# PERSONAL INFORMATION



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WORK EXPERIENCE

October 2021-Present	Supervisor of Cell culture facility in central research lab Faculty of Pharmacy, Ain shams University African Union Organization St, Abbassia, Cairo (Egypt)		
March 2021-Present	Assistant professor, Department of Clinical Pharmacy Faculty of Pharmacy, Ain shams University African Union Organization St, Abbassia, Cairo (Egypt)		
March 2021-Present	Assistant professor, Department of Clinical Pharmacy practice Part time, Faculty of Pharmacy, British university in Egypt (BUE) EI-Shrouq city, Cairo (Egypt)		
January 2018- January 2021	Research collaborator Department of Surgery, University of Illinois at Chicago. Chicago, IL, USA.		
	Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology, University of Illinois at Chicago. Chicago, IL, USA.		
	<ul> <li>Leading several research projects to investigate Uterine fibroid pathogenesis through environmental versus genetic and epigenetic interaction at stem cell level and its effects on several pathways including DNA repair machinery, beta-catenin signalling and inflammation, ethnic disparity in uterine fibroid incidence among African American and Caucasian women and exploring novel natural and epigenetic based therapies for treatment of uterine fibroids.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Actively involved in designing experiments and generating data for several NIH funded grants in the laboratory.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Developing a non-invasive probe for differentiating benign uterine fibroid versus malignant leiomyosarcoma.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>In charge of Human fibroid and myometrium tissue collection and stem cell isolation using flow cytometry/cell sorting technique.</li> </ul>		
	• Guiding and teaching new and junior researchers in the lab about research techniques.		
May 2016-December 2017	International research Scholar		
	Division of Translational Research, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Medical College of Georgia (MCG), Augusta University, Augusta, GA, USA.		
	<ul> <li>Responsible for three running important translational projects at Dr Ayman Al-Hendy lab, concerning exploring the impact of both novel pharmacological and natural compounds on treatment/prevention of uterine fibroids and understanding the mechanism of their actions.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>In collaboration with other lab members in the novel stem cell based regenerative therapy as translational reproductive therapy for diseases premature ovarian failure and polycystic ovarian syndrome.</li> </ul>		
	• Assisting the lab manager in organizing the lab and taking care of the animal colonies.		
March 2014-April 2016	Assistant Lecturer/ Researcher, Department of Clinical Pharmacy		
	Faculty of Pharmacy, Ain shams University African Union Organization St, Abbassia, Cairo (Egypt)		
	Supervision of Undergraduate Clinical pharmacy practical courses at Clinical pharmacy department.		
	• Supervision and co-ordination of practical training of undergraduate students in Hospitals.		
	<ul> <li>Supervision of Postgraduate clinical pharmacy diploma, Faculty of pharmacy, Ain shams university, Cairo, Egypt.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Establishment of Drug &amp; poison information centre, Faculty of pharmacy, Ain shams university, Cairo, Egypt.</li> </ul>		
	Researcher in core facility of Faculty of Pharmacy, Ain shams University     Page 2/12		

February 2010 – March 2014	
	Teaching/Research assistant, Department of Clinical Pharmacy
	Faculty of Pharmacy, Ain shams University African Union Organization St, Abbassia, Cairo (Egypt)
	<ul> <li>Preparing practical sessions, reviewing student activities, marking assignments</li> <li>Teaching courses included clinical pharmacy, pharmacotherapy, pharmacy practice, applied therapeutics, hospital pharmacy, first aid, biostatistics, patient counselling and drug&amp; poison information to undergraduates.</li> <li>Teaching assistant for postgraduates in Clinical pharmacy Diploma degree granted from Faculty of</li> </ul>
	Pharmacy, Ain shams University.
	<ul> <li>Researcher at clinical pharmacy department lab, Faculty of Pharmacy, Ain shams University</li> </ul>
	Nephrology clinical pharmacist
	National Institute of Urology and Nephrology Cairo, Egypt
	<ul> <li>As a part of MSc program, optimized the medication plans for Chronic Kidney disease patients undergoing Haemodialysis and running consented clinical trial exploring the role of oral L-carnitine supplement in improving the anaemia and dyslipidaemia as complications on those patients including analysis patient samples using several research techniques as ELISA and spectrophotometry.</li> </ul>
September 2011 – April 2016	Quality Assurance Coordinator
	CQAP unit, Faculty of Pharmacy, Ain shams University
	<ul> <li>Member of team responsible for Faculty accreditation.</li> </ul>
July 2009 – December 2012	Consultant retail Pharmacist, El-Ezaby chain Pharmacies Heliopolis branch, Heliopolis, Cairo
	<ul> <li>2 years placement as pharmacist shift manager in the biggest pharmacies chain in Egypt: patient counselling, preparation and dispensing of drugs.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Then for the next years placed as pharmacy assistant manager: developed communication and business awareness, took the initiative to largely reorganize stock and improve its handling, learned teamwork, meeting deadlines and doing several works in parallel.</li> </ul>
December 2012- March 2016	Medical scientific specialist, EI-Ezaby chain Pharmacies administration office Cairo, Egypt
	<ul> <li>Marketing department had the opportunity to contact prime physicians and making scientific medical advising.</li> </ul>

# EDUCATION AND TRAINING

2015-2020	
	PhD in Pharmaceutical Sciences, Clinical Pharmacy Speciality – Thesis title "Impact of interdisciplinary Translational Research in developing innovative therapeutic strategies in clinical pharmacy science "
	International PhD student in a Joint supervision program between Ain Shams University and Dr Ayman Al-Hendy research lab, funded the first two years by Egyptian government and the latter two years by the principal investigator DR. Ayman Al-Hendy fund.
2010-2014	Masters in Pharmaceutical Sciences, Clinical Pharmacy speciality. – Thesis Title "Impact of oral L-Carnitine on the clinical outcome of haemodialysis patients" Faculty of Pharmacy, Ain Shams University, Cairo, Egypt.
2005-2009	Bachelor of Pharmaceutical Science
	Faculty of Pharmacy, Ain Shams University, Cairo, Egypt. Excellent with Honour (Class rank: <b>2nd</b> of 655 students) GPA: 3.9.
2002-2004	Certificate of General Secondary Education "Thanawiya Amma" Tabary Secondary School, Heliopolis, Cairo (98.5%)

#### 2010-2019

### Training Courses

- COLLABORATIVE INSTITUTIONAL TRAINING INITIATIVE (CITI PROGRAM)
- Strategies for Writing Successful Grant Applications (Elsevier)
- Chemical safety training, College of Medicine. University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC).
- Biohazards safety training, College of Medicine. University of Illinois at Chicago.
  - Animal training, College of Medicine. University of Illinois at Chicago.
- Writing grant proposal. College of Medicine. University of Illinois at Chicago
- Introductory Bioinformatics course. Research Informatics Core. Research resource center. UIC
- Flow cytometry, Flow Cytometry core, research resource center, UIC.
- How to conduct clinical research. Center for clinical and translational Science. UIC
- Attended Human Research Academy 101-Fall 2016, Augusta University, Augusta, Georgia. Concerning ethical conduction of human clinical trials and duties of clinical research associate.
- Attending the weekly clinical research meeting of Dr Ayman Al-Hendy regarding the follow up of his
  ongoing clinical trials.
- Chemical safety training, Augusta University.
- Biohazards safety training, Augusta University.
- Animal training, Augusta University.
- Attended Clinical Pharmacy Seminar Series of continuing education activity conducted in Misr International University, by The University of South Carolina College of Pharmacy (15th Mar. 12), titles discussed:
  - Pharmacy role in achieving health outcome by Prof. Joseph Dipirio, Dean of South Carolina College of pharmacy
- Counselling on respiratory disorder by Dr. Cecily Dipiro, Consultant Clinical Pharmacist
- Counselling on cancer treatment by Dr. Roweina Schwartz, Senior Director, Clinical Content and Services, McKesson Specialty Health
- Drug information workshop, Misr International University.
- · Clinical pharmacy practice course conducted in faculty of pharmacy, Cairo University.
- PK/PD modelling and simulation workshop held in the Children's Cancer Research Hospital (57357)
- in Cairo, Egypt organized by the Arab Society of Clinical Pharmacology (ASCP).
- Case based introduction to biostatistics.
- Principles of clinical pharmacology.
- Writing in science.
- Effective Presentation.
- Communication skills.
- International publishing.
- SPSS.
- Use of technology in teaching.
- Conferences Organization.
- First Aid Course by Egyptian Red Crescent.
- Shape your future held by Egyptian pharmacy syndicate.
- Nature research academies workshops (Clinical research methodology, successful pre-submission publishing strategies, effective post-submission publishing strategies, academic writing, logical manuscript structure, Data publishing)
- Elsevier researcher academy: Strategies for Writing Successful Grant Applications

#### PERSONAL SKILLS

Mother tongue(s)	Arabic					
Other language(s)	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING	
	Listening	Reading	Spoken interaction	Spoken production		
English	C1	C1	C1	C1	C1	
	TOEFL IBT.					
	Lovels: A1/2: Basic usor - R1/2: Independent usor - C1/2 Proficient usor					

Levels: A1/2: Basic user - B1/2: Independent user - C1/2 Proficient user

Communication skills	<ul> <li>Teamwork: collaborated and communicated efficiently at all professional levels: research teams, teaching assistant consortium and pharmacy team, collaborated with other scientists, outlining objectives, methodology, and conclusions, actively listening to people and stimulating interest and discussion.</li> <li>Strong communication/presentation skills: presented data clearly and confidently to both</li> </ul>				
	<ul><li>small and large groups, adapting style and content to the level of knowledge and understanding of others.</li><li>Excellent interpersonal skills, self-motivated and able to work under stress and learn rapidly</li></ul>				
	<ul> <li>Exchanged constructive feedback and support and learned delegating responsibility.</li> </ul>				
Organisational / managerial skills	<ul> <li>Excellent organizational and prioritization skills, acquired whilst working for more than five years in research, teaching and community pharmacy fields at the same time with full competency. In each, I am responsible for a team of junior researchers, TAs or pharmacists.</li> </ul>				
Job-related skills	<ul> <li>Have an excellent academic, research and practical background in the field of clinical pharmacy. Very interested in patient's care, disease management and patient counselling.</li> <li>Basic and translational research Laboratory experience including working on stem cells and uterine fibroid patient samples.</li> </ul>				
	<ul> <li>Basic research working techniques including cell culture, protein extraction, nucleic acid extraction, immunoblotting, real time quantitative polymerase chain reaction, immunofluorescence, flow- cytometry, cell sorting, genotyping and ELISA.</li> </ul>				
	• Supervised and taught students, junior researchers and junior pharmacists adapting to different scientific levels and backgrounds, stimulating discussion and reflexion.				
	<ul> <li>Human and Rat tissue dissociation and isolation of primary and stem cells.</li> <li>Animal work experience including Intraperitoneal, subcutaneous injections to mice and rats, running surgeries like laparotomy and subcutaneous implants.</li> </ul>				
	Research proposal and grants writing.				
	<ul> <li>Participated in evaluation juries and marked students' essays.</li> <li>Teaching Skills to small and large groups in clear efficient methodology.</li> </ul>				
Computer skills	<ul> <li>Excellent command of Microsoft Office<sup>™</sup> applications: PowerPoint, Access, Excel, Word</li> </ul>				
	<ul> <li>Excellent command of Microsoft Onlice applications. Fower Point, Access, Excel, Word</li> <li>Excellent command of SPSS, Graph pad, Adobe Photoshop, Image lab 5.1, Bio-Rad CFX manager 3.1, Zen blue/ black for confocal microscopy image processing, NIH supported image J.</li> <li>Basic background in using R package and Linux.</li> </ul>				
Other skills	<ul> <li>I have actively participated in organization of successful regional conference organized by faculty of pharmacy, Ain Shams University, Cairo (14-16th) October,2014 being a member of the editorial committee.</li> </ul>				
	<ul> <li>I have great interest in history, particularly antiquity, and organize readings, museum visits and travels accordingly. I also enjoy practicing and watching soccer.</li> <li>Member of Resala Charity organization, Egypt.</li> </ul>				
	<ul> <li>Scientific judge in the final clinical pharmacy and community pharmacy workshop competition activates in SCOPS (student conference of pharmaceutical science) Ain shams University.</li> <li>Member of Medical Caravan 2007: Medical Awareness team</li> </ul>				
	<ul> <li>Member of Medical Caravan 2008: Pharmacy team</li> <li>Member of Immune-modulation diploma (IMcert) funded by Erasmus mundus.</li> <li>Scientific committee member for 9<sup>th</sup> annual Ain Shams university international conference.</li> </ul>				
Memphership					
August 2019 -now	American Society for Reproductive Medicine (ASRM), USA.				
August 2016 -now	American College of Clinical Pharmacy (ACCP), USA.				

#### **Publications**

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- 5. Ali M, Jackson-Bey T, Al-Hendy A. Simvastatin and uterine fibroids: opportunity for a novel therapeutic option. *Fertil Steril.* 2018;110 (7):1272-1273. doi:10.1016/j.fertnstert.2018.08.043
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- 8. Ali M, Al-Hendy A, Yang Q. Vitamin D, a promising natural compound with anti-uterine fibroid characteristics. *Fertil Steril*. 2019;111(2):268-269. doi:10.1016/j.fertnstert.2018.11.004
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- 13. Ali M, Prince L, Al-Hendy A. Vitamin D and uterine fibroids: preclinical evidence is in; time for an overdue clinical study!. *Fertil Steril*. 2020;113(1):89-90. doi:10.1016/j.fertnstert.2019.10.015
- 14. Ciebiera M, Ali M, Prince L, et al. The Evolving Role of Natural Compounds in the Medical Treatment of Uterine Fibroids. *J Clin Med.* 2020;9(5):E1479. Published 2020 May 14. doi:10.3390/jcm9051479 (Shared First author)
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- Elkafas H, Ali M, Elmorsy E, et al. Vitamin D3 Ameliorates DNA Damage Caused by Developmental Exposure to Endocrine Disruptors in the Uterine Myometrial Stem Cells of Eker Rats. *Cells*. 2020;9(6):1459. Published 2020 Jun 12. doi:10.3390/cells9061459
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# Presentations

- 1. Poster Presentation "Screening the antiproliferative effect of seven vitamin D analogs on human uterine fibroid." Society of reproductive investigation (SRI) march 2017, Florida, USA. **First Author**
- 2. Oral presentation "Vitamin D synergizes the antiproliferative, apoptotic, antifibrotic and anti-inflammatory effects of Ulipristal acetate against human uterine fibroids" American society of reproductive medicine (ASRM) November 2017, San Antonio, USA. **First Author**
- 3. Poster presentation "Hypovitaminosis D exacerbates DNA damage load and genomic instability in human uterine fibroids which is ameliorated by Vitamin D3 treatment" American society of reproductive medicine (ASRM) November 2017, San Antonio, USA. **First Author**
- 4. Poster presentation "Towards stem cell therapy of polycystic ovary syndrome (PCOS): human mesenchymal stem cells engrafment in letrozole-induced PCOS murine model" American society of reproductive medicine (ASRM) November 2017, San Antonio, USA. **Co-author**
- 5. Oral presentation "Synergistic effect of simvastatin and Ulipristal acetate on uterine leiomyoma" American society of reproductive medicine (ASRM) November 2017, San Antonio, USA. **Co-author**
- 6. Poster presentation "Ulipristal Acetate Inhibits Wnt Signaling Pathways in Human Uterine Fibroids" Society of reproductive investigation (SRI) march 2018, San Diego, USA. **First Author**

- 7. Poster presentation "Vitamin D Reverses Uterine Fibroids Associated DNA Damage" Society of reproductive investigation (SRI) march 2018, San Diego, USA. **First Author**
- 8. Poster presentation "Regulation of a Key DNA Repair Member RAD50 in Human Uterine Fibroids" American society of reproductive medicine (ASRM) October 2018, Denver, USA. **Co-author**
- Poster presentation "Mislocalization of β-Catenin is Causally Linked to Uterine Fibroids Phenotype: Mechanism for Growth and Opportunity for Novel Therapeutics" Society of reproductive investigation (SRI) march 2019, Paris, France. First Author
- Oral presentation "Activation of β-Catenin Responsive Genes through Epigenetic Reprogramming in Myometrial Stem Cells Developmentally Exposed to Endocrine Disrupting Chemicals" Society of reproductive investigation (SRI) march 2019, Paris, France. Co-author
- Poster presentation "Implication of Estrogen and β-catenin Cross-talk on Uterine Fibroids Pathogenesis which is reversed by Histon e Deacetylase Inhibitors" College of Medicine research forum, August 2018. Chicago. USA. First Author
- 12. Poster presentation "Developmental exposure to endocrine disrupting chemical diethylstilbestrol reprograms the metabolic related genes in myometrial stem cells" Society of endometriosis and uterine disorders (SEUD), May 2019. Canada. **Co-author**
- Oral presentation "Targeting β-catenin pathway, a novel mechanism of Histone Deacetylase inhibition on human Uterine Fibroids. Society of endometriosis and uterine disorders (SEUD), May 2019. Canada. First Author
- 14. Poster presentation "Targeting Enhancer of Zeste Homolog 2 (EZH2) with Methyl Jasmonate, a Promising Natural Compound against Human Uterine Fibroids" North American Menopause Society NAMS, September 2019. USA. First Author
- 15. Poster presentation "Reprogramming of Estrogen Signaling by MLL1 Links Developmental Exposure to the Risk of Uterine Fibroids" American society of reproductive medicine (ASRM) October 2019, Philadelphia, USA. **First Author**
- 16. Poster presentation "Vitamin D3 and its Analogue Paricalcitol reverse DNA Damage in Human Uterine Fibroid Stem Cells: Mechanism for Potential Preventive Therapy" American society of reproductive medicine (ASRM) October 2019, Philadelphia, USA. **First Author**
- 17. Poster Presentation "Activation of Pro-inflammatory Signaling Of Human Uterine Fibroid Stem Cells" NIEHS February 2020, Durham, USA. **Co-author**
- 18. Poster Presentation "Genome-scale Identification of Reprogrammed Genes Contributing to a Hyperestrogenized Phenotype of Uterine Fibroid" NIEHS February 2020, Durham, USA. **Co-author**
- 19. Poster Presentation "Involvement of DNA Damage Repair Sensors in Ethnic Disparities of Uterine Fibroids" NIEHS February 2020, Durham, USA. **Co-author**
- 20. Poster presentation "NATURAL COMPOUND METHYL JASMONATE SHOWS PROMISING ANTI-FIBROID EFFECTS IN HUMAN UTERINE FIBROIDS VIA INHIBITION OF EZH2 MEDIATED WNT/B-CATENIN SIGNALING PATHWAY ACTIVATION" NIEHS February 2020, Durham, USA. **First Author**
- 21. Oral presentation "PRO-INFLAMMATORY AND IMMUNOSUPPRESSIVE ENVIRONMENT CONTRIBUTES TO THE DEVELOPMENT AND PROGRESSION OF UTERINE FIBROIDS" American society of reproductive medicine (ASRM) October 2020, Virtual conference, USA. **Co-author**
- 22. Poster presentation "ACTIVATION OF SIRTUIN 3 BY NATURAL COMPOUND HONOKIOL INHIBITS HUMAN UTERINE FIBROID PHENOTYPE" American society of reproductive medicine (ASRM) October 2020, Virtual conference, USA. **Co-author**
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# Peer Reviewer

- Scientific reports journal (Nature publisher group)
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- Biomedical and Pharmacology Journal
- European Medical journal (EMJ)
- Drugs in R&D
- Molecular and Cellular Biochemistry
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- Future Journal of Pharmaceutical Sciences
- Journal of Clinical pharmacy and Therapeutics
- BMC women Health
- Clinical Pharmacokinetics
- Phytomedicine
- International Journal of internal medicine
- International Journal of women health

### Patent

• The use of Natural compound Methyl Jasmonate individually or in combination with green tea extract (EGCG) and vitamin D3 for treatment/prevention of Uterine Fibroids. (provisional patent, September 2019)

## Awards

- The most popular review article in 2017 from Biology of reproduction journal for the review article 'Selective progesterone receptor modulator for fertility preservation in women with symptomatic fibroids' with more than 5000 reads, award was presented during society for the study of reproduction meeting at New Orleans July 2018.
- 2018 UIC College of medicine research forum. Honourable mention in research assistant professors and scientific staff competition.
- ASRM 2021 Corporate Member Council In-Training Award on abstract "Downregulation of SIRT3 Contributes to Uterine Fibroid Phenotype, which is Inhibited by Natural SIRT3 Activator Honokiol" as first author.
- ASRM 2021 Fibroid Prize Paper on abstract "Transcriptomics Analysis Shows Profound Ethnic Differences in At Risk Pre-Fibroid Myometrium" as co-author.
- Member of Ain Shams quality assurance team who prepared Ain Shams university file for "Best University in applied research" and won first place over Egypt in 2021.

#### Grants

- Proof of Concept award. UIC Chancellor's Innovation Fund (CIF). Molecular Bio-Imaging Probe for Non-Invasive Differentiation Between Human Uterine Fibroids (Benign) Versus Sarcoma (Malignant) in Women with Suspicious Uterine Masses
- Member of the international project "Immune modulation certificate for postgraduate students enabled by blended learning" Funded by the European commission.

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# Editor:

• Guest editor in pharmaceuticals journal, MDPI for special issue "Developmental Origins and Emerging Therapeutic Opportunities for Uterine Fibroids"

#### https://www.mdpi.com/journal/pharmaceuticals/special\_issues/therapeutic\_uterine\_fibroids

• Associate editor in Archives in pharmaceutical sciences journal by Faculty of pharmacy, Ain Shams university.

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