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**EDUCATION**

**INDIANA UNIVERSITY, ROBERT H. MCKINNEY SCHOOL OF LAW**

- *Doctor of Juridical Science (S.J.D.), December 2014*
- *Master of Laws, LL.M., December 2011*

**ALEXANDRIA UNIVERSITY FACULTY OF LAW**

*Public Law Diploma, August 2010*

- Ranked 1st (Out of 720 post graduates)

*Bachelor of Laws, LL.B., May 2009*

- *Cum laude* with honor

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**ALEXANDRIA UNIVERSITY FACULTY OF LAW**

**Alexandria, Egypt**

*Assistant Professor of Law*

*2014 – Present*

*Assistant Lecturer of Law*

*2011 – 2014*

*Teaching Assistant of Law*

*2009 – 2011*

- Teaches Constitutional Law, Islamic Constitutional Judiciary, Administrative Law, Administrative Judiciary and English Legal Terminology.
- Member of the legal clinic.
- Member of the Quality and Insurance Educational Unit.

**INDIANA UNIV., ROBERT H. MCKINNEY SCHOOL OF LAW**

**Indianapolis, IN**

*Adjunct Professor of Comparative Constitutional Law*

*August 2015 – Present*

*Research Assistant*

*June 2012 – March 2013*

**BAKER MCKENZIE LLP LAW FIRM**

**Chicago, IL**

*Legal Intern*

*February 2016 – June 2017*

**FEDERAL ADMINISTRATIVE AGENCY**

**Washington, D.C.**

*Summer Legal Intern*

*May 2013 – August 2013*

**ARAB ACADEMY FOR TECHNOLOGY AND MARITIME LAW**

**Alexandria, Egypt**

*Visiting Lecturer of Law*

*January 2010 – May 2010*

- Teaches Advanced Administrative Law (Course taught in English).

## **SELECTED PUBLICATIONS, WORKING PAPERS AND ACADEMIC COMMENTARIES**

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- Taqlid v. Ijtihad: The Rise of Taqlid as the Secondary Judicial Approach in Islamic Jurisprudence, 14 THE JOURNAL JURISPRUDENCE, 2012.
- Religious Constitutionalism in Egypt: A Case Study. 37 FLETCHER F. OF WORLD AFF. 35, 2013.
- Egypt's Constitution: What Went Wrong?, 7 VIENNA JOURNAL OF INT'L CONSTITUTIONAL LAW 200, 2013.
- Egypt's Public Protest Law 2013: A Boost to Freedom or a Further Restriction?, 11(9) US-CHINA L REV, 2014.
- Leadership Accountability in Islam: Islamic Standards for Holding the Executive Accountable for Official Misconduct. (4 Global Journal of Comparative Law 116, 2015).
- Holding the President Accountable in Egypt: Impeachment A Losing Case, (Baltimore Journal of International Law, 2015).
- Entrenchment Illusion: The Curious Case of Egypt's Constitutional Entrenchment Clause, (Chicago-Kent Journal of International Law, 2016).
- Mohamed Abdelaal, The Paradox of Freedom of Religion *in* Post-Revolutionary Egypt, in Pieter Coertzen, M. Christian Green, and Len Hansen (eds.), Religious Freedom and Religious Pluralism in Africa: Prospects and Limitations (AFRICAN SUN MeDIA, 2016).
- Mohamed Abdelaal, Extreme Secularism vs. Religious Radicalism: The Case of the French Burkini, ILSA J. of Int'l and Comp. L. (2017).
- The flawed public participation in the Egyptian constitutional process *in* Participation & constitution-making in Africa *in* Public Participation in African Constitutionalism, Tania Abbiate, Markus Böckenförde & Veronica Federico (eds), (Routledge, 2017).
- The Mystery of the Judicial Review Process: A comparative Study under the American legal system and the Egyptian legal system.
- Constitutionality of Constitutional Acts in Egypt: Can the Egyptian Supreme Constitutional Court Extend its Jurisdiction? JURIST
- The Egyptian Constitution, CONCURRING OPINIONS
- The Trial of Mohamed Morsi, CONCURRING OPINIONS

## **SELECTED CONFERENCES AND PRESENTATIONS**

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- The Annual Conference: New Legislative Trends, Alexandria University, Faculty of Law, Alexandria, Egypt (2009).
- The Legal Concept of the Culture of Peace Conference, The institute for peace studies, Alexandria bibliotheque, Alexandria, Egypt (2010).
- The Second Annual Workshop on International & Comparative Law, Washington University, School of Law (St. Louis, MO – March, 2012).

- The Paradigmatic Conflict and Crisis Conference – Columbia University (NYC, NY – Feb. 28, March 1, 2013).
- The Institute for Global Law and Policy's 2013 Conference, New Directions in Global Thought – Harvard Law School (June 3-4, 2013).
- Human Rights and International Law Symposium – Brigham Young University, J. Reuben Clark Law School (Provo, Utah – October 4-9, 2013).
- Harvard Law School Institute for Global Law & policy (IGLP) Workshop – (Doha, Qatar – January 3-11, 2014).
- Heterodox Approaches to Islamic Law and Policy Conference, (June 2-3, 2014, Harvard Law School).
- 4<sup>th</sup> Doctoral Scholarship Conference of Law and Responsibility, (New Haven, CT - November 14-15, 2014, Yale Law School).
- Comparative Constitutional Law Workshop — University of Milan Faculty of Law, (Milan, Italy - May 4, 2015).
- Annual African Symposium on Law & Religion — University of Namibia Faculty of Law, (Windhoek, Namibia - May 17-19, 2015).

### **ADDITIONAL SKILLS**

- Project Management
- Volunteering / Recruitment
- Legal Writing / Research
- Communication
- Organization

### **LANGUAGES**

- Arabic — Native
- English — Fluent
- French — Limited working proficiency

*References Available Upon Request*