# **Curriculum Vitae**

# Personal information:



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# Qualifications and degrees:

Degree	Institution	Date
Ph.D.(Hort./Pomology)	Faculty of Agriculture, Assiut University	2000
	Title of dissertation:" In vitro mass production of seedlings derived from some selected citrus cultivars"	
M.Sc.(Hort./Pomology)	Faculty of Agriculture, Assiut University	1994
	Title of thesis:" Response of young plants of some fig cultivars to certain horticulture practices of planting distances and pruning"	
B.Sc.(Hort./Pomology)	Faculty of Agriculture, Assiut University	1989

#### Positions Held:

- Demonstrator (Teaching assistant) of Pomology, Horticulture Department, Faculty of Agriculture, Assiut University from October 1989 to May 1994.
- Assistant Lecturer of Pomology, Horticulture Department, Faculty of Agriculture, Assiut University from May 1994 to April 2000.
- Senior Lecturer of Pomology, Horticulture Department, Faculty of Agriculture, Assiut University from April 2000 up to the date.

- Director of Central Research Laboratory of Tissue Culture in the Faculty of Agriculture, Assiut University from July 2010 up to the date.
- Director of Genetic Engineering Research and Tissue Culture Unit in Assiut University from November 2010 up to the date.
- Applying for promotion to assistant professor (expected within 6 months)

#### Grants and awards:

- Sharing investigator in research project "Improving Fig production in Upper Egypt", funded by Egyptian Supreme Council of Universities from 1989-1996.
- Sharing investigator in research project "Improving Citrus production in Upper Egypt", funded by Academy of Scientific Research and Technology of Egypt from 1989-1996.
- Principal investigator of the joint project between the USAID-Academy for Scientific Research and the Science & Technology Development Fund (STDF) (ID 405) entitled "Germplasm conservation of indigenous fruit species in Upper Egypt", 2009-2011.
- Site leading investigator of multicenter research project funded by Agricultural Research Development Fund (ARDF) entitled "Impact of transgenic Bt-potato lines on the environment and human health", 2010-2014.

#### Current Research Interest:

- Biotechnology:
  - Molecular characterization and discrimination among different fruit cultivars by RAPD markers.
  - In vitro propagation of different fruit cultivars.
  - *In vitro* salt and drought tolerance of some pomegranate cultivars.
  - Effect of medium, cytokinins and auxins on *In vitro* propagation of different citrus rootstocks.
- Fruit production (Propagation, Flowering and Fruit Set Problems).
  - Improvements in berry quality of some grapevine cultivars.
  - Effect of different bunch waves and daytime pollination on fruit set and quality of date palm.
  - Effect of pre-harvest applications of gibberellic acid and calcium on physical and chemical characteristics of dates during storage.
  - Insight into the effect of salicylic acid on apple trees growing under sandy saline soil.
  - Protecting grapevines growing in hot climates from sunburn.

# Teaching and community service experience:

### **Teaching experience**

# Fifteen years experience in undergraduate teaching of:

- General Horticulture
- Tropical & Subtropical Horticulture
- Production of fruit crops,
- Postharvest physiology,
- Nursery & Propagation of fruit trees,
- Breeding of fruit trees,
- General principles of Tissue Culture in plants

## Ten years experience in postgraduate teaching of:

- Principles of tissue culture in plants
- Advanced course in breeding of fruit trees
- Advanced course in Germplasm conservation
- Genetic improving of fruit trees.
- Rootstocks in citrus

# Two years experience in research design, methodology and reporting.

# **Community services:**

- Scientific counseling and administrating of the Genetic Engineering Research and Tissue Culture Unit in Assiut University.
- Administrating the Central Research Laboratory of Tissue Culture in the Faculty of Agriculture, Assiut University.
- Course director of more than two specific courses in my department.
- One of the administrating team of the Faculty Assurance Unit.
- Sharing in preparation of undergraduate and postgraduate course specification and report in my department
- One of the administrating team in the project of Quality Assurance and Accreditation in the Faculty of Agriculture, Assiut University (responsible for Academic standards)

#### Personal skills and competences

- Mother tongue(s): Arabic
- Fluent English (Understanding, speaking and writing)
- Germany (first level)
- Computer Skills: MS Office (Word, Excel, Access, PowerPoint),
- Soft Skills: One of the students mentors of the Faculty of Agriculture, Assiut University

#### Conferences:

- The 2<sup>nd</sup> Scientific Conference of Young Scientists Faculty of Agriculture Assiut University 6 May 2008.
- The First International Conference of Biological Sciences Faculty of Science Assiut University, March 4-5<sup>th</sup> 2009.
- The 5<sup>th</sup> Scientific Conference of Agricultural Sciences Faculty of Agriculture Assiut University October 16-17<sup>th</sup> 2010.

#### Thesis & conference abstracts:

- 1. Shaaban M.M. Response of young plants of some fig cultivars to certain horticulture practices of planting distances and pruning. M.Sc., Assiut University, 1994.
- 2. Shaaban M.M. *In vitro* mass production of seedlings derived from some selected citrus cultivars. Ph.D., Assiut University, 2000.
- 3. El-Agamy S.Z., Mostafa R.A.A., Shaaban M.M., El-Mahdy M.T. *In vitro* propagation of Manfalouty and Nab El-Gamal pomegranate cultivars. M.Sc., Assiut University, 2009.
- 4. El-Agamy S.Z., Salem S.E., Shaaban M.M., Nasrat L.M. In vitro propagation of some citrus rootstocks. M.Sc., Assiut University, 2010.
- El-Agamy, S.Z., M.A. Hussein, F.M.A. Mostafa and M.M. Shaaban. DNA fingerprinting of some superior selected variants of orange and mandarin grown in Assiut. Proc. of The Genetic Engineering and Its Applications Conference 2004, Sharm El-Sheikh, Egypt (Abst).

#### Publications:

- 1. El-Agamy, S.Z., M.A. Hussien, F.M.A. Mostafa and M.M. Shaaban. Selection of Superior variants among some Citrus seedlings in Egypt. *International Society For Citriculture* 2002, Orlando, Florida, USA.
- 2. El-Agamy, S.Z., M.A. Hussein, F.M.A. Mostafa and M.M. Shaaban. Seed and embryo development in some new citrus selections. *Proc. of the 10<sup>th</sup> International Congress of Citriculture 2004*, Agadir, Morocco. 212-215.
- 3. El-Sayed, N.E. and M.M. Shaaban. Molecular characterization and identification of five Egyptian pomegranate cultivars. *Assiut J. of Agric. Sci. 2008*, *39 (4): 31-41*.
- 4. Mohamed, A.K.A. and M.M. Shaaban. Improvements in berry of Ruby Seedless and Beauty Seedless grapes. *Assiut J. of Agric. Sci. 2008, 39 (5): 81-91.*
- 5. Mostafa, R.A.A. and M.M. Shaaban. Effect of different bunch waves and daytime pollination on fruit set and quality of Zaghloul date palm under Assiut condition. *Assiut J. of Agric. Sci.* 2009, 40 (1): 51-65.
- 6. Mohamed, A.K.A. and M.M. Shaaban. The effect of pre-harvest applications of gibberellic acid and calcium on physical and chemical characteristics of Zaghloul and Samani sates during storage. *Alex. J. Agric. Res.* 2009, 54 (3): 57-71.

- 7. El-Agamy, S.Z., R.A.A. Mostafa, M.M. Shaaban and M.T. El-Mahdy. *In vitro* propagation of Manfalouty and Nab El-gamal pomegranate cultivars. *Res. J. Agric. & Biol. Sci.* 2009, 5 (6): 1169-1175.
- 8. El-Agamy, S.Z., R.A.A. Mostafa, M.M. Shaaban and M.T. El-Mahdy. *In vitro* salt and drought tolerance of Manfalouty and Nab El-Gamal pomegranate cultivars. *Aust. J. Basic & Appl. Sci. 2010, 4 (6): 1076-1082*.
- 9. El-Agamy, S.Z., S.E. Salem, M.M. Shaaban and L.M.N. Abdel-Ati. Effect of medium, cytokinins and auxins on *In vitro* propagation of some citrus rootstocks. *Egyptian J. of Hort.* 2010, 37 (1): 39-51.
- 10. El-Sayed, N.E., M.M. Hashad and M.M. Shaaban. Molecular characterization and discrimination among grapevine cultivars by RAPD markers. *Aust. J. Basic & Appl. Sci.* 2011, 5 (2): 230-235.
- 11. Abd El-Aal, A.M.K. and M.M. Shaaban. Why some grape cultivars are hard to root? *Aust. J. Basic & Appl. Sci.*, 2011, 5 (2): 110-116.
- 12. Ahmed, F.F., M.M. Shaaban and A.M.K. Abd El-Aal. Protecting Crimson Seedless grapevines growing in hot climates from sunburn. Res. J. Agric. & Biol. Sci., 2011, 7(1): 135-141.

### References

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