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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Rural Development, Sociology, Social Studies, Communication skills, and Gender Empowerment, ICTs.

EDUCATION

- ✓ Ph.D. in Rural Development, “Gender Empowerment Through ICT-led Development Interventions: A Comparative Analysis of India and Egypt.” January 2019 – INDIAN AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE (), New Delhi. India.
- ✓ M.Sc. in Rural Sociology, “Application of ICTs in some of the Development Projects in Sohag Governorate”, Egypt January 2013 – ASSIUT UNIVERSITY, Egypt.
- ✓ BA in Agriculture, June 2006 – SOHAG UNIVERSITY, Egypt.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- ✓ Lecturer (Rural Sociology), Faculty Member, Department of Rural Sociology and Agricultural Extension, Faculty of Agriculture, Sohag University, Egypt, 2019.
- ✓ Demonstrator, Teaching Assistant, Department of Rural Sociology and Agricultural Extension, Faculty of Agriculture, Sohag University, Egypt, 2007-2018.
- ✓ ICT Trainer, ICDL, Trainer and Examiner Computer skills, Sohag University, Summer 2010-2013.
- ✓ Human Resources Development Trainer, Sohag University.

PUBLICATIONS

- (Book)ICTs and Rural Development: Sohag, Egypt:A Case Analysis, Research Study on the ICTs Application in The Rural Development Noor Publishing.
- M. A. Orabi, Monika Wason R. N. Padaria, Premlata singh “Gender Empowerment through ICT-led development Initiatives: Comparative Analysis India and Egypt.” Indian Society for Extension Education, New Delhi, India (Nov. 2018).
- M. A. Orabi “Best Practices of Gender Informational Empowerment Empowerment Through ICT-led Development Initiatives: Comparative Analysis of India and Egypt” Oral Presentation, The Global Summit on Agriculture, Food and Technology, October 26- 27, 2018 Boston, USA

- M. A. Orabi, Monika Wason R. N. Padaria “Barriers of ICTs In Gender Empowerment: India and Egypt Comparative Analysis” Indian Society for Extension Education, New Delhi, India (Accepted Dec. 2018).
- M. A. Orabi and Mansour Mohamed Alhefny “Future of the High Agricultural Education in Egypt Under the Requirements of Quality Assurance” Oral Presentation, the second conference of young researchers at the University of Sohag, May 12th, 2011.

AWARDS

- Indian Council for Cultural Relations scholarship, 2014
- Speaker of the Year 2018 by the ICCR, New Delhi

MEMBERSHIPS / AFFILIATIONS

- Faculty of Agriculture, Sohag University, Egypt.
- Indian Society for Extension Education, New Delhi, India.