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- University of California at Los Angeles, Visiting Professor of Economics, 1985/86 and 1978/79.
- Kuwait Fund for Arab Economic Development, Economic Adviser, 1974-78.
- Faculty of Law, Ain Shams University, Associate Professor of Economics, 1969-74,
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- Council of State, Cairo, Legal Adviser, 1955-58.

Honors, Recognitions:

1. Award for Economics from the Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Science, 1981.
2. Order of Merit for the Sciences and Arts from the President of Egypt 1977.
3. State Prize for Economics (Egypt) 1976.
4. The Sultan Al-Qweiss Cultural Prize for the Humanities and Future Studies (2009).

Memberships

- Member of the Egyptian Economic Society since 1964.
- Member of the Board of Directors of

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1991-94.

- Member of the Arab Society for Human Rights since 1985.
- Member of the Board of Directors of the Arab Society of Economic Research and Research Coordinator 1995-97.
- Member of the Advising Board of the Journal Human Development published by the Human Development Report Office in New York.
- An Editorial Advisor to the Journal The Developing Economies published by the Japanese Institute of Developing Economies up till 1997.

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

A. ENGLISH

1. Food Supply and Economic Development, (F. Cass, London, 1966).
2. Urbanization and Economic Development, (Arabic University of Beirut, 1977).
3. The Modernization of Poverty: A Study in the Political Economy of Growth in Nine Arab Countries. (Brill, Leiden, 1974, reprinted 1981, and translated to Japanese, 1976).
4. Project Appraisal and Income Distribution in Developing Countries (co-edited with J. MacArthur) a special issue of World Development, Oxford, Feb.1978.
5. "Dependent Development", Alternatives, Amsterdam,

Dec. 1976.

6. "External Factors in the Reorientation of Egypt's Economic Policy", published in Kerr, M. and Yassin, E. (eds.): Rich and Poor States in the Middle East, Westview Press, Boulder, Colorado, 1982.
7. International Migration of Egyptian Labour, IDRC, Ottawa, 1985 (with E.T. Awny).
8. "Adjustment and Development": in El-Naggar, S. (ed.): Adjustment Policies and Development Strategies in the Arab World, IMF, 1987.
9. "Migration, Inflation and Social Mobility", in the Tripp, Charles Owen, R. (eds.): Egypt under Mubarak, Routledge, London, 1989.
10. "Towards an Egyptian Theory of Dependency", in Arab Economic Journal, No. 1, Autumn, 1992.
11. Egypt's Economic Predicament, March 1995, Brill, Holland).
12. Whatever Happened to the Egyptians, AUC Press, Cairo, 2000 (reprinted 11 times).
13. Whatever Else Happened to the Egyptians, AUC Press, Cairo 2004, 5th printing 2008.
14. The Illusion of Progress in the Arab World: A Critique of Western Misconstructions, AUC Press, Cairo 2006, reprinted 2007.
15. Cultural Encounters of the Uneven Kind: A perspective from the Arab World, A chapter in a book titled Regional Perspectives on Globalization, edited by P. Bowles and others, published by Palgrave Macmillan, May 2007.

16. The Political Economy of Equity and Inequity, Economic Research Forum, Cairo, 2009.

17. Egypt in the Era of Mubarak, AUC Press, 2010 (Forthcoming).

B. ARABIC

1. Introduction to Economic Analysis (Cairo, S. Wahba, 1966, 70).
2. Introduction to Macro-Economic Theory (Cairo, S. Wahba, 1968, 72)
3. A Critique of Marxism, (S. Wahba, Cairo, 1970).
4. The Arab East and the West: (Center for Arab Unity Studies, Beirut, four editions, 1979, 80, 81, 1983).
5. Egypt's Economic and Cultural Predicament, (Arab Center for Research and Publishing Cairo, 1983).
6. Development or Economic and Cultural Dependency? (Cairo Publications, Cairo, 1984).
7. Economy, Politics and Society in the Era of Liberalization, (Madbouli, Cairo, 1984).
8. A History of Egypt's External Debt (Ali Mukhtar Publishing House, Cairo, 1988).
9. Towards a New Interpretation of Egypt's Economic and Social Crisis, Madbouli Bookshop, Cairo, 1989)
10. Egypt at Cross Roads (Al-Mostaqbal Al-Arabi, Cairo, 1990).
11. The Arabs and Kuwait's Predicament, (Madbouli, Cairo, 1991).

12. Population and Development (UN Population Fund and ILO, Cairo, 1992).
13. Economic and Social Impact of Egyptian Labour Migration (UN Population Fund and ILO, Cairo, 1992).
14. The Soft State in Egypt (Dar Sina, Cairo, 1993).
15. Egypt's Economic Predicament, (Misr Arabya Publishing House, Cairo, 1994).
16. Prominent People, (Riad El-Yayes, London and Beirut 1996, reprinted 2000, and again by Dar El-Shorouq 2007), and by the General Book Organization, 2008.
17. Whatever Happened to the Egyptians?: A Social History of Egypt 1945-1995, (Dar Al-Hilal, Cairo, 1998), obtained Prize for Best Book in Social Studies from the Egyptian Book Organization, January 1999, reprinted four times, 2000, 2001, and by Dar El-Shorouq 2006, 2007.
18. The Arab Intellectuals and Israel, Dar El-Shorouq, Cairo, 1998, reprinted 2005.
19. Globalization, Dar El-Maaref, Cairo, 1998, reprinted by Dar Al-Shorouk, Cairo 2009.
20. Globalization and Arab Development, Center for Arab Unity Studies, Beirut, 1999.
21. Removing the Masks off the Theories of Economic Development Dar El-Hilal, Cairo, February 2002, reprinted Dar El-Shorouq 2007.
22. The Globalization of Opression, Dar El-Shorouq, Cairo, March 2002.

23. Egypt in the Age of Mass Society (1952-2002), Dar El-Shorouq, Cairo, 2003, reprinted 2008.
24. Prominent Egyptians, a collection of biographical articles, Dar El-Maaref, Cairo, Dec. 2002. Dar El-Shorouk, 2008.
25. Memorable Books, a collection of book reviews, Dar El-Hilal, Cairo, 2003.
26. Arabs and Moslems in the View of the World Dar El-Shorouq, Cairo 2004, reprinted by the Book Organization, 2007.
27. Futuristic Studies, (Arabic), Dar Al-Hilal, Cairo, 2004.
28. The Myth of Development and Backwardness, Dar El-Shorouq, Cairo 2005. (reprinted 2007).
29. What Life has Taught Me (An Autobiography), Dar El-Shorouq, Cairo May 2007, reprinted five times August , November 2007 and January 2008, August 2008, January 2009.
30. The Philosophy of Economics, Dar El-Shorouq, August 2008, reprinted January 2009.
31. Egypt and Egyptians Under Mubarak, (1981-2008), Merit Publisher, Cairo 2009.
32. The Nectar of Life, (An autobiography), Dar El-Shorouq, Cairo 2010 (reprinted 2010).

C. TRANSLATIONS INTO ARABIC:

1. Jan Tinbergen: Central Planning, Egyptian Society for Political Economy, Statistics and Legislation, Cairo, 1966.
2. Arthur Lewis: "Economic Development with Unlimited Supply of Labour", in Selected Articles on Economic Development and Planning, Egyptian Society for Political Economy, Statistics and

Legislation, Cairo, 1969.

3. The Willy Brandt Independent Committee for International Development: North-South: A Program for Survival, The Kuwait Fund for Arab Economic Development, Kuwait, 1981.