housing, Theories and Economics of Housing, Research Methodology and Programming.

Post-Graduate Tutor, supervising and examining research work for M.Sc. and Ph.D. students, all specialised in the fields of Architectural Design, Contemporary Theories, Urban Planning, Morphology, Environmental Studies, History and Management of the built environment.

2001-2005

Visiting Associate Professor, Department of Architectural Engineering and Environmental Design, Faculty of Engineering and Technology, Arab Academy for Science, technology and Maritime Transport. Lecturing the undergraduate courses: Architectural Criticism, Research and Programming. Also lecturing the postgraduate course: Applied Research Methods.

1997-2001

Assistant Professor / Associate Professor (from 2000), Faculty of Architectural Engineering, Beirut Arab University, Teaching undergraduate courses: Architectural Design, Building Construction, Contemporary Architecture and Criticism, Strategies for Academic Writing. Also lecturing postgraduate courses: Urban Design, and Research Methodologies.

1994-1997

Assistant Professor, Department of Architectural Engineering, Faculty of Engineering, Alexandria University. Teaching courses: Architectural Design, Urban Design and Landscape, Town Planning, Theory of Architecture, Housing and Site Planning, Building Construction. Supervisor for postgraduate studies and research work.

1994-1991

Researcher and PhD Candidate, Joint Centre for Urban Design, Oxford Brookes University, UK (Sponsored by the Chevening Scholarships Scheme, British Council, UK).

1985-1991

Teaching Assistant, Department of Architecture, Faculty of Engineering, Alexandria University. Participated in architectural design studios, field surveys, in addition to various taught courses of Architectural Theories, Planning and Urban Design.

Education and training

Dates	1991-1994
Title of qualification awarded	Ph.D. Degree in Urban Design
Principal subject	Research field: the qualitative assessment of public open spaces as related to culture-specific perceptions and the multiplicity of actors involved in urban design and planning processes.
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Joint Centre for Urban Design (JCUD), Oxford Brookes University, Oxford, UK.
Dates	1985-1991
Title of qualification awarded	M.Sc. Degree in Architecture and Urban Design
Principal subject	Research field: Planning and design of pedestrian and public spaces in town centres.
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Faculty of Engineering, Alexandria University, Egypt.
Dates	1980-1985
Title of qualification awarded	B.Sc. Degree in Architectural Engineering,
Principal subject	Major: Housing Studies. Graduated June 1985 "Distinction Honours"
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Department of Architectural Engineering, Faculty of Engineering, Alexandria University, Egypt.
Dates	1991-1994
Title of qualification awarded	Geographical Information System: Computer software applications
Principal subject	in urban planning, policy and decision making regarding the built environment.
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Unit Courses: - Form in Context - Constructing Local and Regional Identity - Urban Coding - Issues in Urban Design - Urban Design in Community Development - Design for Life Chances / Sustainability - Mobility and Town Form: Sustainable Futures School of Planning, and Joint Centre for Urban Design, Oxford Brookes University, UK.
Dates	2004-2005
Title of qualification awarded	Faculty and Leadership Development Program – 6 Courses of:
Principal subject	Effective Presentation Skills, Code of Ethics, New Trends in Teaching, Decision Making and Problem Solving, Managerial Skills, and Time and Stress Management.
Name and type of organisation providing education and training	Alexandria University, Egypt.

Personal skills and competences

Mother tongue(s)

Arabic

Other language(s)

Self-assessment

European level (*)

English

French

Understanding				Speaking				Writing	
Listening		Reading		Spoken interaction		Spoken production			
C2	Proficient User	C2	Proficient User	C1	Proficient User	C1	Proficient User	C1	Proficient User
B2	Independent User	B2	Independent User	B2	Independent User	B1	Independent User	B1	Independent User

(*) Common European Framework of Reference for Languages

Social skills and competences

Teamwork, Coordination/Liaison, Organization and Correspondence

Organisational skills and competences

- Organization of International Conferences, Workshops and Academic events
- Coordinator : participated in the preparation for several conferences and workshops which took place both in Oxford , Alexandria, and in Beirut.
- Coordinator and Liaison Officer for Academic Cooperation Programs.
- Extra-curricular Activities and Responsibilities: General Management, Special Committees, and Students Support Services at both Alexandria University and Beirut Arab University.

Technical skills and competences

- 2010-to date, External Examiner / Advisor on **Quality Assurance and International Validation Procedures**:
 - Initiator of International Validation of B.Sc. Program in Architectural Engineering - Beirut Arab University, Lebanon, by RIBA (organized Exploratory Visit in 2010 leading to Candidacy Status);
 - External Examiner for Dept. of Arch. Eng. and Environment Design - Arab Academy for Science and Technology, Alexandria (2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015): Reviewing and advising on matters of compliance with criteria of International Validation by RIBA (Part 1 and Part 2).
 - External Examiner for Dept. of Arch. Eng. and Environment Design - Arab Academy for Science and Technology, Alexandria (2012, 2013, 2014, 2015): Reviewing and advising on learning outcomes, students' assessment processes and compliance with national quality assurance requisites/standards for higher education.
 - Member of Full Visit Validation Report Group - UNESCO UIA International Validation System– for Department of Construction and Architectural Engineering, American University in Cairo, March 2014.
 - Chair of Full Visit Validation Report Group - UNESCO UIA International Validation System– for:
 - *Department of Architectural Engineering; and
 - *Programme of Architectural Engineering and Technology (CHS-AET)
 Faculty of Engineering, Cairo University, Cairo, October 2014.
 - Academic Consultant for the Dept. of Arch. Engineering - Pharos Univ., Alexandria, advising on curricular development and program compliance with criteria / procedures of national and international accreditation.
- 2014-to date, Member of Scientific Committee of the RETBE 2014, 9th International Conference **Role of Engineering Towards Better Environment**. Organized by the Fac. of Engineering, Alexandria Univ.
- 2011-2012, Member of Scientific Committee appointed for the 10th International Forum **Le Vie dei Mercanti, Less/ More Architecture, Design, Landscape**. Conference organized by the Second University of Napoli (Italy) Faculty of Architecture Luigi Vanvitelli. Capri, Napoli 31/5-2/6/2012.
- 2011-to date, Appointed Referee, Elsevier Editorial System for **Alexandria Engineering Journal**, Alexandria University, Egypt. Assessing / reporting on various research papers submitted for publication.
- 2010, Referee for the Kuwait Prize in "Arabic and Islamic Scientific Heritage", organized by Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Sciences (KFAS).
- 1994- to date, Editorial Board Member, for **Urban Design International** Magazine, published by E. & F.N. Spon, and Palgrave Macmillan Global Academic Publishing, London, UK. Editing and advising on various material submitted for publication.
- International Referee for **Planning Perspectives** and **Urban Design International** magazines, E. & F.N. Spon, London, and Palgrave Macmillan, London, UK. Assessing and reporting on various articles and papers proposed for both publications.
- 1997- 2011, Chief Editor, **Architecture and Planning Journal**, published by the Faculty of Architectural Engineering, Beirut Arab University, Lebanon.

Computer skills and competences

Computer Software Expertise
 Microsoft Windows, Microsoft Word, Excel, and Powerpoint, Geographical Information System (GIS), AutoCAD, Statistical Packages (SPSS-PC+), and Word Perfect.

Professional Experience and competences

95-to date, Consultant at the Engineering Community Development Centre, Faculty of Engineering, participated in various projects addressing urban upgrading, conservation, management of inner-city, and deteriorating housing areas.
85- to date, Technical Advisor on Planning and Architecture, at the Alexandria Comprehensive Planning Commission. Involved in several projects of redevelopment of public spaces, protection of historic buildings, and redesign of pedestrian, vehicular and public transport networks in Alexandria.
2001- to date, Technical Coordinator and Member of Urban Committee in National Projects administered by the General Organization for Physical Planning, Ministry of Housing, Cairo, Egypt.

Keyword List of Teaching Experience

1. Architecture: * Theory of Architecture and Criticism, * Architectural Design, and Interior Design, * Theories & Economics of Housing, * Building Construction and Execution Design, * Design Economics, * Environmentalism & Sustainable Architecture
2. Urban Planning and Design: * Urban Design / Public Spaces, * Town Centres * Site Planning, * Culture & Perception of Urban Quality, * Pedestrian Zoning & Transport Planning * Urban Regeneration and Management, * Actors & Process of Urban Change, * Historic Centres, Urban Fabric Conservation & Revitalisation, * Environmentalism & Sustainability
3. Academic Research and Higher Studies: * Strategies for Writing, * Research Methodology, * Environment-Behaviour Studies, * Applied Research Methods, * Design Economics, * Post-Graduate Research Programs & Theses

Recent Publications

- Abdel-Salam, H. and Maarouf, I. (2011) "*Local Identity and Cultural Appropriateness – The Rebuilding of Central Beirut*". Paper presented at the IX International Forum Le Vie dei Mercanti, **Safeguard of Architectural, Visual, Environmental Heritage**. Conference organized by the Second University of Napoli, Faculty of Architecture Luigi Vanvitelli. Capri, Napoli 9-10 June 2011.
- Abdel-Salam H. and Maarouf, I. (2012) "*Jane Jacobs's Relevance in Beirut*". Chapter 12 in **The Urban Wisdom of Jane Jacobs** edited by Hirt, S. and Zahm, D. in **Routledge Planning, History and Environment series**.
- Abdel-Salam H.; Ayad, Hani; and Badawi, A. (forthcoming 2015) "The Impact of Urban planning Policies on Division in Cities". Accepted in the **Alexandria Engineering Journal** - AEJ, Alexandria University, Faculty of Engineering Press.

Note: Further documents and/or specific information will be made available upon request.