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Demotist; Papyrologist

CURRENT POSITION:

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PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Full Name: Mahmoud Labib Hassan El-Bokl

Date and Place of Birth: December 1, 1984, Shoubra, Egypt

Religion: Muslim

Nationality: Egyptian

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Marital Status: Married

Military Status: Exempted on March 21, 2011

WORK EXPERIENCE

2008-2012: Demonstrator, Department of Archaeology and Civilization, Helwan University.

2012-2017: Assistant Lecturer, Department of Archaeology and Civilization, Helwan University.

EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS

2003 – 2007 BA in Egyptology, Department of Archaeology and Civilization, Egyptology Ramification, Faculty of Arts, Helwan University.
Graduated with honors.
Top of class at Helwan University.

2007 - 2008 Pre-Master in Egyptology (Demotic and Greek branch)
Graduated with honors.
Top of class.

MA in Egyptology, Department of Archaeology and Civilization, Egyptology Ramification, Faculty of Arts, Helwan University.

Oct.2008- July 2012 Thesis: "**A Palaeographical Study of Demotic Documents from Tuna el-Gebel Necropolis throughout the Greco-Roman Period**"

Supervisors: Prof. Dr. Maha Farid Mostafa and Prof. Dr. Ola El-Aguizy.

Examiners: Prof. Salah el-Kholy and Prof. Mahmoud Ebeid.

Graduated with honors.

Nominated for the Helwan University Prize for Best Thesis in 2012.

Sep. 2009 – June 2014: (BA in Arabic Studies) Graduated from the Faculty of Dar Al-Uloom, Cairo University.

June 2013 - Oct. 2017 (PhD in Egyptology) in Demotic and Greek Studies, entitled: **“Miscellaneous Demotic and Greek Documents from Tuna El-Gebel Necropolis: A Philological, Palaeographical, and Cultural Study”**, supervised by Prof. Mohammed Kashaf (Ain Shams), Prof. Mahmoud Ebeid (Cairo), and Ass. Prof. Maha Akeel (Helwan) and examined by Prof. Günter Vittmann (Würzburg) and Prof. Ola El-Aguizy (Cairo).

Excellent with Honors

2014-2015 Trainee in the 1st field-school organized by the **IFAO, Cairo.**

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Teach undergraduate Courses.

Courses taught:

University	Courses Taught	Duration
Helwan University	- Ancient Egyptian Language (Middle Egyptian I)	2019 - Present
	- Ancient Egyptian Language (Middle Egyptian II)	2018 - Present
	- The Ancient Greek Language (Koine)	2019/2020, 2021/2022
	- Ancient Greek Texts	2019/2020, 2021/2022
	- Demotic script	2020 - Present
	- The Egyptian monuments throughout the Greco-Roman period	2015-2018
	- Approach to Archaeology	2016
	- Landmarks of ancient Egyptian history and antiquities	2022-2024
	- Landmarks of Ancient Egyptian History and Archaeology	2018, 2022
	- History and Civilization of Egypt during the Ptolemaic period	2018
Damanhur University	- Demotic texts I, II	2019-2024
	- Late Egyptian course	2022-2024
	- Ptolemaic Hieroglyphs	2022/2023, 2023-2024
Zagazig University	- Demotic script	2022-2024
	- Old Egyptian	2022-2024
	- Late Egyptian	2023-2024
Cairo University	- Demotic script	2023, 2024

SCHOLARSHIPS

2016-2017: PhD scholar (*boursier*) at the **IFAO**.

MEMBERSHIPS

- Member of the **IFAO** mission at the site of Philadelphia, Fayoum, Egypt.
- was member of the Archaeological mission of Helwan Univ. working in the tomb of Amonemint (**TT58**) at Sheikh Abd-el-Qurna, west valley, **Luxor** in 2021.
- Member of The Egypt Exploration Society (**EES**).
- Member of The Association of Egyptian Papyrologists (**AEP**).
- Member of The International Association of Egyptologists (**IAE**)

TRAINING COURSES AND ACTIVITIES IN THE FIELD OF ARCHAEOLOGY

- Training with the joint mission of Cairo and Munich Universities at the site of Tuna el-Gebel, seasons 2009 and 2010.
- Training in the 1st field school of IFAO (Sep. 2014- May 2015):
 - Theory: 14-25 Sep. 2014.
 - Training: **Dush**, Kharga Oasis (16-24 Nov. 2014).
 - Tabbet el-Gueish**, south Saqqara (24-30 Nov. 2014).
- **Archaeological Objects Drawing Course** from 18 Oct. - 01 Nov. 2014 hosted by **EES (Egypt)**.
- Participated in "The French-Egyptian meeting of heritage and the protection of culture property" organized by the IFAO during 12-13 Nov. 2014.
- Workshop in studying, classification and drawing pottery entitled "**Théorie et pratique du dessin archéologique et de la description de céramiques**" organized by the IFAO at Al-Fostat site from 26 March-6 April 2017.
- Workshop entitled: "**Education and communication in the Arab region in the field of underwater cultural heritage**", organized by Centre for Maritime Archaeology & Underwater Cultural Heritage, Faculty of Arts - Alexandria University, from 22nd to 24th February 2022.
- Online course in the field of Archeology and Excavation organized by L'Université Paris 1 Panthéon-Sorbonne, presented by François GILIGNY (Ecole d'Histoire de l'Art et d'Archéologie de la Sorbonne) for continuous five days (from 8th to 12th March 2022).

- contributed to the committee convened by Resolution No. 1775 dated 3/28/2022, tasked with examining artifacts acquired from the Bible Museum in Washington. This examination took place at the Coptic Museum in Cairo during the summer of 2022.
- Participated in excavations at the Sukari gold mine site in Marsa Alam, Red Sea in July 2023. My role involved the examination, classification, and documentation of over 700 pieces of Demotic and Greek Ostraca recovered from the site.

ACADEMIC TRAINING

- Workshop organized by the IFAO (22 Des. 2008): **“Method of Research in Egyptology”**.
- One-day workshop entitled **“Academic Writing”** organized by DAAD Egypt on 21 Nov. 2016.
- Workshops of **FLDC** Center at Helwan University:
 - “Time and Conference Management (29th - 30th July 2009).
 - “Conference Organization” (16th -17th May 2010).
 - “Research Team Management” (19th - 20th May 2010).
 - “Quality Standard in Teaching” (7th - 9th April 2012).
 - “Code of Ethics” (15th-17th May 2012).
 - “Scientific Publishing” (20th -22nd Oct. 2012).
 - “Credit Hours System” (24th -25th Feb. 2015).
- Workshop on **“The statistics analysis”** organized by Quality center, Faculty of Arts, Helwan University on 1 Jan. 2019.
- National meeting of staff of the Egyptian Universities and their assistants under the title: **“New Visions Concerning the future of Education in Egypt”**, organized by The Leadership Development Institute in Alexandria (4-9 July 2014).

ORGANIZING CONFERENCES

10-12 April 2007	Participated in organizing “The Ceremony to honor the Egyptologist Prof. Dr. M. A. Nur El- Din” .
4-6 March 2008	Participated in organizing the conference “Giza through Ages” in the faculty of Archaeology, Cairo Univ.
2009	Participated in organizing the conference: “Science in Ancient Egypt” organized by both faculties of Science and Archeology, Cairo University.

LECTURES

- **“Ezbet el-Walda Necropolis in the early dynastic period”** at the conference of **“Giza through Ages”** in the faculty of Archaeology, Cairo University (6th March 2008). (In Arabic).

- **“Demotic Sources: Life and Death at Tuna el-Gebel”** at the Second Seminar in Arabic and Greek Papyrology for young Egyptian Academics organized by **DAIK** and **IFAO** (9th – 11th May 2016). (In English)
- **“New lights on the archive of Teōs from Tuna el-Gebel (191-162 BC)”** at a One-Day Seminar Organized by **IFAO** entitle: **“Egypt across time and space: Identity and Change”** (13 July 2017). (In English)
- **“A New Demotic Private Letter from Dār al-Kutub al-Misriya”** presented at *the Twelfth International Congress of Egyptologists (ICE XII)*, Cairo, Egypt - November 3rd – 8th, 2019.
- **“Distinguishing texts written on the ancient Egyptian monuments throughout the Dynastic and Greco-Roman periods”** (In Arabic), in a workshop entitled: *“Methods of distinguishing the authenticity of the monuments”*, organized by the Department of Training and Scientific Publishing in the Ministry of Antiquities and Tourism, from 25-26th Nov. 2020, at the Museum of Islamic Art, Cairo.
- Three lectures in Arabic In the training course of Tuna el-Gebel beginner field school held in Middle Egypt Archaeological Training Center from **03/01/2021-08/02/2021** at the site of Kom el-Loli, entitled:
 - **“Tuna el-Gebel: One hundred years of excavations and Research”**
 - **“Methodology of Publishing finds”**
 - **“The main sources in Egyptology”**
 - Lecture in Arabic entitled: **“عقود الزواج في مصر البطلمية في ضوء أوراق البردي”** (Marriage Contracts in Ptolemaic Egypt in the light of Papyri), Organized by Bibliotheca Alexandrina Antiquities Museum in 31st of August 2021.

ARTICLES

- **“Studying, Indexing and Verifying Ahmed Pacha Kamal's Ancient Egyptian Dictionary Project (=KDP)”** with a team of scholars, in *the proceedings of the 13th Conferences of the General Union of Arab Archaeologists* which was held in Tripoli, Lybia from 24-26th Oct. 2010, pp. 198- 230. (In Arabic).
- **“Three Demotic Inscriptions from Hermopolis”** in the 5th international conference of Center of Papyrological Studies and inscriptions, Äin-shams University (29- 31 Marc 2014), **BACPSI 2014**, Vol. 2, pp. 19-28. (In English)

- **“In memoriam Mahmoud Ebeid Shahat Maghraby (18.04.1974 – 04.07.2020)”** in: *Enchoria* 36, 2018/19, Harrassowitz Verlag · Wiesbaden, PP. VII-XIII.
- **“A New Demotic Private Letter from Dār al-Kutub al-Misriya”** in: Journal of Literary studies and Humanities, Vol. 23, 2020, PP. 576-589, (<https://doi.org/10.21608/shak.2020.298188>).
- With Mahmoud Ebeid, **“New Early Demotic Letter from Hermopolis (P. Mallawi Museum inv.no 1093/1)”**, in: Adrienn Almásy-Martin, Michel Chauveau, Koen Donker van Heel, Kim Ryholt (eds.), *Ripple in Still Water When There Is No Pebble Tossed: Festschrift in Honour of Cary J. Martin*, **GHP EGYPTOLOGY 34**, LONDON 2022, PP. 93-99.
- With Doaa Badr el-Din, Mona Mostafa, and Basem Gehad, **“Unpublished Anthropoid Wooden Coffins from Ancient Philadelphia Necropolis”**, in: **ARCHMU**, vol. 12, March 2023, pp. 43-62 (<https://doi.org/10.21608/archmu.2023.298414>).
- **“New Light on the Archive of Teōs son of Horos from Tuna el-Gebel Necropolis (191-162 BC)”**, in *IWNW* (journal of the faculty of Archaeology at Ain-Shams University in Egypt) , Issue No. 2 (2023), pp. 113-133. <https://doi.org/10.21608/iwnw.2023.319646/>
- With Mahmoud Ebeid, **“Two new Demotic Oracle Questions from the Tuna El-Gebel necropolis”**, in: *Festschrift in Honour of Donker van Heel (Forthcoming)*.
- **“The ‘Negative Confession’, BD Spell 125B from the tomb of ‘Imn-m-int’, TT58 at Sheikh Abd El-Qurna”**, in: *IWNW* Volume 3, Issue 1, 2024 (Forthcoming).

BOOKS

- **Chapter seven in: Basem Gehad (ed.), Ancient Philadelphia Necropolis, Vol. 1. “Coffin Texts, Decoration and Mummy Portraits from Ancient Philadelphia Necropolis”** (to be printed in DAIK).

BOOKS EDITING

- Editing a book of Late Professor M. Ebeid in Arabic titled: “الأدب التهذيبي في مصر القديمة” (Ethical Literature in Ancient Egypt), General Egyptian Book Organization, Masryat series vol. 14, Cairo 2022.

THESIS SUPERVISIONS

- Joint supervision with Prof. Maha Akeel (Helwan Univ.) on MA thesis of Mona Mosleh entitled **“The Religious and Administrative Egyptian titles of the late period”** registered in 2021 in Arabic.
- Joint supervision with Associate professor Lenzo Giuseppina, Institute of Archaeology and Classical Studies (ASA)-Faculty of Arts Lausanne University on PhD thesis of Naglaa

Ezeldin entitled: ***"The Papyrus of Hor (P. Cairo JE 32887- SR IV 930): Philological, Paleographical and Cultural study"*** registered in 2021 at Helwan University, in English.

- Joint supervision with Prof. Dr. Ludwig Morenz, Institute of Archaeology and Anthropology, Bonn University on PhD thesis of Sherouk Ibrahim Shahada entitled: ***"A Palaeographical Study of Egyptian Sinai Inscriptions in Serabit el-Khadim during the Middle and New kingdoms"***, registered in January 2023.
- Joint supervision with Prof. Dr. Hoda Mohamad Abd El-Magsoud, EX- head of archaeology Department- Faculty of Arts- Minia University, on a PhD thesis entitled: ***"The Demotic Ligature System: Its Influence and Development from Early to Roman Demotic- A Palaeographical and Philological Study"***, registered in July 2024.

LANGUAGES

Arabic: Mother.

English: Fluent.

German and French: Intermediate.

COURSES

English	-General English Programme at the British Council - Agouza. -A 30-hours course at intermediate level from 19/01/2015-12/02/2015 at the British Council - Agouza. - TOEFL ITP- AMIDEAST (May 2014) - IELTS (British Council Alex.) (Nov. 2015).
German	-Goethe-Institute, Doki, Cairo (G1-3) -MODLI Institute, Cairo (G4)
French	- A course of 60 hours at the IFAO (from Oct. 2008 till June 2009).

COMPUTER SKILLS

-**ICDL** from IBM center- Cairo, in 2007.

-two workshops in Digital transformation from FDTC at Helwan University in March 2023 on "Mobile applications and its role in education"; "Professional search on the Internet".