

# Ismaeel Tharwat

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## EDUCATION

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<b>Paris Saclay University - Paris Sud University</b> <i>PhD in Economics</i>	<b>Paris, France</b> October 2018 - January 2022
<b>Ecole Polytechnique &amp; HEC Paris</b> <i>MA in Economics, Specialization in Financial Economics</i>	<b>Paris, France</b> June 2018
<b>Paris Dauphine University</b> <i>MS in Economics and Management of the Digital Economy and Network Industries</i>	<b>Paris, France</b> August 2016
<b>EPF Graduate School of Engineering</b> <i>MSc in Business Decision Engineering</i>	<b>Paris, France</b> July 2015
<b>The American University in Cairo</b> <i>Double Major: BSc in Construction Engineering &amp; BA in Economics, Minor in Poli Sci</i>	<b>Cairo, Egypt</b> June 2013

## ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

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<b>The American University in Cairo</b> <i>Assistant Professor of Economics</i> Course director teaching graduate & undergraduate level economics courses.	<b>Cairo, Egypt</b> July 2022 - current
<b>African Group for Entrepreneurship Studies (AGES)</b> <i>Co-founder &amp; Lead Organizer</i> Leading & coordinating a platform for scientific & policy research on entrepreneurship in Africa.	<b>Pan-Africa</b> April 2025- current
<b>Paris Saclay University - Paris Sud University</b> <i>PhD Lecturer</i> Course director teaching graduate & undergraduate level economics courses.	<b>Paris, France</b> 2019 - 2021

## RESEARCH: PUBLISHED IN REFEREED JOURNALS

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- Tharwat, Ismaeel and Stam, Erik. Entrepreneurship in Africa. (*Accepted for publication in Foundations & Trends Journal in 2027*)
- Tharwat, Ismaeel with Abouleil, Shahd and Abdel Fattah, Dina. Trademarks & Trade Concentration: Evidence from the Madrid System (1995-2022). (*accepted to the Journal of Business and Socio-economic Development*)
- Tharwat, Ismaeel with Walid, Sharifa, and Selim, Janna and McKay, Nour and Allam, Zein. Institutional Barriers to Vocational Education: Labor Market Outcomes and Economic Progress in Egypt. (*accepted to the Journal of Economic Issues*)
- Omar, Noha with Alshawarby, Sherine and Abdel Fattah, Dina and Tharwat, Ismaeel. Influx of Refugees in Egypt and their Integration in Social Assistance Programs. (*accepted to the Journal on Migration and Human Security*)

- Tharwat, Ismaeel with Noir-Luhalwe, Alexis. Trading Up Equality: Technology Imports and the Diffusion of Gender Standards. (*under second round review with the Journal of Business and Socio-economic Development*)
- **Tharwat, Ismaeel.** (2025). *The Impact of Financial Shocks on the Return Rate–TFP Nexus: Evidence from the Global Financial Crisis.* *Journal of Academy of Business and Economics*, **25**(1), 41–56. <https://iabe.org/IABE-DOI/article.aspx?DOI=JABE-25-1.4>
- **Tharwat, I.,** and the GBD 2023 Mortality & Life Expectancy Collaborators. (in press). *Global age–sex–specific all-cause mortality and life expectancy estimates for 204 countries and territories and 660 subnational locations, 1950–2023: A demographic analysis for the Global Burden of Disease Study 2023.* **The Lancet.** (Accepted).
- **Tharwat, I.,** and the GBD 2023 Causes of Death Collaborators. (in press). *Global burden of 292 causes of death in 204 countries and territories and 660 subnational locations, 1990–2023: A systematic analysis for the Global Burden of Disease Study 2023.* **The Lancet.** (Accepted).
- **Tharwat, I.,** and the GBD 2023 Burden of Disease Collaborators. (in press). *Burden of 375 diseases and injuries, risk-attributable burden of 88 risk factors, and healthy life expectancy in 204 countries and territories, including 660 subnational locations, 1990–2023: A systematic analysis for the Global Burden of Disease Study 2023.* **The Lancet.** (Accepted).

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#### RESEARCH: CONFERENCE PAPERS & PRESENTATIONS

- **Tharwat, Ismaeel.** (2025). *Trading Up Equality: Technology Imports and the Diffusion of Gender Standards.* In **Proceedings of the International Conference on Business and Technology (ICBT Cairo 2025)**, Cairo, Egypt. (Accepted for publication in conference proceedings).
- **Tharwat, Ismaeel.** (2025). *When Brands Shape Borders: Trademarks, Trade Concentration, and Sustainable Growth.* In **Proceedings of the International Conference on Business and Technology (ICBT Cairo 2025)**, Cairo, Egypt. (Accepted for publication in conference proceedings).
- Tharwat, Ismaeel, Hisham Wahby, and Dina Abdel Fattah. “The Digital Economy in Egypt: A Transformation in the Making?” Case study presented at the KCC Conference, 2025.

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#### RESEARCH: SUBMITTED AND/OR IN PEER-REVIEW

- Tharwat, Ismaeel with Noir-Luhalwe, Alexis. Trading Up Equality: Technology Imports and the Diffusion of Gender Standards. (*submitted to the Journal of Business and Socio-economic Development*)
- Tharwat, Ismaeel with Smitherman, Thomas. Synergizing Skills and Finance: A Systematic Review of Integrated Approaches to Food Security in Africa. (*submitted to the African Journal of Agricultural and Resource Economics*)
- Tharwat, Ismaeel. Import Competition and Commercial Innovation in Developing Countries: Evidence from Trademarks. (*submitted to World Development*)
- Tharwat, Ismaeel with Wahby, Hisham and Abdel Fattah, Dina. Case Study: The Digital Economy in Egypt: A Transformation in the Making?.

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#### RESEARCH: WORKS IN PROGRESS

- Tharwat, Ismaeel with Ayad, Mina. Chinese Trade Penetration & Firm Market Strategy. (*in progress*)
- Tharwat, Ismaeel with De Sousa, José. The Gravity of Trademarks for Economic Development. (*in progress*)

- Tharwat, Ismaeel with Mcdonald, Robert, and Mensah, Emmanuel and Stam, Erik. Measuring Transformative Entrepreneurship in Africa. *(in progress)*
- Tharwat, Ismaeel with Ismail, Ayman, and Stam, Erik. Unicorns in Africa. *(in progress)*
- Tharwat, Ismaeel with Mcdonald, Robert, and Mensah, Emmanuel and Stam, Erik. Predicting Productive Entrepreneurship in Africa. *(in progress)*
- Tharwat, Ismaeel with Basuony, Mohamed and Bouaddi, Mohammed, and Kandil, Nariman. Impact of ESG Ratings on Firm Liquidity. *(in progress)*

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## ARTICLES IN MEDIA, MAGAZINES & NEWSPAPERS

- Tharwat, Ismaeel. “Rebuilding Trust” (in Japanese & English) HITO Magazine, Vol. 22, Trends in Global Human Resources (2024). (March 2024)

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## OTHER PUBLICATIONS: ONLINE AND NON-ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

Tharwat, Ismaeel. “Why trust and ethics are the most important currencies in our economy”, World Economic Forum Annual Meeting in Davos Agenda, retrieved from <https://www.weforum.org/agenda/2024/01/trust-ethics-economics-governance/#:~:text=Firstly%2C%20trust%20and%20ethics%20make,less%20expensive%2C%20informal%20agreement%20methods>, January 2024.

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## RESEARCH: THESES & DISSERTATIONS

Tharwat, Ismaeel (2022). Trade, Innovation & the Technology Revolution, (Unpublished Doctoral Dissertation), Paris Saclay University, Paris, France, 2022.

Tharwat, Ismaeel (2018). The Impact of Import Competition on Innovation in Developing Countries with a Focus on Africa, (Unpublished Master’s Thesis), Ecole Polytechnique & HEC Paris, Paris, France, 2018.

Tharwat, Ismaeel (2016). The Economics of Mobile Payment Platforms in Egypt, Kenya & Africa, (Unpublished Master’s Thesis), Paris Dauphine University, Paris, France, 2018.

Tharwat, Ismaeel (2015). The Process of Mobile Payment Platform Development in Africa, (Unpublished Master’s Thesis), EPF Graduate School of Engineering, Paris, France, 2018.

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## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS, SEMINARS & TALKS

- **Feb 7, 2026** — **Invited Keynote Speaker**, “Student Leaders Winter Refresher,” *Office of Student Life (OSL)*, The American University in Cairo (New Cairo Campus), **Cairo, Egypt** (audience of **50+**).
- **Jan 29, 2026** — **Workshop Organizer & Chair**, **AGES Entrepreneurship in Africa Workshop, Online** (moderated panel interview with Professor Issouf Soumare on the “Impact of Financial Development on Entrepreneurship in Africa”).
- **Dec 16, 2025** — **Workshop Organizer & Chair**, *Organizations, Entrepreneurship, and Geopolitics in the Global South: From Theory to Top-Tier Publications*, The American University in Cairo, **Cairo, Egypt**.
- **Nov 21, 2025** — **Invited Keynote Speaker**, “Leadership skills: The Core of Effective Student Management,” *Egyptian Student Leaders Conference (ESL)*, The American University in Cairo (New Cairo Campus), **Cairo, Egypt** (audience of **300–400**).

- **Nov 17, 2025** — **Case Presenter**, “**The Digital Economy in Egypt: A Transformation in the Making?**” (with **Hisham Wahby** and **Dina Abdelfattah**), **KCC MEA Case Conference 2025**, *Case Presentations Session*
- **Nov 3, 2025** — **Presenter**, “**Transformative Entrepreneurship in Africa**,” *2nd CIDTA Summit on African Entrepreneurial Ecosystems*, **CMU Africa, Kigali, Rwanda**
- **Sept 30, 2025** — **Conference Presenter**, (*research presentation: Trading Up Equality: Technology Imports and the Diffusion of Gender Standards*), **The International Conference on Business and Technology (ICBT Cairo) 2025**, The American University in Cairo (AUC), **Cairo, Egypt**.
- **Sept 25, 2025** — **Workshop Organizer & Chair**, **AGES Entrepreneurship in Africa Workshop, Online** (moderated working group on “Macroeconomic Impacts of Entrepreneurship in Africa”).
- **Apr 16, 2025** — **Workshop Organizer & Chair**, **Entrepreneurship in Africa Workshop** at AUC, The American University in Cairo, **Cairo, Egypt** (opening/closing remarks; moderated stakeholder roundtable; session discussant).
- **Nov 2024** — **Invited Discussant**, **Entrepreneurial Ecosystems in Africa Workshop**, Utrecht University, **Utrecht, Netherlands** (paper: “The African Entrepreneurial Ecosystem Index”).
- **May 2024** — **Invited Panel Speaker**, **Bridge Africa Summit**, Mohammed VI Polytechnique University (UM6P), **Benguerir, Morocco** (panel: “Inspiring a New Generation of Leaders”).
- **Jan 2024** — **Invited Speaker**, **World Economic Forum Annual Meeting (Global Shapers “Davos 50” Delegation)**, **Davos, Switzerland**.
- **Sept 2024** — **Session Chair**, **ASEAN Cooperation & Economic Development**, The American University in Cairo.
- **Oct 2023** — **Session Chair**, **ASEAN Cooperation & Economic Development**, The American University in Cairo.
- **Feb 2023** — **Session Co-Chair**, **AUC Business Forum Roundtable: “The Discipline of Economics in Addressing the SDG’s Challenges,”** The American University in Cairo.
- **Oct 2023** — **Panelist**, **Shape MENA (World Economic Forum)**, **Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates** (opening session: “Pillars of Sustainability”).
- **Sept 2023** — **Business Cluster Representative (Young Expert)**, **University on Youth & Development (Council of Europe)**, **Mollina, Spain** (shared youth-led solutions on peace & climate within the SDG context).
- **June 2023** — **Speaker**, **Global Shapers Annual Summit (World Economic Forum)**, **Geneva, Switzerland** (closing session on leadership).
- **Nov 2022** — **Business Cluster Representative (Young Expert)**, **African University on Youth & Development (Council of Europe)**, **Mindelo, Cape Verde** (shared innovation solutions on entrepreneurship & climate).
- **June 1, 2022** — **Conference Talk**, “**An Innovative Way Forward for the African Regional Trade Agreement**,” **AfCFTA Youth Engage Series** (“What are the Pros and Cons of Free Trade Agreements: How effective are they?”).
- **Feb 2022** — **Moderator**, **6th European Union – African Union Summit**, **Brussels, Belgium** (panel on youth inclusion and the AU–EU Youth cooperation transition from hub to lab; moderated in French).
- **June 2021** — **Panel Moderator**, **Africa Union – European Union Youth Hub Workshop (Virtual)** (interviewed entrepreneurs from Tunisia & Morocco).
- **Dec 2019** — **Speaker**, **Countdown 2030 Conference**, **Cologne, Germany**.
- **Aug 2018** — **Speaker**, **29th International Youth Forum**, **Seoul, South Korea** (“Future of Youth in the Fourth Industrial Revolution Era”).

## INTERNATIONAL EXPERIENCE

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- Invited Discussant, *Entrepreneurial Ecosystems in Africa Workshop*, Utrecht University, Netherlands, November 2024.
- Invited Panel Speaker, *Bridge Africa Summit*, Mohammed VI Polytechnique University, Morocco, May 2024.
- Delegate and Speaker, *Global Shapers Davos 50 Delegation*, World Economic Forum Annual Meeting, Switzerland, January 2024.
- Atlantic Dialogues Emerging Leader, *Atlantic Dialogues*, Policy Center for the New South, Morocco, December 2023.
- Invited Panelist, *Shape MENA*, World Economic Forum, United Arab Emirates, October 2023.
- Young Expert and Business Cluster Representative, *University on Youth and Development*, Council of Europe, Spain, September 2023.
- Delegate and Speaker, *Global Shapers Annual Summit*, World Economic Forum, Switzerland, June 2023.
- Young Expert and Business Cluster Representative, *African University on Youth and Development*, Council of Europe, Cape Verde, November 2022.
- Moderator, *6th European Union–African Union Summit*, Belgium, February 2022.
- Delegate, *2nd International Forum on the Social Solidarity Economy*, Tunisia, November 2021.
- Project Director, *UNODC Africa*, Kenya, November–December 2018.

## HONORS & AWARDS

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- Selected Leader, *Bridge Africa Summit*, Mohammed VI Polytechnique University, Morocco, May 2024.
- Selected Member, *Global Shapers Davos 50 Delegation*, World Economic Forum Annual Meeting, Switzerland, January 2024.
- Atlantic Dialogues Emerging Leader, Policy Center for the New South, Morocco, December 2023.
- Best Young Economist Paper Award, *Spatial Econometrics Workshop*, France, July 2021.
- Panel Moderator, *African Union–European Union Youth Hub Workshop*, Virtual, June 2021.
- Selected Speaker, *Countdown 2030 Conference*, Germany, December 2019.
- Member, Global Shapers “Uplink” Design Team, *World Economic Forum Summer Davos*, China, July 2019.
- Top 10 Governance Initiative, *Paris Peace Forum*, France, November 2018.
- Top 10 Innovative Project, *World Economic Forum*, Switzerland, September 2018.
- Selected Speaker, *29th International Youth Forum*, South Korea, August 2018.
- Selected Young Leader, *1st World Youth Forum*, Egypt, November 2017.
- Best Youth Economic Essay Award, World Bank and Economic Research Forum, Egypt, May 2017.
- Academic Achievement Scholarship, Université Paris-Saclay, France, 2016–2018.
- Campus France Academic Excellence Scholarship, France, 2013–2015.
- Best Student Organization Award, The American University in Cairo, Egypt, May 2013.

## ACADEMIC TEACHING

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### Undergraduate Teaching:

- **School of Business - Bachelor’s of Arts at AUC:** Economic Development
- **School of Business - Bachelor’s of Arts at AUC:** Introduction to Microeconomics
- **School of Business - Bachelor’s of Arts at AUC:** Introduction to Macroeconomics

- **School of Law, Economics & Management - Bachelor's Degree at Paris Saclay University:** International Economics
- **School of Law, Economics & Management - Bachelor's Degree at Paris Saclay University:** International & European Economics
- **First Year Experience (FYE) Program at AUC:** Leadership & Communication Workshop

#### **Graduate Teaching:**

- **Masters in Economics & International Development (ECID) at AUC:** Economic Setting of Development I
- **Masters in Economics & International Development (ECID) at AUC:** Economic Setting of Development II.
- **CEMS Master in International Management at AUC:** Leadership Skills Seminar.

#### **Graduate Thesis Supervision:**

- Master's Thesis Committee Member, "Banking & Sustainable Development", School of Business. (November 2025).  
Advised: Sundus Al-Nahari
- Master's Thesis Committee Member, "Fintech Growth in Egypt", School of Business. (November 2025).  
Advised: AlHussein Mowafi
- Supervisor, "Technological Entrepreneurship & Growth in the MENA Region", School of Business. (May 2025).  
Advised: Hana Rashwan
- Master's Thesis Committee Member, "The Effect of Pandemic Shocks on the performance of Middle Eastern and African Firms: How did the debt strategy shape this effect? Evidence from Countries in the Middle East and Africa", School of Business. (November 2024).  
Advised: Farah El Nady
- Master's Thesis Committee Member, "Eurobond Performance in Emerging Markets: Does Economic Freedom, Contagion Effects, and Strategic International Relations effect?", School of Business. (September 2024).  
Advised: Norhan Al Robi
- Master's Thesis Committee Member, "Cryptocurrency and Stock Market Return Volatility: A Sectoral Analysis of the S&P500", School of Business. (May 2024).  
Advised: Michael Narouz
- Master's Thesis Committee Member, "Trade Liberalization with BRICS: A CGE Model of Egypt.", School of Business. (January 2024).  
Advised: Kareem Ashraf
- Master's Thesis Committee Member, "Unraveling the Nexus: Social Spending, Development, and Breaking the Cycle of Poverty.", School of Business. (January 2024).  
Advised: Yasmin Shehata
- Master's Thesis Committee Member, "How do the environmental aspects affect the Oil Sector? Evidence from firm-level data in the MENA Region.", School of Business. (November 2022).  
Advised: Nadine Amr

### **ACADEMIC SERVICE**

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#### **Department Service:**

- Co-Chair, Integrating Sustainability into Economics Programs (BA & MA) Task Force. (September 2025 - present).

- Committee Member, Economics Highschool Bootcamp Task Force. (September 2025 – February 2026).
- Co-Chair, Curriculum Mapping Task Force. (January 2023 - present).
- Committee Member, Student Affairs Committee. (September 2022 - present).
- Committee Member, Graduate Studies Committee. (September 2022 - present).
- Committee Member, Academic Affairs Committee. (September 2023 - present).
- Committee Member, Research Committee. (April 2024 - present).
- Committee Member, Graduate Interviews Committee. (September 2022 - present).
- Committee Member, Undergraduate Declaration Interviews Committee. (April 2024 - present).
- Session Chair, ASEAN Cooperation & Economic Development. (October 2023).
- Session Chair, ASEAN Cooperation & Economic Development. (September 2024).
- Committee Member, AUC Business Forum Task Force. (December 2022 – February 2023).
- Committee Member, Business Forward Task Force. (September 2022 – December 2022).
- Committee Member, Graduate Programs Advisory Task Force. (September 2022 - December 2022).

### **School Service:**

- Lead Workshop Organizer & Chair, Entrepreneurship in Africa Research Workshop (April 16, 2025)
- Committee Member, SDG Task Force. (June 2023 - present).
- Committee Member, Co-Op Program Interviews Committee. (April 2023 - present).
- Session Co-Chair, AUC Business Forum Roundtable on “The Discipline of Economics in Addressing the SDG’s Challenges”. (February 2023).
- Committee Member, EQUIS Accreditation Task Force. (February 2023).
- Facilitator, CEMS Leadership Skills Workshop. (Fall 2023 – Spring 2024).

### **University Service:**

- Faculty Advisor, AISEC AUC. (September 2024 - present).
- Committee Member, AUC Scholarship Panels. (February 2023 - present).
- Committee Member, Sustainable Development Programs Advisory Committee. (September 2025 - present).
- Facilitator, First Year Experience (FYE) Professional Skills Workshop. (September 2023 - present).
- Facilitator, Center for Learning & Teaching (CLT) Workshop. (February 2023 – December 2023).

## **ACADEMIC EVENTS & RESEARCH WORKSHOPS ORGANIZED**

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### ***AGES Entrepreneurship in Africa Workshop (Workshop Organizer and Chair)***

Online, January, 2025

- Co-organized and chaired an academic workshop featuring scholars & practitioners from institutions including Utrecht University, Carnegie Mellon University Africa and all around the world.
- Moderated a panel interview with Professor Issouf Soumare on the impact of financial development on entrepreneurship.

### ***Organizations, Entrepreneurship, and Geopolitics in the Global South: From Theory to Top-Tier Publications Workshop (Workshop Organizer and Chair)***

The American University in Cairo, EGYPT, December 16, 2025

- Co-organized a full-day paper development workshop titled “Organizations, Entrepreneurship, and Geopolitics in the Global South: From Theory to Top-Tier Publications.”
- Convened an editors’ session on publication strategies and positioning for top journals, followed by Q&A.

- Designed and facilitated structured manuscript feedback sessions for PhD students and for postdocs/faculty (in-person and virtual), using a rapid-format feedback model (2-min presentation + 13-min Q&A/feedback).
- Aligned the workshop with top-journal special issue opportunities (*Organization Science: Organizations in the Global South*; *JMS: Management in Times of Geopolitical Tensions and Turmoil*).

### ***African Academy of Management (AFAM) (Workshop Organizer and Panelist)***

ESCA Ecole de Management, Casablanca, Morocco, January 4-7, 2026

- Co-organized a professional development workshop (PDW) titled *Advancing the Study of Entrepreneurial Ecosystems in Africa: Contextual Measurement, Methodological Approaches, and Data Strategies*
- Panelist for a session on how to source, use & analyze entrepreneurial ecosystem data.

### ***AGES Entrepreneurship in Africa Workshop (Workshop Organizer and Chair)***

Online, September 25, 2025

- Co-organized and chaired an academic workshop featuring scholars & practitioners from institutions including Utrecht University, Carnegie Mellon University Africa and all around the world.
- Moderated a working group on the “Macroeconomic Impacts of Entrepreneurship in Africa”.
- Facilitated research dialogue to create research teams to work on the 5 different working groups of AGES.

### ***Entrepreneurship in Africa Workshop at AUC (Workshop Organizer and Chair)***

The American University in Cairo, April 16, 2025

- Co-organized and chaired a full-day academic workshop featuring scholars & practitioners from institutions including Utrecht University, World Bank, German Institute of Global and Area Studies, Systemic Innovations and Carnegie Mellon University Africa.
- Delivered opening and closing remarks, moderated the stakeholder roundtable, and served as session discussant.
- Facilitated research dialogue on entrepreneurial ecosystems, tech innovation, and firm-level productivity in Africa.

## **RESEARCH AFFILIATIONS**

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**Academic Network Fellow, Portulans Institute**

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

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### **Nile Capital**

*Business Development & Innovation Manager*

**Cairo, Egypt**

June 2018-August 2018

- Conducting feasibility studies, economic reports and investment opportunity analysis for region.

### **RITM Research Lab**

*Economic Researcher, Economics & Finance Department*

**Paris, France**

April 2018 – June 2018

- Conducted an empirical economic study on impact of import competition on innovation in Africa.

### **Ministry of Local Development in Egypt**

*Associate Minister for Economic Development*

**Cairo, Egypt**

April 2017 – September 2017

- Led the ministry's Project Management Unit and first phase implementation of the World Bank's 500 million-dollar Upper Egypt Local Economic Development Program.

### **Instabug**

**Cairo, Egypt**

*Growth Marketer, Product Growth*

April 2016 – August 2016

- Created, implemented & monitored digital marketing activities increasing product adoption by 20%.

### **IBM Global Business Services**

**Paris, France**

*Financial Services Consultant, Banking Division*

January 2015 – July 2015

- Project management of a €6M mobile banking solution for Societe Generale in Morocco & Africa.

## **ACTIVITIES & INITIATIVES**

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### **African Union – European Union Youth Cooperation Hub**

**Africa - Europe**

*Young Expert in the Governance & Social Inclusion Cluster*

October 2018-December 2023

- Designed a call for proposals for an e-governance platform & a remittances tool to be implemented in Africa & Europe.
- Actively involved in the Monitoring & Evaluation of the projects to be implemented.

### **World Economic Forum - Global Shapers**

**Cairo, Egypt**

*Global Shaper & Project Leader*

October 2017-present

- Leading a project on civic engagement & social inclusion through the organization of ideathons across Cairo.

### **United Nations Office on Drugs & Crime (UNODC)**

**Nairobi, Kenya**

*UNODC Youth – Project Coordinator*

November 2018 – December 2018

- Organized the first ever national youth workshop on good governance, anti-corruption & integrity.

### **Junior Enterprise Egypt – The American University in Cairo**

**Cairo, Egypt**

*Founder & President*

June 2012 – May 2013

- Led a team of 60 students in providing free consultancy services to SMEs, organized entrepreneurship seminars & networking events for startups and entrepreneurs.

### **International Conference on Global Economy – The American University in Cairo**

**Cairo, Egypt**

*Academic Committee Head*

June 2012 – May 2013

- Recruited, coached & led a team of 30 moderators in providing sessions on the various themes of the global economy including the stock market, banking, marketing, media and advertisement.

## **SKILLS & INTERESTS**

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**Languages:** Fluent in English, French & Arabic

**Activities:** AU EU Youth Hub Young Expert, World Economic Forum Global Shaper, President of Junior Enterprise, VP International Conference on Global Economy, France Division II Basketball Finalists

**Interests:** Innovation, Entrepreneurship, Standup Comedy, Basketball, Tennis, Padel & Travel