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**ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS**

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- 2018                    **PhD in International Arbitration (civil law),**  
Zagazig University, Egypt  
Grade: Excellent, *with honors*
- 2014                    **Master's Degree in International Commercial Arbitration**  
Assiut University, Egypt  
Grade: Very Good
- 2009                    **Postgraduate Specialized Diploma in Arbitration and FIDIC**  
**Contracts,** Assiut University, Egypt
- 1987                    **Special Detective Diploma**  
Scotland Yard
- 1984                    **Bachelor of Law**  
Assiut University, Egypt

**WORK EXPERIENCE & ACHIEVEMENTS**

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Established my Legal Consultancy firm in Muscat, Sultanate of Oman in 1994 through which I worked on all types of local and international lawsuits as well as cases of public interest. I have been working in the field of arbitration since 2000 as a sole arbitrator and as a member of arbitration tribunals, on cases deliberated in both Arabic and English. I have 33 years of experience in the legal profession in Egypt, Sultanate of Oman and GCC before all court degrees including The Supreme Court, in all categories of cases, locally and internationally, including cases of public opinion and interest.

- 1994-2009                    **Salam Al Na'abi & Mona Amer Lawyers, Muscat, Sultanate of Oman**  
*Founder & Managing Partner*

- 2009- 2016                    **Qais Al-Qasmi & Mona Amer Lawyers & Legal Consultants, Muscat, Sultanate of Oman**  
*Founder & Managing Partner*
- 2016- 2018                    **Rahima Al-Kharusi & Mona Amer Lawyers & Legal Consultants, Muscat, Sultanate of Oman**  
*Founder & Managing Partner*

## MEMBERSHIPS

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- President, Regional Center of Mediation and Arbitration, Cairo , Egypt;
- Assistant Secretary General, The Arab Union for International Arbitration;
- Active Member, Egyptian Bar Association (EBA);
- Active Member, GCC Commercial Arbitration Centre, based in Bahrain;
- Member, Commercial Arbitration Centre in Khartoum;
- Member, Commercial Arbitration Centre at Cairo University;
- Member, The Cairo Regional Centre for International Commercial Arbitration, Egypt;
- Goodwill ambassador and Head of Legal Department, League of Arab Peoples' Organization;
- Certified Arbitrator, Egyptian Ministry of Justice;
- Certified advocate, The Court of Cassation, Egypt;
- Certified arbitrator, The Ministry of Justice in Oman.

## PUBLICATIONS

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- Author of numerous weekly legal articles since 1997 in most daily Omani and GCC newspapers & journals, covering the commercial law, criminal law, civil law and Personal Status Law...etc.;
- Member of the Legal Committee (which consisted of 4 members) entrusted to study & comment on the Omani Personal Status law in 2004.

RELEVANT COURSES

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- Arbitration in Local and International Construction Contracts (FIDIC) Diploma, Faculty of Law, Assiut University, Egypt;
- Int'l Commercial Arbitration Diploma, Faculty of Law, Assiut University;
- Expert Witness in Int'l Commercial Arbitration, CRCICA, Dec. 2017;
- Arabic & English Legal Drafting, The American University in Cairo, April 2018- Present;
- MI-CIT course in information technology, citation and referencing, Zagazig University, Egypt, Jan. 2017;
- MKCL's Int'l Certificate of Information Technology, MKCL Arabia Egypt, Jan. 2018;
- Fundamentals of Business Administration, 30 contact hours, Highway to English Institute.

PUBLIC OUTREACH EVENTS

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- Organizer, Advanced training session in Arbitration, Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Muscat, 2012;
- Lecturer, Seminar on 'private tutoring: reality and solutions thereof', organized by 'The Future' Magazine, Muscat, 2012;
- Participated in and made technical contributions in the seminar for amendment of UNCITRAL Model Arbitration Law, Beirut, April 2010;
- Lecturer, conference on arbitration in GCC-stock-market-related disputes, sponsored by the Omani Ministry of Commerce & Industry, Salalah, Oman, August 2013;
- Speaker, Omani National Radio Broadcast program: 'Women and the Law';
- Participant, Seminar on formulation of arbitration awards, GCC Commercial Arbitration Center (GCCCAC), Bahrain, November 2006;
- Participant, training session on Family Businesses, Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Jeddah, April 2007;

- Participant, Advanced training session in arbitration, Khartoum Arbitration Center, March 2010;
- Lecturer, Conference on Arbitration in International Oil & Gas and Construction Agreements, sponsored by the Minister of Legal Affairs, Salalah, Oman, August 2014;
- Lecturer, The First Arab Arbitration Conference on alternative dispute resolution methods, sponsored by the Saudi Minister of Justice, Cairo, 2014;
- Lecturer, The Second Arab Conference on Arbitration in Petroleum and Mining-related disputes, sponsored by the Libyan Minister of Justice, Cairo, December 2015;
- Lecturer, The Third Arbitration Conference, sponsored by the Prime Minister of Iraq, Baghdad, October 2016;
- Authored many articles on legal awareness in commercial, criminal, civil and personal affair laws, since 1997 on a weekly basis in Gulf daily and monthly periodicals, such as Al-Watan, Al-Shabiba, Al-Khaleej, Al-Ro'ya, Al-Osra, Souq Al-Maal and Al-Khalijiya;
- Authored specialized legal articles on a quarterly basis in a periodical 'Society and the Law', issued by the Office of General Prosecution, Oman;
- Participated in formulating the law of medical malpractice in the Consultative Assembly of Oman, 2005;
- Participant, the Legal committee for reviewing the Omani Personal Affairs law, 2004;
- Participated in reviewing the Commercial Law on Family Businesses in Saudi Arabia, in cooperation with the Chamber of Commerce and Industry of Jeddah, 2007;
- Lecturer, Legal Awareness Seminars, Omani Women's Association, Seeb & Muscat, Oman;
- Guest speaker, social and legal talk-show "Familial Affairs" on the Omani National Television;
- Lecturer, several seminars and conferences in Oman and GCC countries, GCCAC;
- Lecturer, Conference by the Arab Union for International Arbitration, Cairo;
- Lecturer, Conference on the relationship between arbitration and judicature, sponsored by the Minister of State in cooperation with the Ministry of Justice, the Chamber of Commerce & Industry and the GCCAC, Salalah, 2017;

- Speaker, several legal awareness broadcasts on Omani National Television;
- Guest lecturer, the Faculty of Law, Sultan Qaboos University, Oman;
- Speaker, Bahrain GCC arbitration seminar, Salalah 2013 & 2014;
- Speaker, Seminar of Arab International arbitration committee, Cairo, Dec. 2014;
- Participant, World's Sole Biennial Conference on the Role of State Courts in International Arbitration (Sharm El-Sheikh VII), Sharm El-Sheikh, Egypt, 9 - 10 Dec. 2018.

#### ADDITIONAL SKILLS

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##### Languages

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| • Arabic  | Mother tongue                  |
| • English | Fluent ( <i>TOEFL holder</i> ) |

#### REFERENCES

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*References can be furnished upon request.*