

# Curriculum Vitae of

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### **Biography**

Abeer Elshater is a professor of Urban Morphology at Ain Shams University (ASU), Cairo, Egypt, teaching and supervising multidisciplinary topics in the ideology of urban design. She is a personal investigator to a funded research project by Science, Technology and Innovation Funding Authority (STDF) about urban heat islands and urban forms. Elshater has also worked on some international research projects with international universities. She also is co-editor, author and co-author of several books and scientific manuscripts. She was a vice-director of the Contagious Improvement of Quality



Assurance Unit—CIQAU at the Faculty of Engineering, Ain Shams University (2015-2018). Professor Elshater served as consultant for the Deputy Minister of Higher Education and Scientific Research, Egypt. Elshater acts also as an ambassador of the Regional Studies Association, United Kingdom (UK). She can be reached at: [abeer.elshater@eng.asu.edu.eg](mailto:abeer.elshater@eng.asu.edu.eg)

## Basic Information

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### Education

**School** El Nokrashy School, Saria al Koba, Cairo, Egypt.  
**Score** 87%.  
**College** Faculty of Engineering Ain Shams University.  
**Degree** Bachelor of Architectural & Urban Design, Ain Shams University.  
**Graduation year** May 1999.  
**Accumulated Grades** Very good with honour.  
**Rank** 3<sup>rd</sup> on class 1999 (Urban Planning and Design Dept.)  
**Graduation Project** Excellent.  
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Project

### Master of Science

**Thesis Title** "The Concise of Sustainable Townscape through Designing the Urban Corridors".  
**Under Supervision** Prof Dr. Omar Elhossiey, Dr Ghada Farouk.  
**Submitted in** UPL Department, Ain Shams University, Cairo, Egypt, 2003.

### Decorate of Philosophy

**Thesis title** "The Cultural and Urban changes: A Vision to Formulate Cultural and Urban Environment".  
**Under Supervision** Prof.Dr. Shafeek Elwakeel.  
**Submitted in** Department of Urban Planning and Design, Ain Shams University, Cairo, Egypt, 2009.

### Post Doctor

**Theme** Researcher  
**University** Urban Design Paradigms  
**Period** Stuttgart, Germany  
2 Months December and January 2013

### Former Positions

The vice-director of Contentious Improvement and Quality Assurance Unit (CIQAU) in NAAQ, Cairo, Egypt, since 2015-2019  
Consultant to Deputy Minister of Higher Education and Scientific Research, Egypt (2019-2022)

<b>Current Position</b>	Professor of Urban Morphology, Department of Urban Design and Planning, Faculty pf Engineering, Ain, Shams University
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	Academic advisor at the programme of post-the graduate Studies at Department of Urban Planning and Design since 2017
	Academic advisor at programme Environmental Architecture and Urbanism, Faculty of Engineering ASU, since 2016

## Academic Experience

### *Published Manuscripts*

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## **Awards**

### **1<sup>st</sup> prize**

Designing the squares in the new capital of Egypt

<https://youtu.be/-724Mhg2Or8>

### **Best Paper Award**

Elshater, A. (2014, October). Tactical Urbanism: A Method of Community Empowerment in Cairo Neighborhoods. Barcelona, Spain. pp28-38

<http://www.greenpartnerships.eu/wp/wp-content/uploads/Session-79.pdf>

Abeer Elshater and Mennatalla Henday. "Assessment Methodology towards Outcomes-Based Learning in Urban Design Course", Conference SB13, Cairo, November 2013.

### **Best Paper (2nd Runners Up) Award 2013:**

Abeer Elshater. "Urban Reloading Philosophy Adequate People and Place" AicQoL 2013

Langkawi, AMER International Conference on Quality of Life

Holiday Villa Beach Resort & Spa, Langkawi, Malaysia, 6-8 April 2013

"Quality of Life in the Built and Natural Environment.

## **Editor in Scientific Journals**

Deputy Editor- in-Chief, Journal of Urban Planning and Design, ICE

Journal Ain Shams Engineering,

<https://www.journals.elsevier.com/ain-shams-engineering-journal/editorial-board>

Australian Journal of Science & Technology, and

<http://www.ajst.com/editorialboard.php>

Journal of Architectural Research and Development

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Journal of Architecture and Urbanism, Routledge

<https://journals.vgtu.lt/index.php/JAU/editorialboard>

## **Courses Instructor/ Coordinator**

Level	Course	Program	Period	Institution
Undergraduate Programs	Urban Design	Urban Planning	2009-till now	Department Urban Planning and Design, Faculty of Engineering, Ain Shams University
	Graduation Project	Urban Planning	2009-till now	
	Urban Design Theories	Architecture	2011-2015	Maser International University (MIU), Architecture Department, Cairo, Egypt.
	Urban Design Studio	Architecture		
	Community Design	Architecture		
	Landscape Architecture	Architecture		

Level	Course	Program	Period	Institution
	Urban Design Studio and Urban Conservation	Architecture	2009-2014	Elshourk Academy, Department of Architecture, Faculty of Engineering
	Design Studio	Architecture	2011-2012	Arab Academy for Science, Technology and Maritime Transport
	Site Photography and Documentation	Landscape Architecture	2013-till now	Ain Shams University, Landscape Architecture, Credit Hours Engineering Programs, Faculty of Engineering, Ain Shams University.
	Site Analysis	Landscape Architecture	2013-till now	
	Introduction to Urban Design	Landscape Architecture	2014- till now	
	Human Behavior and Urbanism	Landscape Architecture	2015- till now	
Post Graduate Program	Upgrading Historical Sites	Integrated Urbanism and Sustainable Design	Fall 2016	Stuttgart University-Ain Shams University
	Urban Upgrading		Spring 2017	
	Urban Planning Theories		Spring 2017 till now	
	Peacemaking	Urban Planning	Spring 2017 till now	Department Urban Planning and Design, Faculty of Engineering, Ain Shams University
	Urban Design Theories and Practices	Urban Design Program	The Falls semesters since 2009- till now	

### **Scientific Committee**

2015- till now Vice-Director of Continuous Improvement and Quality Assurance Unit CIQAU Ain Shams University since February 2015 till now  
Head of Quality Assurance, Urban Planning and Design, Faculty of Engineering, Ain Shams University from 2009.  
Member of the selection committee of candidates of Integrated Urbanism and Sustainable Design (IUSD). [http://iupd.asu.edu.eg/?page\\_id=125](http://iupd.asu.edu.eg/?page_id=125)

2016-2019 Scientific Ambassador of Regional Study Association—RSA to Egypt during the period September 2016 to September 2019. Please press <http://www.regionalstudies.org/networks/ambassador/abeer-elshater>

2009-2015 Member of Quality Assurance committee, Ain Shams University, Faculty of Engineering.

2009-2010 Member in Post-graduation studies, Ain Shams University, Faculty of Engineering, the Academic year 2009-2010, the committee for publishing graduation guideline- The academic year 2012-2013.

2016-till now The scientific committee in IEREK  
<https://www.ierek.com/scientific-committee>

### ***Invited Speaker in Conference and Symposium***

2017 Invaded Scholar on the “CITIES OF GOOD INTENTIONS: Urban Design Dialogues” on June 21-June 23, 2017 at Sapienza Università di Roma, School of Engineering, San Pietro in Vincoli Sapienza Università di Roma, Facoltà d’ingegneria, San Pietro in Vincoli  
<https://colinroweconference2017.wordpress.com/participant-scholars/>  
<https://colinroweconference2017.wordpress.com/abeer-elshater/>

2016 Invited Speaker on the symposium “Designing Urban Design: Towards Holistic Perspective” 4-5 October 2016, Faculty of Architecture, Middle East Technical University (METU), Ankara –Turkey  
<http://www.metudsymp2016.org/#invited-speakers/i93wv>  
<http://www.metudsymp2016.org/#program/cjg9>

2016 Invited speaker on the conference “Environmental Health & Safety” (Environmental Health 2016) scheduled on October 24-25, 2016 at Valencia, Spain.  
<http://environmentalhealth.conferenceseries.com/>

### ***Organizing a Special Session in Conferences***

2018-2019 Organizing a conference “Architecture and Urbanism ... A Smart Outlook”, Cairo, Egypt  
<https://easychair.org/cfp/AR-UP2019>

2017 Organize a special session “Place of Post Conflict” in the “World Multidisciplinary Civil Engineering- Architecture- Urban Planning Symposium (WMCAUS) 12-16 June 2017-Prague (Czech Republic)  
<http://www.wmcaus.org/conveners.html>

2016 Organize a special session “External and Internal Displacement: Impacts and Lessons Learned from Resettlement Processes” in RSA Winter Conference 2016, London, UK “New Pressure on Cities and Regions” on the 24<sup>th</sup>- 25<sup>th</sup> November 2016.  
<https://www.regionalstudies.org/sessions/special-sessions-winter-2016/>  
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### ***Funded Research Projects***

2020-2022 Abeer Elshater is a personal investigator (PI) to a funded research project (STDF Basic & Applied Research Grants (STDF-BARG 37234) by Science, Technology, and Innovation Funding Authority (STIFA) about urban heat islands and urban forms. This project is running from November 22, 2020, till 22 October 2022.

2010 till now December 2010-till now: The German Academic Exchange Program funds a member in establishing Integrated Urbanism & Sustainable Design, IUSD, the project) DAAD and is organized by Ain Shams University and the University of Stuttgart.  
[http://iusd.asu.edu.eg/?page\\_id=695](http://iusd.asu.edu.eg/?page_id=695)

2012-2013 We are establishing the new-credit-hours program “Landscape Architecture” through designing the curriculum and matrix of the courses versus intended learning outcomes. This program officially started in 2013. The current passion is quality refereeing for the course’s handbooks and files.

May 2013– December 2013 Egyptian Expert of a short-term research project called; “Eco-Architecture & Urbanism Summer-School” The project is funded by the German Academic Exchange Program (DAAD) is organized by Ain Shams University and the University of Stuttgart, represented by Prof. Dr Helmut Bott.

## Professional Practice Experience

**Developing Egyptian Villages** A team member who participates in presenting the strategic plans of developing the cities and villages of Domiat, Kafr Elbateekh; Belles and Balashoon, Elshaeriquia; Qaluid, Qulibia Governorate; and Mansoura, Dakahlia.

**National and International Competitions** In December 2009, Cairo participated as a designer in the ECOPA office in the international competition for the urban design & harmony and historic conservation of ElKhzendar Square.

October 2010 participates as a designer in ECOPA office, Cairo, in the international competition for the urban design & harmony and historic conservation of Attaba & Opera squares; the national organization for urban balance proposed this competition.

February 2014 -2017, the development project of the campus of Faculty of Engineering Ain Shams University

**Reports** Preparing UNDP (United Nations Development Program) Kafr Sheikh; Aswan; Quena; Abou-Tel (Quena Governorate).

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In Egypt Professor Ayman Ashour, Minister of Higher Education and Scientific Research (University Affairs), Egypt.

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Abroad Professor David Graham Shane, Adjunct Professor in the Urban Design program at Columbia GSAPP, USA.

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