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# Mohamed Hamdy Abuegila

Translator & Interpreter

Arabic <> English

Translator and interpreter with over 23 years' progressive experience translating and interpreting between English and Arabic in diverse areas.

### Work Experience:

### Translation and Interpretation:

- Sept. 2015 Mowasalat (Karwa) (Qatar)
- to present Translation Executive

Corporate Communications Department

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- Provide professional written translation, sight translation and interpretation for the corporate written and verbal communications and legal documents of all kinds between English and Arabic.
- Create and translate hundreds of press releases and articles, which are published in all official media and newspapers in Qatar.
- Ensure that translations retain the content, meaning and feeling of the original material.
- Translated documents include circulars, memos, letters, emails, brochures, fliers, announcements, posters, newsletters, publications, certificates, contracts, MOUs, MOAs, bylaws, policies, tenders, press releases, presentations, social media posts and so forth.
- Liaise with relevant individuals and departments to review translations and ensure accuracy.
- Identify, propose, and deploy Computer Assisted Translation software (CAT tools, i.e., memoQ), and other technology to support translation and correspondence activities.
- Research and document legal, technical, and scientific phraseology to support translation activities.
- Develop a glossary of frequently-use terms to ensure clarity and consistency.
- Maintain database to support tracking and reporting on translations, and archive documents.
- Support meetings' logistics and minutes.
- Manage and coordinate events.

### Aug. 2014 Fusion Group Holding (Qatar) Freelance Translator

 Manage and perform translation for documents in various fields, including, but not limited to, legal, financial, commercial, technical, media, etc.

### Feb. 2000 Alexandria Translation Office (Egypt)

### to Aug. 2015 Senior Translator and Interpreter

www.alex-translation.com | info@alex-translation.com Alexandria, Egypt

- Manage and perform translation between English and Arabic for documents in various fields, including, legal, financial, commercial, technical, sports, medical, educational, and so forth.
- Proofread and review written content to ensure relevance, quality, and consistency.

## Tour Guide:

Professional English tour guide with over 7 years' experience in guiding tourists and conference delegates in all cultural and monumental sights over Egypt, including Egyptian museums of Islamic Arts and Antiquities.

### Feb. 2006 **Freelance Tour Guide**

Jun. 2013

Operate and manage tours entirely. Guide tourists, guests, and delegates all over Egypt. Work with many reputable local and international tourism companies, including:

Rhapsody Group, Mena Tours, Cosmos Tours, Nasco Tours, Thomas Cook Egypt, Travco, and others.

Handle tour excursions for many international cruise ships, including:

 Royal Carrabin, Costa Cruises, Discovery, Azamara, Swan Hellenic, Aida, Norwegian Cruise Line NCL, P&O CRUISES, MSC, Princess Cruises and many other cruise ships.

### Education:

### 1999 - 2002 Post Graduate Diploma in Tourist Guidance, Faculty of Tourism and Hotels, Alexandria University, Egypt.

1995 - 1999 Bachelor of Arts (BA) in English Language and Literature, Faculty of Arts, Department of English Language and Literature, Alexandria University, Egypt.

### Volunteer Experience:

- Feb. 2012 **Bibliotheca Alexandrina** (The New Library of Alexandria, Egypt) Writing and Scripts Center | www.bibalex.org/calligraphycenter Volunteer Interpreter
  - Provide interpretation between Arabic and English for lectures organized in the library in various fields, e.g., history, Egyptology, art, and literature.
- 2006 2015 Egyptian General Tourist Guides Syndicate, Alexandria Branch, Egypt Volunteer Interpreter and Translator
  - Interpret and translate legal documents, narratives, interviews, lectures and presentations.
  - Subtitle English and Arabic educational videos and programs.

### Certificates:

Oct. 2023	Professional Translation – Advanced Level Translation and Interpreting Institute (TII), Hamad bin Khalifa University (HBKU), Qatar.
May 2022	Writing Press Releases for Public Relations Al Jazeera Media Institute, Doha, Qatar. Certificate No. D 3200658.
May 2022	Journalistic Article Writing Al Jazeera Media Institute, Doha, Qatar. Certificate No. A 321573.

Aug. 2015	Diploma in Translation, Notting Hill College Middle East, Alexandria, Egypt. License No. 1416.
Jun. 2014	Arabic Language Test for Postgraduate Studies, Languages and Translation Unit, Alexandria University, Egypt.
Aug. 2006	TKT: Teaching Knowledge Test Certificate in lesson planning and use of resources for language teaching, University of Cambridge – British Council Egypt. Certificate No. 0016505210.
Aug. 2006	TKT: Teaching Knowledge Test Certificate in managing the teaching and learning process, University of Cambridge – British Council Egypt. Certificate No. 0016505224.

# Skills:

Social Media Handling – Advanced computer user – MS Office - Computer Assisted Translation (CAT) tools (memoQ).

### Languages:

Arabic:	Mother Tongue
English:	Fluent (professional level)

### Personal Data:

**Date of Birth:** 05 Feb. 1977

Nationality: Egyptian