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Education

MASTER OF SCIENCE, SOLID-STATE PHYSICS

[Aug. 2018 - Feb. 2021]

Faculty of Science, Asyut University, Egypt

- Thesis: Characterization and measuring of some properties of high-temperature superconducting materials

DIPLOMA IN SOLID STATE, PHYSICS

[Sep. 2017- Jul. 2018]

Faculty of Science, Asyut University, Egypt

- Cumulative GPA: 3.90/4

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE, PHYSICS

[Sep. 2012 - Jun. 2016]

Faculty of Science, Asyut University, Egypt

- Cumulative GPA: 3.68/4
- Rank: first

Work Experience

TEACHING ASSISTANT

[May. 2017 – Present]

Faculty of Science, Asyut University, Egypt

- Teaching Undergraduate student labs by grading student reports and making exams, performed these duties for classes ranging from introductory level to advanced upper level.
- Tutoring topics in physics for science and engineering undergraduates at the level of Serway and Jewett's textbook Physics for Scientists and Engineers with Modern Physics
- Teaching assistant in the Solid-State physics (353 P) course for undergraduate students.

Research Experience

INTERNATIONAL REMOTE STUDENT INTERN

[Feb. 2023 – Apr. 2023]

The Joint Institute of Nuclear Research (JINR), Moscow, Russia

- INTRODUCTORY COURSE: [Coexistence of superconductivity and ferromagnetism at low-dimensional heterostructures](#)

STUDENT INTERN, QUANTUM MATERIAL SCIENCE UNIT

[May. 2022 – Sep. 2022]

Okada Unit, Okinawa Institute of Science and Technology, Graduate University, Okinawa, Japan

- Synthesized powders by solid-state reaction method and targets by using Sparking plasma sintering technique.
- Characterized powders and thin films by using XRD, XRF, and SEM.
- Characterized thin films by AFM.
- Doing training for thin film growth by PLD and MBE.

INTERNATIONAL REMOTE STUDENT INTERN

[Sep. 2021 – Nov. 2021]

The Joint Institute of Nuclear Research (JINR), Moscow, Russia

- INTRODUCTORY COURSE: [MD-Simulation research \(from atomic fragments to molecular compounds\)](#)

MEMBER OF THE SCIENTIFIC TEAM OF THE SCIENCE-UP INITIATIVE FROM THE ASRT

The Academy of Scientific Research and Technology (ASRT), Cairo, Egypt

[Apr. 2020 – Jan. 2021]

- Thesis: [syntheses of new Mn\(1-x\) Cd_xZnO₂ nano-composite system: preparation, structure, and some proprieties](#)
- Doing analysis for characterization measurement using origin lab.

MASTER'S STUDENT

[Aug. 2018 – Feb. 2021]

Faculty of Science, Asyut University, Egypt

- Synthesized BSCCO superconductors by the solid-state reaction method.
- Worked on various characterization techniques such as X-ray, DTA, FTIR, Four-prop (R-T curves), squid magnetometer, nano-indenter, and chemical experiments.
- Performed the analysis, designing the figures by using different programs (Origin Lab, Excel).
- Explained the results and their behavior of BSCCO when Ca is substituted by La with different concentrations.
- Wrote the first draft manuscripts, and my supervisor reviewed and edits them.
- Studied the doping impact on the electronic structure of Bi-based alloys using DFT calculations

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT

[Aug. 2018 – Feb. 2021]

Faculty of Science, Asyut University, Egypt

- Studied the Excess Conductivity and Critical Physical Parameters of Y Substituted Ca Site of Bi: 2223 High Tc Superconductors".
- Planned, organized, conducted experiments, and analyzed scientific data by using excel and origin lab.

Publications

A Comparative Study Between Structural and Properties of La Substituted (Bi, Pb):2212 and (Bi, Pb): 2223 superconductors, A.Sedky, [Amna Salah](#), [Journal of Electronic Materials](#), 2022.

Cooperative effects due to Ca substitution by La on the normal and superconducting states of (Bi,Pb):2223 system, A.Sedky, [Amna Salah](#), A.A.Bahgat, and A.Abou-Aly, [J. Mater. Sci. Mater. Electron.](#) 31, 15,12502 -12513, 2020.

Excess Conductivity, Diamagnetic Transition and FTIR Spectra of Ca Substituted by La in (Bi,Pb):2212 Superconducting System, A.Sedky and [Amna Salah](#), [J. Low Temp. Phys.](#) 201,3,294 - 310, 2020. [Low Temp. Phys.](#) 201,3,294 310, 2020.

Fluctuation, Diamagnetic Transition, and FTIR Spectra of La Substituting Ca in (Bi, Pb): 2223 Superconductor, A.Sedky and [Amna Salah](#), [J. Supercond. Nov. Magn.](#) 33, 12, 3705 – 3715, 2020.

Normal and Superconducting Properties of Bi_{1.7}Pb_{0.3}Sr₂Ca_{1-x}La_xCu₂O_y Superconductor with 0.00 ≤ x ≤ 0.30, A.Sedky, [Amna Salah](#), and A.Abou- Aly, [J. Supercond. Nov. Magn.](#) 33,11,3349–3359, 2020.

Excess Conductivity and Critical Physical Parameters of Y Substituted Ca Site of Bi: 2223 High Tc Superconductors, Sedky, [Amna Salah](#), S. Amin, [Asian Journal of Physical and Chemical Sciences](#), 3,2,1-15, 2018.

Skills

Computer skills

- Numerical computation: Mathematica-Mat Lab-Origin lab -material studio
- Programming: Python
- Operating systems: Windows- Linux
- Word/text processing software: Latex –Office

Languages

- English: very good
 - Arabic: native
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Conferences

The 7th International Conference for Young Scientists Basic and Applied Sciences, Asyut University, Egypt. [10 – 11 May. 2022]

Online Conference on Quantum Annealing/Adiabatic Quantum Computation, ICTP, Italy [05-06, Oct. 2020]

The 5th International Conference for Young Scientists Basic and Applied Sciences, Asyut University, Egypt. [29Oct. – 1 Nov. 2016]

- Fluctuation-induced excess conductivity study in Bi_{1.7}Pb_{0.3}Sr₂Ca_{2-x}Y_xCu₃O_y Superconductors, A.sedky and Amna Salah.
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Schools & Workshops

School on Synchrotron Light Sources and their Applications, ICTP [23 Jan - 3 Feb. 2023]

International and Interdisciplinary Workshop of the Arab-German Young Academy of Sciences and Humanities (AGYA) Materials for Energy Scientific Research and Technology, Cairo, Egypt [24 - 25 Oct. 2020]

The Materials and Processes for Energy and Transport Technology, On-line workshop [19 - 21 Oct. 2020]

Online Workshop on Excited Charge Dynamics in Semiconductors, ICTP [28 - 30 Sep. 2020]

Terascale online summer school, Desy [23 July - 12 Aug. 2020]

Training course on the Four-prop technique to measure the R-T curve of the sample, Alexandria university, Egypt [1-15 Feb. 2019]

Honors & Awards

Offered OIST fully funded internship Okinawa Institute of Science and Technology, Graduate University, Okinawa, Japan [May. 2022]

Offered OIST fully funded internship Okinawa Institute of Science and Technology, Graduate University, Okinawa, Japan [Dec. 2021]

Offered Intensive English Language Diploma Scholarship, Tawakkol Karman Foundation, Turkey [Jun. 2021]

Granted ‘SCIENCE UP INITIATIVE’ research fund The Academy of Scientific Research and Technology (ASRT), Cairo, Egypt [Feb. 2020]

Assiut University award for scientific publishing Assiut University for four publishing papers, EGYPT, “four times” [2021]

Assiut University award for getting the first rank in the Physics department, Asyut University, EGYPT [Aug. 2017]

A Syndicate of Scientific Professions award to obtain a bachelor’s degree with a very good grade with honors, Syndicate of scientific professions [May. 2017]

References

Prof. Dr. / Ahmed Sidqi Mohamed Abdel – Maksoud

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Prof. / Aly Ibrahim Abou-Aly

Emeritus Professor, Physics Department, Faculty of Science, Alexandria University

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