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Scientific Experience

- Specialization: Irrigation and drainage, Wetlands, Environmental hydrology, Water resources management, Climate changes, Wastewater treatment, Water and contaminants transport in the vadose/groundwater systems, groundwater hydrology, and management of salt-affected soils
- Modeling expertise: MODFLOW, EPANET, WaterCAD, CropWat 8, SAP2000, AutoCAD.
- MS Thesis: The Ideal Design for Lining and Protection of EL-Salam Canal (Supervisor: Prof. M.I. Balah)
- PhD Thesis: Generation and Transport of Sediments by Severe Flow Conditions (Supervisor: Prof. M.I. Balah)

Major Field of Research

- 1. Climate change impacts on water resources
- 2. Water, Food, and Energy Nexus
- 3. Water quality
- 4. Hydrology
- 5. Harbor Engineering and coastal Engineering.
- 6. Constructed Wetlands
- 7. Irrigation and Drainage.
- 8. Crop water requirements and irrigation systems
- 9. Groundwater modelling
- 10. Rain water harvesting.
- 11. Open channel Hydraulics
- 12. Water Resources management.
- 13. Environmental Engineering.
- 14. Wastewater treatment
- 15. Computer application in civil engineering.
- 16. Environmental pollution control

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