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Education

Academic Degrees

PhD

Pharmacology and toxicology, Faculty of Pharmacy, Cairo University, September 2018. Thesis entitled: Protective effects of zafirlukast and vincamine against tamoxifen-induced liver injury in rats"

Master

Pharmacology and toxicology, Faculty of Pharmacy, Cairo University, February 2016. The thesis was entitled: "A study of the possible neuroprotective effects of simvastatin and curcumin in I-methionine-induced vascular dementia in rats"

Bachelor

Pharmaceutical Sciences, Faculty of Pharmacy, Ahram Canadian University, May 2010, Excellent with GPA 3.78.

Research interest

Neuropharmacology, vascular dementia, hepatotoxicity, gastric ulcer, renal ischemia, oxidative stress and inflammation.

Career History and Professional Experience

Qualifications

- Great skills in communicating and working with others.
- Excellent multi-tasking ability.
- Time management and presentation skills
- Efficient in computer skills (ICDL).
- English language proficiency (IELTS)

Professional Titles

- Assistant Professor of Pharmacology and Toxicology, Ahram Canadian University, 2018-till now.
- **Assistant Lecturer** of Pharmacology and Toxicology, Ahram Canadian University, 2016-2018.
- **Teaching Assistant** of Pharmacology and Toxicology, Ahram Canadian University, 2012-2016.
- **Community Pharmacist** from 2009 to 2012.

Career Experience

- Assistant Professor of Pharmacology and Toxicology teaching pharmacological courses in the Pharmacology and Toxicology Department, Faculty of Pharmacy, Ahram Canadian University, from 2018 till now.
- Teaching Assistant and Assistant lecturer teaching the practical courses of Pharmacology, Bioassay, Clinical pharmacology, Clinical toxicology, and Environmental toxicology in the Pharmacology and Toxicology Department, Faculty of Pharmacy, Ahram Canadian University, from 2012 to 2018.
- A member of the Central Laboratory Committee for Pharmacy students, Ahram Canadian University from 2021 till now
- A member of the Teaching, learning, and assessment methods standard for Pharmacy students, Ahram Canadian University from 2021 till now.
- A member of the Field Training Committee for Pharmacy students, Ahram Canadian University from 2021 till 2022.

- A member of the Struggling Students and Professional Development Committees for Pharmacy students, Ahram Canadian University from 2018 till 2021
- A member of the Examination Control Unit for Pharmacy students, Ahram Canadian University from 2015 till now
- A member of the Quality Assurance Unit, Faculty of Pharmacy, Ahram Canadian University from 2016 till 2018.
- A Coordinator for preparing organizational structure files in the Pharmacology and Toxicology Department from 2019 till 2021.
- Attended the "Publication Ethics and Research Misconduct" workshop with a certificate, Egyptian Knowledge Bank in collaboration with Clarivate, 2022.
- Attended the "From papers to patents: Innovation Roadmap for universities" workshop with a certificate, Egyptian Knowledge Bank in collaboration with Clarivate, 2022.
- Attended the "Research Funding: Grant proposal drafting" workshop with a certificate, Egyptian Knowledge Bank in collaboration with Clarivate, 2022.
- Attended the "Writing a research paper" workshop with a certificate, Science, Technology & Innovation Funding Authority (STDF) in collaboration with Springer Nature, 2022.
- Attended the "Grant Writing" workshop with a certificate,
 Science, Technology & Innovation Funding Authority
 (STDF) in collaboration with Springer Nature, 2022.
- Attended the "Research Methodology" workshop with a certificate, Science, Technology & Innovation Funding Authority (STDF) in collaboration with Springer Nature, 2022.
- Attended the "Peptides: Bio-inspired Molecular Constructs for the innovation of Biomedical

- **Nanomaterials**" workshop with a certificate, Faculty of Pharmacy, Cairo University, 2022.
- Attended the "Sustainable development and climate change" workshop with a certificate, Engineers For a Sustainable Egypt, 2022.
- Attended the "International Publishing of Scientific Research" workshop with a certificate, Faculty of Pharmacy, Ahram Canadian University, 2017.
- Attended the 6th international Scientific Conference of the Faculty of Pharmacy, Cairo University, 2015.
- Attended the **Antibiotic Resistance Awareness Day** entitled "Handle Antibiotic with care", faculty of pharmacy, Ahram Canadian University, 2015.
- Attended the "Road to Accreditation Pharmacy NARS & Program ILOs" workshop with a certificate, Faculty of Pharmacy, Ahram Canadian University, 2014.
- Attended the "Educational Programs and Courses Specifications and Evaluation of Learning Outcomes" workshop with a certificate, Faculty of Pharmacy, Ahram Canadian University, 2014.
- Attended the "Intended Learning Outcomes (ILOs)" workshop with a certificate, Faculty of Pharmacy, Ahram Canadian University, 2013.
- Main Medical Warehouse in the Army (Injection Store) with a certificate of appreciation for performing military service perfectly in the field of medical services, 2010-2011.
- Attended a training course "Marketing & Promotion and Communication skills", Novartis Consumer Health Company, 2009.
- **AlTarshoby Pharmacies** (working from 2009 till 2010 as a Community Pharmacist.
- **Director of Ghazy Pharmacy** from 2011 till 2012, assemble a great team and schedule their work.

Awards and Certificates

- Awarded the Best Ph.D. thesis in Pharmacology and Toxicology Department at the Second ACU International Pharmaceutical Conference, 2018.
- Certificate of Acknowledgment for participation in the organization of the 12th "Ibn Sina medical convoy", 2022.
- Certificate of Appreciation for participation in the organization of the Second ACU International Pharmaceutical Conference, Faculty of Pharmacy, Ahram Canadian University, 2018.
- Certificate of Appreciation for participation in the organization of the First ACU International Pharmaceutical Conference, Faculty of Pharmacy, Ahram Canadian University, 2016.
- Certificate of Appreciation for organization of the Hepatitis-C conference "Hepatitis-C between Tackling and Tracking", Faculty of Pharmacy, Ahram Canadian University, 2014.
- Certificate of Acknowledgment for participation in the organization of the second "Ibn Sina medical convoy", 2012.

Teaching Courses

- Pharmacology-1
- Pharmacology-2
- Pharmacology-3
- Toxicology
- Bioassay
- Medical Terminology

Duties and Responsibilities

- Teaching and covering the curriculum of different academic courses as designed and outlined by the faculty by adhering to the rules.
- Developing and delivering course materials to students in specified discipline areas of study, considering

and aiming to achieve the fundamental standards of the faculty.

- Preparing laboratory manual for each academic course and supervising assignments, seminars, and conducting reports.
- Monitoring and observing the students' attendance, grades, progress, and feedback that reflect the best practice.
- Advising and supporting students with less experience and facilitate their academic concerns and career decisions through Struggling Students Committee.
- Conducting research studies and writing papers, proposals, journal articles and publishing research work in international scientific journals with high impact factors.
- Training and supervising graduate students and publishing their research work in international journals or ACU International Pharmaceutical Conference.
- Performing different administrative duties and serving as a faculty member in the Quality Assurance Unit, Struggling Students and Professional Development Committees.
- Attending faculty and departmental meetings and voicing concerns and providing suggestions for improvement.
- Attending conferences and educational workshops to get involved in the academic network and raise the standards of the curriculum.
- Participating in the organization of the ACU International Pharmaceutical Conference for new trends in pharmaceutical and medical research as a member of the organization committee.

Participating in the field of community service and medical convoys that are launched under the supervision of the faculty.

Publications and Presentations

- ALZOKAKY, A. A. M., ABDELKADER, E. M., EL-DESSOUKI, A. M., KHALEEL, S. A. & RASLAN, N. A. 2020. C-phycocyanin protects against ethanol-induced gastric ulcers in rats: Role of HMGB1/NLRP3/NF-kB pathway. Basic & Clinical Pharmacology & Toxicology.
- El-Dessouki, A.M., El Fattah, M.A., Awad, A.S. and Zaki, H.F., 2018. **Zafirlukast** and vincamine ameliorate tamoxifen-induced oxidative stress and inflammation: Role of the JNK/ERK pathway. *Life sciences*, 202, pp.78-88.
- El-Dessouki, A.M., Galal, M.A., Awad, A.S. and Zaki, H.F., 2017.
 Neuroprotective effects of simvastatin and cilostazol in L-methionine-induced vascular dementia in rats. *Molecular neurobiology*, *54*(7), pp.5074-5084.
- Poster entitled "Boswellic acid ameliorates myocardial injury induced by renal ischemia/reperfusion" at the second ACU international pharmaceutical conference, Faculty of Pharmacy, Ahram Canadian University, 2018.
- Poster entitled "The possible neuroprotective effect of Simvastatin on L-Methionine-induced vascular dementia in rats" at the 6th international Scientific Conference of Faculty of Pharmacy, Cairo University, 2015.

"References are furnished upon request"