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Date and Place of Birth: 8/1/1962 - Cairo - Egypt. **Languages:** Arabic (mother tongue), English (fluent). **Sex / Marital Status:** Male / Married, having 3 children.

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- **Bachelor Degree in Pharmaceutical Sciences,** Cairo University, May 1985 (General grade: Excellent with honor)
- Master Degree in Pharmacology & Toxicology, Cairo University, September 1993.
- **Doctorate of Philosophy in Pharmacology & Toxicology,** Cairo University, March 2002.

Academic Studies and Training Courses:

- **Prerequisite Postgraduate Courses** (Statistics, mathematics, instrumental analysis and physical chemistry), Faculty of Pharmacy, Cairo University, November 1987 (General grade: Excellent).
- **Special course in Pharmacology & Toxicology**, Faculty of Pharmacy, Cairo University, May 1989 (General grade: Excellent).
- Advanced course in "Mastering Computer Basic Programs, Faculty Preparation Unit, Cairo University, November 8 December 4, 1997
- **Teaching Skills, Education Psychology and Learning Capabilities,** Faculty Preparation Unit, Cairo University, March 14 April 2, 1998.
- **First Aid, Theory & Practice,** The Medical Education Development Center, Cairo University, 18 23 January, 2003.
- Faculty and Leadership Development Project (FLDP) Program:
 - o Enhancement of thinking skills. (2005)
 - o Presentation skills. (2005)
 - o Communication skills. (2005)
 - o methods in education. (2005)
 - Ouality standards in teaching. (2008)
 - o Quality standards in examinations and student evaluation. (2008)
- Pharmacy Education Using Computer-Based Knowledge (PECK), a TEMPUS project workshop, March, 2005.
- International Computer Driving License (ICDL), 2006.
- E- learning, principle, environment, content building, course management, e-exam and evaluation tools: A workshop delivered by the Canadian expert David Maurer, held in the



Deanship of Electronic and Distance Learning, Umm Al-Qura University, KSA, on 27-31 October 2013.

University Career, Academic:

- **Demonstrator** of Pharmacology & Toxicology Faculty of Pharmacy, Cairo University from October 1985 to December 1993.
- **Assistant Lecturer** of Pharmacology & Toxicology Faculty of Pharmacy, Cairo University from December 1993 to June 2002.
- **Lecturer** of Pharmacology and Toxicology, Faculty of Pharmacy, Cairo University from June 2002 to August 2005.
- **Assistant Professor** of Pharmacology and Pharmacotherapy, Dubai Pharmacy College, Dubai, UAE from September 2005 to September 2008.
- **Associate Professor** of Pharmacology and Toxicology, Faculty of Pharmacy, Umm Al-Qura University, KSA, since October 2008.

University Career, Administrative:

- Member of the committee of **Performance Appraisal and Development**, Faculty of Pharmacy, Cairo University.
- Head of the **Committee of Laboratory Instrumentation**, Department of Pharmacology & Toxicology, Faculty of Pharmacy, Cairo University.
- Head of "Planning & Curriculum Development Unit", Dubai Pharmacy College, Dubai, UAE.
- Member of the committee of **Laboratory Instrumentation**, Faculty of Pharmacy, Umm Al-Qura University, KSA
- Head of the Library committee, Faculty of Pharmacy, Umm Al-Qura University, KSA
- **Head of Pharmacology and Toxicology Department**, Faculty of Pharmacy, Umm Al-Qura University, KSA, from October 2008 to September 2011.
- **Vice dean, hospital affairs**, Faculty of Pharmacy, Umm Al-Qura University, KSA, since November 2012.

Teaching Experience:

- Teaching and demonstration of the experimental techniques of **Pharmacology**, **Toxicology**, **Pharmacometrics and Screening of drugs**, for the undergraduate students from December 1986 to June 2002.
- Participant in teaching courses of **Qualitative Analysis of Poisons** for the postgraduate students of diplomat of toxicology from May 1994 to June 2002
- Participant in teaching courses of **Advanced Pharmacology** for the postgraduate students of diplomat and M. Sc. of pharmacology from May 2002 to May 2005.
- Participant in teaching courses of **Biostatistics, Pharmacometrics and Screening of Drugs** for the 4th year graduate students from September, 2002 to September 2005.
- Participant in teaching courses of **Molecular pharmacology** for the students of the biophysics, Faculty of Science, Cairo University in the academic year 2002/2003.
- Participant in teaching course of **Basic Pharmacology** for the 3rd year undergraduate students during the academic year 2003/ 2004.

- Teaching course of **Drug Abuse** for the students of Faculty of Pharmacy, Misr International University (MIU) in the academic years 2003/2004 and 2004/2005.
- Teaching course of **Toxicology** for the students of Pharmacy, Misr International University (MIU) in the academic years 2003/2004 and 2004/2005.
- Teaching 3 courses of **Pharmacotherapy**, 2 courses of **Basic Pharmacology** and one course of **Toxicology** for the students of Dubai Pharmacy College (DPC), Dubai, UAE from September 2005 to September 2008.
- Teaching 5 courses of **Basic Pharmacology**, **Clinical Pharmacology**, **Basic Toxicology**, **Therapeutics 1** and **Therapeutics 2** for the students of Umm Al-Qura University, Makkah, KSA since October 2008.

Experimental skills and research interest

- Induction of renal hypertension following the renal artery compression technique.
- Measurement of blood pressure following both invasive and non-invasive techniques.
- Induction of global cerebral ischemia/reperfusion insult.
- Setup and operation of hepatocellular bioreactors (perfused columns of isolated agaroseimmobilized hepatocytes), applied in hepatotoxicity, hepatoprotection, detoxification and metabolic studies.
- Performance of in vitro isolated tissue preparations techniques and enzyme biochemical assays.

Scientific Affiliations:

- Member of the **Egyptian Pharmaceutical Society**.
- Member of the Egyptian Society of Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics.

Activities:

- Attendant of the "XXV Conference of Pharmaceutical Sciences", Egyptian Society of Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics, Cairo Meridian Hotel, 24 26 December 1996.
- Active participant (poster presenter) in the first "International Conference of Pharmaceutical and Drug Industries", National Research Center, Cairo, 24 26 March 2003.
- Participant in the First Arab Conference of "Hazards of Chemical, Biological and Nuclear War on Human Health and Environment", Arab League, Cairo, 20 April 2003.
- Attendant of the National TEMPUS Information Day "Enhancing the Euro-Egyptian Partnership in Higher Education", Faculty of Engineering, Ain Shams University, Cairo, 29 September 2003.
- Attendant of the **''First International Medical Education Conference''**, Bibliotheca Alexandrina, Alexandria, Egypt, April **2005**.
- Attendant of the "International Medical Conference of the Federation of Royal Colleges of Physicians of the UK", Dubai, UAE, March 2006.
- Attendant of "Dubai International Pharmaceuticals & Technologies Conference & Exhibition (DUPHAT)", Dubai, UAE, March 2006.
- Attendant of "Dubai International Pharmaceuticals & Technologies Conference & Exhibition (DUPHAT)", Dubai, UAE, March 2007.
- Active participant (poster presenter) in "Dubai International Pharmaceuticals & Technologies Conference & Exhibition (DUPHAT)", Dubai, UAE, March 2008.

- Active participant (workshop member) in "The First National Conference on Rational Drug Use", held in Sheraton Hotel, Abu Dhabi 15-16 May 2008.
- Active participant (workshop member) in "Pharmacology Laboratory Simulations", a CME accredited workshop, held in King Fahd Medical Research Center, King Abdul-Aziz University, Jeddah, KSA, 18-22 January 2009.
- Attendant of the First "International Scientific Meeting of Faculty of Pharmacy, Umm Al Qura University" held in the university compass, Makkah, 16-18 March, 2013.
- Active participant (workshop member) in the "Umm Al Qura University- Medical Spine (UQU-MS) hospital strategic plan", a workshop held in Jeddah Meridian, 6-8 Jan, 2014.
- Active participant (workshop member) in "Pharmacy Practice Model Initiative (PPMI) Organizational Assessment", a CME accredited workshop organized by Ministry of National Guard-Health Affairs in Park Hyatt Hotel, Jeddah, 23 November, 2014.
- Attendant of "Exploring a New Horizon in Pharmacy Practice in Saudi Arabia", a conference held by Ministry of National Guard-Health Affairs in collaboration with King Saud Bin Abdul-Aziz University for Health Sciences-Jeddah and King Abdul-Aziz Medical City for National Guard, Western Region, in Park Hyatt, Jeddah, 23-24 November, **2014**.
- Active participant (workshop member) in "**Principles of Assessment**", a workshop, held in the Faculty of Pharmacy, Umm Al Qura University, February 8th, **2015**.
- Active participant (workshop member) in **''Problem Based Learning''**, a workshop, held in the Faculty of Pharmacy, Umm Al Qura University, March 9th, **2015**.
- Attendant of "Safe Medication Practice (SMP): Implication of Informatics and Automation", a symposium held in King Abdullah Medical City, Makkah, 24 December, 2015.
- Active participant (workshop member) in "Assessment for Learning", a two-day's workshop, held in Umm Al Qura University, King Abdul-Aziz Memorial hall, 24-25 January, **2016**.
- Attendant of "First Pharmaceutical Conference: From Bench to Bedside", a conference held by the College of Pharmacy, Umm Al Qura University in collaboration with Security Forces Hospital, Makkah, 13-14 April, 2016.
- Active participant (workshop member) in "Fundamentals and tools for Student Learning
 Assessment", a three-day's workshop, held in College of Pharmacy, Umm Al Qura University, 810 May, 2016.

Thesis Supervised:

- Possible hepatoprotective effect of lipoic acid alone and with certain antioxidants in liver injury in rats, 2006
- Pharmacological study of some possible interactions between sildenafil and some antihypertensive agents in experimental animals, 2006.
- Pharmacotoxicological aspects of some central nervous system acting drugs in experimental animals, 2007

Funded Research Projects:

• Phytochemical and biological screening and evaluation of some wild plants growing in Saudi Arabia for potential antihypertensive activity and isolation of their active constituent. An ISR funded project (KSA) No. 4331006, contract signed in Rajab 1434 (co-investigator). Fund: 285000 SR.

• Hepatoprotective activity of *Acacia tortilis* growing in Makkah Al Mukarramah against carbon tetrachloride-induced hepatotoxicity in rats. An ISR funded project KSA 4331009, contract signed in Rajab 1434 (co-investigator). Fund: 145600 SR.

Publications:

- 1. El-Ghaly E. M., Shaheen, U., E., Ragab, El-hila, A. and Raafat. M. Bioactive constituents of Pulicaria jaubertii: A promising antihypertensive activity. *Pharmacognosy J.*, 2016, 8: 81-86.
 - 2. Ragab, E.A., Raafat, M.

A new monoterpene glucoside and complete assignments of dihydroflavonols of Pulicaria jaubertii: Potential cytotoxic and blood pressure lowering activity. *Nat. Prod. Res.* 2015, 6:1-9

- 3. Raafat, M., Al Malki, W., Ahmed, M. Paroxetine augments while naloxone abolishes the analgesic effect of paracetamol in acute nociceptive pain in mice. *Pharmacol. Pharmacy*, 2013; 4: 398-405.
 - **4.** Bahgat, A., Abdel-Aziz, H., **Raafat, M.**, Mahdy, A., El-Khatib, A. S., Ismail, A. and Khayyal, M. T.

Solanum indicum ssp. distichum extract is effective against L-NAME induced hypertension in rats. Fund. Clin. Pharmacol., 2008; 22: 693-699.

- **5.** Aboutabl, M. E., **Raafat, M**., Maklad, Y. A., Kenawy, S. A. and El Din, A. G. **Sildenafil augments the beneficial hemodynamic and histopathological effects of amlodipine in nitric oxide-deficient hypertensive rats: Role of nitric oxide-cyclic GMP pathway.** *Pharmacol. Res.***, 2008; 57: 456-463.**
 - 6. Raafat, M.

N-acetyl L-cysteine potentially affects hepatic glutathione synthesis only under conditions of enhanced oxidative stress *J. Egypt. Soc. Toxicol.*, 2008; 38: 29-34.

- 7. Al-Ghazali, M. A., Raafat, M. and El-Denshary, E. Alpha lipoic acid protects against acute hepatocellular damage induced by carbon tetrachloride in vitro. Comparison with N-acetylcysteine. *J. Egypt. Soc. Toxicol.*, 2008; 38: 35-40.
- **8.** Agha, A., Abd El-Gawad, H. M., **Raafat, M**. and Salman, M. **Effect of methotrexate and leflunomide combined therapy on adjuvant induced arthritis in rats.** *Egypt. Rheumatologist*, 2007; 29: 299-321.
- 9. El-Sawalhi, M. M. and Raafat, M. Effect of alpha lipoic acid on oxidative stress status in rat kidney subjected to ischemia/reperfusion injury. *Egypt. J. Biochem. Mol. Biol.*, 2007; 25: 59-76.
 - 10. El-Shamy, A. M. Koheil, M. A. Fathy, F., Raafat, M. and Sabry, M.

Evaluation of certain anticough pharmaceutical herbal preparations in the Egyptian market. *Bull. Fac. Pharm. Cairo Univ.*, 2006; 44: 193-2003.

- 11. Taher, A and Raafat, M.
- Imidazo[1,2-B] pyrazole-2, 6-dione; Synthesis and preliminary evaluation of anti inflammatory and analgesic activity. *Bull. Fac. Pharm. Cairo Univ.*, 2005; 43: 1-13.
- 12. Saad, S. F., El-Sayed, M. E, Attia, A.S.; Abdel Moneim, E. and Raafat, M. Effect of diclofenac sodium and pirprofen on the hypotensive action of captopril in normotensive rats. *J. Egypt. Soc. Pharmacol. Exp. Ther.* 1995; 14: 1001-1011.
- 13. EI-Sayed, M. E.; Saad, S. F.; Attia, A. S. and Raafat, M. Effect of the cyclo-oxygenase inhibitors, diclofenac and pirprofen on the antihypertensive action of captopril in renal hypertensive rats. *Bull. Fac. Pharm. Cairo Univ.*, 1994; 32: 26 -27.

References:

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