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SUMMARY

A highly motivated educator with over 9 years of teaching experience in top Economics department in the UK and over 16 years' experience delivering analytical research, data analysis, and research project management in academic, governmental, private and international policy projects. Well experienced in communicating effectively with different types of students, building strong relationships, and driving modules and projects to successful completion. Enjoy working in dynamic environments that require high levels of dedication both on own initiative and in collaboration with team members.

SKILLS

Teaching and supervising research at both undergraduate and postgraduate levels of different economics modules.

Statistical/Econometric Modelling — analytical, predictive, forecasting and exploratory analysis, parametric and nonparametric modelling, mathematical statistics econometrics, nonlinear multivariate analysis

Spreadsheet/Array Modelling and Programming Languages — STATA, SPSS, MATLAB, Eviews and survey design software — Qualtrics.

Quantitative, Qualitative Research, and Research Project Management

Microsoft Office Suite — Word, Excel, PowerPoint

EDUCATION

University of Glasgow 2011-2016: PhD Economics

Cairo University 2005-2011: M.Sc. with honors Economics

Kyung Hee University, S. Korea 2009-2010: M.A. with honors International Trade and Economic Cooperation

Cairo University 2001-2005: B.Sc. with honors Economics

WORK EXPERIENCE

University of Warwick, UK
2020-C: Senior Teaching Fellow in Economics-Department of Economics

University of Warwick, UK
2016-2020: Teaching Fellow in Economics-Department of Economics

University of Glasgow, UK
2011-2016: Graduate Teaching Assistant-Economics

University of Glasgow International College, UK
2013: Graduate Sessional Tutor-Mathematics

Egyptian National Competitiveness Council, Egypt
2010-2011: Economic Research Specialist

Ministry of Planning, Egypt
2006-2008: Economic Researcher and the direct assistant to the Minister advisor

The Cabinet, Information and Decision Support Centre (IDSC), Egypt
2006: Economic Researcher

National Society for Economic Policy, Egypt
2005-2006: Economic Analyst

**RESEARCH
INTERESTS**

Education Economics, Labor Economics, Applied Microeconometrics, Data Methodology and Analysis.

**RESEARCH
RECORDS**

Does School Organizational Process Matter for Educational Outcomes in England?, 2020, *International Journal of Organizational Leadership*, Vol 9, Issue 4, forthcoming.

The effect of EWARS system implementation on mortality rates. Working paper. World Health Organization, forthcoming.

Internationalisation Monitor 2018, fourth quarter, CBS, Report. [<https://www.cbs.nl/en-gb/publication/2018/50/internationalisation-monitor-2018-fourth-quarter>]

Family Structure and Educational Outcomes: The English Case Yielding Starkly Different Results, conference paper 2017, XXVI Jornadas De La Asociación De Economía De La Educación.

Can Becker's model explain the effect of religion and religiosity on the educational outcomes of English adolescents? forthcoming.

Language effect and price discrimination of virtual goods, forthcoming.

"Essays on Educational Production Function in England". PhD dissertation 2016. University of Glasgow, UK.

"What Matters for Education Expansion in Indonesia: Regional Assessment". United Nations Development Program (UNDP) working paper 2014.

"Multiple Imputation of Missing Data in Educational Production Functions" submitted paper for "International Journal for Arts and Social Sciences" Conference 2013, Harvard University, USA

"Public Private Partnership in Financing Pre-University Education: Case of Egypt". 2011. MSc. Thesis. Faculty of Economics & Political Science, Cairo University, Egypt

"Investing in People" in the Egyptian Competitiveness Strategy. Egyptian National Competitiveness Council. Egypt. 2010

"Monitoring the Progress for Implementing the Egyptian Social Contract." 2010. Information Decision and Support Center. The Cabinet. Egypt. Working paper.

"Arab Women and Sustainable Development". 2010. Egyptian National Competitiveness Council. Working paper.

"Determinants of the Demand on Education." 2010. Partners in Development. Working paper.

"Financing Pre-university Education in Korea: Quality Implications." 2010. M.A. Thesis. Graduate School of Pan-Pacific International Studies, Kyung Hee University. Korea

"Financing Higher Education in Egypt: Evaluation, Possible Options, and New Financing Options." 2009. Information Decision and Support Center. The Cabinet. Egypt. Policy paper.

"The Status of Human Development and the MDGs." In Egypt Human Development Report 2008.

"Develop a Global Partnership for Development." In Egypt Millennium Development Report 2008.

“Living Standard: Concept, Indicators, Information, and Analysis.” 2008. Institute of National Planning. Egypt. Project report.

Government Plan Monitoring Reports. 2006-2008. Ministry of State for Economic Development. Egypt.

Presidential Election Program Monitoring Reports. 2008. Information Decision and Support Center. The Cabinet. Egypt.

Other research has been conducted in several research fields, such as, SMEs, Inflation targeting, Poverty reduction, Public-private partnerships, and Education planning.

CONFERENCES AND TRAINING

2019: England, ‘Mental Health Awareness Training Workshop’. Warwick Department of Economics.

2019: England. ‘Teaching Economics using CORE’. Warwick Department of Economics.

2019: England. ‘Engaging Students in Large Lectures’ seminar. Warwick Department of Economics.

2019: England. ‘Intercultural Communication for Professionals and Academics Training workshop’. Warwick Department of Economics.

2018: England, ‘Women in Economics’ workshop. National Institute for Economic and Social Research

2017: Spain, ‘The XXVI Meeting of the Economics of Education Association’

2017: UK, ‘Applying Consumer Protection Law at Warwick’ course

2015: Turkey, ‘2nd international conference on education and social sciences’

2014: Indonesia, research internship at the United Nations Development Program (UNDP)

2013: USA, “International Journal for Arts and Social Sciences” Conference, Harvard University

2012: UK, "Scottish Graduate Program in Economics Conference" presented PhD research paper

2012: UK, “Peer reviewing of Academic Journals Articles” Workshop, University of Glasgow

2010: The Netherlands, “Market Access for Sustainable Development” Course, Wageningen University

2009: South Korea, “Global Partnership for Economic Development” Conference, Kyung Hee University

2008: Egypt, “Project Monitoring and Evaluation Workshop”, Ministry of International Economic Cooperation

2008: Egypt, “Public-Private Partnership” workshop, National Institute of Planning, and the Islamic Development Bank

2007: Ethiopia, Addis Ababa, United Nations Economic Commission for Africa (UNECA): “Capacity Building to Enhance Knowledge Sharing on Poverty Reduction Strategies and the MDGs in Africa” workshop

2007: Egypt, Cairo: “Supporting the Implementation of MDG’s in the Arab Countries” workshop, Ministry of Planning

2007: Kuwait, “Public-Private Partnership” workshop, Ministry of Finance, and the Islamic Development Bank

2007: Egypt, “Institutional Economics and Reform” workshop, Partners in Development Institute

2006: Egypt, “Small and Medium Enterprises, the Korean Experience” workshop, the Information and decision Support Centre (IDSC), the Cabinet

2006: Egypt, “Studying of the Malaysian Developmental Experience” workshop, the Malaysian Program; Centre of Asian Studies”, Faculty of Economics and Political Science

2005: Egypt, Translation of a book about the Korean economic development experience

2005: Egypt, Project of “Initiating Free Business” workshop, Centre of Economic and Financial Studies”, Faculty of Economics and Political Science

2005: Egypt, “Self Employment Initiative” workshop, Social Fund for Development in cooperation with the Faculty of Economics and Political Science

2003: Egypt, internship in financial analysis in “Investia Misr Romania brokerage firm”

2002: Egypt, “Model United Nations”, WTO member, Faculty of Economics and Political Science.

2002: Egypt: “Egyptian Stock Exchange Model”, Faculty of Economics and Political Science

2001: Egypt, “Model American Congress”, Faculty of Economics and Political Science

GRANTS

2014: Scottish Institute for Research in Economics (SIRE) to undertake research internship in the UNDP, Indonesia (£9K)

2011: Adam Smith Business School, University of Glasgow scholarship to undertake my PhD in Economics (£80K)

2010: NUFFIC, The Netherlands to undertake a “Market Access for Sustainable Development” Course

2009: Korea International Cooperation Agency (KOICA) to undertake my M.A in International Trade and Economic Cooperation, South Korea (\$25K)

LANGUAGES

Arabic (native), English (fluent) and French (Intermediate level)

REFERENCES

Professor Elizabeth Jones
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