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## **Education**

## Ph.D., Political science.

Faculty of economics and political science, Cairo University, Giza, Egypt

October 2020 - present

Thesis: the relations between state and religion in Egypt and Tunisia. A comparative study of the influence of political and religious elites.

Relevant Course work: Successfully passed the qualifying courses for the Ph.D. program with GPA: of 3.68 on a scale of 4.

Master's, Political science.

**Institute of Arab research and studies,** Cairo, Egypt.

September 2015 - November 2019

Thesis: The role of AL-AZHAR in the public sphere. In the light of the transformations of the state-society

relations in Egypt from 2011-2018.

Grade: Excellent. (GPA: 3.7 on a scale of 4)

Relevant course work: successfully passed the Diploma of political studies as the pre-masters courses (from

Pre Master's Courses, Political science.

**Institute of Arab research and studies,** Cairo, Egypt.

September 2015 to June 2017

Grade: Good. (GPA: 3 on a scale of 4)

Pre-master's courses, social studies.

Higher Institute for Islamic Studies, Giza, Egypt.

October 2017 - June 2018

Grade: Very good. (GPA: 3.5 on a scale of 4)

Diploma, in Islamic studies

Higher Institute for Islamic Studies, Giza, Egypt.

October 2015 - September 2017

Grade: Good. (GPA: 2.8 on a scale of 4)

Bachelor, Political science (Major) – Public administration (Minor).

Faculty of economics and political science, Cairo University, Giza, Egypt

September 2011 – June 2015

Grade: Good (GPA: 2.797 on a scale of 4)

Graduation research: Islamists and the Modern State: A Comparative Study in the Experiences of the AKP in

Turkey and the Muslim Brotherhood in Egypt. (Grade: Excellent).

High school.

Al-Shaheed Noor- Alden Secondary School for Boys, Bani Suif, Egypt.

September 2008 – June 2011

Grade: 97.9 (GPA 3.9 on a scale of 4)

# **Work Experience**

**Egyptian initiative for personal rights,** Giza, Egypt. February 2019 - present Researcher at the freedom of religion and belief program.

- Collecting data about cases of violations of freedoms of thought, religion, and belief in Egypt.
- Advocating for victims of freedom of religion violation with legal support and press release about their cases.
- Researching the legal, institutional, and political conditions that impede democracy and religious freedom.
- organizing and managing seminars of <u>"The Religion and Freedoms Forum"</u> to discuss the religious situation in Egypt.

ARKAN for studies, research, and publication, Giza, Egypt. December 2017 – January 2019 Political researcher, the head of the research unit.

- Conducting research on the political developments in the Middle East.
- Supervising the work of a group of young researchers from July 2018 January 2019.
- Managing the institution's publishing unit from December 2017- June 2018.

Al WADY for culture and media, Cairo, Egypt.

October 2014 – November 2017

Political researcher

Writing political analyzes of the politics in Egypt and Arab countries.

ARBI INFORM Company, Cairo, Egypt.

September 2014 - October 2014

Research Assistant

• Working on a research project to conduct a comprehensive survey of Arab press topics and classify them during a long historical period.

AL OMMA for media, research, and studies, Giza, Egypt.

July 2014 - August 2014

Trainee researcher

Classifying and analyzing the content of the daily Egyptian press.

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### **Scientific conferences**

Participating in the third international conference of the Platform for Research on Islam (PLURIEL) on the title of Islam and the otherness, with a paper entitled (Citizenship in the discourse of Alazhar ... Contradictions and Problems).
 Beirut: 23 – 27 May 2022

Find the recorded video of my presentation via the following link.

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FiozCM8w8ug

-Participating in the Second International Conference of the Institute of Islamic Studies and Education at the
University of Monster in Germany in partnership with the Institute of Islamic Science at the University of
Tubingen, Germany, the Arab Association for Civilization and Islamic Arts, and the APTEES Foundation Strasbourg,
France Entitled "Religious and civilizational transformations between theory and practice ... Religious institutions
in times of crisis from the Arab Spring to Covid-19). My paper is entitled (Informal Education of Alazhar and the
Conflict on Patterns of Religiosity in Egypt).

Online conference 1 – 3 July 2021.

#### **Additional Courses**

• Participant in (the second summer school of the Law and Society Research Unit at the American University in Cairo), which was entitled (Law in Action: Research and Application Mechanisms in the African Context).

- The foundations of political economy faculty of economics and political science Cairo university.
   October 2017
- Dialogue about the economy and the public budget, the Danish-Egyptian dialogue institute.
   September 2017
- Vision, methodology, and science map, Civilization center for studies and research.
   July 2017
- The civilizational perspective and methodological approaches in political science, civilization center for studies and research.
   Augusts 2017
- Writing Policy Papers for sovereign bodies, Faculty of Economics and Political Science.
   March 2017
- The Arabic Center for Research and Studies training for Political Science Students and Graduates entitled (Restructuring the State under the Challenges of Terrorism). Augusts 2015
- Islamic methodology in research, thinking, and behavior, international institute for Islamic thought. April 2014
- Professional writing in local and international research publications, Faculty of Economics and Political Science.
   July 2014

## **Leadership and Extra-Curricular Activities**

ARKAN for studies, research, and publication, Giza, Egypt. December 2017 – January 2019 Head of publishing unit, head of the research unit.

- Assess the books offered for publication with the institution and decide to approve or reject them.
- Allocate tasks to members of the publishing unit to review and rate books.
- Carrying out the necessary legal action to authorize the publication of books.
- Assess the research papers of a group of young researchers, and propose the necessary amendments to develop their research, in coordination with the director of the institution.

The simulation of Arab league – American University in Cairo. (2013/2014 - 2014/2015)

- Member of the simulation, the council of (the Arab summit). (2013 / 2014)
- Member of the academic committee as an academic director for the council of "historical events". My
  responsibility was to conduct research and lectures on the political history of the Middle East for members of the
  simulation. 2014/2015

Student Union member at Cairo University Residence (Social Committee) Academic year 2011/2012

• My responsibility was to represent the interests of students of the University residence, especially on social issues.

#### **Publications:**

Find all my publications on my research gate account

Research gate URL: https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Mohamed\_Ali481