

CURRICULUM VITAE

1. PERSONAL DETAILS

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2. CONTACT

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3. QUALIFICATIONS:

- M. B., B. Ch. (Grade “Very Good” with honors), Faculty of Medicine, Cairo University, Egypt (November, 1982).

- Master degree (M. Sc.) in Orthopedics (Grade “Good”), Faculty of Medicine, Suez Canal University, Ismailia, Egypt (November, 1988).

Thesis Title: “Presentations of Patients with Carpal- Tunnel Syndrome.”

- M.D. in Orthopedics, Faculty of Medicine, Suez Canal University, Ismailia, Egypt (November, 1999).

Thesis Title: “Evaluation of the Results of Treatment of Unstable Thoracolumbar Spinal Injuries by Transpedicular Screws Fixation”.

4. PRESENT APPOINTMENT:

Associate Professor of Orthopedics, Traumatology, and Spine Surgery at the Faculty of Medicine, Suez Canal University, Ismailia, Egypt.

5. PREVIOUS APPOINTMENTS

- March 1983 - February 1984: House Officer in a Surgical Rotational Scheme at Hospitals of both Kasr EL-Eini School of Medicine & the Ministry of Health, Egypt.
- June, 1985 - May, 1986: Resident Doctor at the departments of General Surgery and Orthopedics and Traumatology at the Suez Canal University in Ismailia, Egypt.
- July 1986 - February 1989: Resident Doctor at the department of Orthopedics and Traumatology, at the Suez Canal University in Ismailia, Egypt.
- March 1989 - October 1991: Teaching Assistant of Orthopedics and Traumatology at the Faculty of Medicine, Suez Canal University, Ismailia, Egypt.
- November 1991- July 1994: Assistant lecturer of Orthopedics and Traumatology at the Faculty of Medicine at the Suez Canal University, Ismailia, Egypt.
- August 1994- December 1996: Fellowship of Spine Surgery and Orthopedics besides work for M.D. thesis under the supervision of Dr. G.H. Slot at Saint Martens Clinic, Nijmegen, Nederland.
- January 1997- September 1998: Fellowship of Trauma Surgery at Essen University Hospital under the supervision of Prof. Dr. Schmit Neuerburg, Essen, Germany.
- Mid- February 2001- Mid- April 2001: Fellowship of the AO group, under the supervision of Prof. Dr. A. Getter, Saint-Galen Hospital, Switzerland.

6. DURATION OF MEDICAL STUDIES

- One Year (1976- 1977): Study of Preliminary Natural Sciences (P.N.S.) at the Faculty of Sciences, Cairo University, Egypt.
- Five Years (1977- 1982): Study of medical Sciences at Kasr EL-Eini School of Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, Cairo University, Egypt.
- Eighteen months (December, 1984 - May, 1986): Full courses of General Surgery and Basic Sciences related to orthopedics in preparation for the first part of Master degree of Orthopedics at the Faculty of Medicine, Suez Canal University, Ismailia, Egypt.
- Twenty-eight month (June, 1986- November, 1988): Full courses of Orthopedics including bone diseases and traumatology in preparation for the second part of Master degree of Orthopedics at the Faculty of Medicine, Suez Canal University, Ismailia, Egypt.

7. PUBLICATIONS

7.1 Papers in Refereed Journals

- Evaluation of Operative and Conservative treatment of Carpal-Tunnel Syndrome.
- Posterior stabilization and indirect decompression (ligamentotaxis concept) of burst fractures.
- Circumferential (360 degrees) decompression of patients with thoracolumbar fractures with unimproved neurological deficits.
- An alternative wiring technique for treatment of idiopathic adolescent scoliosis.
- Anterior correction and stabilization of patients with post-traumatic kyphosis.
- Combinations technique of treatment of non-united humeral diaphyseal fractures.
- Open reduction internal fixation of displaced intra-articular calcaneal fractures.
- Biological fixation of comminuted distal femoral fractures.
- Retrograde nailing of supracondylar femoral fractures.
- Open reduction and internal fixation by plate and screws of posterior wall of acetabulum.
- Minimal internal and external fixation for high-energy tibial plateau fractures.

7.2 Papers in conference proceedings

- Pitfalls of internal fixation of long bones
- Different treatment modalities for patients with thoracolumbar spine injuries
- Reconstruction of medial tibial defects during TKA

8. PARTICIPATION in CONFERENCES and WORKSHOPS

- Annual meeting of the Egyptian Orthopedic Society.
- A-O basic course Cairo, 1992.
- European spine society meeting, Nederland, 1996.
- Advanced A-O course Cairo, 1997.
- Hip course of French Orthopedic Society, Cairo 1998.
- American Academy of continuing medical education, basic science 1999.
- Monthly Dubai Orthopedic Club Meeting starting from February 2005.
- American Academy of continuing medical education, Middle East spinal surgery symposium. Dubai, 2006.

9. PRACTICAL MEDICAL EXPERIENCE

- Care of casualty surgery patients.
- Running outpatient clinics including fractures, and cold orthopedic cases especially spine cases.
- Performing and assisting in orthopedic operations for both traumatology and cold cases including spine cases.

10. MEMBERSHIP ON COMMITTEES

- Member in the Department's research council.
- Member in the Curriculum Development & Updating Committee.