



Curriculum Vitae

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Biographical Data

Date of Birth: January 12, 1963
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Education and Professional Training

High School: Victoria College
(1977-1980) Alexandria, Egypt

Medical School: Alexandria University School of Medicine
(1980-1986) Alexandria, Egypt

Clinical Clerkship Clinical Hospital - Department of Surgery
(Aug 1984) Novi Sad, Yugoslavia

Internship: House-officer (Rotating)
(1987-1988) Depts of Surgery, Medicine, Otolaryngology-HNS, Obstetrics & Gynecology, Pediatrics, Emergency, and Anesthesiology
Alexandria University School of Medicine
Alexandria, Egypt

Residency: Visiting Resident
(1988-1992) Department of Otolaryngology-Head & Neck Surgery
Alexandria University School of Medicine
Alexandria, Egypt

Fellowship: Postdoctoral Research Fellow
(1992-1997) Department of Otolaryngology-Head & Neck Surgery
Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine

Baltimore, Maryland, USA

Temporal Bone Surgical Dissection Courses

Feb 1990

Military Medical Academy

Cairo, Egypt

Course Director: Alaa El-Seifi, M.D.

May 1991

University of Michigan

Ann Arbor, Michigan

Course Director: John L. Kemink, M.D.

Sept 1994

House Ear Institute

Los Angeles, California

Course Director: Antonio De La Cruz, M.D.

Apr 1997

The EAR Foundation

Nashville, Tennessee

Course Directors: Michael E. Glasscock, III, M.D.
C. Gary Jackson, M.D.

Current Hospital Appointment

1998-Present

Alexandria University Hospital

Department of Otolaryngology-Head & Neck Surgery

Alexandria - Egypt

Consultation Appointments

1997-Present

Arab Academy for Science and Technology

Alexandria - Egypt

Further Clinical Experience

09 Jul - 08 Aug, 2001

Locum ENT Consultant

Magrabi Eye and Ear Center

Muscat, Sultanate of Oman

01 Feb - 31 Jul, 2002

Locum ENT Consultant

Al-Shatti Hospital

Muscat, Sultanate of Oman

14 Jul - 13 Aug, 2004	Locum ENT Consultant Magrabi Eye and Ear Center Muscat, Sultanate of Oman
09 - 16 June, 2006	Locum ENT Consultant Magrabi Eye and Ear Hospital Muscat, Sultanate of Oman
14 Jul - 04 Aug, 2006	Locum ENT Consultant Magrabi Eye and Ear Hospital Muscat, Sultanate of Oman
11 Jul - 03 Aug, 2007	Locum ENT Consultant Magrabi Eye and Ear Hospital Muscat, Sultanate of Oman

Honors & Awards:

Aug 1984	- International Federation of Medical Students (IFMS) Scholar, Exchange Program Trainee to Europe
May 1991	- Rotary Foundation Alumnus, Group Study Exchange (GSE) Member to Ohio, USA
Aug 1993	- Prof. Belal's award, for distinction in the Master degree in Otolaryngology; awarded by the Alexandria University School of Medicine
Oct 2001	- Certificate of Merit for participation in a rural health care project; awarded by the Rotary Club of Alexandria-El Nozha, Egypt
Oct 2004	- Certificate of Merit for devotion to the medical profession, and fostering high ethical standards and humanitarian efforts, awarded by the Egyptian Medical Syndicate - Alexandria Section
Oct 2004	- Recipient of Dr. El-Ghamarawy's award for completing the Doctorate degree. This award is granted by the University of Alexandria, Egypt

- Nov 2004 - Certificate of Recognition and Shield of The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International – District 2450
- Jan 2006 - Cited in **Who's Who in the World**. 23rd edition. New Jersey: Marquis Who's Who; 2006
- Jan 2006 - Recognition Shield awarded by the Rotary Club of Alexandria-Sporting for volunteering in their RCC project.
- Feb 2006 - Shield and Certificate of Recognition awarded by District 2450 Rotary Foundation of Rotary International.
- May 2006 - Shield and Certificate of Recognition awarded by District 2450 Rotary Foundation of Rotary International.
- Nov 2006 - Shield of The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International – District 2450
- Dec 2006 - Certificate of Merit for participation in a medical convoy to Siwa; awarded by the Democratic National Party of Matrouh Governorate.
- July 2009 - British Academic Conference in Otolaryngology. Master of the Conference, David Moffat, presents a certificate of recognition to Dr Saada during the opening ceremony.



Certification

Nov 1986	- M.B., Ch.B.	(Alexandria University)
May 1992	- M.Ch. ORL	(Alexandria University)
Nov 2003	- Dr.Ch. ORL	(Ain Shams University)
Jan 2005	- F.I.C.S.	(Chicago, Illinois, USA)

Licensure

1988	- Egyptian Medical License 90275
1992	- Otolaryngology Specialist Registration 1731
2002	- Omani Medical License 1941
2006	- Otolaryngology Consultant Registration 275

Editorial Responsibilities

2005	- Review Panel: "ENT News"
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Professional Memberships

- American Academy of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery (Membership # 64660)
- American Society for Laser Medicine and Surgery
- Association for Research in Otolaryngology (Membership # 12728)
- Egyptian Oto-Rhino-Laryngological Society (Rec. # 3032)
- Egyptian Society for the History of Medicine and Medical Sciences
- European Academy of Otology and Neuro-otology (EAONO)
- General Medical Syndicate of Egypt (Registration # 85784)
- International College of Surgeons (Fellow) (ICS ID # S15595)
- International Society for the History of Medicine (National Delegate / Egypt)
- Medical Syndicate of Alexandria (Registration # 12226)
- New York Academy of Science (Membership # 05014952-5)
- Sir Charles Bell Society
- The Johns Hopkins Medical and Surgical Association (Membership # 280823)
- The Politzer Society
- The Prosper Ménière Society (Membership # 674)
- The Samuel Crowe ORL Society

Research Experience

- 1989-1991 Investigator: Meniere's Disease - Endolymphatic Sac Surgery Compared to Medical Treatment (Thesis for the Master Degree; F.A. El-Garem, MD, Y.E. Dogheim, MD, and S.A. Tawfik, MD, Supervisors)
- 1992-1997 Co-Investigator: Central and Peripheral Auditory Pathway Changes in Deaf Animal Models. (J.K. Niparko, MD, P.I.; and D.K. Ryugo, PhD, Co-P.I.)
- 1993-1996 Investigator: Anteroventral Cochlear Nucleus Cell Size in Congenital Deafness (Thesis for the Doctorate Degree; M. Hamed, MD and J.K. Niparko, MD, Supervisors)

PUBLICATIONS

I. Dissertations:

1. **Saada AA.** Evaluation of Endolymphatic Sac Surgery in Meniere's Disease [*M.S. Thesis*]. University of Alexandria, 1991
2. **Saada AA.** Anteroventral Cochlear Nucleus Cell Size in Congenital Deafness [*M.D. Thesis*]. University of Ain Shams, 1996

II. Peer Reviewed:

3. Tusa RJ, **Saada AA**, Niparko JK. Dizziness in Childhood. *Journal of Child Neurology* 1994, 9(3): 261-274
4. **Saada AA**, Shikani AH, Niparko JK. Ectopic Internal Carotid Artery Within The Petrous Temporal Bone. *Archives of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery* 1996, 122: 792, 794
5. **Saada AA.** Oto Web Update. *Archives of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery* (Accepted for Publication)
6. **Saada AA.** Ancient Egyptian Reference to Otology. *Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery* 1996, 115: 372
7. **Saada AA**, Niparko JK, Ryugo DK. Morphological Changes in the Cochlear Nucleus of Congenitally Deaf White Cats. *Brain Research* 1996, 736: 315-328
8. Ryugo DK, Rosenbaum BT, Kim PJ, Niparko JK, **Saada AA.** Single Unit Recordings in the Auditory Nerve of Congenitally Deaf White Cats: Morphological Correlates in the Cochlea and Cochlear Nucleus. *Journal of Comparative Neurology* 1998, 397(4): 532-548
9. **Saada AA.** On-line Resources for Otolaryngologists. *Journal of Laryngology and Otology* 1998, 112(9): 854-859
10. **Saada AA**, Limb CJ, Long DM, Niparko JK. Intracanalicular Schwannoma of the Facial Nerve: A Manifestation of Neurofibromatosis Type 2. *Archives of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery* 2000, 126(4): 547-549

11. **Saada AA.** Conductive Hearing Loss in Facial Nerve Schwannoma. *Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery* 2006, 134(2): 352-353
12. **Saada AA.** Implantable Hearing Devices. *Arab Health World* 2006, 21 (6): 72

III. Abstracts:

13. **Saada AA,** Ryugo DK, Niparko JK. Effect of congenital deafness on cell size in the cochlear nucleus: A light microscopic study of normal and deaf white cats. *Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery* 1994, 111(2): 142
14. Niparko JK, **Saada AA,** Ryugo DK. Effects of congenital and acquired deafness in the cochlear nucleus. *Proceedings of the 2nd International Cochlear Implant, Speech and Hearing Symposium* 1994, Melbourne, Australia
15. **Saada AA,** Kim PJ, Vause DR, Niparko JK, Ryugo DK. Auditory Nerve Activity and Structural Integrity of Cochlear Neural Elements in the Deaf White Cat. In: Popelka GR (ed). *Assoc Res Otolaryngol Abst* 1995, 18: 176
16. Niparko JK, **Saada AA,** Huchton DM, Aboujaoude E, Ryugo DK. Changes in the Auditory Brain Stem in Deafness. *Proceedings of the Sixth Symposium on Cochlear Implants in Children* 1996, Miami, Florida
17. Ryugo DK, Rosenbaum BT, Pongstaporn T, **Saada AA,** Niparko JK. The auditory nerve in congenitally deaf white cats: Correlation between anatomy and electrophysiology. *Journal of the Acoustical Society of America* 1997, 101 (5 - Pt 2): 3191
18. **Saada AA,** Niparko JK. Neurofibromatosis Manifesting Intracanalicular Schwannoma of the Facial Nerve. *Proceedings of the Fourth National Congress of the Egyptian ORL Society* 1998, Cairo, Egypt
19. **Saada AA,** Limb CJ, Long DM, Niparko JK. Intracanalicular Schwannoma of the Facial Nerve: A Manifestation of Neurofibromatosis Type 2. In: Paparella MM, Holt GR, Otto RA (eds). *Mosby Year Book of Otolaryngology - Head and Neck Surgery* 2001: 72

20. **Saada AA**, Niparko JK, Ryugo DK. Auditory Brainstem Changes in Congenital Deafness. In: Gamal A, Wahba H, El-Ibiary H et al (eds) XVII World Congress of the International Federation of Oto-Rhino-Laryngological Societies (IFOS) *Abstract Book* 2002: 199

IV. Non-Peer Reviewed / Media:

21. **Saada AA**. Myringotomy and ear tube insertion: Issues to consider. *Oman Daily Observer* 2002, 21 (92): 12
22. **Saada AA**. Otitis media with effusion in children : a cause of hearing loss (Arabic). *Al-Shabiba* 2002, 10 (2823): 14
23. **Saada AA**. Secretary Otitis Media in Children (Arabic). *Al-Watan* 2002, 32 (6825): 15

V. Journal Reviews:

24. **Saada AA**. Culture of inner ear melanocytes. *ENT News* 2005, 14 (4): 109
25. **Saada AA**. Evolution of vestibular science. *ENT News* 2005, 14 (4): 110
26. **Saada AA**. Presbycusis – a historical review. *ENT News* 2006, 14 (6): 100
27. **Saada AA**. The spiral ganglion and implications for cochlear implants. *ENT News* 2006, 14 (6): 101
28. **Saada AA**. Consensus on ethical standards of Otolaryngology journals. *ENT News* 2006, 15 (1): 105
29. **Saada AA**. Ototoxicity – a historical review. *ENT News* 2006, 15 (1): 105-106
30. **Saada AA**. Cochlear implants and development of electrode arrays. *ENT News* 2006, 15 (2): 116
31. **Saada AA**. Effects of weather on sudden sensorineural hearing loss. *ENT News* 2006, 15 (2): 116,119
32. **Saada AA**. Relationship between allergy and otitis media with effusion. *ENT New* 2006, 15 (3): 98
33. **Saada AA**. Significance of Schwartze sign in otosclerosis. *ENT News* 2006, 15 (3): 98
34. **Saada AA**. Epistaxis in childhood. *ENT News* 2006, 15 (4): 122
35. **Saada AA**. Schematic interpretation of House-Brackmann facial nerve grading system. *ENT News* 2006, 15 (4): 123
36. **Saada AA**. Effect of topical adrenaline on controlling bleeding in adenoidectomy. *ENT News* 2006, 15 (5): 96
37. **Saada AA**. Temporal bone fractures: assessment of classification systems. *ENT News* 2007, 15 (6): 98

38. **Saada AA.** Auditory phenotype in patients with HDR syndrome. *ENT News* 2007, 15 (6): 109-10
39. **Saada AA.** A step-by-step diagnosis of globus pharyngeus. *ENT News* 2007, 16 (3): 103
40. **Saada AA.** The maze of facial nerve palsy. *ENT News* 2007, 16 (3): 103-4
41. **Saada AA.** Relation between secondary haemorrhage after tonsillectomy and infection. *ENT News* 2007, 16 (3): 104
42. **Saada AA.** Relation between prosthesis diameter and hearing threshold after stapedotomy. *ENT News* 2007, 16 (5): 103
43. **Saada AA.** Evaluation of SerenoCem™ in mastoid obliteration. *ENT News* 2007, 16 (5): 104
44. **Saada AA.** Assessment of laryngomalacia in infants. *ENT News* 2008, 16 (6): 92
45. **Saada AA.** Coblation versus dissection tonsillectomy with bipolar diathermy. *ENT News* 2008, 16 (6): 92
46. **Saada AA.** Image guided endoscopic approach to the petrous apex. *ENT News* 2008, 16 (6): 93

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- * Johns ME. Otolaryngology Lane Update. *Archives of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery* 1996, 122: 925-926
- * Ryugo DK, Wu MM, Pongstaporn T. Activity-Related Features of Synapses Morphology: A Study of Endbulbs of Held. *Journal of Comparative Neurology* 1996, 365: 141-158
- * Wright DD, Ryugo DK. Mossy Fiber Projections From the Cuneate Nucleus to the Cochlear Nucleus in the Rat. *Journal of Comparative Neurology* 1996, 365: 159-172
- * Huchton DM, Pongstaporn T, Niparko JK, Ryugo JK. Ultrastructural Changes in Primary Endings of Deaf White Cats. *Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery* 1997, 116: 286-293
- * Ryugo DK, Pongstaporn T, Huchton DM, Niparko JK. Ultrastructure Analysis of Primary Endings in Deaf White Cats: Morphological Alterations in Endbulbs of Held. *Journal of Comparative Neurology* 1997, 385: 230-244
- * Chaurasia MK. Internet For Information. *ENT News* 1999, 7(6): 53
- * Lasker DM, Backous DD, Lysakowski A, Davis GL, Minor LB. Horizontal Vesibuloocular Reflex Evoked by High-Acceleration Rotations in the Squirrel Monkey. II. Responses After Canal Plugging. *Journal of Neurophysiology* 1999, 82(3): 1271-1285

Presentations

- + Evaluation of Endolymphatic Sac Surgery in Meniere's Disease. Alexandria University School of Medicine, Department of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, Alexandria, Egypt. August 1991
- + Effect of Congenital Deafness on Cell Size in the Cochlear Nucleus: A Light Microscopic Study of Normal and Deaf White Cats. 98th Annual Meeting of the American Academy of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, San Diego, CA, USA. September 1994
- + Auditory Nerve Activity and Structural Integrity of Cochlear Neural Elements in the Deaf White Cat. 18th Midwinter Meeting of the Association for Research in Otolaryngology, St. Petersburg Beach, FL, USA. February 1995
- + Anteroventral Cochlear Nucleus Cell Size in Congenital Deafness. Ain-Shams University School of Medicine, Department of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery, Cairo, Egypt. October 1996
- + Facial Nerve Neurinoma. Fourth National Congress of the Egyptian ORL Society, Cairo, Egypt. October 1998
- + Snoring and Sleep Apnea. CME lecture, Al-Shatti Hospital, Muscat, Oman. March 2002
- + Auditory Brainstem Changes in Congenital Deafness. XVII World Congress of the International Federation of Oto-Rhino-Laryngological Societies (IFOS), Cairo, Egypt. October 2002
- + Chronic Suppurative Otitis Media: Diagnosis & Management. CME lecture, Department of Otolaryngology - Alexandria University Students' Hospital, Alexandria, Egypt. August 2003
- + Schwannoma of the facial nerve: a case presentation. CME lecture, Department of Otolaryngology - Alexandria University Students' Hospital, Alexandria, Egypt. March 2005
- + Pitfalls in Otolaryngology. R.C. of Alexandria 5th Seminar for the Advancement of

Physicians' Skills, Alexandria, Egypt. February 2006

- + Pitfalls in Otolaryngology. R.C. of Alexandria 6th Seminar for the Advancement of Physicians' Skills, Alexandria, Egypt. April 3, 2006
- + Pitfalls in Otolaryngology. R.C. of Alexandria 7th Seminar for the Advancement of Physicians' Skills, Alexandria, Egypt. April 17, 2006
- + Schwannoma of the facial nerve: a manifestation of neurofibromatosis. Annual Conference of International College of Surgeons (Egyptian Section), Cairo, Egypt. May 2006
- + Pitfalls in Otolaryngology. R.C. of Alexandria 8th Seminar for the Advancement of Physicians' Skills, Alexandria, Egypt. May 21, 2006
- + Basic Skills in ENT for General Practitioners. Medical Syndicate of Alexandria. Dec. 2006
- + Pitfalls in Otolaryngology. R.C. of Alexandria's 9th Seminar for the Advancement of Physicians' Skills, Alexandria, Egypt. Dec 18, 2006
- + Pitfalls in Otolaryngology. R.C. of Alexandria's 10th Seminar for the Advancement of Physicians' Skills, Alexandria, Egypt. Jan 24, 2007
- + Pitfalls in Otolaryngology. R.C. of Alexandria's 11th Seminar for the Advancement of Physicians' Skills, Alexandria, Egypt. Mar 13, 2007
- + Pitfalls in Otolaryngology. R.C. of Alexandria's 12th Seminar for the Advancement of Physicians' Skills, Alexandria, Egypt. Sep 21, 2007
- + Pitfalls in Otolaryngology. R.C. of Alexandria's 13th Seminar for the Advancement of Physicians' Skills, Alexandria, Egypt. Feb 27, 2008

Continuing Medical Education

In Egypt

- * Alexandria International Conference on Otolological Disorders (Alex.- April 3-5, 1989)
- * First Course on ENT Endoscopy (Alex.- Dec. 27-28, 1989)
- * Alexandria International Conference on Tumors of the nose and paranasal sinuses (Alex. Mar. 22-24, 1990)
- * Second Course on ENT Endoscopy (Alex.- Oct. 25-26, 1990)
- * Workshop on Hearing Aids (Alex.- May 30-31, 1990)
- * Alexandria Ear Surgery Course (Alex.- Dec. 27, 1990)
- * First International Congress of the Egyptian ORL Society (Cairo - Dec. 5-6, 1991)
- * Alexandria International Conference on Recent Advances in Otology and Neuro-Otology (Alex.- Apr. 21-23, 1992)
- * Medical Syndicate of Cairo: ENT Training Course (Cairo - Oct. 1 - 30, 1997)
- * Alexandria 16th International Conference on ENT Endoscopy (Alex.- April 15-17, 1998)
- * Fourth National Congress of the Egyptian ORL Society (Cairo - Oct. 27-29, 1998)
- * Alexandria 17th International Conference on Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery: "Recent Trends in Management of Head and Neck Tumors" (Alex. - April 14-16, 1999)
- * Fifth National Congress of the Egyptian ORL Society and Second Pan Arab Congress of the Arab Federation of Otorhinolaryngological Societies [ARABFOS] (Cairo - Oct. 26-28, 1999)
- * First Ain Shams University Endoscopic Sinonasal Surgery Course (Cairo - Mar. 27-30, 2000)
- * Alexandria 18th International Congress of Otorhinolaryngology: "Updated Otology, Neurotology & Skull Base Surgery" (Alex. - April 12-14, 2000)
- * Alexandria 19th International Congress of Otorhinolaryngology: "The ORL Office - 21st Century" (Alex. - April 11-13, 2001)
- * XVII World Congress of the International Federation of Oto-Rhino-Laryngological Societies [IFOS], (Cairo, Egypt - Sept. 28 - Oct. 3, 2002)
- * First Ain Shams University Imaging Course in Otorhinolaryngology - Head & Neck Surgery (Cairo - Oct. 17-18, 2002)
- * The Egyptian ORL Society & Department of Otolaryngology (Tanta University) - First Annual Meeting of the Head & Neck Surgery and Oncology (Cairo - Jan. 9-11, 2003)
- * The Egyptian ORL Society's 9th Annual Conference on Diseases of the Nose and Paranasal Sinuses (Cairo - Mar. 20-21, 2003)
- * Alexandria 21st International Combined ORL Congress (Alex. - April 17-19, 2003)
- * The Egyptian ORL Society's Otology - Audiology Meeting (Cairo - Oct. 23-24, 2003)

- * Sixth National Congress of the Egyptian ORL Society: "Controversies in Otorhinolaryngology". (Cairo - Jan. 21-23, 2004)
- * Alexandria 22nd International Combined ORL Congress (Alex. - April 8-9, 2004)
- * The Egyptian ORL Society's General Meeting (Cairo - June 10, 2004)
- * The Egyptian ORL Society's Joint Meeting of Otology & Audiology (Alex. - Sept. 30, 2004)
- * Alexandria 23rd International Combined ORL Congress (Alex. - April 13-15, 2005)
- * The Egyptian ORL Society's General Meeting (Cairo - June 9, 2005)
- * The Egyptian ORL Society's Joint Meeting of Otology & Audiology (Cairo - Nov. 24, 2005)
- * Alexandria 24th International Combined ORL Congress (Alex. - April 12-14, 2006)
- * Alexandria 25th International Combined ORL Congress (Alex. - April 18-20, 2007)
- * The Egyptian ORL Society's Meeting of Otology & Audiology (Cairo - Nov. 8, 2007)

In USA

- * Walter Reed Army Medical Center's 17th Annual MG Paul H. Streit Memorial Otolaryngology Seminar: "Otology Update". (Uniformed Services University of The Health Sciences, Bethesda, MD - Mar. 19-20, 1993)
- * American Academy of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery; Cherry Blossom Conference: Current And New Applications In Hearing And Equilibrium. (Washington DC - Apr. 2-4, 1993)
- * International Advanced Sinus Symposium [University of Pennsylvania Medical Center and The American Rhinological Society]. (Philadelphia, PA - July 21-24, 1993)
- * Association For Research In Otolaryngology [ARO] 17th Midwinter Meeting (St. Petersburg Beach, FL - Feb. 6-10, 1994)
- * American Academy of Otolaryngology-Head and Neck Surgery; 98th Annual Meeting (San Diego, CA - Sept 18-21, 1994)
- * Colloquia and Workshops on Laryngeal Disorders; The Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions (Baltimore, MD - Oct 24-26, 1994)

- * Association For Research In Otolaryngology [ARO] 18th Midwinter Meeting (St. Petersburg Beach, FL - Feb. 5-9, 1995)
- * Osseointegrated Implants: New Strategies in Otologic, Craniofacial and Skull Base Rehabilitation Using Percutaneous Implants; The Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions (Baltimore, MD - Nov 17-18, 1995)
- * Association For Research In Otolaryngology [ARO] 20th Midwinter Meeting (St. Petersburg Beach, FL - Feb. 1-6, 1997)
- * Clinical Management of Common Auditory and Vestibular Disorders; The Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions (Baltimore, MD - Mar. 12-14, 1997)

Media Interviews:

- * Goodmorning Oman (Live); FM Broadcast – Saturday 26 January 2002 @ 8:30 AM (Muscat, Oman)
- * Morning Caf e (Live); TV Show – Saturday 16 March 2002 @ 10:00 AM (Muscat, Oman)

Volunteer Societies:

- 1980 - present
 - Member of the Old Victorian Association
 - * Board Member (2000-2003)

- 1993 - present
 - Member of the Rotary Club of Alexandria (D-2450)
 - * Board Member (2001-2005)
 - + Hon. Secretary (2001/2002)
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 - + Club President (2003/2004)
 - * Assistant Governor (D-2450) 2005/06 – 2006/07

- 2001 - present
 - Founder Member of TRF Alumni Association of Egypt
 - * Board Member /Treasurer (2001-present)

- 1983 - 1993
 - Member of the Alexandria Rotaract Club
 - * President Elect (1987-1988)
 - * Club President (1988-1989)
 - * Elected District 2450 Representative (1992-1993)

Extra-curricular Memberships:

- The Alexandria Shooting Club
- The Alexandria Social (Ex-Syrian) Club
- The Alexandria Sporting Club
- The Alexandria Yaught Club
- The Egyptian Automobile Club
- The Greenland Sporting Club

Others:

- Languages: Fluent **Arabic** and **English** (written & spoken) - Fair **French**
- Computer Skills: Working knowledge with both PC and Apple Macintosh →
- Microsoft office applications (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
 - Internet Browsers (Netscape, Explorer)

- Outlook Express
- Adobe Photoshop

Personal and Professional Referees

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