#### **RESUME**

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## PERSONAL INFORMATION

Nationality Egyptian
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## **Major capability**

- Postgraduate qualifications and have over 30 years experience in research along with teaching and demonstration experience in different educational Institutes.
- Hands on experience of cell culture of neurons and glial cells, Radioimmunoassay, Electrophoresis, Electrophoresis Mobility Shift Assay (EMSA)., PCR, Immunoblotting, ELISA, Immunocytochemistry and electrophysiology.
- Medical Education, curriculum innovation and medical students assessments.

• Program evaluation and quality assurance.

# **Special achievements**

- Research publications in international refereed journals and conference proceedings.
- Presentation of research findings at national and international scientific conferences.
- Recipient of quality assurance and accreditation grant, from The National Quality Assurance and Accreditation Committee and Ministry of Higher Education, EGYPT (2005).

# **Fellowships** Research Associate: Department of

Surgery labs, University

of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. USA 2000-2001

Postdoctoral fellow: Department of Physiology,

Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio. USA 1997-

1998

Education	
1992	Ph.D, Clinical Physiology College of Medicine, Benha University. Egypt.
	Dissertation: Effect of cardiac stress on neutrophil functions.
1989	M.Sc. (General human Physiology)(Excellent) College of Medicine, Benha University. Egypt. Dissertation: Antenatal determination of cardiac output in normal pregnancy.
1985	MBBS (excellent) College of Medicine, Benha University. Egypt.

Employment	
2005-present	Prof of Clinical Physiology,
	Chairman of Basic Medical Sciences Department, College of
	Medicine, Sharjah University, UAE.
2004- present	Prof of Clinical Physiology . College of Medicine . Benha
	University, Egypt (On leave )
2002- 2005	Directorate of Quality Assurance, Institutional Effectiveness and
	Accreditation, College of Medicine . Benha University
2000-2001	Research Associate: Department of Surgery labs, University
	of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. USA
1997-2004	Associate prof of Physiology. College of Medicine,

1997-1989	Benha University, Egypt Postdoctoral fellow: Department of Physiology, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio. USA
1992- 1997	Assistant Prof of Physiology. College of Medicine, Benha
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1989-1992	Assistant lecturer of Physiology .College of Medicine . Cairo
	University ,Egypt
1986-1989	Demonstrator, Physiology , College of Medicine, College of
	Medicine Cairo University,
1985-1986	Postgraduate Internship, College of Medicine, Cairo
	University ,Egypt

## Further courses attended and training

**September 2011 (Facilitator ):** PBL Facilitator workshop. University of sharjah.UAE

**September 2011 (facilitator):** Sharjah Curriculum overview for new faculty (University Hopsital ). University of sharjah.UAE

**November 2010 :** Team based learning (TBL)in medical and health science education. University of sharjah.UAE

**March 2009**: Effective report writing Workshop (The Ineternational Network for Qaulaity Assurance Agencies in Higher Education, **Dubai, UAE.** 

**March 2009:** The Quality standards of Accreditation in Health Professions Educations Workshop. **University of sharjah.UAE** 

**January 2008**: Implementation of Team Base learning in a problem based curriculum. **University of sharjah.UAE** 

**December 2007**: Strategic plan. **University of sharjah.UAE** 

November 2007: Effective lecturing workshop. University of sharjah.UAE

**April 2007:** Health Profession Education workshop . **University of sharjah.UAE** 

January 2006: Symposium on Outcome – based education and assessment. University of sharjah.UAE

**January 2006:** Train the trainer assessment workshop, Sultan Qaboos university, Muscat sultanat oman, January 2006.

**May 2005**: Quality assurance in medical education and train the trainer TOT. Cairo university.

May 2003: Molecular Biology techniques. Ain Shams university. Egypt.

Fundamentals of laboratory animal research: University of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. USA.

**2000** Radiation Safety: University of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. USA.

1997 Internet skills . Ohio State University ,Columbus , Ohio USA.

1997 Microsoft Excel. Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio USA

1997 Microsoft word . Ohio State University ,Columbus , Ohio USA

1997 Windows 95 and 98. Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio USA

**1995- 1996** Condensed courses in English Language in American University ,Cairo,Egypt.

1992 Teaching Orientation and skill. Zagazig University, Egypt.

#### Awards:

- **2011**: Excellency in University and community service Award, University of sharjah, UAE.
- 2009: Excellency in Research Award, University of sharjah, UAE.
- 2005 : Ministry of culture award for best scientific book for children
- 2002 : Suez Canal University awards for best research.

#### **Professional membership**

• Founder and elected President of Emirates Menopause Society, March 2009 under the Umbrella of Emirates Medical Association and a member of the council of affiliated Menopause societies at the international Menopause society (Feb,11<sup>th</sup> 2010).

## **Emirates Menopause Society**

The Emirates menopause society is a multidisciplinary national society, committed to fostering the comprehensive well being of mature and elderly Emirates women

- International Menopause Society.
- American society of Physiology.
- International society for the study of women's sexual health.
- American Association for the Advancement of Science.

- American Society for Biology and Reproduction.
- The Society for the study of androgen deficiency.
- An International Association for Medical Education (AMEE).
- International Association of Medical Science Educators IAMSE.
- Ibnosina Journal of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences(Editorial Board) USA.

# Membership of Internal and central Committees

- Member of University academic Advisory Board 2015.
- Member of University academic Advisory Board 2014.
- Member of University central council of students 2012-2013.
- President of organizing Committee for 4<sup>th</sup> scientific forum, University of sharjah.UAE 2009
- Member of the central Committee for faculty affairs. University of sharjah.UAE 2007-now.
- Member of Medical College strategic plan, college of Medicine, University of sharjah.UAE 2008
- Member of Central committee for library strategic plan, University of sharjah.UAE 2008
- Member of Central Committee of educational resources University of sharjah.UAE 2008 -now
- Central Committee for student's affairs (2006-2007) Sharjah University,UAE
- Central Committee for accreditation (2005-2007) Sharjah University,UAE
- Central Committee for Faculty promotion (2006-unitl now) Sharjah University, UAE.
- Head, Educational Resources Committee for medical campus, University of sharjah.UAE (2006 –until now)
- Chairperson, Student's affiars and Advisory, College of Medicine, University of sharjah.UAE(2006 –until now)
- Chairperson, Program Evaluation and Educational Quality Asuurance and Accreditation Committee College of Medicine, University of sharjah.UAE(2006 – until now).

## Membership at International scientific Committee:

Member at the scientific committee of the 13<sup>th</sup> International Menopause society World congress on Menopause Roma, june 2011.

## Member, review board:

- Webmed central
- Egyptian Universities promotion Committees (EUPC).
- Cardiovascular Toxicology Journal.
- **A** Endocrine.
- Emirates Foundation.
- Archives of Medical sciences.
- The journal of Applied Research in Clinical and Experimental therapeutics.
- Academic medicine.
- ❖ Archives of Basic Medical Sciences Journal.
- Endocrine pathology.
- ❖ Ibnosina Journal of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences.
- Neurocritical care journal.
- Journal of Medical Sciences Research.
- ❖ Medical Education online.
- ❖ Journal of clinical and experimental gastroenterology.
- ❖ Journal of neuropsychiatric disease and treatment.
- Menopause review.
- ❖ Journal of Tahran University Heart Center.
- ❖ Advances in Medical Education and Practice.
- ❖ International society for the study of women's sexual health meeting feb 2011.

## **Recent conferences and workshops:**

- □ XIII International Conference of Biophysics and Medical Physics. **Jeddah**, **Saudi Arabia** 2015.
- □ Annual International Conference on Advanced Research : Physiology (July 2014)Singapore.
- The 9<sup>th</sup> European Congress on Menopause and Andropause (25<sup>th</sup> March 2012)Greece.
- □ Leadership in higher education (10th decembetr 2011), awarded 4 university of Sharjah Continuous professional development points (REF NO. UOSCOM20111210-4).
- □ PBL Facilitator workshop. 17<sup>th</sup> September 2011 University of sharjah.UAE
- □ Sharjah Curriculum overview for new faculty (University Hopsital). 6<sup>th</sup> **September 2011** University of sharjah.UAE

- □ Dubai Congress on anti aging and aesthetic medicine. **26-27** October **2010** Dubai −UAE.
- □ Revisiting Team Based learning (TBL) in medical and health sciences education workshop. University of sharjah UAE **Sept 2010**
- □ 32<sup>nd</sup> British International Congress of Obstetrics and Gynaecology **June 2010**
- □ The Egyptian Society of Gynecology and Obstetrics (ESGO) Conference, March 2010
- □ Diagnostic options and Treatment of Osteoporosis., Sharjah, UAE November, 2<sup>nd</sup> **2009.**
- □ Successful aging for women, Gedah, Saudi Arabia, April 21<sup>st</sup>, **2009.**
- □ The International network for quality assurance afencies in higher education Biennial Conference, Abu Dhabi, UAE March 3th, 2009
- □ The quality, Standards & Accreditation in health professions education workshop, College of Medicine, Sharjah University March 21<sup>st</sup>, **2009.**
- □ The International network for quality assurance agencies in higher education workshop:Effective report writing" Abu Dhabi,UAE March 30<sup>th</sup>, **2009**.
- □ Strategic plane for medical College workshop, 21<sup>st</sup> jan, **2008**, Collge of Medicine, Sharjah University, UAE.
- □ Strategic plane workshop, 24-25 Dec, 2007. Sharjah University UAE.
- □ Faculty development program, Effective lecturing workshop, 14<sup>th</sup> November, **2007** .College of Medicine. Sharjah University . UAE.
- □ The 7<sup>th</sup> International conference of clinical endocrinology, Diabetes and infertility., sept 6-8, **2007** Sharm El Shiek Egypt.(speaker).
- □ The health professions education workshop "teaching & learning in clinical setting "20-21<sup>st</sup> april, **2007**. College of medicine, Sharjah University.
- Student Assessment for Health Profession Education workshop Feb **2007**, Sharjah College of Medicine, Facilitator.
- □ The 3<sup>rd</sup> Biennial conference (Pan Arab Society for sexual Medicine), **Dubai**, 2007.
- Symposium on Outcome based education and assessment. January **2006** University of sharjah.UAE.
- □ Medical student conference, 1<sup>st</sup> annual gathering, march.2006.Dubai, UAE.
- □ Conference for right of arab children(International agreements and regional visions)april, **2006** Sharjah.UAE.
- ☐ Train the trainer assessment workshop, Sultan qaboos university, Muscat sultanat oman, January 2006.
- □ First iridology conference in Sharjah, March 2006, Sharjah, UAE.
- 5<sup>th</sup> international congress of the African- middle east association of gastroeneterology. sharjah UAE FEB **2006**

□ The 6<sup>th</sup> Sharjah Family Medicine symposium . September **2005**.Sharjah Medical District . Sharjah UAE.

# Examiner in human Physiology for the Doctorate, Master, and MBChB Degrees

Suez Canal University - Egypt Alexandria University - Egypt Zagazig University - Egypt

Dubai Medical College - Dubai, U.A.E.

Cairo University - Egypt.
Benha University - Egypt.
Al Fateh University - Tripoli
Armed forces College of - Egypt

Medicine

Mansoura, College of Medicine - Egypt

- Chairman/ Member of several evaluation and examination panels for Master and Doctorate Thesis in the following Universities:

Benha University Egypt Suez Canal University.Egypt Alexandria University Egypt Al-Azhar University . Egypt Assyout University Egypt Tanta University Egypt Zagazig University Egypt Ain Shams University Egypt

#### **Publications and conferences:**

- (66) Nosair, E.; Mirghani, Z.; and Mostafa, R.M. (2015) Measuring Students' Perceptions of Educational Environment in the PBL Program of Sharjah Medical College. In press, Journal of Medical Education and Curricular Development.
- **(65)** E Stefanopoulou, P Gupta, **Mostafa,R.M.,** N Nosair, Z Mirghani, K Moustafa, G Al Kusayer, D Sturdee, MS Hunter.**(2014)** . IMS Study of Climate, Altitude, Temperature and vasomotor symptoms in the United Arab Emirates.Climacteric, (17):425-432.
- **(64)** Mostafa,R.M., Moustafa, K.M, Mirghani, Z and Moustafa,Y.M (2014): Prolactin hormone and Cardiovascular disease. Cardiology and angiology, 2(1): 49-61.
- (63) Hamdy, Y.; Panigrahi, D.; Mostafa, R.M., et al (2013): Pursuing Quality in Medical Education. University of Sharjah.

- **(62) Mostafa,R.M.,** Milz,M.;Hamdy,H.; and Gibbs,T.(2013): Introducing the Humanities into Medical Education: Sharjah University College of Medicine's approach. **MedEd Publish**,1-20.
- **(61) Mostafa, R.M.,** Moustafa, Y.M., Al Kusayer, G.; Moustafa, K.M. (2013): Antioxidant effect of Garlic (Allium Sativum) and Black Seeds (Nigella Sativa) in healthy postmenopausal women, Sage open Medicine, (1) 2050312113517501, doi:10.1177/2050312113517501.
- (60) Mostafa,R.M.(2013): Potential antiepileptic therapeutic effect of Nigella Sativa. Spatula DD Journal of complementary Medicine and Drug discovery, 3(1):1-5.
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- (58) Mostafa ,RM , Moustafa ,YM & Mirghani, Z.(2012): Thymoquinone alone or in combination with phenobarbital reduces the seizure score and improves the oxidative burden in pentylenetetrazole-kindled rats , Oxidants and Antioxidants in Medical Science. Oxid Antioxid Med Sci 1(3):185-192
- 57. **Mostafa RM**, Moustafa, Y. Oxidants and antioxidants balance modulation by Nigella Sativa Seeds consumption in Healthy postmenopausal. **Maturitas**, **Volume 71**, **Pages S79 2012**
- The 9<sup>th</sup> European Congress on Menopause and Andropause.March 25<sup>th</sup> 2012, Athens Greece.
- 56. **Mostafa RM**.Dilemma of Women's Passive smoking **Ann Thorac Med. 2011** Apr;6(2):55-6. PMID: 21572692 [PubMed –indexed for medline]
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- 54. D.W.Sturdee, N.Panay, et al : recommendations for the management of postmenopausal vaginal atrophy. **Climacteric**; 13:509-522, 2010
- **53. Mostafa ,R.M.,** Moustsfa , Y.M. and Hamdy , H.: Interstitial cells of Cajal, the Maestro in health and disease **World J Gastroenterol** 14,16(26): 3239 3248 2010 PMID: 20614479 [PubMed Indexed for Medline].
- **52. Mostafa** ,**R.M.:** Rectal prolapse: Diagnosis and clinical management . World J Gastroenterol.; 16(17): 2193–2194. 2010 PMCID: PMC2864849 (Pubmed central Indexed for Medline)

- 51. **Mostafa**, **R.M.**, Mirghani, Z., Moustafa, Y.M., and Moustafa, K.M.: Effect of Coenzyme Q10 administration on oxidant and antioxidant balance in plasma and erythrocytes of healthy postmenopausal women 32<sup>nd</sup> British International Congress of Obstetrics and Gynaecology proceeding june 2010
- **50. Mostafa ,R.M.** , Moustafa ,Y.M. , Mirghani, Z. and Moustafa ,K.M. . Effect of Garlic (Allium Sativum) and black seeds (Nigella sativa) ingestion on oxidant and antioxidant balance in healthy postmenopausal women . **International Journal of Gynecology & Obstetrics 107S2, S413–S729, (2009)**
- 49. **Mostafa** ,**R.M** . Male rats sex hormones status after exposure to 50 Hz, 10 mTesla mangetic field. **Fertility and Sterility.90** (**Suppl.1**) **S185** , **2008**.
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- 44. **Mostafa,RM**, El Hefnawi,ALH.M., Moustafa,K.M., Ali, F.M., Moustafa Y.M.; Kamal,S. and El Hefnawi,M.H. Effect of 50 Hz, 10 m Tesla magnetic field on sex hormones level in male rats. **Journal of Medical Sciences Research 1 (1): 31-36 2007**
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- 20. **Mostafa, RM.**, Mostafa, Y.M. and Ennaceur, A.: Effect of exposure to extremely low-frequency magnetic field of 2 G intensity on memory and corticosterone level in rats. **Journal of Physiology and Behavior 76 (589-595) Augest: 2002.**

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Annual meetings of American Gastroenterological Association for the study of liver disease May 16-22,1998).

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#### **Teaching Philosophy:**

"Teaching" ranks amongst the top five prestigious professions where one is involved in shaping the future of the country. My first academic teaching experience began in my third grade biology classroom when my teacher selected a few top scorers in that class to tutor weaker students on a one-on-one basis. My extrovert nature and zeal towards helping my classmates and other tutoring activities through my academic career has slowly developed the "**teacher**" within me. I firmly believe that the best way to learn is to teach, as learning is certainly a life-time experience..

I had loved being a student. There are few things that thrill me as I came to learn new ideas, thus stretching the bounds of my knowledge of the world.

Throughout my student life, I had always admired teachers because I thought of them as playing an central role as facilitators in the process of learning. As the daughter of a medical professor, I was always proud of my father and the role he played in the lives of his patients and students. I always assumed it was the combination of his dynamic personality, his knowledge, and his sense of humor that made him a wonderful doctor and professor.

I believe that my skills as an instructor are constantly evolving. Over the past few years, I have observed at least six other instructors teach. I enjoy going to observe other instructors because I believe that all other teachers can teach me something through their skills and strengths that are often different from mine. A fellow instructor asked me why I still observed others, as this is typically something only done by new instructors. I struggled to respond to this question because I thought experienced teachers, as well as new teachers, can benefit from being affiliated with others. I believe that my astonishment at the other instructor's question really illustrates my general attitude toward teaching. I do not think of teachers as "good" or "bad"; for me, the measure of a teacher's success is whether or not he or she is working to improve. One of my goals as a teacher is to never take my teaching skills for granted. To that end, I treat each group of students as a new set of teachers who can help me learn how to better meet the needs of students in the future.

Teaching physiology is my passion. There is nothing else in my professional life that brings me the same joy and exhilaration as giving a lecture where students are learning and engaged. While I am fortunate to have found something I am so passionate about, I feel that I have a responsibility to work hard for my students. It is a great gift and a great responsibility to share the subject matter I love with others. I am truly grateful for the opportunity to teach Physiology and I only hope that I am always doing a service to my students.

A teacher should be totally involved with the class; dedicated to his/her students; and prepared to devote time and energy for them. My sense of attachment to teaching evokes passion and dedication. The enthusiasm of a motivated teacher rubs off on his/her students, who derive the inspiration and encouragement which actuate their desire to learn. This keeps students interested as they tend to retain the course material very well. Every module should clearly state a take-home message for the students. I know through experience that whenever my past students approach me for help for another course, I am pleased to realize during the discussions that they have retained most of the important concepts.

In addition, a good teacher needs to personalize students' needs and problems. This is observed in case of a few of the weaker, shy, or some international students who need additional assistance, but hesitate to ask for it. In my opinion, identifying students by their full names and knowing some background information (like city, and country) is very beneficial. I obtain most of this information subtly through my numerous interactions with them during my office hours. Having good sense of humor is an added advantage. I

believe that the best in a person comes out in a non stressful situation. Students tend to learn more effectively from an approachable teacher who sets up a comfortable atmosphere conducive to learning. Thus, education goes beyond the classroom and students tend to visualize the teacher as a role model from whom they seek universal advice on topics ranging from fundamental concepts to future careers options, personal problems, and other matters.

In order to assist students in reaching their desired learning goals, the teacher must have a clear set of objectives. I feel that teachers should serve a number of purposes. First and foremost, they should act as guides, pointing students in the direction they should go to find answers and solve problems by providing them with the essential information they need to do so. They should also act as advisors or facilitators, especially in the university setting. Students also need to feel comfortable approaching their instructors for discussion outside of class. When instructors act as mentors and friends, the students can begin to make professional contacts; seek professors' assistance in career plans and use as references, and have an academic source to call upon when stresses of classes begin to be overwhelming. Instructors need to make education as much enjoyable and beneficial as possible to for students. When instructors act in this fashion, a student's education will be more thorough and enjoyable than one drawing on exclusive classroom contacts between students and instructors.

Technology is very useful and should be utilized effectively. I feel that "seeing is believing." Therefore, audio-visual aids like power point slides, graphic hand outs, video clips, and visual multimedia presentations are important components of the learning experience.

Like anyone involved in education, whether student or teacher, a personal growth plan should always be evolved. One never develops socially, intellectually, or academically, without consistently learning new things and striving to further oneself. This can include classes as a part of a continuing education program, receiving regular input from students and consistently attempting to improve their teaching style, or trying new ideas or strategies on a regular basis. My students and colleagues often describe me as dedicated, enthusiastic, approachable, resourceful, organized, innovative knowledgeable with a keen attitude towards helping students. Finally, I believe that the role of a teacher is that of a leader where you have to show the path, motivate, encourage, and lead by example. Perspiration follows inspiration which means this task is going to involve hard work, and dedication. However, the rewards are immense as I enjoy this activity. My success lies in seeing my students succeed and I experience it when I see my students move on to good hospital or postgraduate school. Each teacher needs to have a personal philosophy of teaching to guide their actions and ideas. This list is one I have made to guide myself. It is by no means allencompassing, but it provides a basis for what I feel about education, and what I want my students to feel when they leave my classroom.