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<b>Professional Experience</b>	<b>World Bank</b>	Washington D.C., USA
	<i>Economist - Finance, Competitiveness and Innovation - South Asia</i>	2021 - Current
	<i>Young Professional - Macroeconomics, Trade, and Investment - East Africa</i>	2019-2021
	<b>American University in Cairo</b>	Cairo, Egypt
	<i>Assistant Professor</i>	2016 - 2019
	<i>Department of Economics</i>	
	<b>European Bank for Reconstruction and Development</b>	London, UK
	<i>Consultant - Economics, Policy and Governance</i>	2017
	<i>Analyst - Office of the Chief Economist</i>	2014
	<b>United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Western Asia (UN-ESCWA)</b>	
	Beirut, Lebanon	
	<i>Consultant - Social Development Division</i>	2014
<b>Publications</b>	Said, Mona, Rami Galal, and Mina Sami (2022). "Gender diversity, productivity, and wages in private Egyptian firms, Applied Economics", 54:38, 4433-4448, DOI:10.1080/00036846.2022.2030460	
	Said, Mona, Rami Galal, and Mina Said. (2022). "Evolution of Wages, Inequality, and Social Mobility in Egypt". in Krafft, C., Assaad, R. (Eds.). The Egyptian Labor Market: A Focus on Gender and Economic Vulnerability. Oxford University Press.	
	Galal, Rami, and El Enbaby, H. (2020). "Inequality of opportunity in earnings and assets in Egypt". Applied Economics, 1-16. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1080/00036846.2020.1731409">https://doi.org/10.1080/00036846.2020.1731409</a>	
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	Galal, Rami and Said, Mona. (2018). "The Evolution of Wage Formation and Inequality in Jordan". In R. Assaad and C. Krafft (Eds.), The Jordanian Labor Market in the Face of External Shocks. Oxford: Oxford University Press. Forthcoming. Working Paper version available at: <a href="http://erf.org.eg/publications/the-evolution-of-wage-formation-and-inequality-in-jordan-in-2010-2016/">http://erf.org.eg/publications/the-evolution-of-wage-formation-and-inequality-in-jordan-in-2010-2016/</a> .	
	Galal, Rami and Malaeb, Bilal. (2018). "Migration and Child Labor in Egypt". Presented at the American Economic Association 2018 Annual Conference. (Journal Submitted)	
<b>Education</b>	University of London, SOAS - PhD in Economics American University in Cairo - MA in Economics Boston University - B.A.&Sc. in Economics and Philosophy	

**Select Presentations**

American Economic Association Annual Conference - "Gender Diversity, Firm Productivity and Wages", January 2019, Atlanta, USA.

American Economic Association Annual Conference - "Migration and Child Labor in Egypt", January 2018, Philadelphia, USA.

NiCE Seminar Series, Radboud University during a Visiting Professorship - "Explaining Underdevelopment in the Middle East", November 2017, Radboud, Netherlands.

Economic Research Forum Annual Conference - "Inequality in the Jordanian Labor Market in the Face of External Shocks", March 2017, Amman, Jordan.

American University in Cairo Business School Brown Bag - "Circumstances in Asset and Earning Inequality in Egypt", February 2017, Cairo, Egypt.

World Bank Policy Research Seminar – "Inequality of Opportunity in Egypt", November 2016, Cairo, Egypt.

Arab Council for Social Sciences - "The Political Economy of Inequality in the Middle East", March 2015, Beirut, Lebanon.

**Affiliations**

American Economic Association (AEA), Middle East Economics Association (MEEA), European Association of Labour Economics (EALE), and the Economic Research Forum (ERF).

**Refereeing Activity**

World Development, Quarterly Review of Economics and Finance, Middle East Development Journal, and the Economic Research Forum Working Paper Series.

**References**

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