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- 5. Follow up of kidney / pancreas transplant recipients in the department of Diabetes, Endocrinology and Metabolism, San Raffaele Scientific Institute, University of Milan, Italy, 1996.
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- \* Sexual potency in uremic patients before and after correction of anemia with erythropoietin.
- \* Effect of correction of anemia by erythropoietin (Epo) in chronic hemodialysis patients on neuromuscular functions.
- \* Effect of treatment of anemia in chronic hemodialysis patients by erythropoietin (Epo) on pulmonary functions.
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- \* Effect of erythropoeitin on sexual potency in chronic hemodialysis patients, a preliminary study.
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- (3) The 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Congress of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology, Cairo, Egypt, 1992.
- \* Impact of amyloidosis on kidney transplantation.
- \* Study of neuromyopathy in amyloid kidney transplant patients.
- (4) The Second Meeting of the Pan African Urological Surgeons' Association and the Annual Meeting of Egyptian Urological Association, Cairo, Egypt, 1993.
- \* Islet cell transplantation in rats: Optimization of the transplantation site.
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\* Experimental islet cell transplantation in rats: Prospective randomized trials for transplantation sites optimization.

### (7) The 32<sup>nd</sup> Congress of the European Renal Association, European Dialysis and Transplant Association (EDTA), Athens, Greece, 1995.

\* Clinicopathologic evaluation of 1000 kidney biopsies from Egyption patients with glomerulonephritis.

### (8) The 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Congress of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology, Dahab, Egypt, 1995.

- \* Impact of primary focal segmental glomerulosclerosis (FSGS) on kidney transplantation outcome.
- \* Extended survival of murine islet allografts without immunosuppression.
- \* Hyperchogenic renal parenchyma in potential live related kidney donor: Does it justify exclusion?
- \* Effect of prior bilateral nephrectomy on blood pressure after kidney transplantation.
- \* Clinicopathologic evaluation of 1000 kidney biopsies from Egyptian patients with glomerulonephritis.
- \* Impact of native kidney disease on graft outcome after living renal transplantation.

### (9) The 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting of the Egyptian Urological Association, Cairo, Egypt, 1996.

\* Experimental islet cell transplantation in rats.

# (10) The $5^{th}$ International Congress of the Middle East Association of Organ Transplantation, Cyprus, 1996.

- \* CiclosporinNeoral in renal transplant recipients: Impact of hepatic dysfunction.
- \* Hyperechogenic renal parenchyma in potential kidney donor: Does it justify exclusion?
- \* Experimental islet cell transplantation in rats.

# (11) The 6<sup>th</sup> International Congress of Pancreas and Islet transplantation, Milan, Italy, 1997.

- \*Experimental islet cell transplantation in rats: Optimization of the transplantation site.
- \*Purified murine islets allografts: Islet engraftment as influenced by implantation site and glucotoxicity.

### (12) The 17<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology; Luxor, Egypt, 1998.

- \* Post renal transplant proteinuria: Evaluation and impact on graft outcome.
- \* Renal transplantation in primary hyperoxaluria: Outcome and risk factors.
- \* Clinicopathological study of primary glomerular diseases among pediatric Egyptian patients with glomerulopathies.

# (13) The $4^{th}$ International Conference on New Trends in Clinical and Experimental Immunosuppression:

#### Geneva, Switzerland, 2000.

- \* MycophenoleteMofetil (MMF) rescue therapy for resistant rejection after live-donor renal transplantation.
- \* Tarcolimus (FK 506) therapy for refractory rejection in live-donor renal allotransplantation.

# (14) The 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Egyptian Association of Immunologists in Collaboration with The Clinical Pathology Department Ismailia, Egypt, 2004.

- \* Post-transplant Diabetes Mellitus (PTDM).
- \* Tuberculosis in Kidney Transplant Recipients.

### (15) The 9<sup>th</sup> International Congress of the Middle East Association of Organ Transplantation (MESOT) Turkey, 2004.

- -Post transplant diabetes mellitus among live-donor renal allograft recipients: study of risk factors and impact on outcome.
- Chronic hepatitis B among Egyptian Live-donor renal allotransplant recipients: Successful management with Lamivudine therapy.
- Cardiovascular Calcification Among Hemodialysis Patients: assessment With Multislice Computed Tomography and Impact of Successful Kidney Transplantation, a Preliminary Report.
- Avascular bone necrosis of femoral head among live-donor renal allograft recipients: successful surgical management.
- Spousal Kidney Donor Transplantation: A Single Center Experience.
- Does tuberculosis after kidney transplantation follow the trend of tuberculosis in general population?

## (16) The 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Congress of The Egyptian Society of Nephrology In Collaboration with The International Society of Nephrology (Nephro Alex, 2005).

- \* Successful of management of chronic hepatitis B among live donor renal allotransplant recipients with Lamivudine therapy.
- \* Long term Protocol Biopsy in Live Donor Renal Allograft Recipients. A Single Centre Experience.

# (17) The 10<sup>th</sup> International Congress of the Middle East Association of Organ Transplantation (MESOT) Kuwait, 2006.

\* Histologic and Clinical Findings in Living Donor Allografts with Long- Term Stable Function.

### (18) The 26<sup>th</sup> Annual Congress of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology, Luxor, 2007.

## (19) The 27<sup>th</sup> Annual Congress of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology, Cairo, 2008.

### (20) The 4th Annual Meeting of the Hypertension Group, June 2008.

### (21) The $2^{\rm nd}$ International Congress on Stem Cells and Tissue Formation Dresden, 2008

\* Transplantation of Insulin-Producing Clusters Derived From Adult Bone Marrow Stem Cells for the Treatment of Diabetes in Rats.

# (22) The 7<sup>th</sup> congress of International Society of Stem Cell Research (ISCCR), Barcelona, Spain, 2009.

\* Differentiation of Adult Human Bone Marrow-Derived Mesenchymal Stem Cells Into Insulin Producing Cells.

<sup>\*</sup>Induction therapy in renal transplantation.

<sup>\*</sup>Post-transplant Kaposi sarcoma.

<sup>\*</sup>NFkB: The chief criminal in hypertensive vasculopathy.

### (23) The 11<sup>th</sup> Congress of the Asian Society of Transplantation (CAST), Beirut, Lebanon, 2009.

- \* A prospective trial of alemtuzumab preconditioning in live-donor renal transplantation.
- \* Study of Risk Factors and Long Term Prognosis of Post Kidney Transplant Diabetes Mellitus (PTDM): A Single Center Experience.

### (24) The 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Congress of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology, Cairo, 2010.

- \* Alemtuzumab (Campath 1-H) in kidney transplantation.
- \* Outcome of pregnancy in live donor allograft recipients: A single center experience.
- \* Study of prospective assessment of living kidney donors: pre and post donation.

#### (25) The First Egyptian Organ transplant Congress, Cairo, 2010.

\* A prospective trial of alemtuzumab preconditioning in live-donor renal transplantation: single center experience.

### (26) The3<sup>rd</sup> International Congress on Stem Cells and Tissue Formation Dresden, 2010.

\* Insulin-Producing Islet-Like Clusters Derived From Adult Human Bone Marrow Mesenchyme Stem Cells cure chemically-induced Diabetes in nude mice.

### (27) The 15<sup>th</sup> Congress of the European Society for Organ Transplantation (ESOT), Glasgow, UK, 2011.

- \* O-229 Insulin-Producing Cells Derived From Adult Human Bone Marrowmesenchymal Stem Cells Control Streptozotocin-Induced Diabetes In Nude Mice.
- \* MO-013 Long Term Prospective Assessment 0f Living Kidney Donors: Single Center Experience.

### (28) The 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Meeting of the International Society for Cell Therapy (ISCT), Paris, France, April, 2014.

Generation of insulin producing cells from human bone marrow-derived mesenchymal stem cells: further in vivo maturation.

### (28) Changing the face of modern medicine: Stem Cells & Gene Therapy, October 18-21, 2016, Florence, Italy.

From human mesenchymal stem cells to insulin-producing.

### (29) The 16th Congress of the Middle East Socity for Organ Transplantation, Ankara, Turkey, 5-7 September 2018.

Successful Treatment of Chemically-Induced Diabetes in Dogs by Insulinproducing cells derived from adult human bone marrow mesenchymal stem cells.

### (30) The 10th Annual Dialysis Conference Metabolic Disorders CKD, Cairo, Egypt, 11-13 October, 2018.

Standard Versus new biomarkers in early diabetic kidney disease.

(31) The 14th Congress of The Arab Society of Nephrology and Renal Transplantation

The Annual International Congress of Jordan Society of Nephrology and Renal Transplantation 2nd IPNA Teaching Course" Great Care for Little kidneys", Amman, Jordan, April 24-27, 2019.

Evolution of immunosuppressive regimens in live-donor kidney transplantation over 4 decades: Mansoura Experience.

(32) The 19th Congress of the European Society for organ transplantation, Copenhagen, Denmark, September 15 -18, 2019.

PRDX6 promotes the differentiation of human mesenchymal stem (stromal) cells to insulin-producing cells.

#### (III) CONGRESS ATTENDANCE:

- 1. The 9<sup>th</sup> Congress of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology, **Mansoura**, **Egypt**, 1989.
- 2. The 12<sup>th</sup> Congress of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology, Cairo, Egypt, 1992.
- 3. The 4<sup>th</sup> International Congress of Pancreas and Islet Transplantation. **Amsterdam, Holland,** 1993.
- 4. The Second Meeting of The Pan African Urological Surgeons' Association in conjunction with The Annual Meeting of The Egyptian Urological Association, Cairo, Egypt, 1993.
- 5. The 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Congress of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology, **Alexandria**, **Egypt**, 1994.
- 6. The 7<sup>th</sup> Congress of the European Society for Organ Transplantation (ESOT), **Vienna, Austria,** 1995.
- 7. The 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Congress of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology, **Dahab**, **Egypt**, 1995.
- 8. The 13th Annual Meeting of Egyptian Urological Association, Cairo, Egypt, 1996.
- 9. The 16<sup>th</sup> Annual Congress of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology, **Cairo**, **Egypt**, 1997.
- 10. The Diamond Anniversary of Alexandria Medical Association and the 21st Annual Congress on Kidney Disorders, **Alexandria**, **Egypt**, 1997.
- 11. The First Annual Workshop on Clinical Nephrology and Progression of Renal Disease, faculty of medicine. Suez Canal University (EGYPT) in collaboration with the Sheffield kidney Institute (UK), **Ismailia**, **Egypt**, 1997.
- 12. The 6<sup>th</sup>International Congress of Pancreas and Islet Transplantation. **Milan, ITALY,** 1997.
- 13. The 17<sup>th</sup>Annual Congress of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology, **Luxor**, **Egypt**, **1998**.
- 14. The Second Annual Workshop on Clinical Nephrology and Progression of Renal Disease, faculty of medicine. Suez Canal University (EGYPT) in collaboration with the Sheffield kidney Institute (UK), **Ismailia**, **Egypt**, **1998**.
- 15. The Third Annual Workshop on Clinical Nephrology and Progression of Renal Disease, faculty of medicine. Suez Canal University (EGYPT) in collaboration with the Sheffield kidney Institute (UK), **Ismailia**, **Egypt**, **1999**.
- 16. The 19<sup>th</sup> Annual congress of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology, El-Gouna, Hurghada, 2000.

- 17. The 4<sup>th</sup>International Conference on New Trends in Clinical and Experimental Immunosuppression, **Geneva**, **Switzerland**, **2000**.
- 18. The Fourth Annual Workshop on Clinical Nephrology and Progression of Renal Disease, faculty of medicine. Suez Canal University (EGYPT) in collaboration with the Sheffield kidney Institute (UK), **Ismailia**, **Egypt**, **2000**.
- 19. The 20<sup>th</sup> Annual Congress of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology, Cairo, 2001.
- 20. The Renal Association Autumn Meeting at the Royal College of Physicians, London, UK September 20-21, 2001.
- 21. The 21<sup>st</sup> Annual Congress of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology in Conjunction with the 7<sup>th</sup> African Congress of Nephrology, Cairo, 2002.
- 22. The First Annual Intensive Course of Nephropatholoy, Mansoura, 2002.
- 23. The Fifth Annual Workshop on Clinical Nephrology and Progression of Renal Disease, faculty of medicine. Suez Canal University (EGYPT) in collaboration with the Sheffield kidney Institute (UK), **Ismailia**, **Egypt**, **2002**.
- 24. The World Congress of Nephrology. Berlin, Germany, 8-12 June, 2003.
- 25. The XX International Congress of the Transplantation Society Vienna- Austria 5-10 September 2004.
- 26. The World Congress of Nephrology Singapore 26-30 June 2005.
- 27. The 10<sup>th</sup> International Congress of the Middle East Association of Organ Transplantation (**MESOT**) **Kuwait, 2006.**
- 28. The 26th Annual Congress of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology, Luxor, 2007
- 29. The 27th Annual Congress of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology, Cairo, 2008.
- 30. The 45th ERA-EDTA, Stockholm, Sweden, 2008.
- 31. The 7<sup>th</sup> congress of International Society of Stem Cell Research (ISCCR), **Barcelona, Spain, 2009.**
- 32. The 11<sup>th</sup> Congress Of The Asian Society Of Transplantation (CAST), **Beirut,** Lebanon, 2009.
- 33. The 29th Annual Congress of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology, Cairo, 2010.
- 34. The First Egyptian Organ transplant Congress, Cairo, 2010.
- 35. The 47th ERA- EDTA, Munich, Germany, 2010.
- 36. The 3<sup>rd</sup> International Congress on Stem Cells and Tissue Formation **Dresden**, **Germany**, **2010**.
- 37. The 15<sup>th</sup> Congress of the European Society for Organ Transplantation (ESOT), Glasgow, UK, 2011.

- 38. The 50<sup>th</sup> ERA- EDTA, Istanbul, Turkey, 2013
- 39. The 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Meeting of the International Society for Cell Therapy (ISCT), **Paris, France, April, 2014.**
- 40. The 51<sup>th</sup> ERA- EDTA, Amsterdam, Netherland, 2014.
- 41. The American Transplant Congress (ATC), **Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, May 2-6, 2015.**
- 42. International society for stem cell research, Florence, Italy, October 18-21, 2016.
- 43. 18<sup>th</sup> Congress of the European Society for Organ transplantation **Barcelona**, **Spain**, **September**, 24-27,2017.
- 44. 27<sup>th</sup> International congress of the Transplantation Society, **Madrid**, **Spain**, **June30 July5**, **2018**.
- 45. 16<sup>th</sup> congress of the Middle EAST society for organ transplantation, **Ankara**, **Turkey**, **September 5-7**, **2018**.
- 46. The 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Dialysis conference metabolic disorders & CKD, Cairo, Egypt, October 11-13, 2018.
- **47.** The 14<sup>th</sup> Congress of The Arab Society of Nephrology and Renal Transplantation The Annual International Congress of Jordan Society of Nephrology and Renal Transplantation 2<sup>nd</sup> IPNA Teaching Course" Great Care for Little kidneys", **Amman, Jordan, April 24-27, 2019.**
- **48.** The 19th Congress of the European Society for organ transplantation, Copenhagen, Denmark, September 15 -18, 2019.

#### (IV) Thesis Supervision:

#### (A) MASTER DEGREE:

### 1- Impact of Amyloidosis on kidney transplantation: Along term study.

Thesis in General Medicine

Mansoura Faculty of Medicine.

By: Ali Mohamed Sherif Ali (2000).

### 2- Study of posttransplant diabetes mellitus in live donor kidney transplant recipients.

Thesis in General Medicine

Banha Faculty of Medicine.

By. Ayman Maher Nageeb (2004)

### 3- Effect of some antidiabetic agents on vascular dysfunction in experimentally induced diabetics.

Thesis in clinical pharmacology.

Mansoura Faculty of Pharmacy.

By: Mohamed Saleh (2004)

### 4- Leptin in diabetic and non-diabetic rats.

Thesis in biochemistry.

Mansoura Faculty of Veterinary.

By: Mohamed Fouda (2005)

### 5- Interaction of pioglitazone with currently used drugs in diabetes: An experimental study.

Thesis in clinical pharmacology.

Mansoura Faculty of Pharmacy.

By: Asmaa El-Sayed El-Kenawy(2005).

### 6- Impact of renal transplant on female fertility.

Thesis in General Medicine

Banha Faculty of Medicine.

By. Salwa El Waseef (2007).

7- Post transplant erythocytosis among live donor renal transplant recipients.

Thesis in General Medicine

Zagazeg Faculty of Medicine.

By. Rasha Kamal (2015).

8- Outcome of preemptive versus non preemptive kidney transplantation.

Thesis in General Medicine

Zagazeg Faculty of Medicine.

By. Mohamed El Hadidi (2015).

9- Recurrence of Focal segmental glomeruolsclerosis after live donor kidney transplantation: Risk factors and impact on transplant outcome.

Thesis in General Medicine

Zagazeg Faculty of Medicine.

By. Ahmed Yehia

10- Death with functioning graft among Egyptian kidney transplant recipients: a single center experience.

Thesis in General Medicine

Zagazeg Faculty of Medicine.

By. Mostafa Gamal (In progress)

### **B) MD DEGREE:**

1) Laboratory evaluation of post transplant kidney function using recent markers.

Thesis in Clinical Pathology.

Mansoura Faculty of Medicine.

By: Ehsan Mohamed Abdel Aty (2006).

#### 2) Study of prospective assessment of living kidney donors: Pre&postdonation

Thesis in General Medicine

Zagazeg Faculty of Medicine.

By. Ayman Maher Nageeb (2008).

3) The long impact of therapeutic douse monitoring of mycophenolic acid of outcome of live donor kidney transplant recipient approstactive study.

Thesis in General Medicine

Zagazeg Faculty of Medicine.

By. Ahmed Abdelfatah Denawer (2012).

### 4) Impact of Parathyroidectomy on Renal Transplant Outcome and Evolution of CKD-MBD

Thesis in MD Nephrology

Mansoura Faculty of Medicine.

By. muhammed hadedy (In progress)

#### (V) MEMBERSHIPS, PRIZES AND HONORS:

#### **Memberships:**

- International Society of Nephrology (*ISN*).
- African Society of Nephrology (AFRN).
- Arab Society of Nephrology & Renal Transplantation (ASNRT)
- Board member, Egyptian Society of Nephrology and transplantation (ESNT).
- International Pancreas and Islet Transplantation Association (IPITA)
- International Society of Stem Cell Research (ISCCR).
- International Society for Cellular Therapy (ISCT).

#### **Honors:**

- **The Secretory General** of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology and Transplantation (ESNT).
- President of the transplantation chapter, of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology and Transplantation (ESNT).
- Editor-in-Chief, Egyptian Journal of the Egyptian Society of Nephrology & Transplantation (JESNT).
- **Journal reviewing:** reviewer in American journal of medicine, stem cell, International journal of nephrology and renovascular hypertension.
- Editorial board: American Journal of Internal Medicine.

#### **Prizes:**

- Winner of *Dr. Mohamed Fakhry prize* for the most distinguished research in internal medicine, awarded by the Egyptian Academy of Research and Technology, 1992.
- *The best poster presentation*: Islet cell transplantation in rats: Optimization of the transplantation site.
- The Second International Congress of Geographic Nephrology, The third congress of the African of Nephrology and The thirteenth Congress of Egyptian Society of Nephrology. Hurghada, Egypt, Nov. 19-24, 1993.

- Winner of the Annual Prize for the most distinguished research in the field of kidney Transplantation awarded by The Egyptian Society of Nephrology, 1997.
- Winner of the Annual Prize for the most distinguished research in the field of kidney Transplantation awarded by The Egyptian Society of Nephrology, 2000.
- Winner of *Mansoura Medical prize* for the most distinguished research in Nephrology and urology, awarded by the Egyptian Academy of Research and Technology, 2009.

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#### A) FROM EGYPT:

- **1. MOHAMED A. GHONEIM:** Professor Urology in the Urology and Nephrology Center, **Mansoura University**, **Mansoura**.
- 2. MOHAMED A. SOBH: Professor of Nephrology, Chief of Nephrology department, Urology & Nephrology Center, Mansoura University, Mansoura.
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#### **B) FROM U.S.A.:**

- 1. A. OSAMA GABER: Professor of Surgery, Chief of Transplantation Division, the Health Science Center, Memphis, University of Tennessee.
- 2. HELENA SELAWRY: Professor of Endocrinology, the Health Science Center, Memphis, University of Tennessee.

#### C) FROM UK:

- 1. PETER J. FRIEND: Professor and Chief of Transplantation, Oxford Transplant Center, Nuffield Department of Surgery, University of Oxford.
- 2. DEREK GRAY: Professor of Transplantation, Oxford Transplant Center, Nuffield Department of Surgery, University of Oxford.
- 3. ASHOK HANDA: Clinical Tutor in Surgery and Consultant Surgeon, Nuffield Department of Surgery, John Radcliffe Hospital, University of Oxford.
- 4. DAVID DEARDEN: Consultant of Transplantation, Oxford Transplant Center, University of Oxford.

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#### D) FROM ITALY:

- 1. ANTONIO SECCHI: Professor of Emergency Medicine and Responsible for organ Transplant Program, San Raffaele Scientific Institute, University of Milan.
- 2. CARLO SOCCI: Head of Transplantation Unit. San Raffaele Scientific Institute, University of Milan.