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PROFILE

My experience includes working as an Arabic/English/ Arabic interpreter and translator for over 10 years at the United Nations, African Union, Pan African Parliament, African leadership Academy, Ministry of defence, High Court of south Africa, Witwatersrand University, Cairo University, Johannesburg University and various embassies. I have worked in Egypt, the UK, Tunis, France, Malta and South Africa.

After a great success in completion of my matriculation, I studied a Bachelor of Human studies, majoring in Arabic philosophy and literature from Cairo University. Then completed my masters degree in interpreting and translation from Witwatersrand university in Johannesburg.

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

ORGANIZATION: British Council DATE: 2002-2005

POSITIONS: Project Manager for youth development (England-Egypt)

Interpreter and translator

ORGANIZATION: Egyptian Embassy Malta

DATE: 2003

POSITIONS: Interpreter and Translator

ORGANIZATION: Cairo University
Date 2005-2007

POSITION: Research Assistant Human studies

ORGANIZATION: Star News paper Date: 2009-2011

POSITIONS: Youth Development project manager

ORGANISATION: Cartus Language Centre UK

Date: 2011-2013

POSITIONS: Interpreter and Translator

ORGANISATION: Afro Middle East Centre

DATE: 2011-2013

POSITIONS: Researcher, interpreter and translator

ORGANISATION: University of Witwatersrand

DATE: 2013 - present

POSITIONS: Arabic and English translation and interpreting

Examiner for post graduates students.

Department of linguistics.

ORGANIZATION: Pan African Parliament (free lancer)

DATE: 2010- 2014

POSITIONS: Interpreter and translator

ORGANIZATION African Leadership Academy

DATE: 2015- 2017

POSITIONS: Business development and Strategic Relations

Across Africa.

Interpreter and translator

ORGANIZATION United Nations DATE: 2017- present

POSITIONS: Interpreter and translator

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EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Institution: British Council (UK/ Egypt)

Date Course Completed: 2005

Course: Certificate in Project Management of Youth Development Programs

Institution: Cairo Opera House

Date Course Completed: 2005

Course: Degree in Performing Arts

Institution: International Cairo University

Date Course Completed: 2006

Course: BA Honours in Arabic literature and philosophy

Institution: French Cultural Centre for Superior Education

Date Course Completed: 2008

Course: Diploma in Performing Arts and languages

Institution: Reseau des Alliances Françaises en Afrique

Date Course Completed: 2010

Course: Diploma in French translation

Institution: Witwatersrand University

Date Course completed 2018

Course: Masters in interpreting and translation(research and course work)

PERSONAL DATA

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