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Military Service: Compulsory Oct. 1973 – Dec. 1975

**Education:** 

1987, Ph.D., Sociology. The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

"Peasant Migration from an Egyptian Village to the Oil Producing

Countries; Its Causes and Consequences".

1984 1983, M.A., Sociology. The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

"Oil Labor Migration and Social Change in the Arab World: With Special

References to Egypt and Saudi Arabia".

1973 1973, B.A., Ain Shams University. Major: Sociology, Minor: Psychology.

**Languages:** 

Language

	Spoken	Written	Reading
Arabic (native speak	er)	Excellent	Excellent
Excellent			
English	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
French	Fair	Poor	Fair

## Other Training and skills:

- SPSS training course, Social Studies and Research Center, Faculty of Arts, Cairo University.
- Active computer proficiency.
- Integrated Environmental Assessment and Reporting, CEDARE, Cairo.
- Result Based Management Approach to Monitoring and Evaluation. Oct. 19- 21, 2009 Kampala. Uganda.
- MAXQDA, SESRI, Qatar University, 2 May, 2015.
- Factorial Design, Higher School of Economics, National Research University, Moscow, July 25 August 3, 2015

- Data Visualization with R. Higher School of Economics, National Research University, Moscow, July 25 – August 3, 2015

## **Countries of Work Experience:**

- Egypt, USA, France, Saudi Arabia, United Arab Emirates, Qatar, Yemen and Rwanda.

## **Research Awards:**

1996-1997	<i>Fulbright Commission.</i> Senior Fellows Program. Visiting Associate Professor, Department of Anthropology. The Johns Hopkins University, and Department of Sociology, New York University. March 1997 – Dec. 1997.
1993-1994	C.I.E.S., Ministere de L'Enseingement Superieur et de la Recherche, France. Oct.1993 - Feb.1994.
1987	<i>Ford Foundation.</i> Middle East Research Competition in International Relations and Comparative Politics.
1983	The University of North Carolina. R.J. Reynolds Research Award.
1981	Battle Institute. Population and Development Program. (Fellow).

## **Research Interests:**

- International Migration, Population studies.
- Inequality and Social Stratification
- Urbanization; Social Change in Rural Societies
- Socio-economics of Water Resources and Environmental & Applied Sociology
- Family Relations, Marriage and Divorce and Policy related Research.

## **Employment in Academic and Applied Research Settings:**

Currently Emeritus Professor of Sociology, Faculty of Arts, Menoufia University.

Feb 2010-Dec 2012 Socio-Economist, UNDP- Regional Bureau for the Arab States, Regional Center in Cairo.

Aug- Dec 2009 Social Development Officer, Nile Equatorial Lakes Subsidiary Action Program- Coordination Unit, **Nile Basin Initiative. Kigali- Rwanda** 

Dec. 2000 to date Professor of Sociology: *Menoufia University*; (Department Chairperson, August 1998-October 2000). Seconded to UNDP since February 2010.

Oct. 2000- June 2004 Professor of Sociology, *Qatar University*: by secondment from Menoufia University.

1995 – Oct 2000	Associate Professor of Sociology: Menoufia University.
1988 – 1995	Assistant Professor of Sociology, Menoufia University.
Feb. – Aug. 1994	Sociologist/Demographer, United Nations Regional Infrastructure Planning Project; Ministry of Planning: Egypt.
Oct.1993 - Feb.1994	Chercheur de Haut Niveau, URBAMA, Universite de Tours, France.
1991 – 1993	Researcher, <i>Center d'Etudes et Documentation Economique Juridique et Social. Urbama Project:</i> "Changement Economique, Social et Culturel et Modification des Champs Migratoire Internes dans le Monde Arabe".
1987 – 1989	Assistant Professor of Sociology; the American University in Cairo: Egypt
1985 – 1986	Research Assistant, <i>Family Health International:</i> Research Triangle Park, North Carolina.
1984 – 1985	Research Assistant; Department of Sociology: <i>The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.</i>
1979 – 1983	Teaching Assistant: Department of Sociology: <i>The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill</i> .
1976 – 1979	Researcher; Rural Research Unit: <i>The National Center for Social and Criminological Research (NCSCR)</i> .

## **Consultancies in Applied Settings:**

Project Title: Multi-Country Review of the State of the Social Service Workforce in MENA Region.

**Year:** May 2018 – May 2019 (About 100 days of service during the year.

**Location:** Middle East and North Africa Region (MENA). 9 Countries including Djibouti, Iran Jordan, Lebanon, Morocco, Oman, Palestine, Sudan, and Tunisia.

**Client:** MAESTRAL INTERNATIONAL on behalf of Global Social Service Workforce Alliance and UNICEF.

Main Features: This research project is anchored in the Convention on the Rights of the Child (UNCRC) and framed within the strategic focus of achieving more results for children, especially the most marginalized or socially excluded. UNICEF's Goal Area 3 of the strategic plan seeks to ensure that every girl and boy is protected from violence and exploitation. The plan recognizes the importance of a strong social service workforce (SSW) in reaching this key child protection strategy. The SSW supports children and families in communities in a variety of ways, playing a key role in preventing and responding to violence against children and strengthening families. Strengthening the SSW is critical to ensuring that the frontline can identify and address the multiple forms of violence against children.

In this context a Multi-Country Review of the State of the SSW in the MENA region will

culminate in a report highlighting unique aspects of the SSW in each of the nine countries studied. These include Djibouti, Iran Jordan, Lebanon, Morocco, Oman, Palestine, Sudan, and Tunisia. The study findings will highlight common challenges or trends and inform evidence-based strategies that countries may consider when developing their country-level action plans. The review will ultimately help address the question of whether governments currently have the capacity to address the needs of vulnerable children and families with the current SSW, and if not, will help identify approaches to fill gaps.

Its purpose is to create and analyse a baseline of information and data on the status of the SSW in MENA region. More specifically, its objectives are to:

- Provide a basic overview of the context for workforce strengthening, including supportive legislation and policies, financial resources, information management systems, availability of different levels of education and training including field placements, the existence and role of professional associations, and existence of regulatory bodies that establish licensing, standards and/or a professional code of ethics;
- Provide data at the national and subnational (where possible) levels on the workforce itself, including numbers of workers by cadre and employer, their roles and functions, and vacancy rates;
- Assess workers' perceptions of challenges and opportunities, including work environment, supervision, job satisfaction, on-going professional development, career paths and aspirations and their recommendations for improvements; and
- Identify implications for SSW strengthening based on national and regional analysis.

To achieve these objectives, a desk review of available secondary data and policy documents was conducted. In addition, two data collection questionnaires were designed to collect empirical data from samples of the SSW and key informants in the respective countries. The questionnaires were reviewed by Country Task Groups (CTG) representing multiple stakeholders. This process resulted in adapting the tools to country specific Arabic dialect (Persian in the case of Iran) wording and adding a number of questions that are unique to SSW context in each country. CTGs were also entrusted to develop country specific definitions of what constitutes a social service worker and social work. The SSW questionnaire includes seven different sections covering the topics of: personal information, general information related to the performed, career ladders, work supervision, training, support from professional associations/societies/syndicate and knowledge of code of ethics. The Key informants' questionnaire included sections covering: education and training, government SSW, nongovernmental SSW, policy and legislation, professional associations, workforce strengthening Initiatives and challenges facing the workforce.

## Position Held: Regional Consultant.

**Activities Performed:** The purpose of the consultancy is to support mapping and assessment of the social service workforce in the countries listed above. A process will be undertaken to engage a country level task group in gathering data. Under the supervision of the GSSWA Senior Technical Advisor (STA) and in consultation with the GSSWA International Consultant (IC) and the UNICEF Country Office (CO), the Regional Consultant will be responsible for carrying out the following tasks:

- 1) Attend webinar orientation to the project;
- 2) Support the STA and the UNICEF CO in identification of the members of country-level task

groups (CTG), to include representatives from national government, NGOs, universities, and professional associations;

- 3) Travel to eight countries for an inception meeting with the CTG to discuss work in that country, finalize mapping tool and data to be gathered and develop data gathering plan;
- 4) Support UNICEF CO in reaching out to the agreed representatives and facilitate their engagement in the work of the CTG;
- 5) Support UNICEF CO in organizing CTG meetings as needed, developing agenda, presentations and meeting notes and otherwise support the work of the CTG;
- 6) Support the IC and STA in gathering materials available in Arabic, French and English languages;
- 7) Support collection of data for assessment questionnaire, per CTG plans, including carrying out key stakeholder interviews as needed;
- 8) Assist in filling in data gaps identified after the initial data analysis;
- 9) Help track and clean data in Excel spreadsheets;
- 10) Help to prepare data, creating charts and tables as needed for country and regional reports;
- 11) Help to organize national roundtable discussions in each country to discuss preliminary country level data and identify recommendations for workforce strengthening;
- 12) Travel to eight countries to help IC facilitate roundtable discussions;
- 13) Support IC and STA during the country visits (i.e. translating, organizing meetings, etc.) as required; and
- 14) Write country and regional reports based on data collected and analyzed.

To date two reports have been produced (Jordan and Tunisia) two are expected to be finished during January 2019 and the remaining ones by the end of the first quarter of 2019.

Project Title: Policy Paper on Local Government and Inclusive Development of Youth in the Arab Region: The case of Egypt, Jordan, Lebanon, Morocco and Tunisia

Year: March – Aril 2017

**Location: Cairo, Egypt** 

Client: UNESCO, Middle East Office.

Main Feature: The consultant shall produce a policy paper that reviews the role of local governments in promoting inclusive development of youth in the Arab region, with a particular focus on the case of Egypt, Jordan, Lebanon, Morocco and Tunisia. In the context of this assignment, inclusive development is understood to be one that reduces inequalities in their various forms and addresses the needs of the most disadvantaged in all spheres: economic, social, environmental, and political. The paper provides: 1) A conceptual overview of inclusive development as it relates to young people, as well as the role of governments with regards to youth inclusion as preconized in major global and Arab regional agendas; 2) An assessment of the role required by the law, and currently played by local governments in the Arab region, in promoting inclusive development for youth. Cooperation modalities between local government and other government / non-government actors regarding the promotion of inclusive development of youth must be highlighted; 3) A succinct analysis of the challenges (legal, institutional, financial, etc.) behind the current state of affairs. Analysis is to be supported with examples of successful local measures / initiatives undertaken by cities in the above-mentioned

five (5) countries to address these challenges; 4) In light of the assessment, a set of actionable recommendations to enhance the role of local governments in the Arab region in promoting inclusive development of youth. Recommendations must be feasible, addressed to one or more identified actors, and suited to the prevailing context in the above-mentioned five countries.

#### **Position Held: Consultant.**

Activities Performed: conducted desk and library search on materials related to the topics related to local government in rentier and semi-rentier Arab states with special reference to the five countries, analyzed the global, constitutional and legal framework in which local government work in the concerned five countries state. This was followed by an analysis of macro socio-economic indicators as well as human development indicators of youth in Arab countries. The paper also addressed youth participation in local government and its obstacles as well as some of the projects aiming at promoting youth participation in local government and compared youth participation with the experience of other countries around the globe. The paper also advanced some recommendations for policy makers to engage Arab youth in local government.

**Project Title:** Evaluation of FAO's contribution to the reduction of rural poverty through Strategic Programme 3

**Year:** September – November, 2016

Location: Worldwide.

**Client:** Food and Agricultural Organization of the United Nation.

**Main Feature**: FAO Strategic Objective 3 (SO3) is one of the five Objectives approved at the 38th Session of

the FAO Conference in June 2013 as part of the Revised Strategic Framework 2010-2019. Following approval Strategic Programme 3 (SP3) was set up to lead the delivery of SO3 under three main work streams aimed to achieve three main organizational outcomes:

OO3.1 Rural poor are empowered through improved access to resources and services.

OO3.2 Improved opportunities to access decent farm and non-farm employment.

OO3.3 Strengthened social protection systems to reduce rural poverty.

ES2 This evaluation assessed progress in the implementation of the rural poverty reduction programme envisaged under SP3 during the period 2014-2016. Specifically, it reviewed:

- Strategic relevance: Is the FAO approach appropriate?
- Programme design: Are FAO interventions and delivery mechanisms adequate?
- Communication: Is there a common understanding and commitment to FAO's intervention logic among FAO headquarters, FAO decentralized offices, country counterparts and development partners?
- Partnerships: Is FAO selecting and leveraging partnerships to achieve the intended results?
- Effectiveness and sustainability: Is SP3 bearing signs of results in the form of institutional change, improved policy frameworks and enhanced resource mobilization?

## Position Held: Consultant.

## **Activities Performed:** My specific tasks will included:

- Review relevant documentation including a) substantive documentation on topics related to the poverty reduction theme, and b) FAO documentation such as the SP3 evaluability assessment report, CPFs and project documentation for countries covered within the scope of the evaluation as well as FAO's global and regional work on the topic;
- Follow the methodological approach described in the TOR: contribute to the finalization of evaluation tools including the evaluation matrix, questionnaires, check-lists and interview protocols as appropriate and agreed with the Evaluation manager;
- Carry out interviews, face to face or virtual, with FAO staff and government policy makers and technical experts, Multilateral Agency (Other UN agencies, IFI among others), Donors, Academia/Think-tanks, NGOs and CSOs Private Sector and any other relevant stakeholders;
- Participate in the evaluation team analysis and discussions;
- Oversee the consolidation of all evidence collected during the evaluation process in a structured format;
- Prepare and submit the foreseen deliverables: evaluation design, field visits reports, draft and final draft of the evaluation report in the specified region, according to specifications provided in the evaluation's TORs.
- Participate in presentations of the evaluation teams' work as requested/necessary.

#### **Deliverables:**

- 1. Evaluation design, including contributions to matrices and data collection tools
- 2. Field visits reports
- 3. Draft regional evaluation report
- 4. Contributions to final draft of the report

http://www.fao.org/evaluation/oed-home/en/

## Project Title: THE SYRIAN CRISIS: IMPLICATIONS FOR DEVELOPMENT INDICATORS AND DEVELOPMENT PLANNING IN JORDAN AND LEBANON

**Year: September 2013 – November 2013** 

Location: Regional, (Jordan, Lebanon and Syria).

Client: UNDP- Regional Bureau of the Arab States - Regional Center in Cairo.

Main Features of the Project: This research project aimed at 'setting the baseline' for a better and more holistic understanding of the impact of the crisis on development prospects in Jordan and Lebanon, as a basis for evidence-based policy-making, and mainstreaming into medium-term national development planning and development assistance in the two countries. The main thrust of the study project is to provide options to foster national ownership (alongside aid effectiveness) over the management of the development impacts of the crisis at national and host community levels, and to make a case for comprehensive and sustainable solutions and coordination of engagement by all stakeholders [national and subnational governments, other national actors (NGOs/CSOs) UNDP and the Regional UNDG, regional commissions,

multilateral agencies]. The project also provided a platform for knowledge exchanges between Jordan and Lebanon. Research findings and recommendations are/were expected to provide a benchmark for further policy-oriented research, longer term monitoring and advocacy activities.

The main product/output of the assignment will be a high quality synthesis report (considered an inception document for an intended longer-term tracking project) on the impact of the Syrian crisis on Jordan and Lebanon. It would encompass the following elements: 1) A set of baseline (both quantitative and qualitative) indicators, linked to the MDG and HD framework, to monitor the development impacts (both negative and positive) in major hosting communities in a comprehensive manner and gender-sensitive manner: (i) Economic: poverty, access to productive assets, employment, food markets, business development, trade, ...; (ii) Social: availability of/access to health and education services; quality of service delivery; (iii) Environmental: demography, access to water and sanitation, housing, sustainable use of natural resources; (iv) Security/Social Cohesion: relationships between refugees and host communities, and; 2) Preliminary evidences on/analysis of recent/potential changes in selected development 3) A synthetic analysis of Syrian crisis/refugee crisis' macro-economic, esp. budgetary impacts of the crisis for Jordan and Lebanon, including analysis of 'pre-crisis' conditions, recent developments and possible scenarios, controlling for other factors not directly linked to the Syrian crisis; 4) A roadmap for establishing an integrated, tractable database on national and international humanitarian and development support to the management of the refugee crisis; 5) An initial set of action-oriented recommendations regarding improvements to current national and international policy and programmatic initiatives and coordination mechanisms to more effectively respond to the longer-term development challenges arising from the crisis. This will include sector-specific recommendations as well as recommendations for key stakeholders at national, regional, and global levels.

## Position Held: Consultant Socio-economist

**Activities Performed:** working in liaison with national consultants and COs' study focal points in Jordan and Lebanon and in collaboration with the Poverty Practice Leader in the Regional Centre in Cairo (RCC) the following activities were performed: 1. Review existing and take stock of newly available resources on the impacts of the Syrian crisis in Lebanon and Jordan so as to further inform, as needed, the production/finalization of the study reports by national consultant teams and synthesis report; 2. Work on the synthesis report outline, based on technical proposals of national consultant/teams (Lebanon and Jordan) and consistent with the project Concept Note and expected outputs; 3. Review and provide additional guidance/insights on the interim outputs/parts and full drafts of the country reports provided by national consultants and support the finalization of the country reports and ensure timely delivery, and consistency with project expected outputs. 4. Draft the synthesis report : (i) Integrated and articulated findings of the country study reports in a consistent manner; (ii) Complemented the analyses provided by national teams; (iii) Fine-tuned recommendations and 'packaging' them in a reader-friendly way; and 5. Organized a virtual review (2-3 days) of the draft synthesis report with main study focal points (HQ, RCC, COs) and integrate comments received in a revised version of the report. 6. Finalized the synthesis report ((30-35 pages max, not including annexes) in a close to publishable version.

http://www.arabstates.undp.org/content/rbas/en/home/library/CPR/the-syrian-crisis/

**Project Title:** : The situation of religious minorities in Egypt

**Year: February 2013 – December 2013** 

**Location: National/Egypt** 

Client: Minority Rights Group, London England

Main Features of the Project: This report is a part of MRG's wider programme that works with local human rights and community organizations to challenge discrimination against religious minorities in Egypt and promote tolerance within Egyptian society.

The report covered the following: (1) discrimination against religious minority communities with regard to enjoyment of social, cultural and economic rights and civil and political rights; (2) participation of religious minority communities in political decision-making at the local and national level as well as good practice for inclusion on religious minority communities within these processes; (3) an assessment of current and previous government-level proposals to improve the situation religious minority communities face and the enjoyment of human rights by all communities; and (4) an assessment of the debate within society regarding the status of religious minorities and their rights, as reflected in positions put forward by actors across the political and social spectrum, including previous presidential candidates; (5) an assessment of proposals for provisions protecting the rights of religious minorities rights and the status / role given to Islam in available texts of the new constitution, and the debate they have given rise to within society, in particular with minority representatives.; (6) ideas/proposals for improvement in the enjoyment of human rights for all, including religious minority communities, resulting in concrete and specific recommendations for law, policy and practice that can be actioned by government, and also taking into account the role of international actors in supporting Egypt's transition.

## **Position Held: Consultant Sociologist**

**Activities Performed:** The research involved extensive qualitative field research which provided the basis of a 15,000 - 20,000 word report, that gave voice to the grievances and forms of discrimination suffered by religious communities; explore inter-religious relations and the impact of government policy and practices; and make recommendations for political and social change. During the research a number of junior researchers were supervised and trained on the job on data collection techniques and analysis.

Report Title and link: No change in sight: The situation of religious minorities in post-Mubarak Egypt.

http://www.minorityrights.org/12192/reports/no-change-in-sight-the-situation-of-religious-minorities-in-postmubarak-egypt.html

**Project Title: Development Policy Implications of Age-Structural Transitions in the Arab Countries.** 

Year: February 2013 –Mid of July 2013

**Location: Regional** 

Client: ESCWA-Social Development Division, Bierut

Main Features of the Project: The 17 countries of the ESCWA region are currently undergoing profound age-structural transitions which will have significant implications for the development of these countries, both in the short and longer term. These age-structural transitions are an outcome of the demographic transition As a result of this process, the age structure within the population will change. For the coming years, most Arab countries will have historically-low dependency rates and historically-high working-age populations. When the proportion of children in the population drops below 30 per cent, the period of the "demographic window of opportunity" begins, as this demographic situation presents major advantages for development. This change and its implications are not given a high priority on the policy agenda, as it is perceived as being a distant problem. To date, it does not seem that the countries of the ESCWA region have been effective in adopting demographic planning and life course approaches to react to these population shifts and benefit from the potential they bring. The need for action is all the more urgent since this demographic dividend is timelimited, and only likely to occur once in a country's history. The purpose of this consultancy is to develop conceptual framework for understanding the effects of age-structural transitions on different development-related policy areas in Arab countries, and to suggest approaches which can assist in developing concrete policy responses by member countries.

## **Position Held: Consultant Sociologist**

Activities Performed: 1) Participated in an expert group meeting in Beirut (February 2013) in which the design and implementation of social protection systems (among other related issues, i.e. the concept of age structural transitions, the macro-economic implications of age-structural transitions including labor market, fiscal and financial policies, intergenerational relations and the responses to present and potential future internationally-agreed development goals) were discussed to take into account age-structural transitions through demographic and life-cycle approaches. 2) Currently preparing a report on the social implications of the age-structural transitions in the Arab countries covering the issues of: The current state of social protection systems in the ESCWA region; Likely implications of age-structural changes in the ESCWA region for social protection systems; Fiscal Crisis of the state and risks to social protection systems in Arab Countries; The role of the Rule of Law/democratic systems, accountability and transparency and Governance; social protection systems in the ESCWA region for age-structural changes; and maintaining intergenerational social solidarity through the age-structural transitions.

The Middle class in the Arab region: Who are they and what happened to them: various perspectives.

**Year: February 2013 – End of August 2013** 

**Location: Regional** 

Client: ESCWA-Economic Development and Globalisation Division, Bierut

**Main Features of the Project:** This project attempts to address the following questions and issues:

Why the middle class as a group is important for the Arab countries during the current context in the region? Why policy makers should pay more attention to the middle class? How to measure and define the middle class according to the discipline of the chapter? Provide empirical evidence of the size of the middle class according to the discipline of the chapter? What role does the middle class play in promoting development, governance, human development and poverty reduction, with reference to the linkages between the middle class and other groups (poor and rich)? How could the role of middle class be harnessed? What are the policies that will help promote the middle class and what policies should be avoided? What messages should be delivered to the policy makers regarding the middle class in the region?

**Position Held: Consultant Sociologist** 

**Activities Performed:** Currently drafting a paper on the middle class in the Arab world from a sociological perspective focusing on the social processes leading to middle class differentiation from socio-historical perspective and stressing the diversity of these processes with the various sub regions of the Arab World (GCC, Mashreq, Maghreb and LDCs).

Project Title: Determinants and Consequences of Internal Migration in the Arab Region

Year: Two Months (Mid-February – Mid-April 2013).

**Location: Regional** 

Client: UNFPA- Arab States Regional Office-Cairo

Main Features of the Project: The overall aim of the thematic assessment paper is to clearly understand the dynamics on internal migration within countries of the region and its determinants from demographic and socioeconomic factors. This should also take into consideration the interaction with local development issues, urbanization process and the emergence of slum areas in some countries of the region. Specifically the assessment paper TORs are: 1) Assess the overall level of internal migration for the overall Arab region and portray its scope and content within various countries. 2) Specify and analyze the main determinants of internal migration and their linkages to local development efforts and urbanization. 3) Define the prevailing patterns of internal migration and elaborate the new patterns that are emerging in the Arab Region resulting from macroeconomic reforms and the

political and social changes? What is the scope of various migrations streams? 4) The implications of internal migration on various vulnerable groups such as children, youth, women, and elderly people. 5) The impact of internal mobility on medium and small urban centers? 6) Set the stage for improved policymaking by taking stock of how governments are addressing the root causes of internal migration, especially those related to poverty, environmental change, food security and policies, and provide recommendations to policy makers for addressing challenges and identifying opportunities related to internaheba.h@arabwatercouncil.orgl migration.

**Position Held: Consultant Sociologist** 

**Activities Performed:** Report responding to the above ToRs was prepared.

Project Title: Conference Report; Regional Governance Week – Social Accountability in a Changing Region

Year: December, 2012- January 2013

**Location: Regional** 

Client: UNDP- RBAS- RCC

Main Features of the Project: The objective of this consultancy is author an overall report of the event, reflecting deliberations during the 4 days of the event, and main recommendations for the way forward. The report would intend to reach a wider audience that the participants of the event, so it will not present the full proceeding of each day, but rather focus on delivering the key messages and recommendations. UNDP will take care of proof reading, editing, design, lay out and printing of the final report. UNDP would also be responsible for providing copies of all background papers prior to the event, as well as the transcript of the plenary sessions; session reports prepared by designated participants and any presentations submitted by the key note speakers shortly after the event (or prior to the event, whenever possible).

## **Position Held: Consultant - Lead Author**

Activities Performed: 1) Prepared guidelines for rapporteurs, in order to secure quality of reporting on the event's discussions First draft delivered and is currently under review; 2) Conducted a briefing session for rapporteurs on the first day of the event; 3) Developing the template and format for the event report in consultation with Governance Team; 4) Coordinated the production of the draft report of the event, including collection of submissions from rapporteurs, working with the 2 consultants on parallel stream reports, collecting feedback and inputs from the RCC Governance Team; 5) Producing the draft of the report for the review of RCC Governance Team; and 6) Provide quality assurance for the Arabic translation, produced by professional translator. First draft of the report is currently under review.

**Project Title: Scaling Up ENTRO Social Assessment Manual** 

**Year:** Oct. – Dec. 2012 (30 working days over 70 days)

Location: Regional: (Egypt, Ethiopia and Sudan)

**Client:** Eastern Nile Technical Regional Office (ENTRO)

Main Features of the Project: ENTRO has first commissioned the preparation of a Social Assessment Manual (SAM), specifically tailored to guide the preparation of ongoing projects (IDEN and JMP). The Manual was prepared targeting primarily ENSAP Regional Project Coordinators to support their work in factoring in key social issues and concerns that the projects might impact. Major social development issues in the Eastern Nile (viz. livelihood, participation, gender, stakeholders, equity, social cohesion/conflict, community institutions, cultural historical heritage, environmental services, etc.).

#### **Position Held: Consultant**

**Activities Performed:** This assignment aimed at producing a document scaling up the SAM into a Social Management Guidance (SMG). The preparation of this (SMG) document is intended to give structure and formality to ENTRO's social function as an institution, in coordination with the developments taking place within the SDCO. This process will lay a foundation across the EN region for: (i) a unified SM framework that embodies the social principles already guaranteed by the respective national frameworks, and (ii) consistent SM practices that actualize those principles. Furthermore, the SMG is meant to enhance the capacity of ENTRO to play a role in social management activities at policy, plans and programms levels. More specifically, SMG aims at: 1) Act as a preliminary guide for management of social issues at ENTRO and in the EN countries; 2) Ensure that ENSAP projects are designed to be socially sustainable; 3) Harmonize SM practices in the near future and pave the way to transform the guidelines and practices into EN trans-boundary guidelines; 4) Strengthen capacity to implement social plans in the EN countries especially for ENSAP projects; 5) Provide a unified framework for management of social issues at ENTRO; 6) Come up with a final plan for a unified or at least harmonized SIA legislation and guidelines to be adopted by ENSAP projects in the EN countries.

The SMG is meant to apply only to regional and country programmes, projects and activities that are being managed by NBI centres or NBI projects. ENTRO does not currently have a mandate to regulate social issues at large, but through proper management of its own activities, hopes to influence future developments in this area.

Project Title: Council of Arab Ministers of Youth and Sports

Year: August 2012 Location: Regional

Client: League of the Arab States, Council of Arab Ministers of Youth and Sports

**Main project features**: Review and evaluate the activities of the Council of Arab Ministers of Youth and Sports (Youth Division) and propose the main pilars of the up coming five year plan.

Position Held: Advisor

**Activities performed:** A Strategy document was produced and Submited to the Technical Office of the council. The document proposed that an Arab youth strategy must focus on the fllowing five main pilars: Youth employment, education, civic paticipation and social media, Health and family formation and Arab youth in conflict areas.

Project Title: Lake Nasser and Nubia Socio-Economic Survey

**Year:** August 2012 for a total of 75 days over 9 months period.

**Location: Regional** 

Client: Ministry of Water Resources and Irrigation, Egypt, Nile Water Sector.

Main project features: A socio-economic survey of lake Nasser and lake Nubia in the context of a proposed Nile Basin Trust Fund grant to the Eastern Nile Technical Regional Office (ENTRO) for the Eastern Nile First Joint Multipurpose Program identification. The project goals are to assist both Egypt and Sudan to: (i) Improve the quality of information necessary to predict sedimentation processess in Lake Nasser/Nubia for possible mitigation and other management measures; (ii) Develop a framework to guide sustainable development management of Lake Nasser/Nubia. An integral part of the project is to conduct a socioeconomic survey. The objective of this consultancy service is to undertake evaluative technical reviews for all socio-economic surveys consultancy deliverables prepared by the consultant hired by the PMU "ex. Detailed work plan, inception report, survey design and tools, fieldwork mid-term report and final report" to ensure that the socio-economic survey conforms to the conventional canons of what a socio-economic survey must cover and that the data is properly collected, analyzed and reported. Issues covered by the socio-economic survey include household demographic Structure, education, labor force participation, internal and external migration, Income, and expinduture, Community(s) Characteristics Infra-structure and provision of services.

**Position Held:** Supervising Consultant

**Activities performed:** to the date the consultant reviewer have delivered comments on the inception report and prepared detailed written comments on the questionnaire designed by the consultant. His responsibilities will continue as the project proceeds forward. Other deliverables include: (i) an evaluation of fieldwork implementation; (ii) review of mid-term and first draft of report as well as final report.

Project Title: Council of Arab Ministers of Social Affairs five years (2012-2016 Work plan

Year: August 2011 to date

**Location: Regional** 

Client: League of the Arab States, Council of Arab Ministers of Social Affairs

Main project features: (i) Develop a fife year (2012-2016 action plan for the Council of Arab Ministers of Social Affairs; (ii) prepare detailed planes and concept notes for the proposed

activities of the plan; (iii) participate in the implemntation of the plan activities and assess its implentation.

Position Held: Advisor

**Activities performed:** Wrote the five year work plan and developed concept notes for several workshops and for the establishment of a research unit on Social Policy and Reduction of Poverty within the Social Affairs Sector of the Arab League of Nations.

Project Title: Establishing Poverty Unit at the Ministry of Planning, Regional Government of Kurdistan.

Year: June-July 2012

**Location: Kurdistan-Iraq** 

Client: Regional Government of Kurdistan.

**Main project features:** Assist the Ministry of Planning of the Regional Government of Kurdistan to establish a unit for poverty analysis and assessment of governmental projects impact on poverty reduction.

Position Held: Mission member, sociologist

**Activities performed:** conducted interviews with officials within the ministry of planning as well as other line ministries and government entities and other relevent stakeholders on poverty and proposed in collaboration with other mission members plans for increasing coordination between the various ministries with regard to the implementation of Kurdistan Poverty Reduction Strategy as well as assisst in developing training and capacity building for the staff of the Ministry of planning in poverty analysis, project evaluation and project feasability studies.

ProjectTitle: The Tripatriate Committee on the Great Ethiopian Renaissance Dam.

**Year:** January 2012- todate

**Location: Egypt** 

**Client:** Ministry of Water Resources and Irrigation

Main project features: Evaluation of the Impacts of the Great Ethiopian Rennaisance

Dam(GERD).

**Position Held:** .Socio-economist, National Technical Support team member.

**Activities performed:** Provide technical support on socio-economic issues related to the potential impact of GERD on soocial and economic life down stream in general and in Egypt in particular and review and evaluation of socio-economic project documents and reports produced by the Ethiopian Government to provide technical backstopping to the Egyptian negotiations deligation.

**Project Title: UNDP- Regional Center in Cairo, Poverty Practice** 

**Year:** February 2010 to End of April 2011, December, 2011 to date.

**Location:** Regional

Client: UNDP-Regional Bureau for the Arab States, Regional Center in Cairo (RBAS-RCC).

Main project features: The main objectives of Poverty Practice in the region comprise:

- Compilation, analysis and interpretation of economic and statistical data, through research of the key economic and development issues and production of relevant reports aimed at promoting human development and inclusive growth.
- Provision of top quality analysis and substantive inputs to UN strategic documents
- Monitoring of human and money metric poverty data and support to the emergence of PRSPs and national policies for development and achievement of the MDGs;
- Development of assistance in support of socioeconomic stabilization in the context of broader transition in conflict countries;
- Authoritative advice on possible areas for UNDP support and adjustment of on-going programmes to ensure that UNDP programmes are in line with national policies and priorities;
- Advice to programmes on public financial management economic governance and aid coordination;
- Ensure that women's economic concerns are mainstreamed and economic opportunities for women are explored in new projects;
- Leading the production, consultative process, and launch of relevant UNDP-supported substantive reports, including National Human Development Reports, MDG reports, and Regional Reports on development challenges

#### **Position Held: Socio-Economist**

**Responsibilities and Activities performed:** Under the overall supervision of the Poverty Practice Leader (PPL) in the Regional Centre, the socio economist will assume responsibilities for the following deliverables:

- Supported country missions with background research before and after missions;
- Prepared back ground research papers for the Arab Development Challenges Report;
- Undertook research in response to country office demands;
- Supported the generation of knowledge products and technical training products;
- Technical Review of MDGs Country Annual and Periodic Reports.

# Project Title: Nile Equatorial Lakes Subsidiary Action Program Coordination Unit (NELSAP-CU).

Year: August 2009- December 2009 Location: Kigali, Rwanda- Regional

**Client: Nile Basin Initiative** 

Main project features: The Nile Equatorial Lakes Subsidiary Program (NELSAP) includes the countries of Burundi, D.R. Congo, Egypt, Kenya, Rwanda, Sudan, Tanzania, and Uganda. It seeks to achieve joint action on the ground through cooperative investments that promote poverty alleviation, economic growth, and the reversal of environmental degradation in the sub-basin. The NELSAP countries, especially Rwanda, Burundi and D.R Congo, have integrated efforts to address post conflict challenges in their PRSPs. The NELSAP countries are

seeking to advance regional integration through private sector led development.

## **Position Held: Social Development Officer**

**Scope of Work and Activities performed:** The primary duties and activities of the Social Development Officer included the following:

- Provided leadership and technical guidance to achieve the targets, outputs, and performance indicators for the inclusion Social Development in the NELSAP activities. More specifically:
- Took appropriate action as necessary to ensure that good practice of social analysis is systematically addressed in projects preparation and implementation the and enhance subsequent stakeholder involvement and communications.
- Supported NELSAP in projects identification, preparation of terms of reference, supervising and recruiting consultants focused on these issues, monitoring the quality of consultant outputs on these issues and focused on the social and political factors that might either inhibit or expand necessary cooperation and collaboration among partners at the national, sectoral and project level.
- Advised on the appropriate balance of attention of the instances of 'local' (i.e. directly affected by the project, both negatively and positively) and 'external' stakeholders (i.e. international ngos/interest groups) on NELSAP projects.
- In the effort of reaching out a truly representative 'civil society voice', assisted and advised in identifying important stakeholders (consumers associations, charitable organizations, community based organizations, etc.) which are development-oriented and can provide invaluable input to project planning.
- Provided support, advice and training to NELSAP to ensure full stakeholder involvement, and effective confidence building in NELSAP investment projects. This included designing terms of reference for consultations, conducting or guiding detailed project stakeholder analysis and assessments of stakeholder participation activities in each country of their responsibility, giving feedback on the quality of such participation, providing technical support for stakeholder meetings, and converting technical documents into various formats that a broad audience could understand and comment on.
- At the sub-regional and project level, fostered innovative mechanisms for engagement with civil society in the development of NELSAP projects. Establish linkages with national or regional networks and civil society groups to provide information and gather input for improvement of project activities. Fostered and supported networks that facilitate such involvement through the Confidence Building facility.
- Identified and provided support for the implementation of confidence building activities such as conferences, workshops and exchanges which build trust between basin countries and between specific groups of key stakeholders critical to project progress.
- Designed and implemented training programs for NELSAP staff, project target groups, and government Ministries on participatory approaches in NELSAP projects.
- Developed policy notes and organized workshops as needed on problems and best practices in stakeholder involvement activities and Social Development for different types of PMUs.

**Project Title: Humanitarian Pandemic Initiative** 

**Year:** July 2008 – July 2009

**Location:** Egypt

Client: Egypian Red Cresent/International Federation of Red CrossC/Red Cresent and

**USAID** 

Main project features: The overall goal of this initiative/project aims at minimizing excess preventable mortality and morbidity during pandemic by undertaking preparedness and planning measures in the most vulnerable parts of Egypt through maximizing utilization of available capacities, with particular focus on improving prepredness at the community and household levels. More specifically, it seek to develop a humanitaian pandemic preparedness and contingency plans as well as functioning network within the context of the National Pandemic Plan. These plans will be capable of supporting the community and household levels in order to minimize morbidity and mortality, massive social disruption and related sufferings caused by a severe pandemic. The plans focus on the three major areas of public health, food security, and livelihood. In acordance with the above, the project's speific objectives are: 1) to develop prepardness plans an mechanisms for strengthening community resilience in the focal areas of public health, food security and livelihood; 2) to Strengthen the capacities and empetancies of staff and volunteers of civil society organizations to cary out community level pandemic preparedness activities; and 3) to develop well functioning coordination mechanisms at all levels with, regional, national and international stakeholders.

## **Position Held: Consultant Sociologist**

**Activities performed:** Develop a training program for community leaders including preparing training manual and developing a plan of action to be implemented before, during and after a pandemic at the household and community levels in the field of livelihood. Both the training program and plan of action are concerned with three main areas of livelihood: Community disrption, community resilience and buiness continuity.

Project Title: Identity and National Security in The United Arab Emirates (Social Sructure, Identity and National Integrity in UAE Component).

**Year: June 2008 – June 2009** 

**Location:** UAE

**Client:** Future for Media Studies and Research, UAE.

Main project features: This is a policy oriened project that aims at developing a conceptualization of the national Emirati identity, and propose policies that contribute to the reinfocement of Emirati identity among the citizens of UAE. Furthermore, the project aims at developing policies seeking to reinforce the integrity of the national social fabric to help strenghening both social stability and peace and reduce chances of external penetration. The project also aims at developing policies aming at reducing the spread of fanaticism amongest youth. In addition, it seeks to propose policies aiming at reducing demographic imbalance and its effects on identity, and the national integrity of the state of UAE. Finally, the project seeks to activate the debte on issues of identity and national integrity between the political, cultural and academic elites of the UAE.

## Position Held: Principal Consultant Sociologist

Activities performed: Develop a proposal for the analysis of the social structure in its relationhip with issues of identity and national integrity and security issues in UAE and compose a team of sociologists to undertake the analysis of the various issues that were developed in the social structure proposal. These issues included the following: 1) From Tribalism to Modernism: Social History of UAE; 2) Class Structure in UAE Society; 3) Demographic Transitions and the Future of Population Structure in UAE; 4) Urban Structure and its Change; 5) Patterns of Housing In UAE Cities; 6) Changes in Marriage Patterns and Family Structure in UAE; 7) Daily Language and Identity; 8) Food Culture, Identity and National Integration; 9) Youth, the Internet and Issues of Identity; and 10) Perception of Identity among Emaratis. Supervizing team work and writing final reports.

## Project Title: Evaluaion of the Socio-Economic Impacts of Fayoum Irrigation **Improvement Project**

**Year:** April – August 2008

**Location:** Fayoum Governorate, Egypt

Client: MWRI office at Fayoum and Royal Dutsch Aid.

Main project features: This project aimed at the formation of WUAs at the branch canal level to help improve water management and implement aspects of the National water policy concerned with participation by farmers in IWRM.

**Position Held: Consultant Sociologist** 

**Activities performed:** Entrusted with the evaluation of the Socio-economic evaluation of the impact of the project I design of tools for data collection in setttings where the project was implemented and other areas which were not exposed to the project, sampling and statistical analysis using SPSS, the implementation and supervision of fieldwork and data collection, data quality control, reporting of findings.

Project Title: Mapping & Analysis of Secondary Stakeholders in Nile Basin Countries.

**Year:** August 2007- June 2008

**Location: Egypt** 

Client: Nile Basin Initiative, Shared Vision Program (SVP), Confidence Building and

Stakeholder Involvement Project

Main project features: The Principal Objective of this consultancy service is to compile country profiles of NBI influential secondary stakeholders to populate NBI databases. Two profiles will be compiled in each NBI country: a global profile encompassing all NBI influential secondary stakeholders at national level, and a profile of significant stakeholders specific to the power/energy sector in each NBI country. Using an agreed analytical framework and research methodology, the consultancy will identify the different groups and categories of influential NBI secondary stakeholders; ascertain the key stakeholders among them, analyse their respective interests and concerns; and highlight the nature and degree of their influence on NBI-related processes. The power/energy sector-specific profiles will undertake mapping and analysis along the same lines as the global analysis, but in a more elaborate and detailed

#### manner.

The NBI-related processes of relevance to this consultancy include, but are not limited to:National development policy and planning (socio-economic development, poverty and gender); National policy and practice on stakeholder participation and public consultations frameworks; Natural resource tenure legislation and policy-making; Management and development of water and water-related resources including: Environment, Hydropower, Irrigated agriculture, Fisheries, River transport, Industry, Trade and Tourism.

Though hydro-power is a water-related resource to be considered in the global profile, the consultancy will undertake parallel analysis of the power/energy sector in the country to address the annexed sub-TOR on mapping and analysis of significant secondary stakeholders of the power/energy sector addressing the specific needs of the Regional Power Trade Project (RPTP).

Based on findings and analysis, including of policies and practices regarding public involvement and participation, the Consultancy will recommend operational actions to inform formulation of NBI strategies for stakeholder consultations and involvement in options assessment and decision-making processes in various NBI (SVP and SAP) operations. The findings and analysis of the power/energy sector are to inform both decisions and actions by the SVP Regional Power Trade Project (RPTP) and its governing bodies in both formulating stakeholder involvement strategies and plans, and in convening stakeholder consultation forums at national, sub-regional and basinwide levels.

For the purposes of this consultancy, analysis of Influential Secondary Stakeholders in each country will include, but as appropriate is not confined to, the following seven main categories:Different Tiers of Government, Legislative Organs, Civil Society Organizations, Academic and Research Institutions, Mass Media, Private Sector Agents, Distinguished Public Opinion Leaders and Political Parties and Groups.

## **Position Held: Consultant**

**Activities performed:** The Tasks to be undertaken by each national consultancy will pertain to two levels: (1) the Global Country Profile of NBI Secondary Stakeholders for which the Tasks are detailed in this Section of the TOR and (2) Profiles of Influential Secondary Stakeholders in the Power/Energy Sector for which Tasks are incorporated in separate annexed sub-TOR. Within the structure of a searchable database, and the analytical/methodological frameworks agreed at the Inception Meeting (see 4. below), the national consultancy will: Identify and list government ministries, departments and institutions at national, regional (state/district) and local levels of relevance to the national management and development of the water and waterrelated resources as well as to international cooperation; Identify and list legislative organs at national, regional and local levels – including their term of service and basis of their formation; Identify and list civil society organizations, trade unions, professional associations, and community based organizations that have an interest in NBI issues; Identify and list the incountry teaching and research institutions of relevance to NBI issues; Identify and list the national media (print, audio-visual, and virtual), whether formal (e.g. licensed newspaper and TV/radio stations) or informal (virtual discussion groups) that consistently address Nile issues, their sphere and extent of coverage, and their influence on public opinion; Identify and list private sector agents, present and prospective investors in water and water-related resources, and the formal and informal private sector associations with interests in the Nile waters Identify and list the main political parties and groups within the country, with commentary on their programs and objectives, and their stand with respect to NBI cooperation and issues.

Project Title: Mapping and Analysis of Power Sector Secondary Stakeholders in Nile Basin Countries.

**Year:** August 2007- June 2008

**Location: Egypt** 

Client: Nile Basin Initiative, Shared Vision Program (SVP), Regional Power Trade Project. Main project features: The Principal Objective of this sub-assignment is to compile profiles of RPTP influential secondary stakeholders in each NB country and to populate a database with these profiles. The Consultancy will identify the different groups and categories of RPTP secondary stakeholders at national level, ascertain the key stakeholders among them, and analyse their respective interests and concerns, and the nature and degree of their influence on RPTP operations and NBI power projects using an agreed analytical framework. The general objective of this consultancy is therefore to assist the Project Management Unit (PMU) and the Power Technical Committee (PTC) in the identification of stakeholders for the RPTP, mapping them to their specific interests and drawing up a basin-wide stakeholder participation plan.

## **Position Held: Consultant**

Activities performed: Identify and list government ministries, departments, and institutions at national, regional (state/district) and local levels of relevance to the national management and development of electricity; Identify and list legislative organs at national, regional (Province, District) and local levels – including their term of service and basis of their formation; Identify and list civil society organizations, trade unions, professional associations, and community based organizations that have an interest in energy/power issues; Identify and list the incountry teaching and research institutions of relevance to power sector; Identify and list the national media (print, audio-visual, and virtual), whether formal (e.g. licensed newspaper and TV/radio stations) or informal (virtual discussion groups) that consistently address Nile issues, their sphere and extent of coverage, and their influence on public opinion; Identify and list private sector agents, present and prospective investors in water and water-related resources, and the formal and informal private sector associations with interests in the Nile waters; Identify and list public opinion leaders with influence on debates over NBI-related issues; Identify and list the main political parties and groups within the country, with commentary on their program and objectives, and their stand with respect to NBI cooperation and issues.

Project Title: Valuation of Social Impacts of Water Policy.

Year: April 2008 Location: Egypt

**Client: Nile Basin Initiative, Eastern Nile Technical Regional Office (ENTRO)** 

Main project features: This is sub compnenet of a broader project concernd with th socioal, economic and political impacts of water policies. The main objective of the project is to develop specialized training courses for for those involved in water management on th above stated dimensions and issues of water.

**Position Held: Consultant Sociologist** 

Activities performed: Prepared training modles including course structure, substntative

issues, detailed session plans, objectives, methods of training, materials, and reading materials concerning the social aspects of water policies. The consultnt also wrote a detailed "lecture" notes on the subject. Written materials for the course included discussion of issues of definition of social impact valuation, Socio-political Principals for Good Water policies, Stakeholder Participation, Why do we need and How to do Social Impact Valuation, Water Policies as Social Policies, Core Issues of Social Impact Valuation Water of Policy: the poor and Poverty Reduction, Water Policy and Gender, Water Policy, Equity and Social Cohesion, Water Policies and Conflict Resolution; and, Social Valuation of Water Policies in Shared River Basins.

Project Title: General Plan of Drinking Water and Saniation: Gharbia Governorate.

Year: July 2007- July 2008

**Location: Egypt** 

**Client:** Misr Consulting Engineers. (World Bank Funded Project)

Main project features: This project aims at tudying and tehnically evulate the existing infrasructure of potable water and sanitation in Gharbia Governorate, and assess its capcity to respond to potable water demand and to meet sanitation discharge in the light of the expected population gowth up to the year 2037. Furthermore, it aims at assessing the technical alternatives for the development of the capacity of potable water stations to o meet the increasing water consumption and improve drinking water quality.

## **Position Held: Consultant Sociologist/Demographer**

Activities performed: conduct population and demogaphic studies of the governorates based on secondary data analysis and develop alternative population gowth senarios for he period 2007- 2037. Identify and classify the current and expected diverse population activitis (residenial, commercial, industrial, agricultural, etc... and the expected rural/urban population distribution at the governorate, district and village custers during the concerned period.

**Project Tile: Final Evaluation of EMPOWERS Partnership Project** 

Year: May - July 2007

Location: Regional; (Egypt, Jordan and Palestine).

Client: Care International's Middle East and Eastern Europe Regional Management Unit (MERMU).

Main project features: The overall objective of this project was to improve long-term access to water by vulnerable people in local communities in the MEDA zone. Three countries, Egypt, Jordan and Palestine were selected to implement the project. The goal of the project was to enhance water governance in selected pilot areas in the MEDA zone and to make stakeholders on all governance levels (also outside the pilot areas) aware of the advantages of participatory approaches. The EMPOWERS Partnership's ambition was to improve long-term access and rights to water by under-privileged populations, through a process of participatory water governance. The project used stakeholder dialogue and concerted action to enhance right-based approaches through vertical and horizontal linkages and information flows, empowerment and decision making at all levels. The EMPOWERS mission although simple,

was ambitious. It was to change the practices and policies by which the scarce resources (water, of course, but also financial and human) of the countries – and eventually the region – are managed so as to provide services that are more effective, equitable, and sustainable. To achieve this goal, EMPOWERS focused at the intermediate and local levels – the governorate, district and village/municipality. In doing so it aimed to play a role in achieving the following long-term vision for water management in countries of the Middle East and the Mediterranean: a) Water resources are well managed and equitably used by all segments of society (in spite of scarcities); b) Water rights and priorities of the underprivileged are taken into account.

The evaluation aimed at analyzing the activities and results of EMPOWERS Program in terms of the outcomes planned for and anticipated in the revised Log Frame of 2006, the processes adopted to design and implement the project to achieve intended results, and the approaches and strategies which should be maximized and built on for scaling up or replicating this kind of program.

To achieve the above evaluation objectives, this evaluation covered the different stages of EMPOWERS Project launching, implementation and phasing out including: a) Project Design and Start up; b) Project Implementation and Performance; c) Achievement of Objectives; d) Potential impact and sustainability; e) Partnership Dynamics; and f) Project Management and Support. More specifically, the objectives of this evaluation were to assess: 1) **Process**—the degree to which the project was designed, managed, and implemented in ways that enhanced its impact; 2) **Impact** – to what degree the project approach resulted in intended or unintended improvements in the lives of beneficiaries; 3) **Replicability** – identify lessons learned, weaknesses and successes and the factors for failure/success.

## Position Held: External Regional Evaluator

**Activities performed:** Participated as a member of a five persons evaluation team in the design the evaluation plan, interview guides, and questionnaires. Conducted quantitative data analysis using SPSS. Conducted interviews with various project stakeholders (governmental, CSOs, private sector, end users and benfecieries. Anayzed project documents and conducted fieldwork in pilot project implementaion sites. Wrote sections of the final evaluation report especially those related to institutional issues, country reports, scaling up and replicability.

Project Title: Technical Assistance to the Ministry of Water and Environment, Project Management Unit and Technical Secretariat for the Water and Sanitation Sector Reform.

Year: Sept. 2006 to Dcc 2006.

**Location: Yemen** 

Client: Ministry of Water and Environment, Republic of Yemen/World Bank Funded Project/DHV Water BV.

**Main project features:** This project aims at: a) strengthening the capacity of each General Directorate in the MWE in implementing its mandate in line with the overall mandate of the MWE; b) to support the technical Secretariat in implementing the institutional component of APL1; and c) to support the Project Management Unit in managing of the various contracts of the APL1.

Position Held: Overall Team Leader and Institutional Expert Component A.

Activities performed: Day to day project management and administration, including reporting on progress to the client; Day to day coordination and inter-action with the client and other parties involved; Overall and day-to-day project planning including mobilization of staff and resources management; Ensuring compliance with the contract (TOR) and overall quality of the services and final outputs; Final responsible for the development of the a strategy for the selection of the final project components and the overall implementation arrangements and schedule; Final editing of all reports and contract documents; review mandate, competence, inputs, outputs various General Directorates, line entities relevant to policy development, planning, coordination and M&E; develop structure of workflow for work execution, flow and follow-up; propose, test, implement procedures, modalities and standard forms to implement workflow procedures; prepare inception, quarterly progress and final report.

**Project Title: SEKEM University** 

**Year: June 2006 – Sept 2006** 

**Location: Egypt** 

**Client: SEKEM University** 

**Main project features:** Curriculumm Development of the faculty of Arts and Humanities and the establishment of a social research Center at SEKEM University that was underestablishment at the time.

## Position Held: Academic Consultant to the Provost of SEKEM University

Activities performed: The scope of work of this on going assignment is two folds: 1) Institutional building of the School of Humanities, Social Sciences and Arts at SEKEM University. The assignment include performing the following duties: A) Designing the Four-Year Curricula for each department within the School including identification of courses, provision of course descriptions, and determination of credit hours; B) Identifying and planning the schedule of the Humanities and Social Science courses that will be offered to all University students within the University Core-Requirements Program; C) Identifying and selecting Faculty Members for teaching the Humanities and Social Science Core-Requirement Courses; and, D) Overseeing the implementation measures for starting the course offerings of the Humanities and Social Sciences by October 1<sup>st</sup>, 2006.

2) Institutional building of the SEKEM Social Research Center (SSRC). Including: A) Designing the research program of the Center and identifying potential funding donors for the implementation of the Center's research, training, and community development activities; B) Identifying and selecting researchers and research assistants for appointment at the Center; C) Preparing research proposals for submitting to donor agencies in response to their solicited RFPs as well as other unsolicited proposals; D) Assisting in the implementation of current research activities and training programs of the Center; E) Assisting in the data analysis and writing up of the Center's research reports.

Project Title: Enhanced Wastewater Treatment System in Alexandria.

Year: May 2006

**Location: Alexandria** 

Client: Alexandria Governorate-Misr Consulting Engineers.

**Position Held: Consultant Sociologist** 

Main project features: The main objective of this project is to identify a set of interventions which would jointly lead to a noticeable improvement of the water quality in the Lake Marriout to improve health conditions for the fishermen working in the lake and the communities surrounding the lake. The lake is seriously affected by the impacts of disposal of large quantities of domestic and industrial wastewater. This situation has generated bad serious deleterious impact on public health and aquaculture. One of the major reasons of the poor water quality in the lake is the disposal of up to 600,000 m³/day of partially effluent from the Eastern Wastewater Treatment Plant (EWTP) of Alexandria. Furthermore, the Semoh, other drains discharge some 300,000 m³/day of untreated sewage into the El-Qalah drain.

## **Position Held: Consultant Sociologist**

Activities performed: 1) demonstrate compliance of project with Bank safeguards; 2) indicate whether project will entail any expropriation or otherwise adversely affect owners or occupants in the use of their property, and; 3) Indicate whether the project will have any other positive or negative social impact [employment creation, employment loss, etc.]. More specifically as a consultant sociologist my responsibilities include the Analyzing: 1) demographic data of Alexandria; 2) land use statistics for Alexandria at the district level; 3) domestic and industrial activities in the area; 4) projections for demographic data for the next 20 to 25 years; 5) household sizes and household income at the district level; 6) willingness to pay for waste water services; 7) Ability to pay for waste water services; 8) Expected effect of the project on employment rate; 9) Other social effects of the projects; 10) All social effects shall be evaluated, calculated and and justified by expressing costs and benefits in monetary figures per year.

Project Title: Water and Social Stability: Situation Analysis Study.

Year: March – April 2006

Location: Egypt (Four rural governorates in upper and lower Egypt).

Client: CARE International-Egypt

Main project features: This project seeks to promote equity, stability and inclusion in the water resource system at the local level. Its unique contribution is a focus on effective resolution of conflict at the local level and increasing compliance with national water policy by water users. Specifically, the project will investigate the irrigation water distribution process in a variety of circumstances, actual user participation, as well as issues of conflict and non-compliance challenging effective implementation of NWRP. The project will also facilitate grassroots contributions to NWRP action plans and engage key stakeholders to identify promising practices and solutions. The project will develop relevant, evidence-based tools to promote mutual accountability between local partners (water users and local GoE) engaged in effective water resource management and will model institutional reform through mentoring and cross-agency collaboration. The More specific details about the project goal, strategic objective, and expected results:

**GOAL**: to promote equity, stability and inclusion in the water resource management in Egypt Strategic objective: Key stakeholders engaged in mutually accountable resource management, advocacy and promotion of best practices in view of preventing conflict at both national and local level

**Result 1**: Relevant, evidence- based tools promote mutual accountability between local partners (Water users and local GoE) engaged in effective water resource management and conflict prevention mechanisms

**Output 1.1** The project will conduct research to identify potential causes of conflict and water policy non – compliance

**Output 1.2**. The project will design in consultation with relevant stakeholders, set of tools and mechanisms to address potential causes of conflict and water policy non- compliance. In specific:

An Accountability Framework Standards for appropriate competencies, responsibilities and authority of various players necessary for institutional reform;

Mechanisms for social inclusion and effective citizen participation (overcoming discrimination based on low socioeconomic status, tail-end of the irrigation system, and gender);

Systems for effective monitoring and reporting;

Mechanisms for effective conflict mitigation between main local stakeholders;

Methods for engaging women in water resource management and conflict prevention;

**Output 1.3**. The project will share and disseminate research's results and suggested mechanisms with different stakeholders in relation to the NWRP and its implementation at local level

**Output 1.4.** The project will provide TA to mentor local stakeholders and local GoE units to improve their overall capacities and to provide them with mentoring, facilitation and negotiation/mitigation skills

**Output 1.5**:The project will facilitate cross-agency problem solving and joint capacity building at local level

**Output 1.6**: The project will document and disseminate best practices, including evidence-based mechanisms for mutual accountability and effective conflict management in the use of water resources at the local level

**RESULT 2**: Facilitate the active engagement of Governorate and National players/authorities in promoting accountable resource management and conflict prevention mechanisms at local level

**Output 2.1** The project's partners and key stakeholders will actively participate and reflect on best practices and mechanisms in existing platforms at national and governorate level

**Output 2.2** The project will produce and share Policy Notes which incorporate key findings from local dialogues with key GoE (in particular the inter-ministerial Technical Committee for Water Resources Management which advises the High Committee for Water Resources Management) and civil society stakeholders at the national level and incorporate feedback into the Policy Notes

**Output 2.3** The project will facilitate the promotion of best practices, including evidence-based mechanisms for mutual accountability and effective conflict management in the use of water resources and results of mentoring and cross-agency collaboration in governorate and national level forums for policy intervention, with specific emphases on the practical implementation of the NWRP.

Position Held: Consultant Sociologist.

Activities performed: Conduct preliminary Situation Analysis research addressing the following issues: 1) Within the Egyptian context, review causes of conflicts in the water sector at the local level, especially in relation to usage & management. 2) Review findings, recommendations and lessons learned of initiatives led by governmental and non governmental organizations related to water and conflict at the local level in Egypt, and if possible at the regional and international levels. 3) Conduct stakeholders' analysis at the village, district, governorate and national level in relation to water usage & management. The analysis should identify stakeholders (institutions, groups...etc) affected by & affecting in conflict at the local level. 4) Specify draft criteria for selection of the four sites based on the research findings. 5) Provide verbal and written suggestions for the design of the implementation plan and the logical frame Analysis. (LFA).

Project Title: Multipurpose Development of the Eastern Nile; Joint Multipurpose Program

One System Inventory, Socio-economic Theme.

Year: 2006

Location: Regional (Egypt, Ethiopia, and Sudan).

Client: Eastern Nile Technical Regional Office (ENTRO)

Main project features: The Joint Multipurpose program is envisaged to involve large scale, multipurpose and multi-country projects that would promote economic growth, sustain the environment and reduce poverty in the three countries. The objective of this consultancy was to compile essential information on socio-economic and related issues of the Eastern Nile subbasin that will be used to inform analysis for the identification of multipurpose development opportunities under the Eastern Nile Development Program.

## Position Held: Socio-economic Consultant for Egypt.

Activities performed: prepared a report of about 250 pages to serve as a baseline comprising an inventory of socio-economic quantitative and qualitative knowledge in Egypt, commented on adequacy of sources, knowledge and data gaps, and performed analysis to inform project decisions on potential impacts of proposed multi sectoral investments. The report covered issues related to socio-economic regulatory and institutional setting and institutional assessment, country (Egypt) demographic profile, livelihood profile including labor force, employment and economic structure profile, access to basic infra-structure services, issues specific to vulnerable groups and marginalization, social organization, conflict and coping strategies, poverty selection criteria, lessons learned from previous development project especially in the field of irrigation and water resources, the impact of possible major development opportunities on the Eastern Nile and on Egypt, key points to be considered in developing a social impact for typical major multipurpose project, the status of socio-economic knowledge base; data coverage, quality, access, and knowledge gaps, and finally recommendations for further future work. The report also included an annotated bibliography of the available literature on the issues indicated above.

Project Title: Water Conflicts and Conflict Management in Egypt

**Year: 2005** 

**Location: Egypt Client: CEDARE** 

Main project features: 1) To provide overview of water in irrigated agriculture and assess how water conflicts were managed in the past; 2) Assess the impact of technological improvements (private pumps etc...) on the ability of users to collectively solve water allocation disputes; 3) Address the water boards (WBs) and Water Users Associations (WUAs) as an approach for conflict resolution; 4) Study the impacts of WUAs on achieving equity in water availability between farmers with access to main irrigation canals and the tail-enders and analyze the level of effectiveness of the WUAs in conflict management; 5) Analyze the social dimensions of competition on water resources before and after the establishment of WBs and WUAs as a mechanism for conflict resolution (how communities are adapting to change and building operational arrangements to minimize competition and conflict over available limited water resources?); Assess the success and limitations of the existing resolution mechanisms for the allocation and use of water resources.

Position Held: Consultant Sociologist

**Activities performed:** 1) Undertook fieldwork in three rural governorates with both traditional irrigation arrangements and WBs and WUAs to collect data on the above stated issues where I adopted a case study methodology; 2) Suggested modifications on the existing mechanisms for improved water conflicts management.

Project Title: Capacity Building in Social Development at ENTRO and ENSAP Country

Teams.

Year: Oct 2004 - todate

Location: Egypt
Client: DFID

Main project features: under the umbrella of ENSAP, the three eastern Nile countries have agreed on the necessity and feasibility of building capacity in social development. The Social development office is to carry out six main tasks. These are: 1) training and Skill development to build the capacity of the national social development coordinators and national focal points; 2) input to project planning through the assessment of the socio-economic viability of irrigation development projects and recommendation of methodologies for stakeholder participation in individual projects including in that background social analysis; 3) Initiation of pilot social studies and analysis of social development; 4) Development of guidelines by producing ENTRO Social Assessment Manual (SAM) for the assessment of the socio-economic viability of investment subprojects to identify and summarize the key social issues on individual projects. 5) Establish a database and documentation to be available to national project teams; and 6) The development of effective civil society and stakeholders networks at the country, regional and international levels.

**Position Held:** Facilitator and Training Consultant

**Activities performed:** 1) Assist in the organization of national workshops on social development, capacity building and methodologies of social research; 2) Participate in training of national social development coordinators and national focal points in national and regional workshops; 3) building networks of civil society stakeholders; and 4) participate in the writing of ENTRO Social Assessment Manual. To the date, three national workshops were organized in each country as well as two regional ones. A third regional workshop will take place in Khartoum during the period of March 14<sup>th</sup>- 19<sup>th</sup> 2007. Within the context of this project I also assumed the *volunteer* role of *National Social Development Coordinator* for Egypt from Oct 2004 – end of April 2006.

Project Title: Integrated Water Quality Management Project

Year: Sept 2004 - Aug 2005

**Location: Egypt** 

Client: Ministry of Water Resources and Irrigation. Water Quality Management Unit, Nile Consult and Eco Con Serv Environmental Solutions.

Main project features: The immediate objective of the project is to build a sustainable institutional capacity for water quality management within the Ministry of Water Resources and Irrigation through strengthening the Water Quality Management Unit. This is to be achieved through: 1) general policy coordination at the national level; 2) facilitation of policy implementation at the local level including formulation of water quality action plan; 3) Advice on adjustment of the legal framework to support the implementation of action plan through measures for prevention, treatment and control; 4) Evaluation of water resource policies; 5) Advice on institutional development in water quality management; 6)support human resources development in water quality management at the de-central level; 7)Assist in preparation of materials to increase public awareness for the need of protection of water resources and water quality protection; 8) prepare annual reports on the state of water quality in Egypt; and 9) Establish a water quality knowledge management, including the establishment of collaboration agreements for information exchange.

**Position Held:** National Institutional Specialist.

Activities performed: Analysis of the positioning of the water quality unit within the ministry organizational structure, labor force requirement and qualification, and training needs. Elaborating institutional measures to address water quality pollution in pilot areas. Analysis of other governmental and non governmental stakeholders. Assist in the analysis of licensing and enforcement mechanisms of the present law and suggest improvements. Participate in meetings and conduct interviews with district level stakeholders concerned with water quality. Assist in preparation of workshops on the quality aspects of involving civil society in water quality management and participate in these workshops; Preparation of monthly reports describing progress and problems faced and planned activities.

Project Title: The Egyptian Value Survey

Year: 2001

**Location: Egypt** 

Client: World Value Survey Association.

**Main project features:** A nation wide survey using a national representative sample of 3000 cases selected from 9 governorates. The survey is a part of a comparative survey that was conducted in 99 countries. It covered a wide range of value orientations related to family, religion, work, friendship, leisure, environmental, political, economic, human rights gender and socialization among other.

Position Held: Co investigator

**Activities performed**: Participated in the translation of the questionnaire, pretest, fieldwork implementation, and writing of the final report and participated in the International conference that was based on Survey results "Explaining the World Views of the Islamic Publics: Theoretical and Methodological Issues." Cairo, Feb, 24-26, 2003.

Project Title: Coastal Wetlands In Egypt.

Year: 2000

**Location: Northwest Coast, Egypt** 

Client: Egyptian Environmental Affairs Agency

**Main project features:** The project aimed at studying the viability and sustainability of the coastal wetlands along the Mediterranean coast of Egypt, in order to devise policies aiming at preserving them.

Position Held: Consultant Sociologist

**Activities performed**: Conducted a field study in which I was responsible for the design of research tools, data collection and analysis which covered the socio-economic and demographic aspects of the coastal protectorate of Al Omayed which is composed of 4 Bedouin villages. The research looked at the political economy of the area identifying several sources of corporate and institutional threats to the sustainability of the protectorate and suggested policies to preserve its continued existence.

Project Title: The Evaluation of The Impact of the Activities of The Institute of Cultural Affairs in Rural Communities.

Year: 2000

Location: Beni Sueif, Egypt

Client: Institute of Cultural Affairs, Maadi, Cairo, Egypt.

Main project features: Identify and assess the impact of various community development interventions undertaken by ICA, specially assessing the effectiveness of various community development approaches adopted by ICA during the past 10 years (1990-2000). Identify keys to success/causes of failure of various approaches & interventions, document ICA's accumulated learning experiences, and to come up with recommendations for programmatic and organizational changes that are gender sensitive and environmentally sustainable.

Position Held: consultant sociologist

**Activities performed:** 1) Design of research modules and tool, data collection and analysis, writing research reports; 2) Institutional capacity building through program implementation, coaching, training and consultancies, programmatic intervention in agriculture, animal husbandry, small loans, and women enhancement. Networking and exchange.

Project Title: The Transfer of Some Parts of the Irrigation Network to the Users or to the

Private Sector: A base Line Survey

Year: 2000

**Location: Egypt** 

**Client: Ministry of Irrigation and Water Resources** 

Main project features: analysis of the existing irrigation system and practices in new and old agrarian communities and their problems to establish a pre project baseline data base, and the attitudes of framers/peasants towards the proposed transfer the responsibilities of management and maintenance of parts of the irrigation system network (tertiary canals) to them, as well as the current social conflicts and problems over irrigation rights and the means of resolving them.

**Position Held:** Consultant sociologist

**Activities performed:** design of tools for data collection, sampling and statistical analysis, the implementation and supervision of fieldwork and data collection, data quality control, reporting of findings, and to suggest policy implementation procedures.

Project Title: The New Vision Program.

Year: 2000

**Location: Egypt** 

**Client: Center for Development and Population Activities (CEDPA)** 

**Main project features:** The New Vision program is targeted to boys and young men at the age group of 12 to 20 years. Its objectives included increasing the reproductive health knowledge of young men, increasing their gender awareness and developing important life skills.

**Position Held:** Training Consultant

**Activities performed**: Training of trainers to use social research methods (participatory rapid appraisal methods) to establish base line database, needs and project impact assessment and to develop assessment manuals related to the objectives stated above.

Project Title: Poverty Alleviation and Employment Generation Program (PAP)

Year: 1999

Location: Giza, Egypt

Client: Government of Italy, Embassy of Italy, Egypt.

Main project features: The PAP aims at encouraging the establishment of small and micro

scale enterprises in the Governorate of Giza poor urban areas as well as rural ones as a mean of poverty reduction and generation of work opportunities for the poor via easy term loans and grants as well as training in the fields of management, production techniques and marketing.

**Position Held:** Consultant Sociologist

Activities performed: prepared and develop training assessment needs for beneficiaries of the social oriented component and the market oriented component. This was achieved through: Analysis of the situation of the social oriented component; provide the program with comprehensive list of training centers and free lance consultants, assist the program to start up evaluation of training; identify the program strategy towards activities to be financed and training required,; Suggested policies to adopt towards beneficiaries; defined the types of training that should be attended by the beneficiaries, formulated training assessment needs and analyzed the capacity of CDAs as future catalysts for the training needs at the community level.

Project Title: Baseline Survey of Five Villages in Aswan

Year: 1999

Location: Aswan, Egypt

Client: Institute of Cultural Affairs, Maadi, Cairo, Egypt.

**Main project features:** Training of civil society stakeholders on participatory rapid appraisal.

Position Held: Consultant Sociologist.

**Activities performed:** Design of a training program, its implementation both in class and the field. Training of the board members of five NGO's in five villages in Aswan on Participatory Rapid Appraisal and establishing base line database. Writing research report using data collected in collaboration with participants. Participation in workshops.

Project Title: Abha Regional Development Plan

Year: April - Sept. 1996 Location: Saudi Arabia

Client: Ministry of Urban and Rural Affairs, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.

**Main project features:** To prepare a comprehensive master development plan of Abha region covering an area of 19000 square km including 3 cities and several villages.

Position Held: Consultant Sociologist

**Activities performed:** Conducted a socio-economic and demographic survey on a sample of the population for the purpose of drafting a master plan for the development of the area and assess its potential growth and participated in drafting the tourist plan for the region.

Project Title: Strengthening Irrigation Management in Egypt

Year: March- August 1995

**Location: Egypt** 

Client: International Irrigation Management Institute (IMII); USAID and Ministry of Public Works and Water Resources, Government of Egypt.

Main project features: This project had two broad objectives: 1) to develop a long range plan that would enable the Ministry of Water Resources and Irrigation (MWRI) to make effective use of the Irrigation Management Systems Project outputs; and 2) to make further progress toawrds clarifying and establishing Egypt's future policy toward cost recovery and cost sharing to ensure the sustainability and effeciency of water resource management. The project developed a detailed long-range *Action Plan* for strengthening irrigation management in Egypt. Furthermore, some of the results of this project were to be used in the design of the proposed new Water Resources Management Policy in Egypt.

Position Held: Consultant sociologist

Activities performed: Participated in analyzing the institutional and organizational structure of the Ministry. Conducted a comparative study comparing the traditional irrigation system to the Improved Irrigation project. Assed the capacity of the land tax Authority to collect tile drainage cost and conducted a study comparing the old irrigation system to Improved Irrigation system within the same project; In addition, participated in drafting the action plan for strengthening irrigation management in Egypt.

Project Title: Regional/Infrastructure Planning Project

Year: Feb- Sept. 1994

**Location: Egypt** 

Client: UNDP, and Ministry of Planning, Government of Egypt

**Main project features:** prepare a plan for the development of Sinai till 2017 and suggest policies to increase population growth in the region.

Position Held: Consultant Sociologist/Demographer

**Activities performed:** Conduct secondary data analysis of current and future population growth trends and an analysis of availability and accessibility of the various social services to local population at the regional and governorate levels.

Project Title: The Academic Profession in Egypt.

Year: 1994

**Location: Egypt** 

Client: Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching.

**Main project features:** An international survey of the academic profession focusing on the various aspects of the profession such as teaching, research, community service (consultancy), job satisfactions and frustrations, governing in academia, higher education and society, the international dimension of academia, the academic culture, and the prospects for the future of academia.

Position Held: Principal investigator, Egypt.

**Activities performed**: Supervised data collection based on standardized questionnaire from a

national sample of 1000 cases, analyzed data and wrote research report.

Project Title: Education in Egypt.

**Year: 1994** 

Location: Egypt Client: DANIDA

Main project features: A short term assignment to evaluate the current state of education in

Egypt.

Position Held: Consultant sociologist

**Activities performed**: Review and analyzed secondary data sources concerning factors influencing the educational process such as class density, student faculty ratio, physical infrastructure, budget allocation at the national level, etc... Also analyzed international donor's activities in the field of education and recommended certain activities for future support by DANIDA.

Project Title: Lake Manzala Engineered Wetlands

Year: 1992-1993 (2 months for each year July-August).

**Location: Egypt** 

Client: UNDP. UNEP, Global Environmental Facility, Pat Lane and Associates.

**Main project features:** the project aimed at constructing an engineered wetland to treat 3 million cubic meters per day of highly polluted water.

Position Held: Consultant sociologist

Activities performed: Undertook a social study to assess the socio-economic impact of the proposed wetland project on the local population and established a pre project baseline data to enable measuring post project impact assessment and drafted a damage mitigation and compensation plan, and identified rehabilitation and training needs. I was responsible for research design, sampling, data collection and analysis, and writing the research report on the social dimension of the project.

#### **Training and other Activities:**

**Wokshop Organizer:** *Social Data Collection and Analysis in the Project Cycle.* **Nile Equatorial Lakes Subsidiary Action Pogram**. Dar es Salaam, Tanzania 7-12 December, 2009.

**Facilitator:** Volunteers Training Workshops on Community Resiliance and Business Prepedness. **Humanitarian Pandemic Initiative. Egyptan Red Crescent.** Cairo and Qaluib, September/October, 2008.

Lead Facilitator: Third Regional Training Workshop for Investment Projects Country Teams, "Social Data Collection & Analysis

**Methodologies and the Project Cycle".** Social Development Office, Eastern Nile Technical Regional Office. Khartoum March 14<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>, 2007.

**Facilitator,** Second Regional Training Workshop for Investment Projects Country Teams, (Stakeholder Analysis), ENTRO, Cairo, April 15-20, 2006.

Facilitator, Nile Basin Discourse Workshop, Addis Ababa, 23-24 March, 2005.

Contributor, Project proposal development, "Revitalization of the Nile Basin Civil Society Forum". For submission to the EU Water Facility and DFID, Addis Ababa, ENTRO-ENSAP, March 23-24, 2005

**Facilitator,** Second National Training Workshop for Investment Projects Country Teams (integrated Natural Resource Management), Cairo: 18-20 July, 2005.

**Facilitator,** First Regional Training Workshop for Investment Projects Country Teams, (Gender Analysis), ENTRO, Addis Ababa, March 28-1 April, 2005.

**Facilitator,** First National Training Workshop for Investment Projects Country (Millennium Development goals and social Development), Cairo: 29-30 December, 2004.

## **Selected Consultancy Reports:**

2019	The State of the Social Service Workforce 2018, Trends and Recommendations for Strengthening the Workforce. June. Contributor, available on the Internet at: <a href="https://bettercarenetwork.org/sites/default/files/State-of-the-Social-Service-Workforce-2018-Report.pdf">https://bettercarenetwork.org/sites/default/files/State-of-the-Social-Service-Workforce-2018-Report.pdf</a>
2019	Country Report: Palestine, Findings from the Social Service Workforce Mapping. Draft 1: April.
2019	Country Report: Morocco, Findings from the Social Service Workforce Mapping. Draft 1: March.
2019	Country Report: Sudan, Findings from the Social Service Workforce Mapping. Draft 1: March.
2019	Country Report: Lebanon, Findings from the Social Service Workforce Mapping. Draft 1: February.
2019	Country Report: Djibouti, Findings from the Social Service Workforce Mapping. Draft 1: January.
2018	Country Report: TUNISIA, Findings from the Social Service Workforce Mapping. Draft 1: December.

2018	Country Report: JORDAN, Findings from the Social Service Workforce Mapping. Draft 1: October.
2017	Egypt: Egypt: The Protracted Transition from Authoritarianism to Democracy and Social Justice, Coauthored with Noha El Mikawy and Sarah El Ashmaouy. In Samir Makdisi and Ibrahim El Badawi (Eds.). Democratic Transitions in the Arab World. Cambrige: Cambrige University Press: 133 – 183.
2016	Evaluation of FAO Strategic Objective 3: Rural Poverty Reduction. Rome. <a href="http://www.fao.org/3/a-bd600e.pdf">http://www.fao.org/3/a-bd600e.pdf</a>
2014	THE SYRIAN CRISIS: TRACKING AND TACKLING IMPACT IMPACT AND SADDRESSINGCHALLENGES ON TO SUSTAINABLE HUMAN DEVELOPMENT IN NEIGHBORING COUNTRIES – INSIGHTS FROM LEBANON AND JORDAN. NEW YORK: UNDP.
	http://www.arabstates.undp.org/content/dam/rbas/doc/SyriaResponse/Syrian Crisis_ImpactonJordanandLebanonApril2014.pdf
2013	"Experience of Transition to Democracy in Contemporary World: With an Overview of the Electoral Mexican Experience." Background paper presented to the Social Sciences Committee, Specialized National Councils. Cairo: February.
2013	No change in sight: The situation of religious minorities in post-Mubarak Egypt. London: Minority Rights Group. December.
2012	ENTRO Social Management Guidence. December.
2012	Five Years Strategy of the Council of Arab Ministers of Youth and Sports, League of the Arab States, Oct.
2012	Egypt: Ten Years Development Plan (2013-2022). Plan preparation Committee member, Feb-June.
2011	Five Years Plan of the Council of Arab Ministers of Social Affairs Ministers: 2012-2016. Division of Development and Social Policy, League of the Arab States. Sept.
2011	Pathways to Democratic Transition: Country Experiences, Lessons Learned and the Road Ahead. Final Report of the International Forum on Pathways to Democratic Transition: Country Experiences, Lessons Learned and the Road Ahead. Cairo: June, 5-6, 2011. (in Arabic and English). Cairo: UNDP, August.
2009	"State Policies and Ethnicity in Malaysia and Singapore: Comparing the two cases with the Case of United Arab Emirates." Report submitted to the final workshop on Identity and National Security in The United

	Arab Emirates (Social Sructure, Identity and National Integrity in The UAE Component). Future Media Studies. Abu Dhabi. June
2009	"Socio-Economic Change and Identity in the UAE: Policy Options for the Future." Report submitted to the final workshop on Identity and National Security in The United Arab Emirates (Social Sructure, Identity and National Integrity in The UAE Component). Future Media Studies. Abu Dhabi. April
2008	"Socio-Economic Change, Identity and National Security in the UAE." Report submitted to the final workshop on Identity and National Security in The United Arab Emirates (Social Sructure, Identity and National Integrity in The UAE Component). Future Media Studies. Abu Dhabi. November
2008	"Mapping and Analysis of Multi-Sectoral Secondary Stakeholders in Egypt: A Global Profile, Final Report." Submitted to Nile Basin Initiative, Shared Vision Program. Confidece Building and Stakehilders Involvement Project. April/May
2008	" Maping and Analysis of Power Sector Secondary Stakeholders in Egypt: Draft Final Report." Submitted to Nile Basin Initiative, Shared Vision Program, Regional Power Trade Project. April/May
2007	"Mapping and Analysis of Multi-Sectoral Secondary Stakeholders in Egypt: A Global Profile, Mid-term Database Report." Submitted to Nile Basin Initiative, Shared Vision Program. Confidece Building and Stakehilders Involvement Project. December.
2007	"Maping and Analysis of Power Sector Secondary Stakeholders in Egypt, Mid-term Database Repot." Submitted to Nile Basin Initiative, Shared Vision Program, Regional Power Trade Project. December.
2006	"Multipurpose Development of the Eastern Nile One System Inventory Socio-Economic Theme Report: Egypt." Nile basin Initiative: Eastern Nile Subsidiary Action Program. February.
2006	"Water Shortage and Water Conflict in Rural Egypt: Fieldwork in Two Villages". <i>Nile Development Forum</i> , Addis Ababa: Nov 29-Dec3.
2005	"Water Conflict and Conflict Management Mechanisms in Egypt. Research report presented to CEDARE. September.
2005	"On the Institutionalization of the Water Quality Management Unit" Strengthening the Water Quality Management Unit Project, Ministry of Water Resources and Irrigation, Egypt. July.
2001	"The Transfer of Some Parts of the Irrigation Network to the Users: An assessment of the Project and a Baseline Survey". A report presented to the Ministry of Irrigation and Water Resources. Cairo. April.

2001	"The Socio- Economic and Demographic Characteristics of the Population of Al-Omayed Natural Protectorate of the North West Coast of Egypt". Report presented to the Egyptian Environmental Affairs Agency. Cairo. February.
2000	"Evaluating the Activities of the Institute of Cultural Affairs: The International Capacity Building Program". A report presented to ICA. Cairo. Oct.
2000	"Evaluating the Activities of the Institute of Cultural Affairs: The Loan Program". A report presented to ICA. Cairo. Oct.
1999	Lake Nasser: Some Socio-Economic Aspects". In John. F. Craig (Ed). Sustainable Fish Production in Lake Nasser: ecological basis and Management Policy. ICLARM. Penang, Malaysia: 97-100.
1999	The Socio-Economic and Environmental impact Assessment of the Nile Banks Protection and Community Development Project. Center for Social Research and Studies, Faculty of Arts, Cairo University and the Ministry of Public Works and Water Resources (MPWWR). (In Arabic).
1999	"Farmers and Irrigation Engineers Attitudes towards Drainage Water Reuse" Paper presented to The MPWWR". Intermediate Drainage Water Reuse Study. Ministry of MPWWR. April.
1995	Water Resources, Irrigation Operation and Institutional Issues: An Analysis of the Ministry of Public Works and Water Resources: Government of Egypt. A collaborative study by IMII in Cooperation with MPWWR and USAID. June.
1995	An Action Plan for Strengthening Irrigation Management in Egypt. 2 vols. A report for the study: Strengthening Irrigation Management in Egypt. IMII: July.
1993	Compensation Plan for Lake Manzala Engineered Wetland project. Report presented to UNDP.
1992	The Social Environment of The Community of Bahr El-Baqar and the Islands of South East Lake Manzala. Report presented to UNDP.

# **Academic Research Experience:**

1984 "Industrial Sector Shifts and Occupational Structure: A Cross-National Analysis of USA, Ghana, Egypt and Venezuela Labor Markets". Research Assistant for Professor Richard Simpson.

1982 (NPC).	"The National Survey of Emigration from Egypt". With Nader Fergani.
1979	"The National Character of the Egyptian Personality". Public Opinion Research Unit (NCSCR).
1979	"The Rural Fertility Survey: The First Round". (PBPF).
1979	"The Political Economy of Lake Manzala" UNDP, and James Mclern Ltd, Canada.
1978	"Islamic Militancy in Egypt: An Empirical Study of Two Active Groups". Criminal Behavior Research UNIT (NCSCR).
1977	"Bureaucracy and Development: A Study of the Role of Governmental Organization in the Development of Lake Nasser". The Egyptian Academy of Science, and the University of Michigan, USA.
1977	"The Settlement of the Egyptian Peasants in Iraq". Rural Research Unit (NCSCR).
1977	"Socio-Economic Standards in Rural Egypt and their Relation to Some Issues of Development". Rural Research Unit (NCSCR).
1976	"Rural-Urban Migration: A Study in Eight Villages: Borg Nur El-Homos". (PFPB).
1976	"Illiteracy and Underdevelopment in Eight Egyptian Villages: Borg Nur El-Homos". (PFPB). In collaboration with A. Abdul Moti.
1976	"A Socio-Economic Survey of Eight Villages in Rural Egypt: Borg Nur El-Homos". (PFPB). In collaboration with Abdul Moti A. M. Mansour, and E.S. Yassin
1976	"Population and Development in Rural Egypt: An Action Research in Eight Villages: Borg Nur El-Homos". (PFPB).
1976	"Towards a Standardization of the Concept of Socio-Economic Standards". Research Methodology Unit. (NCSCR).

# **Conferences, Seminars and Workshops:**

2019 MENA REGION: SUMMARY OF DRAFT FINDINGS FROM THE SOCIAL SERVICE WORKFORCE MAPPING. A PRESENTATION AT AIFRIS CONGRESS ON PLURAL SOCIETIES SOCIAL WORK AND LIVING TOGETHER. Beirut, July 2-5.

2015	Work/Family Balance in Qatar. Paper presented to the Work/Family Balance Regional Workshop on Family/Work Balance in the GCC countries. Doha: 29 March.
2014	Caught between a Rock and a Hard Place: Youth in the Arab World. Paper presented to the ARC 2014 Conference. Qatar Foundation. Doha: 18 Nov.
2014	Expert Group Meeting on "Rethinking Multi-dimensional Poverty for Arab Countries", Amman, Jordan May 12-13, 2014.
2014	"The Worst Halal: An Analysis of Divorce and Its Implications in the GCC Countries" Paper presented at the Workshop on Confronting Social Problems in the GCC Countries" Manama, Bahrain May 5-6, 2014
2014	Expert group Meeting on "Multidimensional Poverty for Arab States", Rabat, Morocco January 23-24
2013	"Migration and the Peasant Household: An Explanation of the links". Paper presented at the Seminar on Population Dynamics in the Arab Countries. Doha, 2-3- December.
2013	"The Making of the Middle Class in the Arab Countries: A Sociological Analysis". Paper presented to the Expert Group Meeting on "The Middle Class in the Arab Countries. ESCWA, Cairo: June 28-29.
2013	"Determinants and Consequences of Internal Migration in the Arab Countries". Paper presented at the International Conference of Population and Development. Cairo: June 24-26.
2013	Expert Group Meeting on "The Development Policy Implications of Age-Structural Transitions in Arab Countries." ESCWA, Beirut: June 13 <sup>th</sup> - 14 <sup>th</sup> .
2013	Expert Group Meeting on "The Development Policy Implications of Age- Structural Transitions in Arab Countries." ESCWA, Beirut: February 14 <sup>th</sup> .
2013	Youth in Post-Arab Spring Period: Opportunities and Challenges. Paper presented to the Forum on <i>Arab Youth: Towards Sustainable Development</i> . Cairo: Jan 6-8
2012	Regional Capacity Building Workshop; ENSAP Social Management Guideline, Conflict Management and ENWSM Project planning and implementation, Planning for a Conflict Clinic, Introduction to WB Safeguards: Khartoum, Dec 21-23

2012	"An Assessment of the MDGs Achievements in the Arab Countries". Paper presented to <i>Arab Conference on the Implementation of MDGs</i> . Cairo: League of Arab States, Dec. 2-3
2012	Regional Governance Week- Social Accountability in a Changing Region: Actors and Mechanisms. UNDP, Cairo: Fairmont Heliopolis Hotel, Nov. 26-29 (Conference Repporteur).
2012	Thematic Working Group Meeting and Experts Group Meeting to Discuss the UN-LAS 4 <sup>th</sup> Arab MDG Report. Gairo: The League of Arab States, Nov. 19-20.
2012	"ENSAP Environmental Management Guidelines; Final Report Experts Group Workshop". 30th Sept- Oct. 2 <sup>nd</sup> .
2012	Transition from Autocracy to Democracy in the Arab World and Lessons from Other Regions Workshop. Bireut: AUB, Collage Hall, BI, Sept. 28-29.
2012	"Some Socio-Economic Aspects of the Cooperative Movement in the GCC Countries". To be presented in the forthcoming conference on <i>The Cooperative Movement in the GCC countries</i> . Kuwait: April 25-27.
2011	"Comparative Systems of Caring for the Elderly". Paper presented to the Workshop on <i>Policies of Comprehensive Caring for the Elderly</i> . Muscat, 26-27 Dec.
2011	"Citizenship in Egypt between Rights and Duties". Report presented to the Division of Social Sciences, Specialized National Councils, Cairo. Nov. 2011.
2011	"ENSAP Environmental Management Guidelines Inception Report Experts Group Workshop". Cairo: July 1st.
2011	Senior Advisory Group Meeting, Second Arab Development Challenges Report. Cairo: June 9-10.
2011	"International Forum, <i>Pathways of Democratic Transitions: International Experiences, Lessons Learnt and the Road Ahead</i> ". Cairo: 5-6 June. <i>Conference Repporteur.</i>
2011	"Migration, Remittances and Social Development". Paper for presentation on the workshop on Remittances and Development in Egypt". NNDP, Cairo: 19-20 January.

2011	"The World Economic Crises and the Cooperative Movement in the Oil Producing Countries". Paper prepared for the <i>First Meeting of the Gulf Cooperative Movement on The World Economic Crisis and the Role of Cooperatives in the GCC countries.</i> Kuwait: 4-6 January. Was Postponed to future date yet to be set.
2010	"Social Policies and Poverty Reduction in the Arab Countries". Paper prepared for the conference on <i>The Role of Social Policies in Poverty Reduction</i> . The League of Arab States, Aleppo, October, 10-11.
2010	"Socio-Economic Characteristics of Household Heads as Determinants of Children's Educational Attainment". <i>Paper presented at the Conference on Social and Economic Returns of Education in Egypt</i> . Cairo, 29-30 June
2010	"The Mother Nestles and the Father Drives away: Mother Role in the Protection of Children in Egypt". <i>To be presented in the forthcoming workshop on "Mothers' Role in Family Protection in the Arab World</i> . League of Arab States; Algiers, Algeria, 30-31 May, (Postponed to a date yet to be determined).
2010	"Fortress Egypt: A study of Gated Communities." <i>Paper presented to the Conference on Land and Housing in Egypt</i> organized by Partners in Development. Cairo: Marriot Hotel, 20 – 21 April.
2009	Cooperation in Nile River Basin: Towards Institutional Sustainability and Regional Peace GTZ/FES, Kampala- Africana Hotel: Uganda; Oct. 21-22, 2009
2009	"Exclusion from Citizenship: A Reading in Current Theoretical Contributions".  Paper presented to the 11 <sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the National Center for Social and Criminological Research: Cairo: May 16-18.
2009	"Sociological Theories of Migration: A Critical Analysis and an attempt to develop a Theoretical Framework". Paper Submitted to the Conference on <i>Illegal Migration in the Arab Region</i> ., Cairo: 9-10 May.
2008	"Current Developments in Sociological Studies of Inequality." Paper presented to <i>The First International Symposium of Social Science on</i> , "Current Issues in Sociology: Theory, Methodology and Pedagogy. Social Sciences Department, Qatar University. Doha, November, 3-4.
2008	"Youth and the Labor Market in Egypt." Paper presented at <i>The National Population Conference</i> . Cairo: June 9-10.
2008	"Bazrameet: Some Thoughts on the Culture of Chaos in Egypt. <i>Al Ahram Fourth Forum on Comprehensive Reform</i> . Fayoum, April 17-19.

2007	"Water is Every Body's Business". <i>Regional Forum on Local Water Governance. MEDA Water</i> , Care International and IRC. Amman, Jordan, 6-7 June.
2006	"Water Shortage and Water Conflict in Rural Egypt: Fieldwork in Two Villages".  Nile Development Forum, Addis Ababa: Nov 29-Dec3.
2005	Eastern Nile Technical Office Strategic Action Plan 2006-2010. Discussion Workshop. Addis Ababa, Oct. 10-13.
2004	"State Environmentalism: A World System Analysis." Paper presented to <i>The</i> 11 <sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Economic Research Forum of the Arab Countries, Turkey and Iran. Bireut, 14-16 December.
2003	"Military Expenditure and Infant Mortality in the Arab World: A Comparative Analysis". Paper presented to <i>The Second International Conference of Social Science: Social and Health Sciences and their Role in Community Development</i> . Kuwait, 6-8 December.
2003	Workshop on Academic Translations in Social Sciences in the Arab countries. Amman: Jordanian University, Center for Strategic Studies; 15 <sup>th</sup> – 16 <sup>th</sup> March.
2003	"Structural Shifts and the Changing Value System in Egypt: An intergenerational Comparison." Paper presented to the Conference on <i>Explaining the World Views of Islamic Publics: Theoretical and Methodological Issues.</i> Cairo, February, 24-26.
2002	"Globalization, Economic Development and Social Justice: Harmony or Contradiction?" Paper presented to the Symposium on <i>Globalization and Decent Work</i> , Ministry of Civil Service Affairs and ILO, Doha, 28-30 October (In Arabic).
2001	"Is Class Dead? Globalization and the Future of Stratification Studies". Paper presented at the <i>First International Conference of Social Sciences and Community Development</i> . Kuwait, 10–12, April. (In Arabic).
1999	"The Attitudes of the Urban Poor towards the Residential Rehabilitation of the Slums in Metropolitan Cairo". Paper Presented to the Sixth Annual Symposium of The Department of Sociology, Faculty of Arts, Cairo University on Poverty in Egypt. Cairo: May 8-9. (In Arabic).
1998	"Trans-nationals, Trans-cultures: Preliminary Framework for the Study of The Egyptian Immigrants in the USA". Paper presented Paper presented to the Fifth Annual Symposium of the Dept. of sociology, Faculty of Arts, Cairo University,

	on <i>The Egyptian Personality in a Changing World</i> . Cairo: May 9-10 (In Arabic).
1997	"Rural Periodic Markets in Egypt and Saudi Arabia: A Comparison". Paper presented to the Conference on <i>Culture, Society and Economic in Rural Egypt.</i> Aswan, Egypt April, 3-6.
1996	"The Peasant Household and Subsistence Economy in Rural Egypt". Paper presented on behalf of the Egyptian Research Team. CODESRIA Multinational Working Group, Final Meeting on <i>African Households and Prospects For Agricultural Revival</i> . Gaberone: Botswana, June 17 – 19
1995	"La Crooissance de la population et Changement Structural A Alexandrie: 1805 – 1986". Paper presented to the Conference on <i>Villes et Urbanisation En Mediterranee</i> . Tetouan: Maroc. Oct. 6-7.
1995	"Urban Governance in North Africa: Paper presented on behalf of North Africa Regional Section. <i>The second African Urban Forum.</i> Nairobi: Kenya. Nov. 26-28.
1995	Participant on the Forum on "Emigrants, Agents of Cultural Change and Co-development. <i>The Civil Forum Euro med</i> . Barcelona: Nov. 28-29.
1994	"Housing the Poor in Egypt: State Policies, Strategies of the Poor and the Need for New Directions". Paper presented to the meeting on <i>Governance</i> and <i>Urban Poverty in North African</i> . Tunis: July 15-16.
1994	"Social Movements in the City or Urban Movements". Paper presented to the first Annual Meeting of the Sociology Dept. Cairo University on <i>The Egyptian Society and Social Trans formation</i> . Cairo, May 10-11. (In Arabic).
1993	"The academic Profession in Egypt". Paper presented to the workshop on <i>The International Survey of the Academic Profession</i> . Princeton: NJ,. April 7-9.
1993	"Urban Research in Developing Countries". Final meetings. Social Research Center. American University in Cairo. Cairo: Egypt. Feb. 14-18. <i>Participant and discussant</i> on Jorge E. Hardoy "The City and the child in Latin America: why we fail to address their needs".
1992	Session chairperson and participant. <i>The first African Urban Forum</i> . Nairobi: Dec. 16-18.

1992	Discussant. Symposium on <i>Capitalist Development and the Future of Socialism in Egypt and the Arab World.</i> Paper by Abdel Hadi, D. "Migration and its Impact on the Egyptian Economy". Cairo: Sept. 17-19.
1992	"Urban Research in Egypt: The State of the Art, the Research Community, and an Agenda for the Future". Paper presented to the workshop on <i>Problems Urbanization in the Middle East</i> . Cairo, July, 21-23.
1992	"The Development of External Migration Policies in Egypt and Arab-Arab Relations". Paper presented to the workshop on <i>Population Policies in the Arab World</i> . Cairo, The Population Council. Feb. 18-20. (In Arabic).
1991	"Daily Commuters From An Egyptian Village". Paper presented to a conference on <i>Changement Economique</i> , <i>Sociale</i> , <i>et Culturel ET Modification des Champs Migratoires Internes dans le Monde Arabe</i> . Grase. Oct. 9-11.
1991	"Peasant Migration: Towards a Theory to Explain the Phenomenon". Paper presented to the symposium on <i>The Agrarian Question in Egypt</i> . Arab Research Center, Cairo, April 6-9. (In Arabic).
1989	"Migration and Ecology in an Egyptian Village". Paper presented to the conference on: <i>The Destruction of the Environment and the Future of Life in the Middle East and Africa.</i> Swansea, Wales. July 14-17.
1989	"International Labor Migration in Egypt: A Critical Review of the Literature". In collaboration with Saad Ibrahim. Paper presented to the conference on: <i>Development, Employment and Migration of Labor Force.</i> Cairo, Dec. 5-7.
1989	<i>Discussant</i> . "Values and Attitudes and their Impact on Development Plans and the Labor Force". Giza, Egypt. Oct. 31-Nov. 3.
1988	"L'etat Actuele des etudes concernant L'emigration RuraleVers les Etats Arabes". <i>Les Echanges</i> . Le Caire, 3-5 Juin CEDEJ-IFAO. (En Arabe).
1988	"Migration and Mechanization: The Peasants Views". Paper presented to the conference on <i>Advantages and Risks of Agricultural Mechanization in Egypt</i> . Menya, Egypt, Oct. 8-10.
1988	The Capitalist World Economy and the Historical Forms of Labor Migration: Towards a Theory of Migration with Application on the Middle East. Paper presented to <i>The Egyptian conference on Migration Statistics</i> . Cairo, Egypt. Feb. 8-9

# **Academic Publications:**

2017	Egypt: Protracted Transition from Authoritarianism to Democracy and Social Justice. In Collaboration with Noha Mekawi and Sarah Ashmawie. In Ibrahim Elbadawi and Samir Makdisi (Eds.). Democratic Transitions in the Arab World. Cambridge University Press. <a href="mailto:file:///C:/Users/Mohie/Downloads/Book%20cover%20%20(4).pdf">file:///C:/Users/Mohie/Downloads/Book%20cover%20%20(4).pdf</a>
2017 .	Caught Between a Rock and Hard Place: The Crisis of Arab Youth. A blog piece to the Arab Development Portal. March.
2015	"Who is Getting Divorced in Qatar? A Secondary Data Analysis of Divorce Trends, 1985 – 2013." Under Review for Publication at HAWAA. In collaboration with Sanaa Taha Al Harahsheh and Feras Al Meer.
2015	The Worst Halal: Towards A New perspective to Study Divorce in the Arab Gulf Region. Submitted and accepted for publication in the Arab Journal of Sociology, July 2017. (In Arabic).
2015	"Marrying Out: Trends and Patterns of Mixed Marriage amongst Qataris". International Journal of Social Science Studies. Vol., 3 No. (6) November, 211-  225. <a href="http://redfame.com/journal/index.php/ijsss/article/viewFile/1121/1141">http://redfame.com/journal/index.php/ijsss/article/viewFile/1121/1141</a>
2015	Mixed Marriage among Qataris. Paper submitted to the Doha International Family Institute First International Conference on Family "The Arab Family in an age of Transition: Challenges and Resilience. Doha: 3-4 May. In collaboration with Sanaa Al Harahsheh and Feras Al Meer.
2015	A Diamond is not forever! An Analysis of Divorce Secondary Data in Qatar, 1985-2013. Paper submitted to the Doha International Family Institute First International Conference on Family "The Arab Family in an age of Transition: Challenges and Resilience. Doha: 3-4 May. In collaboration with Sanaa Al Harahsheh and Feras Al Meer.
2015	"Work/Family Balance in Qatar". Paper presented to the Work/Family Balance Regional Workshop on Family/Work Balance in the GCC countries. Doha: 29 March.
2015	Egypt Pathways from Authoritarianism to Democracy: A Protracted Transition. Paper presented to the Workshop on Democratic Transition in the Arab Countries. Beirut: 29 – 30 January. In collaboration with Noha Mekawi and Sarah Ashmawie. To appear in Samir Makdisi and Ibrahim Al Badawi (Eds.). Transition to Democracy in the Arab World (rough Title). Cambridge University Press.

2014	Caught between a Rock and a Hard Place: Youth in the Arab World. Paper presented to the ARC 2014 Conference. Qatar Foundation. Doha: 18 Nov.
2014	The Worst Halal: Towards A New perspective to Study Divorce in the Arab Gulf Region. Paper submitted to the workshop on Confronting Social Problems in the Gulf Countries. Executive office of the Ministers of Labor and Social Affairs of the GCC Countries. Manama: 6-7 May.
2013	"No change in sight: The Situation of Religious Minorities in post-Mubarak Egypt, London: Minority Rights Group. Dec. https://minorityrights.org/wp-content/uploads/old-site-downloads/download-1331-No-change-in-sight-The-situation-of-religious-minorities-in-post-Mubarak-Egypt.pdf
2013	"Experience of Transition to Democracy in Contemporary World: With an Overview of the Electoral Mexican Experience." <i>Background paper presented to the Social Sciences Committee, Specialized National Councils</i> . Cairo: February.
2012	"Towards a New Social Contract: Policies for Inclusive Growth and Good Governance." <i>Background paper for the Ten-Year Master Plan for Egypt</i> (2013-2023). In collaboration with Khalid Abo Ismail and Ibrahim Awad. Cairo: Ministry of Planning, March.
2011	"Employment, Vulnerability, Social Protection and the Crisis of Arab Economic Reform". In collaboration with Khalid Abu-Ismail, Gihan Abou Taleb and Jennifer Olmsted. <i>The Second Arab Development Challenges Report. Vol. 1: Regional and Global Comparison . Background Paper.</i> Cairo: UNDP.
2011	"Social Policies and Poverty in Egypt". The Second Arab Development Challenges Report. Vol. 2: Country Case-Studies. Background paper No. 16 Cairo: UNDP.
2009	"Corporate Social Responsibility" Background paper presented to the Committee on Social Issues. Specialized National Councils. Cairo: June.
2007	"Water is Every Body's Business". Regional Forum on Local Water Governance. MEDA Water, Care International and IRC. Amman, Jordan, 6-7 June.
2005	"The Contemporary Debate on the Nature of 'the Social'". Annals of the Faculty of Arts, Cairo University.
2004	"Social Theory at the Turn of the Twenty First Century." <i>Idafat. Vol. 5</i> , July: 67-86.

2004	"Theoretical and Methodological Problems of Studying Virtual Societies." <i>Journal of Social Science</i> . Vol. 32, No 4: 803-25. (in Arabic).
2003	"Durkheim, Suicide and Gender: A Methodological Critique." In, M. S. Farah (Ed.). <i>Contemporary Sociological Writings</i> . Cairo. Center of Social Research and Studies, Faculty of Arts, Cairo University: 154-168.
2002	"Environmental Sociology, Its Issues and Problems." <i>Annals of the Faculty of Arts</i> , Cairo University. Vol. 62, NO.4: 117-127.
2002	<i>Demography: The Study of Population</i> . Cairo. Center of Social Research and Studies, Faculty of Arts, Cairo University. (In Arabic).
2001	The Socio-Economic and Demographic Characteristics of The Population of Al-Omayed Natural Protectorate of the North West Coast of Egypt. Report presented to the Egyptian Environmental Affairs Agency Cairo: February.
2001	The Transfer of Some Parts of the Irrigation Network to the Users: An assessment of the Project and a Baseline Survey. A report presented to the Ministry of Irrigation and Water Resources. Cairo. April.
2000	"Lake Nasser: Some Socio-Economic Aspects". In John F. Craig (ed). Sustainable Fish Production in Lake Nasser: ecological basis and Management Policy. ICLARM; Penang: Malaysia: 97-100.
2000	Recent Theoretical and Methodological Contributions to the Study of Social Inequality. Paper presented to the Permanent Committee for the Promotion of Full Professors. Cairo: November, (In Arabic).
1999	"A cross-National Analysis of the Determinants of Income Inequality: A retest of Contemporary Theories and A revision of Current Findings" <i>Idafat.</i> January: 145-178. (In Arabic).
1999	The Mandarin's Villages: A descriptive Study in 5 Villages in Aswan. Cairo. Merit Books. (In Arabic and English).
1999	The Socio-Economic and Environmental Study of the impact Assessment of the Nile Banks Protection and Community Development Project. Center for Social Research and Studies, Faculty of Arts, Cairo University and The Ministry of Public Works and Water Resources (MPWWR). (In Arabic and English).

1999 Farmers and Irrigation Engineers Attitudes Towar Drainage Water Reuse". Research report presented to the MPWWR Intermediate Drainage Water Reuse Study. April. 1998 "Periodic Markets in Egypt". In Hopkins, N. S. and Westergaard, C. (eds.). Directions of Change in Rural Egypt. Cairo. The American University in Cairo Press: 303-317. 1998 "Between The Cleaves of The Quern: Egyptian Peasant Households and the Prospects for Agricultural Revival: A field Study in Two Egyptian Villages". In Auda, M. (ed.). Between The Cleaves of The Quern: Egyptian Peasant Households and the Prospects for Agricultural Revival. (In Arabic). 1996 The Socio- Economic Conditions of Women in the Textile Industry in Egypt: A research Report. Cairo Arab Research Center. Egypt. (In Arabic). 1995 Farmers View of The Old Irrigation System and The Irrigation Improvement Project in the Two Governorates: Menya and Kafr El Sheikh. Research Report submitted to The International Irrigation Management Institute (IMII) MPWWR and US AID, Cairo. July. 1995 Water Resources, Irrigation Operation and Institutional Issues An Analysis of the Ministry of Public Works and Water Resources. Government of Egypt. A collaborative study by IMII in Cooperation with MPWWR and USAID. Cairo: June. 1995 The Land Tax-System in Egypt: A descriptive Report of Its Historical, Legal and Organizational Aspects. Research Report submitted to The International Irrigation Management Institute. MPWWR and USAID. Cairo: Egypt. September. 1995 An Action Plan for Strengthening Irrigation Management In Egypt. 2 vols. A report for the study: Strengthening Irrigation Management in Egypt. IMII. July. 1993 Urbanization in Egypt: A study of Rural Urban Differentiation. Report No. 1. The Urbanization Component: Towards A comprehensive Approach. With G. El-Kadi, W. Amer, K. Abdel Rahman, M. Rabbie. 1992 The Social Environment of the Community of Bahr El-Bagar and the Islands of South East Lake Manzala". Report presented to UNDP.

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1988 "Cairo" with A. Khalifa, In Dogan; M. and Kassada; J.D. (eds). *The Metropolis Era.* Sage Publication. Beverly Hills. Vol.2: 235-267. (In Arabic).

1988 "The Demographic Dimension in the Arab Israeli Conflict: The pastThe Present, and The future". *Intellectual Issues.* Vol. 7 Oct. 40-49 (In Arabic).

1977 The Settlement of the Egyptian Peasants in Iraq: The Khalesa project.
In collaboration with Hoda Megahed and Sohair Lotfi. Cairo, NCSCR Publications. (In Arabic)..

### **Key Note Speaker:**

5<sup>th</sup> LCSR Summer School. Higher School of Economics, National Research University. Voronovo, Russia: July 25 – August 3.

### **Translations:**

- 1. 2003 John Hanigan, *Environmental Sociology: The Social Constructionist perspective*. Cairo. Al-Zayeem Publications
- 2. 2002 Anthony Giddens. *Sociology: A Brief but Critical Introduction*. Cairo. Center of Social Studies and Research, Faculty of Arts, Cairo University.
- 3. 2000 Anthony Giddens. *Runway World: How Globalization is reshaping Our Lives*. Cairo Merit Books.
- 4. 2000 Anthony Giddens. *New Rules of Sociological Method*. Cairo. Supreme Council of Culture.
- 5. 2000 Gordon Marshall. *Oxford Dictionary of Sociology*. Under the editorship of Mohamed El-Gohary. Vols. 1,2.and 3 Cairo. Supreme Council for Culture.
- 6. 1999 Anthony Giddens. *The Third Way: The Renewal of Social Democracy*. Cairo. Supreme Council of Culture. (In collaboration with Ahmed Zayed. Revised by Mohamed El-Gohary. Cairo. Supreme Council of Culture.

## **Book Reviews:**

1. 2003 Francis Fukuyama, "Our Post Human Future: Consequences of the Biotechnology Revolution." *Journal of the College of Humanities and Social Sciences*. University of Qatar. Vol.26. 291-303.

- 2. 2003 "A New World in the Making: A Review of Manual Castell's, The Information Age: Economy Society and Culture". *Alam Al-Fikr*. Vol. 32, No.1 275-288.
- 3. 2001 Milton Friedman. "The Lexus and the Olive Tree: Understanding Globalization". Forthcoming. **The Journal of Social Sciences.**
- 4. 1990 Mohamed Howeidy (ed). "Juvenile Delinquency in the Emirates Society". Mohamed Howeidy (ed.). *Journal of Social Affairs*. Summer 1990: 237-258.

#### **Parliamentary Testimony:**

- Higher Education Reform. Education Committee; the People's Assembly: Egypt. Sept. 30, 2012.

#### **Work in Progress:**

2018 Country Report: TUNISIA, Findings from the Social Service Workforce

Mapping. Draft 1: December.

2018 Country Report: JORDAN, Findings from the Social Service Workforce

Mapping. Draft 1: October.

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## **Research in Progress:**

- Households Social Exclusion in the Arab Countries: A secondary Data Analysis of LAS Surveys Data.
- Regenerating Public Space in Central Cairo Egypt. (In collaboration with Sahar Attia and Galila El Qadi. Proposal already approved and grant funded by STDF and IRD.
- Gated Communities in Egypt.
- Corruption: A Cross National Analysis of its determinants.
- Reform of Higher Education in Egypt; Partners in Development with funding from Ford Foundation.

#### **Under Preparation Translations:**

- Manuel Castells, (2011). *The Information Age: Economy, Society and Culture.* Vols. I, II and III. (Contacted by The National Translation Center as translator and team of translators coordinator and reviewer).

#### **Documents and Papers under Preparation:**

- Reforming Education Policy in Egypt. Non-Partisan Policy papers. PID. Due Feb 2012.
- Conceptualizing Equity in Education: Theory and Measurement". Higher Education Reform Project. PID. Due Feb 2012.

#### **Conference/Workshop Organization:**

2015 Doha First International Conference on Arab Family, "Arab Family in Transition: Challenges and Resilience". Member of the steering committee and Chairman of the Scientific Committee.

2006 Second Regional Training Module on Stakeholder Analysis in Irrigation Projects, Cairo, April 15<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup>.

#### **Professional Societies:**

- Arab Council for Social Science, Founding member.
- Turjouman Foundation, Founding member.
- Egyptian Society for the Migration Studies.
- World Congress of Middle Eastern Studies, Member of the international Advisory Committee.
- African Research Network for Urban Management, (Member Steering Committee).
- African Higher Education Forum, (Member Steering Committee).
- Arab Sociological Association.

#### **Honorary Positions:**

- Egyptian Council for Social Sciences (Founding Committee Member).
- Technical Support Team Member, Egyptian Delegation on the Tripatriate Negotiations on the Great Ethiopian Rainassance Dam.
- Committee on Social Issues, Specialized National Councils.
- Board of Trustees, Partners in Development for Training, Research and Consultancies.
- Member of Working Papers Series Editorial Board. Information and Decision Support Center.

## **Public Cultural Activities (Examples):**

2010 "On the Middle Class in MENA Region". In Collaboration with Noha El

Mikawy and Marwan AbiSamra; TRENDS Magazine: Preview of the World

Economic Summit on the MENA Region: October.

2005 "Misryioun against Religious Discrimination" (MARED), Founding

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