



# 2023

## Humphrey Alumni Global Policy Series: Egypt Sustainability Conference: Economic Development, Climate Change and Public Health Cairo, Egypt





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## ABOUT

### Hubert H. Humphrey Fellowship Program

The Hubert H. Humphrey Fellowship Program, a Fulbright exchange, enhances leadership among international professionals who collaborate to address local and global challenges and foster change for the collective good. Through a combination of academic studies and tailored professional development opportunities with U.S. counterparts, Egyptian Humphrey alumni representing the wealth and diversity of Egypt's human capital and the strength of its institutions have received training in various sectors, including healthcare, education, the judiciary, human resource management, finance and banking, media and communications, agriculture, government, and natural resources. Egyptian Humphrey alumni are affiliated with 78 different employers among ministries, universities, public and private institutions, as well as international organizations. Among its many accomplishments, the Humphrey Program has supported women in the workforce, commitment to public service and diversity. Over 100 Humphrey fellows from Egypt, of which 40% are women, have received leadership training and human capacity building through the Humphrey Fellowship Program.

### Humphrey Alumni Global Policy Series

In recognition of the Humphrey Fellowship Program's 45th Anniversary in 2023-2024, the Humphrey Fellowship is launching the Humphrey Alumni Global Policy Series. This series convenes Humphrey alumni across world regions for policy dialogues addressing crucial global concerns and challenges at the national, regional, and local levels.

### Egypt Sustainability Conference: Economic Development, Climate Change and Public Health

On June 20, 2023, the Binational Fulbright Commission in Egypt is convening the Egypt Sustainability Conference: Economic Development, Climate Change and Public Health, in celebration of the 45th anniversary of the Hubert H. Humphrey Fellowship. The event will feature roundtable dialogues, engagement with key stakeholders and networking activities, as well as showcase the contributions and critical value of alumni in addressing Egypt's national agenda and 2030 vision. It will provide an opportunity for alumni to collaborate through their experiences, discuss their current projects and the impact of their work on sustainability goals. Alumni-led interdisciplinary discussions will focus on sustainability, climate change and environmental issues, and economic development; public health and the well-being of individuals; as well as Humphrey alumni in national and global projects. A banquet and networking reception for alumni and guests will follow the conference.

Venue: Conrad Hotel, Cairo - Egypt

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## ABOUT

### **Binational Fulbright Commission in Egypt**

The Binational Fulbright Commission in Egypt (BFCE) was established in 1949 by a protocol between the governments of the United States and Egypt as an educational foundation with the primary goal of promoting educational and cultural advancement in the two countries through the exchange of ideas and expertise. The existence and sustained implementation of the 1949 protocol and subsequent protocols are proof of the commitment of Egypt and the United States to investment in human resources and mutual understanding. The Commission is governed by a binational board of directors who hold positions in government, business and academia. The Commission is funded by an annual appropriation from the United States Congress and by an Egyptian Government endowment.

The Fulbright Program in Egypt has evolved from a modest exchange of U.S. and Egyptian students and scholars to become one of the oldest and largest programs in the Middle East serving and linking a wide range of scholarly and professional communities. To-date BFCE has awarded over 8,000 grants to American and Egyptian Fulbrighters. Fulbright Alumni become ambassadors, not only of good will and international understanding, but also of leadership, management excellence, best practices, innovation, information and ideas. The Commission administers a number of programs with the cooperation of its U.S. based and local Egyptian partners, including the U.S. Department of State, Egyptian Ministry of Higher Education and Scientific Research, Egyptian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the U.S. Embassy in Cairo, Supreme Council of Egyptian Universities, USAID, AMIDEAST, Institute of International Education, the Council for International Exchange of Scholars, World Learning, as well as Egyptian and U.S. academic host institutions. The Commission highly appreciates the collaboration and support provided by its partners towards advancing the Fulbright Program in Egypt throughout over seven decades of educational and cultural exchange.

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## **Humphrey 45<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Egypt Sustainability Conference: Economic Development, Climate Change and Public Health**

### **Speakers:**

#### **WELCOME REMARKS & OPENING PLENARY:**



**H.E. Prof. Ayman Ashour**  
Minister of Higher Education and  
Scientific Research  
BFCE Chair



**H.E. Ambassador John Desrocher**  
Charge d'Affaires to Egypt  
U.S. Embassy in Cairo



**Prof. Ehab AbouAish**  
Vice Minister of Finance  
for Public Treasury



**Acknowledging the Service of  
Ms. Lauren Lovelace**  
Minister-Counselor for Public Affairs  
U.S. Embassy in Cairo  
Treasurer of BFCE Board (2021-2023)



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## **Speakers:** (In alphabetical order)

### **CONCURRENT PANEL 1: Sustainability, Climate Change, and Economic Development Panel Discussion**



**MODERATOR:**  
**Dr. Irene Samy Fahim**

Associate Professor  
Director of Smart Engineering Systems Research Center  
School of Engineering and Applied Sciences, Nile University

### **Panelists** (In Alphabetical Order):



**Prof. Khaled Abbas**

Founder and Chairman  
Transport Planning and  
Traffic Engineering House



**Dr. Ibrahim Abdel Gelil**

Independent Consultant  
Former Chief Executive Officer  
Egyptian Environmental Affairs Agency  
Former Chairman of the Board  
Organization for Energy Conservation and  
Planning



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## **Speakers:** (In alphabetical order)

### **CONCURRENT PANEL 1: SUSTAINABILITY, CLIMATE CHANGE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT (Cont.)**



**Ms. Doaa Allam**

Senior Investment Policy Analyst  
General Authority for Investment  
and Free Zones



**Dr. Mohamed ElKaramany**

Director of Growth Lab  
Egyptian Food Bank



**Prof. Mohamed Salheen**

Professor  
Co-Founder and Director of Integrated  
Urbanism and Sustainable Design Program  
Faculty of Engineering, Ain Shams University



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## **Speakers:** (In alphabetical order)

### **CONCURRENT PANEL 2: PUBLIC HEALTH**



**MODERATOR:**

**Dr. Nahla Abdel Tawab**

Senior Associate and Country Director  
Population Council Egypt

### **Panelists** (In Alphabetical Order):



**Dr. Reham Abou ElFadi**

Senior Program Officer  
Population Council Egypt



**Dr. Madleine Azmy**

General Supervisor of Disability Sector  
Caritas Egypt



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## **Speakers:** (In alphabetical order)

### **CONCURRENT PANEL 2: PUBLIC HEALTH (Cont.)**



**Prof. Medhat Bassiouny**

Professor

Director of Addiction Treatment Center  
Faculty of Medicine, Zagazig University



**Dr. Mohamed ElHawary**

Deputy Manager of Primary Healthcare Services  
Gharbiya Health Affairs Directorate  
Ministry of Health and Population



**Prof. Ehab Kamal**

Advisor to the Minister of Health for  
Medical Education Affairs  
Ministry of Health and Population



**Dr. Heba Metwally**

Clinical Auditor  
General Administration of Internal Audit  
and Governance  
General Healthcare Authority, Port Said



**Prof. Rania Salah**

Vice Dean of Community Service and  
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University





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## **Speakers:** (In alphabetical order)

### **CONCURRENT PANEL 3: HUMPHREY ALUMNI IN NATIONAL AND GLOBAL PROJECTS**



**MODERATOR:**

**Prof. Mahmoud Fouad**

Professor

Managing Director, Energy in Building Laboratory

Faculty of Engineering, Cairo University

President of ECDG-Fouad Consulting

#### **Panelists** (In Alphabetical Order):



**Judge Mohamed ElGhannam**

Judge

Ministry of Justice



**Dr. Ibrahim ElGhazzawi**

Associate Professor of International

Law and Human Rights

New Cairo Technological University



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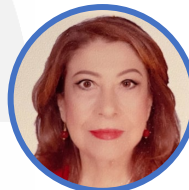
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## **Speakers:** (In alphabetical order)

### **CONCURRENT PANEL 3: HUMPHREY ALUMNI IN NATIONAL AND GLOBAL PROJECTS (Cont.)**



**Dr. Nagwa Elnwishy**  
Researcher and Lecturer of  
Environmental Sciences  
Suez Canal University



**Ms. Hoda Sabry**  
Finance and Banking Expert



**Dr. Mona Taha**  
Director of Communications  
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**Ms. Olfa Tantawi**  
Social and Behavioural Change Specialist  
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### KEYNOTE ADDRESS:



#### **Prof. Mohammed Omran**

Sonoco Visiting Fellow, Darla Moore School of Business, University of South Carolina  
Professor of Financial Economics  
Arab Academy for Science, Technology and Maritime Transport  
Former Executive Chairman, Chair of the Board of Financial Regulatory Authority  
Former Executive Chairman, Chair of the Board of the Egyptian Stock Exchange  
Distinguished Humphrey Alumnus

### **Fulbright-Egypt Accessibility and Inclusion Initiative (IAI):**



#### **Dr. Ibrahim Emara**

BFCE Advisor for Inclusion and Accessibility Initiative

### **Closing Remarks:**



#### **Dr. Maggie Nassif**

Executive Director  
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### **Humphrey 45th Anniversary Alumni Opportunities:**



#### **Ms. Jamie Sharp**

Deputy Director  
Office of Global Educational Programs  
Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs U.S. Department of State



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Founder and Chairman  
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Economic Development  
Cornell University  
AY2000-2001

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Director of Communications and Author  
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Communications/Journalism  
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AY2011-2012

#### **Ibrahim Abdel Gelil**

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Former Chief Executive Officer  
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Natural Resources, Environmental Policy  
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Cornell University  
AY1993-1994

#### **Mohamed Abdel Ghani Moustafa**

Professor  
Zagazig University  
Substance Abuse Education,  
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Virginia Commonwealth University  
AY2015-2016

#### **Nahla Abdel Tawab**

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AY1988-1989

#### **Ahmed Abdel Tawab**

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AY2020-2021

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AY2016-2017

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AY1995-1996

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United Nations  
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## In Memoriam



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