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Name: Prof. Dr. Zebeda Mohamed Atta

### **Academic Positions:**

- 1 - Lecturer, Department of History, Faculty of Arts, Minya University.
- 2 - Assistant Professor of Medieval Studies, Faculty of Arts, Minya University.
- 3 - Professor, Faculty of Arts, Minya University.
- 4 - Head of the History Department, King Abdulaziz University, Saudi Arabia (on loan) 1984-1989.
- 5 - Head of the History Department, Faculty of Arts, Minya University.
- 6 - Professor, Faculty of Education, Helwan University.
- 7 - Professor and Vice Dean, Faculty of Arts, Helwan University.
- 8 - Head of the History Department, Faculty of Arts, Helwan University.
- 9 - Vice Dean of the Faculty of Arts, Helwan University.
- 10 - Dean of the Faculty of Arts, Helwan University, 1999-2004.
- 11 - Teaching at the Faculty of Military Administration, Cairo.

### **Awards:**

- 1 - State Appreciation Award in Social Sciences, 2003.
- 2 - Certificate of Appreciation from the Russian Ministry of Education and the Friendship University for strengthening cultural relations between Egypt and Syria.
- 3 - Certificate of Appreciation from the University of Casablanca and the Ministry of Education, Morocco.
- 4 - Certificate of Appreciation from Minya University for Pioneers.

- 5 - Certificate of Appreciation from Assiut University.
6. Certificate of Appreciation from Ain Shams University
7. Certificate of Appreciation from South Valley University
8. Certificate of Appreciation from Sohag University
9. Shield of the Union of Arab Historians (Historians' Honors)

**Membership in Scientific Committees and Societies: -**

Rapporteur of the History Committee of the Supreme Council of Culture (2012-2017) - Member of the Supreme Council for Culture and Arts and the History Committee.

2. Rapporteur of the Grievances Committee of the Supreme Council of Universities (2013-2016)
3. Member of the Grievances Committee of the Supreme Council of Universities (2016-2019)
4. Rapporteur of the Committees for Promotion of Professors and Assistant Professors in History several times until 2013
5. Member of the Bibliotheca Alexandrina and its committees, as well as Arab Reform Committees and Conferences.
6. Member of the Egyptian Society for Historical Studies.
7. Member of the Board of Directors of the Union of Arab Historians.
- 8- Member of the Egyptian Cultural Club.
- 9- Member of the Arab Archaeologists Union.
- 10- Member of the Solidarity Committee.
- 11- Editor-in-Chief and Chairman of the Board of Directors of History and Future Magazine, Minya University.
- 12- Member of the History Evaluation Committee for middle and secondary schools at the Ministry of Education. A committee supervised by Prof. Dr. Hussein Kamel Bahaa El-Din, former Minister of Education.
- 13- Former Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Faculty of Arts Magazine, Helwan University.
- 14- Participating member in the preparation of the International Museum of Egyptian Civilization for ten years.

15- Member of the State Encouragement Awards Jury - History Committee, Supreme Council of Culture.

16- Preparation of the history curriculum for the Ministry of Education, "The Coptic Period." 17- Member of the State Awards for Academic Excellence Evaluation Committee (Encouragement, Excellence, Appreciation, and Nile Awards).

18- Member of the National Council for Women.

19- Member of the Diplomatic Cultural Club.

20. Member of the Union for the Republic Association.

21. Member of the Promotions Committee (History) for the thirteenth session (2019-2022) of the Supreme Council of Universities.

22. Writer of a weekly column in October newspaper for three years.

23. Judge of promotion committees in several Arab countries, including Iraq and Saudi Arabia.

24. Recorded numerous cultural and historical programs on Egyptian and Arab television channels.

25. A program on Al Jazeera Documentary Channel about the Morocco's.

26. A program on Al Jazeera Documentary Channel about Egyptian civilization in the Middle Ages.

27. A program on Al Arabiya Channel about Jews in modern Egypt.

28. Articles in several Egyptian and Arab newspapers and on Egyptian Radio.

### **Scientific Research in Egypt and the Arab World:**

I have submitted more than fifty research papers in various languages, including Arabic, English, and French, to major scientific journals at home and abroad.

#### **(A) Research in Egypt and the Arab World:**

1 - Iraq in the Eyes of Muslim Travelers. A paper presented at the Iraqi Cultural Center, 1989.

2 - Egyptian-Iraqi Relations during the Ayyubid Era. A paper presented at the symposium: "Egyptian-Iraqi Relations," Cairo, 1989.

- 3 - Acre, the Last Crusader Emirate, Cairo 1882.
- 4 - Shu'ubiyya Symposium, Iraq, 1989.
- 5 - Oman as Mentioned in the Writings of Travelers in the Middle Ages. Sultanate of Oman, 1998.
- 6 - The Geniza Documents as a Source for the Study of Islamic History. University of Casablanca, 1999.
- 7 - Morocco: A Series of Lectures on a Scholarship from the Ministry of Higher Education, 1999.
- 8 - The Islamic West and the Christian East during the Middle Ages. Rabat, Mohammed V University, Rabat, 1999.
- 9 - Features of the Egyptian Personality in the Coptic Era. Symposium on the State and the Egyptian Church, Supreme Council of Culture.
- 10 - The Mamluk State and the Christian Kingdoms of Nubia. Egypt's Southern Borders Symposium, Supreme Council of Culture.
11. A Comparative Study between Esoteric Organizations in the Islamic Era and Modern Terrorist Organizations. Supreme Council of Culture, and the Terrorism Conference - Supreme Council of Culture. Also published in IbdAA Magazine.
12. Damietta as a Defensive Front for Egypt in the Ayyubid and Mamluk Eras. Supreme Council of Culture.
13. The Image of the Feudal Knight and the Islamic-Christian Conflict as Appeared in Eleventh-Century Byzantine and Latin Epic Poems. History and Future Magazine, Minya University, Faculty of Arts, Department of History, Vol. 5, No. 3, 1992.
14. Jewish Nationalism. Lecture delivered at Kenitra University, 1999, Morocco.
15. The Connection between Political and Religious Authority in the Mamluk Era. Government Across the Ages Conference, Supreme Council of Culture, 1999.
16. Egyptian-Moroccan Relations. A paper presented in Morocco at the joint Egyptian-Moroccan conference, chaired by me and the Dean of the Faculty of Arts in Morocco. Morocco, 2003.

17. Morocco in History. International Symposium, Helwan University in collaboration with Morocco, Cairo, 2001.
18. Moroccan Jews. Lecture delivered at the University of Fez, Morocco, 1999.
- 19 - Economic Life in the Islamic World, Morocco, University of Mohammedia, 1999.
- 20 - Jews of the Arab World. A lecture delivered at a seminar at Ain Shams University, 2000. 21 - The Image of the Crusader Knight as Appeared in Islamic Writings, Alexandria University, 2000.
- 22 - The Islamic Conquest as Appeared in the Writings of Sophronius, Patriarch of Jerusalem, Alexandria University, 2001.
- 23 - The Eighth Crusade. Conference on the Islamic West and the Christian West, Tunis, 2002.
- 24 - Developing Literary Studies - Curricula. Conference of Deans of Faculties of Arts, Syria, 2004.
- 25 - The Historical Research Methodology in Egyptian Schools • History Curricula Symposium, Supreme Council of Culture, 2005.
- 26 - The Mamluks and the Legitimacy of Rule, a paper presented at the Supreme Council of Culture in 2002.
- 27 - "Antony Police," a paper published in French in Minya University Publications, 1982.
- 28 - Human Rights, Social Workers Syndicate, Cairo, 2005.
- 29 - School Libraries (Bookstores in the Ayyubid and Mamluk Eras). Symposium on Schools in Islamic Egypt, Egyptian Society for Historical Studies, in collaboration with the Supreme Council of Culture, 1992.
- 30 - Muhammad Abduh and His Position on Women, in the Supreme Council of Culture Symposium on Sheikh Muhammad Abduh, 2005.
- 31 - Ibn Khaldun: The Self and Creativity. Supreme Council of Culture, International Conference, 2006. On Ibn Khaldun.
- 32 - Bernard Lewis and His Book Against Semitism. Supreme Council of Culture, 2006. Symposium on Semitism.
- 33 - Raphael Eitan and the Killing of Egyptian Prisoners. Supreme Council of Culture, 2006. Symposium on the 1956 War.

34 - The Bedouins of Sinai and Their Relationship with Egypt and Israel, Sinai Symposium, Union of Arab Historians, Cairo, 2007.

35 - The Papacy And its Responsibility for the Crusades, Union of Arab Historians, Cairo, 2007.

36 - Jews of Egypt in the Modern Era, a lecture at the Maadi Rotary Club, 2007.

37 - Historical Writing about the Era of the Mamluk Sultans, a seminar on historical writing, 2007, Supreme Council of Culture.

38 - Dream Cultural Salon Program, an episode on my book, Jews of the Arab World, with Prof. Gamal El-Ghitani.

39 - Dream Cultural Salon Program, an episode on my book, Coptic in a Christian Era, with Dr. Milad Hanna.

40 - Delivering several lectures on history to diplomats at the Egyptian Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

41 - Egyptian Textiles in the Islamic Era, at the Islamic Arts Conference, Kuwait, 2016.

42 - Bandung Conference, "Egyptian-Russian Relations Conference," Supreme Council of Culture, March 2017.

43. Preparing the Coptic Collection at the Museum of Civilization, "The Journey of the Holy Family Conference," Supreme Council of Culture, January 23, 2019.

44. "Alexandrian Society in the Coptic Era," November 4, 2019, Faculty of Arts and Center for Coptic Studies, Alexandria University.

45. Research on "Jews in Egypt," French Cultural Association, Paris, 2019.

46. Research: Sinai and Zionist Ambitions, Union of Arab Historians, 2018.

47. Research: Non-Aligned Movement, as part of the Egyptian-Ukrainian Relations Symposium, held at the Supreme Council of Culture, 2023.

48. Research: The Egyptian Personality, as part of the Egyptian Identity Symposium, held at the Supreme Council of Culture, 2024.

49. Chairing and Delivering a Symposium on: Egypt and the Arab World, held at the Supreme Council of Culture, 2024.

50. Research on: The City of Cairo, held at the Literature Committee, held at the Supreme Council of Culture, 2024.

51. Research: The History and Civilization of Egypt in the Islamic Period, held at the Greater Cairo Library, Zamalek, 2024.

**(b) Research published abroad:**

(1) The Position of The woman between The Roman Law and Islamic Religeon, 1982. LosAnglos Cale state Univ.

(2) The Magic in coptic Egypt in univ. poland, 2001.

(3) The Jews Quarter at Mamluk era. 2001

بحث ألقى فى جامعة لوفان ببلجيكا 2002 Luvan univ. Belgum

(4) Russia and American invention of Iraq. Moscow, 2003, in cofcrnce dialoage of civilization Friedship. Univ.

(5) The globalization and its effect in Arab world. The friendship. Univ. Moscow, 2000.

(6) The effect of Arab civilization on Furopeean writers. Granda, Spain, 2004.

(7) The Jews of Spain Confernce of Seviella Spain, 2004.

(8) The Human rights in The Light of Arabic Constitutions friendship Univ. of Humaninty, Moscow, 2005.

(9) The Infleunce of christian fayeam portrait in univ. of Humaninty, Moscow, 2005.

(10) The west as seen by Arabs native. Unesco. The Conferance of Ruman Right, 2007

(11) Research on Medieval Syria in Egypt. 1950-2000. in A Humantics Univ. and Social Science Review, 2002. The centre of Asian Cultural Studies for Unesco. Tokyo, 2002

(12)The Career of Balak the Artukd "Chrongico" Univ. of szeged Hungary, 2007

## **Publications:**

- 1 - The Islamic East and the Byzantine Empire during the Ayyubid Era. Cairo, 1996.
- 2 - Economic Life in Byzantine Egypt. Cairo, 1994.
- 3 - The Egyptian Peasant between the Coptic and Islamic Eras. Cairo, 1991.
- 4 - The Land of the Turks in the Middle Ages. Cairo, n.d.
- 5 - The Essence of the Idea in the History of Migration, by Baybars al-Dawadar (edited by Ain House for Studies and Research, reprinted for the third time in 2019).
- 6 - Minya in the Byzantine Era. Cairo, General Egyptian Book Organization.
- 7- Coptic Encyclopedia in the Christian Era, 2003.
- 8- The Arabization of Jerusalem According to Jerusalem Papers and Documents, 2007.
- 9- The Byzantine Fighter, 1989.
- 10- The Methodology of Historical Research, Minya, 1990.
- 11- The Byzantine State from Constantine to Anastasius, Dar Al-Fikr Al-Arabi.
- 12- Encyclopedia of the Jews of the Arab World: 1- Part One: The Jews of the Arab World: Nationalism 2- The Ghetto 3- The Orientation to Jerusalem, 2002. 2- Part Two: Claims of Persecution, purchased by the Ministry of Education for inclusion in school libraries. 3- Part Three: Egyptian Jews: Identity and Belonging, 2007. 4- Jews in Modern Egypt (Political History) 5- Jews in Modern Egypt (Social and Economic History)
- 13- A Copt in a Christian Era, Supreme Council of Culture, 2003. Encyclopedia of a Copt in an Islamic Era, 2007, currently in print.
- 14- Jewish Trade in Egypt, 2007.
- 15- Participation in the book published by the Arab Foundation for Sciences and Arts (CISCO), "The Comprehensive Book of the History of the Arab Nation," writing two articles. 16- Egypt, the Levant, and the

Crusades - Social Life in Egypt and the Levant during the Crusades (CISCO), 2006-2007.

17- Encyclopedia of Egyptian History: Supervising the preparation of and participating in a study on the Islamic Conquest between Islamic and Christian Sources in the Encyclopedia of the History of Egypt in the Middle Ages, Supreme Council of Culture, 2007.

18. Israel in the Nile, Dar Al-Shorouk, 2009, and another edition titled: Egypt, Israel, and the Nile Basin Countries, Dar Ain, 2019.

19. A Copt in an Islamic Era, General Egyptian Book Organization, 2017.

20. Translation of the book "Semitism and Anti-Semitism" by Bernard Lewis, Translation Center, 2019.

21. Abdel Nasser and the Jews of Egypt, 2024.

22. The Hashishiya Sect: Between Myth and Historical Fact, forthcoming