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EDUCATION

- Nov 1992 **Harvard University**
Doctor of Philosophy in Fine Arts
Field of Study: Art and Architectural History
Concentration: Islamic Art and Architecture -The Mamluk Period 1250-1517
Dissertation: "Urban Form and Meaning in Bahri Mamluk Architecture"
- Nov 1990 **Harvard University**
Master of Arts
Art History- Islamic Art and Architecture
- June 1987 **Massachusetts Institute of Technology**
Master of Science in Architecture Studies
Area of Specialization: Design for Islamic Societies
Thesis: "Architectural Form and Meaning in Light of Al-Jurjani's Literary Theories"
- May 1985 **Oregon School of Design**
Bachelor of Architecture

EXPERIENCE

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- Fall 2007-- **Professor**, Department of Architecture and Design
American University of Beirut
Courses include: URPL 661/URDS601 Planning and Design Workshop, A509: Final Project Design and Research II, A508: Final Project Design and Research I, A406a: Urban Design Studio: [Re]Construction in the South: Place, Memory and Identity, A223: History of Post-Medieval Art and Architecture, A122: History of Medieval Art and Architecture, and A033 Art and Interpretation
- Spring 2006 **Visiting Professor**, Center for Contemporary Arab Studies
Georgetown University
Course: MAAS411: The Contested Urban Heritage of Cities in the Arab World
- Oct 2001-Oct 07 **Associate Professor**, Department of Architecture and Design
American University of Beirut
Courses include: URPL699: Thesis, A509: Final Project Design and Research II, A508: Final Project Design and Research I, URPL681: The Analytic Process and Methods: Thesis Preparation, A223: History of Post-Medieval Art and Architecture, A122: History of Medieval Art and Architecture, and A033 Theory Seminar: Art and Interpretation
- Spring 2000 **Visiting Associate Professor**, History, Theory & Criticism, Department of Architecture MIT
Seminar: 4.617: Issues in Islamic Urbanism: Politics of City Formation and Transformation

- Oct 1997-Oct 01 **Assistant Professor**, Department of Architecture and Design
American University of Beirut
Courses include: A509: Thesis Project, A406/A508: Urban Design Studio: Living *in* the Edge, A305b: Urban Revitalization Studio: Tripoli 2020, A203: Architecture Design Studio: The Making of Architectural Space, A202: Architecture Design Studio: An Object in Place, A122: History of Medieval Art and Architecture, and A022 Seminar: Theories of Meaning in Art and Architecture. The Semiotic Approach
- Oct 1994-Oct 97 **Assistant Professor**, Civilization Sequence Program, Faculty of Arts and Sciences
American University of Beirut
Courses include: CS295 Seminar: Politics of City Formation and Transformation: The Case of Cairo, CS291: The Concept of Space in Islamic Cities, CS290 Seminar: Symbolism in Medieval Islamic Art, CS225: Art and Architecture of the Middle East II: 1250-Present, and CS224: Art and Architecture of the Middle East I: 650-1250
- Spring 1994 **Lecturer**, Department of Fine Arts, Aga Khan Program
Harvard University
Seminar: FA120: The Concept of Space in Islamic Cities
- Fall 1993 **Visiting Assistant Professor**, History, Theory & Criticism, Department of Architecture
MIT
Lecture course: 4.672: Religious Architecture and Islamic Cultures
- Spring 1990 **Teaching Fellow**, Department of Fine Arts
Harvard University
Lecture course: The Age of Sultan Suleyman the Magnificent: Art, Architecture and Ceremonial at the Ottoman Court
- Spring 1987 **Teaching Assistant**, Department of Architecture
MIT
Design Studio: The Redevelopment of the Golden Horn in Istanbul, Turkey

ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

- Sept 2020-- **Founding Director**, School of Architecture and Design, Maroun Semaan Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
- Sept 2020-Aug 2023 **Chair**, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
- Sept 2019-Sep 2020 **Interim Chair**, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
- Aug 2019-22 **Founding Director**, Palestine Land Studies Center, American University of Beirut
- Sept 2018 -- **Research Director**, Urban Recovery Platform, Beirut Urban Lab, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
- Dec 2012-July 2014 **Project Coordinator**, Urban Sustainable Development Strategy for Saida, Municipality of Saida, Project funded by the European Neighborhood Policy Instrument – Cross Border Cooperation (ENPI CBC)
- Sept 2009-Sept 2012 **Chair**, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
- Jan 2010-Jan 2013 **Co-director**, Urbanism in the Arab World Program, Issam Fares Institute for Public Policy and International Relations, American University of Beirut

Sept 2003-Sept 2006 **Chair**, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

July 2019-- **Council Member**, Al-Madinah Development Authority, Al-Madina al-Munawara, Saudi Arabia

July 2019-July 2020 **Advisor**, Central Arriyadh Development Company, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

Nov 2018 -- **Urban and Architectural Advisor**, Al-Munshaat Office, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

May – Sept 2018 **Lead Urban Designer**, Rehabilitation of Al-Mughaisileh Neighborhood, Al-Madinah Development Authority, Al-Madina al-Munawara, Saudi Arabia

April-May, 2017 **Desk Reviewer**, "Hebron-Al-Khalil Old Town" (Palestine), nomination file for Inscription on the World Heritage, World Heritage Evaluation Unit, International Council on Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS)

April 2017-Dec 2018 **Advisor**, Al-Madinah Development Authority, Al-Madina al-Munawara, Saudi Arabia

Feb 2017-Feb 2018 **Consultant, Urban Designer**, Rua Al-Madinah, Phase I, Central Area, Al-Madina al-Munawara, Saudi Arabia, Dar al-Handasah: Shair and Partners

June 2013-Dec 2015 **Project Champion and Lead Designer**, Central Area Master Plan, Al-Madina al-Munawara, Saudi Arabia , Dar al-Handasah: Shair and Partners

Dec 2012-July 2014 **Lead Expert and Project Coordinator**, Urban Sustainable Development Strategy for Saida, Municipality of Saida, Project funded by the European Neighborhood Policy Instrument – Cross Border Cooperation (ENPI CBC)

Nov 2012 **Consultant**, World Bank, Taif Development Plans, project for the Municipality of Taif and Consortia, Saudi Arabia

Oct - Nov 2012 **Expert consultant**, RC Heritage, the inscription of the Old City of Jeddah on the World Heritage List, project for Saudi Commission for Tourism and Antiquities, Saudi Arabia

Oct 2010-Oct 2011 **Advisor**, Najaf and Karbala Urban Renewal Projects, Diwan Architects and Engineers, UNITED Arab Emirates

Mar 2007-Feb 09 **Advisor**, Bint Jbeil Reconstruction Project, Technical Office for the Reconstruction of Bint Jbeil, Municipality of Bint Jbeil, Bint Jbeil, Lebanon

June -Nov 2006 **Consultant**, Gemmayzeh area study, DGU, Ministry of Public Works, Beirut, Lebanon

May-July 2006 **Advisor**, Silk Road Park, International Design Competition in China, Dorell. Ghotmeh. Tane/Architects, Paris, France

June 2005 **Consultant**, the Jeddah Master Plan project, Urbi Architects and Planners, Lebanon

Nov 2003-Feb 04 **Advisor**, Urban Revitalization Project of the Old City of Tripoli, Habib Debs and Jad Tabet Consultants, Beirut/Paris

Apr 2002-June 05 **Technical Advisor**, Facilities Planning and Design Unit, American University of Beirut

Apr 2001-Apr 02 **Technical Advisor**, the Steering Committee of the AUB Campus Master Plan Project

April 1999-June 2004	Consultant , Al-Mimariyya Architects and Designers, Beirut, Lebanon
Jan 1989-Jan 94	Advisor to the President , Arriyadh Development Authority, High Commission for the Development of Arriyadh, Saudi Arabia
Mar-July 1988	Architect , Planning and Studies Department, Arriyadh Development Authority, High Commission for the Development of Arriyadh, Saudi Arabia

MEMBERSHIP

ACADEMIC ORGANIZATIONS

GAP: General Assembly of Partners towards Habitat III
CAA: College Art Association
SAH: Society of Architectural Historians
MESA: Middle East Studies Association
HIAA: Historians of Islamic Art Association
IASTE: International Association for the Study of Traditional Environments
ATINER: Athens Institute for Education and Research

SERVICE

INTERNATIONAL DESIGN JURIES /AWARDS

Dec 12 2023	Member of the Jury, International Design Competition for AlAhsa New Downtown organized by Downtown Company for Public Investment Fund, Saudi Arabia
Mar-Apr 2023	Member of the Jury, UIA Award for Innovation in Architectural Education, second edition, organized by the International Union of Architects
Jan 2023	Member of the Jury, King Faisal Award for Research on Islamic Architecture, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
Sept 2 2021	Member of the Jury, International Design Competition for Madinah New Downtown organized by Downtown Company for Public Investment Fund, Saudi Arabia
June 17-20 2020	Member of the Jury, International Design Competition for Revelation Museum in Mecca, Saudi Arabia
Mar 7-12 2020	Member of the Jury, International Design Competition for Project C, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia, 7-12 March 2020
20-21 Feb 2020	Member of the Jury, International Design Competition for the Revitalization of the City of Jerusalem, Arab Association of Architects, Beirut 20-21 February 2020
Dec 9 2019	Member of the Jury, International Design Competition for the new Faculty of Arts and Sciences (FAS) Headquarters at the American University of Beirut (AUB)
May-Oct 2019	Member of the Jury, International Competition for the Istanbul Environment Friendly City Award (IEFCA) 2019, organized by the UN Environment/Mediterranean Action Plan Coordinating Unit (Greece) and Plan Blue (France), October 2019
June-Aug 2018	Award Nominator, Aga Khan Award for Architecture, 2019 Cycle
May-Oct 2017	Member of the Jury, International Competition for the Istanbul Environment Friendly City Award (IEFCA) 2017, organized by the UN Environment/Mediterranean Action Plan Coordinating Unit (Greece) and Plan Blue (France), 27-29 October 2017

Oct 2017	Member of the Jury, International Competition for the Jeddah New Downtown Project, organized by Oliver Wyman and Atkins, Dubai, 1-2 October 2017
May 2017	Member of the Jury, 5 th Holcim International Award for Sustainable Construction, Middle East Africa Region, American University in Cairo, 19-20 May 2017
Dec 6 2015	Chair of the Jury, International Competition, Master Plan for KFUPM Business Park, King Fahad University of Petroleum and Minerals December 2017
Aug 2014	Chair of the Jury, International Competition. Architectural Design for Jeddah Public Transportation. Jeddah Metro Company August 2014
June 2014	Chair of the Jury, 4 th Holcim International Award for Sustainable Construction, Middle East Africa Region, June 2014
Jan-Sept 2013	Member, Master Jury, Aga Khan Award for Architecture, 2013 cycle
Jan-May 2013	Member, Scientific Jury, AbdulHameed Shoman Award for Young Arab Researchers 2012
June 2007	Member, International Jury, Jeddah Award for Innovation in Architecture for 2007
Oct 9 2004	Invited juror, Creative Lebanon Competition, design competition organized by the British Council, Beirut, Lebanon
Sept-Nov 2004	Invited juror, Master Jury, International Architecture+ Awards, 2004, Dubai, UAE
Mar 16 2004	Invited juror, International Student Competition, Cairo University, Cairo, Egypt

EDITORIAL/ADVISORY BOARDS

May 2022--	Member, International Scientific Committee, <i>Intrecci</i> , Journal by the Italian Society for Architectural Conservation (SIRA), Rome, Italy
Apr 2022--	Member, Advisory board, the <i>International Journal Mediterranean Cities</i> by the Schools of Architecture and Urban studies, German University in Cairo
Aug 2021--	Member, Editorial Advisory Panel, <i>Urban Design and Planning</i> Journal, ICE publishing, London, UK
May 2021--	Member of the Board of Trustees, Royal Institute of the Arts, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia
Feb 2021--	Member, Advisory Board, <i>After Islamic State: Local-State-Global Heritage Dynamics in Syria and Iraq</i> , research lead Profs. Isakhan and Meskeel, funded by an Australian Research Council (ARC)
Sept 2016-2019	Member, Board of Reviewers, <i>Athens Journal of Architecture</i> , the Athens Institute for Education & Research (ATINER)
June 2016-2018	Member, Board of Trustees, the Sharjah International Foundation for the History of Arabic and Islamic Sciences, University of Sharjah, UAE
May 2015--	Member, Advisory Board, <i>Jordan Journal for Fine Arts</i> , Yarmouk University, Jordan
Dec 2014-2021	Member, Board of Governors, <i>Dialectic: Journal of the School of Architecture</i> . University of Utah, USA

Apr 2012-2020	Member, Advisory Board, "International Joint Master Program Urban Design - Vitalization of Historic City Districts," German and Arab universities
Mar 2011--	Member, Senior Advisory Board, <i>Lonaard Magazine</i> , London, UK
Dec 2010--	Member, Executive Board of Advisors, IASTE: International Association for the Study of Traditional Environments, University of California, Berkeley
Jan 2010-12	Member, Advisory Board, The Issam Fares Institute for Public Policy and International Relations, American University of Beirut
Jan 2009-12	Country Editor, World Architecture Organization
May 2005-2010	Member, Advisory Board, the Barakat Foundation, USA
Oct 2001-Dec 2010	International Correspondent and Editorial Advisor for <i>Traditional Dwellings and Settlements Review: Journal of the International Association for the Study of Traditional Environments</i> , University of California, Berkeley
Nov 1999-2003	Member, Editorial Board, <i>The Electronic International Journal of Middle Eastern Studies</i> , MIT

PROGRAM AND CURRICULAR DEVELOPMENT

2022-23	Integrated Product Design Minor, Maroun Semaan Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, AUB
2020-21	UI/UX Certificate Program Development, Department of Architecture and Design, Maroun Semaan Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, AUB
2018-2019	Program Curricular Reform, Master of Urban Design, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
2016-17	Vision, Structure of Programs, and Governance, School of Design, MSFEA, American University of Beirut
2012-13	Program development and curriculum design, architecture program, American University of Abu Dhabi
2009-2011	Curriculum review and restructuring, architecture program, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
2003-09	Program development and curriculum design, PhD in History, Theory and Criticism, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
2001-02	Program development and curriculum design for two tracks: studio arts and art history, Department of Fine Arts, American University of Beirut

CONFERENCE/WORKSHOP ORGANIZATION

Feb 8	Director, Seminar, "Unarchiving the City: The Case of Beirut," Beirut Urban Lab, AUB, February 8, 2024
Sept 2020- Sept 2021	Member of the Scientific Committee, Third International Conference on Mosque Architecture, 3-6 September 2020, Sarajevo

Jan 13-18 2020	Director, Workshop "Post-Conflict Urban Recovery of Historic Cities: Capacity Building Workshop for Aleppo" Beirut Urban Lab, AUB, January 13-18, 2020
Apr 1-3 2019	Director, City Debates 2019 Conference on "Urban Recovery at the Intersection between Displacement and Reconstruction," held at the American University of Beirut, April 1-3, 2019
Dec 11 2018	Co-Organizer and presenter, workshop on Teaching Portfolio, with Hazem Hajj and Saouma BouJaoude, Center for Teaching and Learning, American University of Beirut
Sept 2018	Organizer, RELIEF R1 workshop, September 3-7, 2018, Department of Architecture and Design, AUB in collaboration with UCL
Feb-June 2018	Member, Scientific Committee, International Conference for Sustainable Design of the Built Environment (SDBE 2018), 12 th -13 th September 2018 at The Crystal, London
June 2018	Organizer, RELIEF R1 workshop, June 26-28, 2018, Department of Architecture and Design, AUB in collaboration with UCL, Saida Municipality and Bar Elias Municipality
Jan 2018	Organizer, RELIEF R1 workshop, January 30- 31, 2018, Issam Fares Institute, AUB in collaboration with UCL and Institute for Lebanese Studies
Nov-Dec 2017	Member, Sessions Committee, the IASTE 2018 Conference on "The Politics of Tradition," the University of Coimbra, Portugal, 4-7 December 2018
July – Sept 2017	Co-organizer, Presidential Symposium entitles "Women at AUB: Strategic Institutional Initiatives, held at AUB on September 5, 2017
Nov 2016- May 2017	Co-organizer, panel entitled "The Uncovering of Mamluk Beirut," for the 2017 School of Mamluk Studies Conference, held in Beirut, 11-13 May 2017
June 2016-June 2018	Member, Scientific Committee, the Fifth International Meeting of the European Architectural History Network (EAHN biannual conference), to be held in in Tallinn, Estonia, 14-16 June 2018
June 2015-Dec 2016	Member, Conference Sessions Committee, the 15th IASTE conference entitled "Legitimizing Tradition", held in Kuwait, 17-20 December 2016
Oct 2015-Feb 2016	Member, Scientific Committee, the 4th International Architectural Conservation Conference & Exhibition entitled "Sustainable heritage: global vision local experience," Organized by Dubai Municipality held in Dubai International Convention and Exhibition Centre from 8-10 February 2016
Aug 2014	Member, Scientific Committee, Annual Conferences, ATINER: Athens Institute for Education and Research, Athens, Greece
Jan –Nov 2012	Member, Scientific Committee of the Symposium CAUMME 2012, "Contemporary Architecture and Urbanism in the Mediterranean and the Middle East" held November 21-23, 2012
Sept 2012- Aug 2012	Co-convener, Spaces of Resistance, Seminar in Experimental Critical Theory, SECT VIII, organized jointly by UCLA and AUB and hosted by the Department of Architecture and Design at AUB, July 30 – August 8, 2012
Aug 2011--	Member, Scientific Committee, Annual Conferences, ATINER: Athens Institute for Education and Research, Athens, Greece

- Dec 2009—Dec 10 Local Director and co-organizer, IASTE 2010 International Conference on “Utopia of Tradition,” organized by the University of California at Berkeley and hosted by the American University of Beirut, December 15-18, 2010
- Oct 2008 Organizer, workshop in Bint Jbeil for the restoration projects in the old town, held at the Municipality of Bint Jbeil on October 18, 2008
- Dec 2007-Dec 08 Chair, Organizing Committee, International Symposium on “*Negotiating Boundaries: Cultural Exchange and Production of the Mediterranean World*” held at CAMES, AUB, Dec 5-7, 2008
- Apr 2006 Member, International Scientific Committee, 1st International Conference “Changing Trends in Architectural Design Education: Sharing Experiences & Building Partnerships across the Mediterranean,” Center for the Study of Architecture in the Arab Region and the Ecole Nationale d’Architecture (ENA), Rabat, Morocco, Nov 14-16, 2006
- Spring 2001 Organizer and chair, conference, “The City of Tripoli: Its History, People and Planning,” held at Rachid Karami International Fair, Tripoli, Lebanon, 26 March 2001
- Oct-Dec 2000 Member, Scientific Committee for UNESCO’s Fifth International Seminar on “University and Heritage,” December 11-15, 2000

ACADEMIC JOURNALS REVIEWS

- Jan 2024 Reviewer, article submission for publication in *International Review of Qualitative Research*, Sage Publishers.
- Nov 2023 Reviewer, article submission for publication in *Geographies*, Basel, Switzerland
- July 2023 Reviewer, article submission for publication in *City, Territory and Architecture*, SpringerOpen.
- Mar 2023 Reviewer, article submission for publication in *Muqarnas*, Harvard University, USA
- Oct 2022 Reviewer, article submitted for publication, *Heritage and Society Journal*, University of Massachusetts Amherst
- Aug 2022 Reviewer, article submission for publication, *The Built Heritage*, Tongji University, China
- Nov 2020 Reviewer, article submission for publication, *International Journal of Islamic Architecture*, UK.
- Aug 2020 Reviewer, article submission for publication, *The Built Heritage*, Tongji University, China.
- Nov 2019 Referee, article submitted for publication, *Urban Design International*, Palgrave Macmillan, UK
- Mar 2019 Referee, article submitted for publication, *Traditional Dwellings and Settlements Review* (TDSR), University of California, Berkeley
- Jan 2019 Referee, article submitted for publication, *Traditional Dwellings and Settlements Review* (TDSR), University of California, Berkeley
- Oct 2018 Reviewer, manuscript submitted for publication, *Heritage and Society Journal*, University of Massachusetts Amherst

June 2018	Reviewer, manuscript submitted for publication, <i>Heritage and Society Journal</i> , University of Massachusetts Amherst
April 2018	Reviewer, manuscript submitted for publication, <i>Heritage and Society Journal</i> , University of Massachusetts Amherst
Jan 2018	Reviewer, manuscript submitted for publication, <i>Heritage and Society Journal</i> , University of Massachusetts Amherst
Nov 2017	Referee, article submitted for publication, <i>Traditional Dwellings and Settlements Review</i> (TDSR), University of California, Berkeley
Nov 2016	Referee, article submitted for publication, <i>Traditional Dwellings and Settlements Review</i> (TDSR), University of California, Berkeley
Sept 2016	Referee, article submitted for publication, <i>The Athens Journal of Architecture</i> , Architecture Research Unit of the Athens Institute for Education & Research (ATINER)
Dec 2015	Referee, article submitted for publication, <i>Traditional Dwellings and Settlements Review</i> (TDSR), University of California, Berkeley
Nov 2015	Reviewer, article submitted for publication in <i>Urban Design International</i> , UK
Sept 2015	Referee, article submitted for publication in the <i>Athens Journal of Architecture</i> published by the Athens Institute for Education and Research (ATINER)
Nov 2014	Committee member, the 2014 Jeffrey Cook award for best paper, IASTE 2014
Nov 2013	Referee, article submitted for publication in <i>Lonaard Magazine</i> , London, UK
Oct 2013	Expert referee, article submitted for publication in <i>IJIA</i> (the <i>International Journal of Islamic Architecture</i>), UK
Mar2010	Peer reviewer, articles submitted for publication in the <i>Getty Research Journal</i>
Nov 2009	Referee, article submitted for publication, <i>Traditional Dwellings and Settlements Review</i> (TDSR), University of California, Berkeley
May 2007	External Reviewer, article submitted for publication, <i>IJMES (International Journal for Middle East Studies)</i> , Georgetown University
Fall 2006	Referee, article submitted for publication, <i>Arab Studies Journal</i> , Center for Contemporary Arab Studies, Georgetown University
Jan 2003	Referee, article entitled "Interior Design: Practice and Education," for <i>Al-Abhath: Journal of the Center for Arab and Middle East Studies</i> , edited by As'ad Khairallah

RESEARCH/PROMOTION REVIEWS

Feb 2023	External Referee, Faculty Promotion to Associate Professor University College London UCL, UK
July 2021	External Referee, Faculty Promotion, Professor Level 1, Oxford Brooks University, UK
Mar 2020	Reviewer, URB grant proposal, Maroun Semaan Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, AUB, March 2020

Nov 2019	Referee, abstracts submitted for the IASTE 2020 conference on “Virtual Tradition,” organized by University of Oregon, USA.
Apr-May 2019	Referee, Arab Council for the Social Sciences (ACSS), Beirut, Lebanon, 2019 small grants program.
Dec 2018	Referee, paper submitted as a contribution to the conference volume entitled <i>Living with Nature and Things: Contributions to a New Social History of the Middle Islamic Periods</i> , to be published by the University of Bonn Press in 2019
Mar 2018	Referee, abstracts submitted for the Second International Conference for Sustainable Design of the Built Environment: Research in Practice (SDBE 2018)
Feb 2018	External Referee, Promotion to full professor, Department of Architecture and Urban Design, University of Jordan, Jordan
Jan 2018	Reviewer, Qatar National Research Fund (QNRF), the 2018 cycle of Undergraduate Research Experience Program (UREP), Qatar Foundation
Nov- Dec 2017	Referee, abstracts submitted for the IASTE 2018 conference on “The Politics of tradition,” organized by University of California, Berkeley
Nov 2016	Reviewer, Qatar National Research Fund (QNRF), the nineteenth cycle of Undergraduate Research Experience Program (UREP), Qatar Foundation
Aug-Sept 2016	External referee, promotion case to Full Professor, Department of Architecture, King Saud University, Saudi Arabia
Feb 2015	Peer reviewer, the eighth cycle of the National Priorities Research Program (NPRP) of the Qatar National Research Fund, Qatar Foundation
Mar 2013	Peer reviewer, the sixth cycle of the National Priorities Research Program (NPRP) of the Qatar National Research Fund, Qatar Foundation
Dec 2012	Peer reviewer, the twelfth cycle of Undergraduate Research Experience Program (UREP) of the Qatar National Research Fund (QNRF)
Aug 2012	Referee, The Jeffrey Cook Award for best paper in the 12 th conference of the International Association for the Study of the Built Environment
Feb 2012	Peer reviewer, the fifth cycle of the National Priorities Research Program (NPRP) of the Qatar National Research Fund, Qatar Foundation
Dec 2011	Peer reviewer, the eleventh cycle of Undergraduate Research Experience Program (UREP) of the Qatar National Research Fund (QNRF)
	Referee, abstracts submitted for the IASTE 2012 conference on “The Myth of Tradition,” organized by University of California, Berkeley
Nov 2011	External reviewer, tenure and promotion to Associate Professor, Department of Art History, University of Chicago
Oct 2011	External reviewer, promotion to full professor, Department of Architecture, Faculty of Engineering and Technology, University of Jordan

- June 2011 External reviewer, application for promotion to full professor, Department of Architecture, King Abdulaziz University, Saudi Arabia
- May 2010 Peer reviewer, the eighth cycle of Undergraduate Research Experience Program (UREP) of the Qatar National Research Fund (QNRF)
- Mar 2010 Peer reviewer, the third cycle of the National Priorities Research Program (NPRP) of the Qatar National Research Foundation
- Feb 2010 Referee, abstracts submitted for the IASTE 2010 conference on "Utopia of Tradition," organized by University of California, Berkeley.
- Nov 2009 External reviewer, application for promotion with tenure, Department of Architecture and Planning, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
- Peer reviewer, the seventh cycle of Undergraduate Research Experience Program (UREP) of the Qatar National Research Fund (QNRF)
- May 2009 Peer reviewer, the fifth cycle of Undergraduate Research Experience Program (UREP) of the Qatar National Research Fund
- Apr 2009 Referee, 8th FEA Student Conference, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
- Feb 2009 Peer reviewer, the second cycle of the National Priorities Research Program (NPRP) of the Qatar National Research Foundation
- Nov 2008 Referee, Collaborative Research Award, American Council of Learned Societies
- Peer reviewer, the fourth cycle of Undergraduate Research Experience Program (UREP) of the Qatar National Research Fund (QNRF)
- Mar 2008 Referee, Research Proposals submitted for funding by URB (University Research Board), American University of Beirut
- Feb 2008 Referee, abstracts for the IASTE 2008 conference to be held at Oxford University, 12-15 December 2008
- Nov 2007 Peer reviewer, the third cycle of Undergraduate Research Experience Program (UREP) of the Qatar National Research Fund
- May 2007 Peer reviewer, the second cycle of Undergraduate Research Experience Program (UREP) of the Qatar National Research Fund (QNRF)
- Mar 2007 Referee, Research Proposals, University Research Board, AUB
- Fall 2006 Referee, conference papers for the panel entitled "Fields of Cultural Production," in the 95th ACSA Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania
- Referee, promotion file, Department of Architecture, School of Engineering, University of Cyprus
- Mar 2005 External evaluator, faculty promotion review at the Department of Architecture at Birzeit University

Feb-Mar 2004 Referee, papers for the Ninth IASTE 2004 Conference entitled “Post-Traditional Environments in a Post-Global World,” organized by the University of California at Berkeley and hosted by the American University of Sharjah, November 2004

Jan-Mar 2004 Referee, papers for the conference entitled “Contemporary Discourses in Architecture,” organized by the Department of Architecture, LAU, May 13-15, 2004

UNIVERSITY COMMITTEES

Sept-Nov 2023 Co-chair, committee for the implementation plan for the transfer of the Landscape and Eco-Management Department to the School of Architecture and Design

Dec 2022-- Member, Taskforce for “Non-Tenure Eligible Faculty Members” at the American University of Beirut

Jan 2022-Feb 2024 Member, Search Committee for the Director of the Palestine Land Studies at the American University of Beirut

Jan- June 2022 Member, Search Committee for the Dean of the Faculty of Arts and Sciences at the American University of Beirut

Mar 2020-21 Academic Continuity Planning Team, Maroun Semaan Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut

Sept 2019-- Administrative Committee, Maroun Semaan Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut

Mar 2020 Member, Department Committee for Promotion, Landscape Architecture, Faculty of Agriculture and Food Sciences, American University of Beirut

Dec 2019 Search Committee, faculty position in Landscape Architecture, Faculty of Agriculture and Food Sciences, American University of Beirut

Feb-Mar 2019 Extended Advisory Committee, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, American University of Beirut

Dec 12 2018 Juror, Building 37 Rehabilitation, Facilities Planning and Design Unit, American University of Beirut

Sept 2018-Sept 2019 Member, Search Committee for a new dean for the Hariri School of Nursing (HOSN) at American University of Beirut

Mar 2018 -- Member, Standing Committee on the Lives and Careers of Women at AUB, American University of Beirut

Feb 2017 –June 2017 Member, Self-Study, Working Group Addressing Standards I: Mission and Goals, American University of Beirut

Oct 2016 –Dec 2017 Member, University Architect Committee, Facilities Planning and Design Unit, American University of Beirut

Oct 2016-17 Member, Strategic Planning Advisory Panel, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut

Sept 2016 –Sept 2018 Member, Advisory Committee, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut

Dec 2015-Dec 2016	Co-Chair, Task Force on the Lives and Careers of Women Faculty at AUB, American University of Beirut
Fall 2012-13	Member, Advisory Committee, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
2011-12	Member, Extended Advisory Committee, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, American University of Beirut
Nov 2011-Jan 2013	Faculty Liaison, American University of Beirut, the WELCOME partnerships project with universities abroad
Oct 2011-Feb 2012	Chair, Department Committee for Promotion, Department of Social and Behavioral Science, Faculty of Arts and Science, American University of Beirut
Oct 2010- Mar 2011	Chair, Department Committee for Promotion, Department of Social and Behavioral Science, Faculty of Arts and Science, American University of Beirut
	Member, Department Committee for Promotion, Department of Fine Arts, Faculty of Arts and Science, American University of Beirut
Oct 2009-Sept 2012	Member, Academic and Curriculum Committee, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
	Member, Administrative Committee, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Mar 2009	Member, Strategic Planning Committee, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
	Member, Expanded Advisory Committee, Faculty of Health Sciences, American University of Beirut
Jan 2009	Member, Special Committee for Promotion, Department of Landscape and Eco Management Systems, Faculty of Agriculture and Food Sciences, American University of Beirut
Jan 2009-Oct 2009	Chair, Senate Committee on General Education, American University of Beirut
	Advisor, Center for Civic Engagement & Community Service, American University of Beirut
Oct 2008-Oct 2010	Member, Research Committee, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Jan 2006-Mar 09	Member, Self-Study Steering Committee, American University of Beirut
Jan 2006-Jan 08	Co-Chair, Working Group Seven on General Education and Related Educational Activities, American University of Beirut
Fall 2006	Member, FEA Facilities Committee, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
	Advisor, UNESCO Student Club, American University of Beirut
Spring 2005	Member, Strategic Planning Committee, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut

Spring 2005-Summer 06	Collaborated with the Development Office at AUB in the proposal for a Chair in Arab Regional Architecture in the Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
Fall 2004-Spring 06	Collaborated with the Development Office at AUB in developing and presenting a proposal for the Bobst Foundation to fund the restoration of Khan El-Askar in Tripoli, Lebanon
Fall 2004	Jury member, Founders' Day Student Essay Contest, on the theme of "AUB as a Bridge between East and West," American University of Beirut
Oct 2003-Aug 05	Member, Administrative Committee, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Oct 2003-Aug 05	Member, Academic Committee, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
	Secretary and member, FEA Master Planning Committee, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
	Member, Landscape Design and Eco-Management Interfaculty Committee, Faculty of Agriculture and Food Sciences, American University of Beirut
Fall 2003	Jury member, Founders' Day Student Essay Contest, on the theme of "Tolerance and Respect for Others," American University of Beirut
May 30 2003	Juror, Human Powered Vehicle Contest, Mechanical Engineering Department, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Feb 2003-Feb 04	Advisor, Palestinian Cultural Club, American University of Beirut
Nov 2002	Representative of the Faculty of Engineering and Architecture to the Elections Committee, American University of Beirut
Oct 2002-Oct 03	Member, University Research Committee, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Oct 2002-Oct 03	Chair, Student Affairs Committee, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Oct 2002-May 03	Chair, Subcommittee on Assessment of Outcomes, Task Team #12 on General Education, American University of Beirut
	Member, Subcommittee on Objectives of General Education, Task Team #12 on General Education, American University of Beirut
June 7 2002	Juror, Structures Contest, Civil Engineering Department, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
May 31 2002	Juror, Human Powered Vehicle Contest, Mechanical Engineering Department, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Apr 2002-June 03	Member, Task Team #12 on General Education, American University of Beirut
Jan-June 2002	Chair, Committee for the Reestablishment of the Fine Arts Department, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, American University of Beirut

Oct 2001-Oct 02	Member, Student Affairs Committee, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Oct 2001-Oct 02	Advisor, Student Representative Committee, SRC, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Spring 2001	Member, University Search Committee for Dean of Student Affairs, American University of Beirut
Oct 2000-Oct 02	Member, University Publication Committee, American University of Beirut
Sept 2000-Sept 01	Secretary, Graduate Studies Committee, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Oct 1998-Oct 02	Member, Graduate Studies Committee, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Oct 1997-Oct 98	Secretary, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Oct 1995-Oct 97	Member, Mellon Executive Committee, Center for Behavioral Research, American University of Beirut
	Member, University Research Committee, Faculty of Arts and Sciences, American University of Beirut
Sept 1989-Sept 90	Chair, Fine Arts Student Association, Fine Arts Department, Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, Harvard University

DEPARTMENT COMMITTEES

Sept 2022-Feb 2023	Chair, Tenure Committee, Urban Planning and Design Graduate Programs, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Sept 2022-June 2023	Member, Curricular Restructuring Review, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Sept 2021-June 2022	Chair, Search Committee, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Sept 2019-Sept 2020	Chair, School of Design Committee, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Sept 2019--	Member, Curriculum Committee, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Oct – Jan 2018	Member, Tenure Committee, Urban Planning and Design Graduate Programs, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
June 2018	Co-organizer, Final Year Thesis Exhibition and Round Table Discussion, Architecture 50 th Anniversary, Department of Architecture and Design, 23 June 2018
Oct 2017 -18	Member, Graduate Studies Committee, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut

Oct 2016 –April 2017	Co-chair, New School of Design and Planning Committee, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
Sept 2016-June 2017	Member, Promotion Committee, Graphic Design Program, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
	Member, Promotion Committee, Urban Planning Program, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, AUB
Spring 2016--	Member, Search Committee, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
Fall 2015--	Member, Academic and Curriculum Committee, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
Feb 2015-Feb 2016	Co-chair, Architecture Program 50 th Anniversary, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
Oct 2012- Feb 2013	Chair, Department Committee for Promotion, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
May 2010-Sept 2012	Chair, Curricular Review Committee, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Oct 2009-Sept 2012	Chair, Search Committee, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
	Chair, The Areen Lecture Series, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Feb 2009	Member, Special Committee for Promotion, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Jan 2009-June 2009	Member, Faculty Issues Committee, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, AUB
	Member, Graduate Programs Committee, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, AUB
Oct 2008-Oct 2009	Member, Search Committee, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
	Member, Public Art Committee, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
Feb 2008	Member, Special Committee for Promotion, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Fall 2006	Member, Search Committee, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
Summer 2006-2009	Founding Member, ArD Reconstruction Unit, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Spring 2006	Served partially in the Architecture search, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut

Feb 2003-Feb 04	Chair, Annual Exhibition Committee, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
Oct 2002-Aug 05	Chair, Lecture Series Committee, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
Oct 2002-Jan 03	Member, Self-Study Committee, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Oct 1998-Oct 99	Secretary, Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Oct 1997-Oct 99	Coordinator, Lecture Series, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
Oct 1997-Feb 98	Chair, Facilities Committee of the Department of Architecture and Design, AUB

ACADEMIC SERVICE

Jan 7 2024	Discussant, Keynote Plenary Session, IASTE 2024: Dynamism of Tradition, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
May 4 2023	Discussant, Book Discussion, <i>God's Property</i> by Nada Moutaz, organized by the Beirut Urban Lab at the American University of Beirut
Mar 10 2023	Moderated a panel entitled "Solidarity through Conflict for Conflict Prevention" in the Vital Lebanon conference organized by Institute of Global Prosperity at UCL and held at the American University of Beirut 9-11 March 2023
Nov 25 2022	Participated in a round table discussion on <i>Reconstructing Neighborhoods of War</i> , organized by the Orient Institute and held at the Department of Architecture and Design at the American University of Beirut
Apr 19 2022	Moderated a panel entitled "The New International Discourse on Palestine: Shaping the Path Forward," organized by the Issam Fares Institute at the American University of Beirut
Mar 11 2022	Participated in a seminar entitled "Situating Heritage: Mapping threats, opportunities, and future directions" organized by the British Council, March 11, 2022 at the Lebanese National Library, Beirut, Lebanon
Nov 25 2021	Speaker, Working Session on "Cities, universities, heritage," organized by ICOMOS University Forum Initiative and the Universidade Politécnica de Madrid (UPM)
Oct 12, 2021	Participated in a round table discussion on "Beirut's traditional built environment and its becoming," organized by Impact Lebanon
Nov 23 2020	Participated in a round table discussion on "Heritage Restoration and the Recovery of Beirut," organized by Columbia University in collaboration with the Beirut Urban Lab
Nov 9, 2018	Participated in a workshop on "Building Blocks for Environmentally Sustainable Reconstruction in Western Asia," organized by ESCWA, November 9 2018
Dec 5 2018	Chair of a session, "Gender and Space", the IASTE 2018 Conference on "The Politics of Tradition," the University of Coimbra, Portugal, 4-7 December 2018

March 23, 2018	Chair, public panel on <i>Sonic Urbanism</i> organized by Theatrum Mundi and Recomposing the City at Sursock Museum in Beirut, Lebanon.
Nov 2017-Aug 2018	Coordinator, AUB entries, Architectural Competition for the Reconstruction of Destroyed Villages in Palestine, International Student Competition organized by the Palestinian Land Society. Nov 2017 – Aug 2018
May 8-10, 2017	Offered an intensive course on “Mamluk Architecture” to six PhD candidates in international universities in conjunction with the 4th conference of the School of Mamluk Studies, organized by University of Chicago in Beirut, 11-13 May 2017
Apr 7-9 2016	Participant, the 5 th International Forum of the LafargeHolcim Foundation, Detroit, USA, 7-9 April 2016
Nov 20, 2015	Participant, National Consultation Meeting on Sustainable Cities, organized by the Issam Fares Institute for Public Policy and International Affairs and the Friedrich Ebert Stiftung, and held at the American University of Beirut
Oct 28 2015	Moderator, Panel on “Lessons Learned: Looking Towards the Future,” <i>Celebrating Cultural Landscapes Conference: Reflections on the Aga Khan Award for Architecture</i> , American University of Beirut and Lebanese American University, 27-28 October 2015
Dec 17, 2014	Chair, Panel on “Traditions of Dwelling,” 2014 IASTE conference held at the University of Kuala Lumpur, in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
Feb 11 2010	Participant, Panel on “Emerging Art Histories,” chaired by Michael Ann Holly and Marc Gotlieb, the CAA Annual Conference, Chicago, Feb 11-13, 2010
June 23-27 2009	Participant, Community Engagement Workshop, Civic and Community Engagement Center, American University of Beirut
May 29 2009	Guest juror, Final Year Projects, Landscape Design and Ecological Management Program, American University of Beirut
May 9 2009	Trainer, Post-War Reconstruction, "The Civilian Personnel of Peacekeeping and Peace-building Operations - MENA Region" Program, The Lebanese Center for Policy Studies – LCPS, Beirut
May 4 2009	Guest Juror, Second Year Design Studio directed by Karim Najjar and Bernard Mallat, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
Dec 2008	Chair, session entitled “Neoliberalism and the City in the Middle East,” the IASTE 2008 conference held at Oxford, England, December 12-15, 2008
Nov 2008	Juror, Final Year Projects, Directed by Jala Makhzoumi, Hana Alamuddine and Rabih Shibli, Landscape Design and Ecological Management Program, AUB, Nov 15, 2008
Oct 2008	Discussant, session entitled “Spatializing Muslim Piety,” City Debates 2008 “Spaces of Faith and Fun,” Department of Architecture and Design, AUB, October 27-28, 2008
Aug 2008	Participant, Community Based Learning workshop organized by the Center for Civic Engagement & Community Service, American University of Beirut, 21-27 August 2008
June 2008	Juror, Final Year Projects, Directed by Julie Weltzien and Maha Issa, Landscape Design and Ecological Management Program, American University of Beirut, June 13, 2008

- May 26 2008 Juror, Final Review Jury, Vertical Studio C "Wonderland," Directed by Hana Alamuddine and Joy Kanaan, Department of Architecture and Design, AUB
- Fall 2007 Organizer, Lecture by Professor Nezar Al-Sayyad, University of California at Berkeley, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut, 14 Dec 2007
- May 19 2007 Organizer, community meeting, Bint Jbeil, Bint Jbeil task team, Reconstruction Unit, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
- Organizer, exhibition of students works from the Bint Jbeil studio entitled: [Re]Construction in the South: Place, Memory and Identity and conducted with Habib Debs during the Fall 2006-07
- Nov 3 2006 Organizer, lecture by Professor Oleg Grabar, Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton University, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
- Summer 2006 External examiner, PhD dissertation defense, Department of Architecture, Beirut Arab University, Beirut, Lebanon
- Spring 2006 Member, Examining Committee, comprehensive exams, Center for Contemporary Arab Studies, Georgetown University
- Apr 9 2005 Invited participant, roundtable discussion on "The Ma'zaq of Arab Feminist Thought," organized by the Anis Makdisi Program in Literature, American University of Beirut
- May 2004 Discussant, City Debates Seminar entitled "Whose Beirut?" organized by the Urban Planning and Urban Design graduate program, American University of Beirut
- April 6 2004 Invited participant, roundtable discussion on "Architectural Education in Lebanon," organized by the Order of Engineers, Beirut, Lebanon
- Jan 21 2004 Invited juror, fifth year students' projects, Department of Architecture and Planning, Beirut Arab University (Fall 2003-04)
- Dec 25-28 2002 Organizer, field trip to Aleppo for students in the Department of Architecture and Design in conjunction with the History of Post-Medieval Art and Architecture course
- Dec 15-16 2002 Chair, session of the "Globalization, Culture and Power," International Symposium, organized by the Anis Makdisi Program in Literature, Faculty of Arts and Science, American University of Beirut
- June 1 2002 Head juror, Annual Art Competition, Rawdah High School, Beirut, Lebanon
- Mar 14 2002 Organizer, lecture by Dr. Saleh Al-Hathloul (MIT), Minister of Urban and Rural Affairs in Saudi Arabia, at the Department of Architecture and Design, AUB
- Dec 17-21 2001 Organizer, field trip to Istanbul, Turkey for students in the Department of Architecture and Design in conjunction with the History of Post-Medieval Art and Architecture course (Fall 2001)
- Dec 2001-Mar 02 Advisor, team of 4th year students, the Tyre design competition, Municipality of Tyre, submitted on March 15th, 2002. Entry won a competition prize on June 13, 2002
- Apr 12 2001 Organizer, public lecture and exhibition for Jorge Silvetti, Chairman of the Department of Architecture at Harvard University, held at Issam Fares Hall, AUB

Spring 2001	Organizer, parallel urban design studio entitled Tripoli 2020, between the Department of Architecture and Design at AUB and the Graduate School of Design at Harvard University
Nov 22-25 1999	Organizer, field trip to Aleppo for students in the Department of Architecture and Design in conjunction with the History of Post-Medieval Art and Architecture course
Nov 8-11 1999	Participant, the Jerusalem Today Conference, Order of Engineers, Beirut, Lebanon. Presented Prof. Grabar's paper on "The Urban Meaning of the Dome of the Rock"
July 1 1999	Chair/discussant, panel entitled "Writing History: Worldly Narratives and Local Specificities," in the conference on "Building City and Nation," held at the American University of Beirut, July 1-3, 1999
June 10 1999	Discussant, panel entitled "Strategies for the Conservation and Rehabilitation of Urban and Architectural Heritage in Aleppo -a Model for Beirut?" held at the Orient Institute, Beirut
Apr 26-May 1 1999	Chair, panel entitled "Society, Trade and their Physical Manifestations in Aleppo," in the conference on "Arab Provincial Capitals in the Late Ottoman Empire," held at the Orient Institute, Beirut, Lebanon
Apr 5-10 1999	Organizer, field trip to Cairo for students in the Department of Architecture and Design in conjunction with the History of Medieval Art and Architecture course
Mar 31-Apr 8 1998	Organizer, exhibition entitled "Paintings: The War Years" by Mona Basili Sehnaoui, Exhibition Hall, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
Dec 12-22 1997	Organizer, exhibition entitled "Rasem Badran: Architectural Works," Exhibition Hall, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
Mar 28 1997	Organizer, field trip to Damascus for students in the Department of Architecture and Design in conjunction with the History of Medieval Art and Architecture course
Apr 20 1996	Prepared and presented to the Dean of the Faculty of Arts and Sciences at the American University of Beirut a proposal for the Fine Arts Department including concept, curriculum and course descriptions
Mar 1996	Designer, traveling exhibition on Islamic Art and Architecture with L'Agenda Culturel for exhibition in schools of the greater Beirut area
Dec 2 1995	Organizer, field trip to Damascus, students in CS224: Art and Architecture of the Middle East I: 650-1250 (Fall 1995), Civilization Sequence Program, AUB
Jan 1987	Assistant coordinator, seminar entitled "Western Models in Architectural Development in the Muslim World," Department of Architecture, MIT

HONORS AND AWARDS

Dec 7 2023	Keynote speaker, "Framing Modern Urban Heritage in the aftermath of the Beirut Port Blast of 2020" in the international conference <i>From urban research to planning and design: strengthening cooperation between academia and practice</i> , organized by the Knowledge Alliance for Evidence-Based Urban Practices (KAEBUP) project in conjunction with the 3 rd Regional Conference of the Cyprus Network of Urban Morphology (CyNUM), on 6 th -9 th December 2023 in Nicosia, Cyprus.
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- Sept 2021 Keynote speaker, "Towards a People-Centered Recovery of Post-blast Karantina in Beirut, Lebanon" in the ENHR 2021 conference on Unsettled Settlements: Housing in the Unstable Contexts, organized by University of Cyprus and the European Network of Housing Research, 30 Aug- 3 Sept 2021
- Sept 2019 Winner of the Dream Course Competition with Dr. Carmen Geha from the Faculty of Art and Science, American University of Beirut
- Mar 10, 2019 Keynote Speaker, The Future of Architectural Education in the Middle East Conference, Dar Al-Hekma University, Jeddah, Saudi Arabia
- May 2018 Received the Teaching Excellence Award at the American University of Beirut
- Dec 2017 Nominated for the Teaching Excellence Award at the American University of Beirut
- May 8 2017 Received the Makkah Award for Excellence, the Governorate of the Makkah Region, Saudi Arabia, May 8, 2017
- Dec 2016 Nominated for the Teaching Excellence Award at the American University of Beirut
- Jan 21 2016 Keynote Speaker, Housed by Choice, Housed by Force Conference, University of Cyprus, Cyprus, 21-22 January 2016
- May 2016 Shortlisted and interviewed for the Aga Khan Professorship at the Graduate School of Design, Harvard University
- 2103 Featured in the documentary *Arab Women in Architecture* among 19 women architects from the Arab World produced by Omrania / CSBE Award Program, Jordan.
- Oct 19 2010 Keynote Speaker, the XXX Meeting of the Brazilian Committee for the History of Art, the National Museum of Fine Arts, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
- June 2007 Keynote Speaker, IAPL 2007 Conference: LAYERING (textual / visual / spatial / temporal), held at the University of Cyprus, Nicosia, Cyprus
- 2005-06 Visiting Scholar, Center for Contemporary Arab Studies, Georgetown University, Washington DC, USA
- Visiting Scholar, Center for Middle Eastern Studies, UC Berkeley (deferred) due to accepting the position at Georgetown University)
- Apr 10 2006 Keynote Speaker, Muslim Women in the Arts, Montgomery County Museum, Maryland, USA
- Dec 14 2004 Keynote Speaker, IASTE 2004 Conference: Post Traditional Environments in a Post Global World, Organized by the University of California, Berkeley
- 2003-04 Research Fellow, School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS), University of London (deferred due to appointment as Department Chair)
- 2002-03 Nominated for the Teaching Excellence Award at the American University of Beirut
- 2001 Shortlisted and interviewed for the Aga Khan Professorship at the Department of Architecture, MIT
- Summer 1999 Aga Khan Visiting Scholar, Fine Arts Department, The Sackler Museum, Harvard University

May 1987	Most Outstanding Student in the Master of Science in Architecture Studies Degree Award, School of Architecture, MIT
1980-91	Honor List, Saudi students in the USA on scholarship, the Saudi Arabian Educational Mission

RESEARCH

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

Sept 2023- June 2024	PI, University Research Board, Faculty Research Grant, American University of Beirut
Jan 2023 --	Co-PI, Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC) UK grant in support the five-year collaborative research project with the Institute for Global Prosperity (IGP) at UCL, AUB, and the Centre for Lebanese Studies entitled RELIEF II (Refugees, Education, Learning, Information Technology, and Entrepreneurship for the Future)
Nov 2021- May 2022	PI, AUB MEPI-TLS Collaborative Research Grant in support of the project entitled "The Socio-Spatial Narratives of Women in Karantina."
Sept – Dec 2021	PI, Follow-On Funding award from the Imaging Futures project, University of Exeter in support of the "Community's Digital Archives: Imagining the Recovery of Karantina"
July 2021-June 2024	PI, Maroun Semaan Research Center Startup Grant, Maroun Semaan Faculty of Engineering and Architecture, American University of Beirut
Nov 2020-Mar 2024	Co-PI, International Development Research Center (IDRC) grant in support of the three-year collaborative research project by the Beirut Urban Lab at the American University of Beirut entitled "A Framework for an Inclusive and Just Urban Recovery for Post-Blast Beirut"
Apr 2020-Mar 2024	Co-PI, UKRI GCRF Network Plus grant from the Arts and Humanities Research Council in support of the four-year collaborative research project with University of Exeter entitled "Imagining Futures through Un/Archived Pasts"
Dec 2019--	Member of the Advisory Board and Collaborator, ERC grant for a 5-year project on 'Sonorous Cities: Towards a Sonic Urbanism', led by University of Oxford.
Sept 2019-June 2021	PI, British Academy grant in support of a twenty-one-month collaborative project with UCL entitled "Developing Infrastructural Solutions for Lebanon's Challenges of Mass Displacement"
July 2019-Dec 2020	PI, Nahrein Network Large Grant funded by the Arts and Humanities Research Council (AHRC), UK in support of the project "Rural Heritage Recovery and Post Conflict Development: The case of Erbil's Rural Heritage"
Sept 2019-Feb 2020	PI, Barakat Major Award grant, funded by the Barakat Trust, UK in support of the project ""Post-Conflict Urban Recovery of Historic Cities: Capacity Building Workshop for Aleppo"
Sept 2019-Aug 2020	PI, University Research Board, Faculty Research Grant, American University of Beirut
Sept 2018-Aug 2020	Co-PI, a two-year grant from the Ford Foundation in support of the establishment of "An Urban Lab and More," at the Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut

July 2018 – June 2019	PI, British Academy grant in support of a one-year collaborative research project with University College London on “Public Services and Vulnerability in the Lebanese Context of Large-Scale Displacement”
Jan 2018 –June 2022	Co-PI, Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC) UK grant in support the five-year collaborative research project with the Institute for Global Prosperity (IGP) at University College London (UCL), AUB, and the Centre for Lebanese Studies entitled RELIEF (Refugees, Education, Learning, Information Technology, and Entrepreneurship for the Future)
Jan 2014-June 2015	Research sub grant for the Digital Reconstruction of the Byblos Theatre funded by an EU, ENPI CBCMED. International Augmented Med (I AM) grant awarded to Profs.: PI: Daniel Asmar, Co-PI: Imad H. Elhajj, George Turkiyyah, John Pedro Schwartz
Aug 2012- Apr 2014	Grant, PI, the City Development Strategy for Saida funded by ENPI-CBC-MED, the Spanish Agency for International Cooperation and Development (AECID), and Diputació de Barcelona, the Municipality of Barcelona
2008-09	PI, University Research Board, Faculty Research Grant, American University of Beirut
2002-03	PI, University Research Board, Faculty Research Grant, American University of Beirut
2000-02	PI, University Research Board, Faculty Research Grant, American University of Beirut
1999-2000	PI, University Research Board, Faculty Research Grant, American University of Beirut
Summer 1997	The Mellon Summer Research Fellowship, Center for Behavioral Research, American University of Beirut
Apr-Sept 1996	The Binladin Post-Doctoral Fellowship, Graduate School of Design, Harvard University
1991-92	The Mellon Foundation Fellowship for completion of doctoral dissertation at the Fine Arts Department, Harvard University
1990-1991	The Kress Pre-Doctoral Fellowship in Egyptian Art and Architecture, through the American Research Center in Egypt
Jan 1990	Travel grant, the Arthur Urbane Dilley and Theron Johnson Damon Fund, the Fogg Museum, Harvard University
Spring 1987	Travel grant to Istanbul as a Teaching Assistant at the Design for Islamic Societies’ Unit, Department of Architecture, MIT
Summer 1986	Travel grant from the Aga Khan Program at MIT to conduct research on both the traditional and the colonial city of Fez, Morocco
Jan-Dec 1986	Grunsfeld research grant for yearlong research on “Urban Structure, Form and Morphology of Traditional Islamic Cities,” Department of Architecture, MIT
Fall 1979-Spring 85	Full scholarship, Saudi Arabian Educational Mission to the USA to study architecture

LECTURES AND PAPERS

Dec 7 2023	“Framing Modern Urban Heritage in the aftermath of the Beirut Port Blast of 2020” in the international conference entitled <i>From urban research to planning and design: strengthening cooperation between academia and practice</i> , hosted by the University of Cyprus on 6 th -9 th December 2023 in Nicosia, Cyprus
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- Nov 7 2023 "The Participatory Approach to Post-Disaster Urban Recovery," part of the lecture series *Global Insights and Local Realities - Lessons from International Perspectives on Integrated Urban Development of Ukraine*, organized by BTU, TU Berlin, THLübeck, TU Kaiserslautern, and Ukrainian universities
- Feb 22 2023 "City as Archive" in a conference entitled *Strategic use of Archives in contexts of Displacement and Post-Conflict* held at the British Institute at Ankara, Turkey, 21-23 February 2023
- Dec 8 2022 "Counter Narratives and the Writing of Urban History in Post-Disaster Contexts," in the panel entitled *Shared Histories of Architectural History and Practice of the Mediterranean*, Society of Architectural Historians, USA, 8 December 2022
- Oct 27 2022 "An Urban Recovery Strategy for Post-Blast Karantina," public presentation by the Beirut urban Lab, American University of Beirut, 27 October 2022
- Sept 21, 2022 "Neighborhood Scale Urban Recovery: Case of Karantina," Discovery Day organized by the RELIEF Project, the Institute of Global Prosperity, UCL at the American University of Beirut, Sept 21-22, 2022
- Oct 27, 2022 "The Urban Recovery Strategy for Post-Blast Karantina," Beirut Urban Lab, Department of Architecture and Design at the American University of Beirut
- Apr 5, 2022 "The Silos: Sustaining Living Memory and the Process of Urban Recovery for Post-blast Beirut," Order of Engineers and Architects, Beirut, Lebanon
- Mar 31 2022 "Towards a People-Centered Recovery of Post-blast Beirut," in the online series *Workshop 4 of Neoliberal Heritagescapes: Culture and Urbanism in Post-Conflict Cities*, organized by Stanford Global Studies, Stanford University
- Mar 19 2022 "Towards a People-Centered Heritage-Led Urban Recovery" in the City Debates 2022 conference on the theme of *In-Crises Planning / Planning in Crises* at AUB
- Mar 16 2022 "The Economic Vitality of Karantina," in the online annual conference of the RELIEF project entitled *Vital Prosperity*, organized by the Institute of Global Prosperity at University College London, UK
- Mar 8 2022 "Community's Digital Archiving: Imagining the Recovery of Karantina," with Leyla El-Sayed Hussein in the online IF Dialogues series, organized and hosted online by University of Exeter, UK
- Nov 29 2021 "A Framework for an Inclusive People-Centered Recovery of Post-blast Karantina: A Case from Beirut, Lebanon," in *Host Communities and Urban Issues-Inclusive Cities: Challenges or Opportunities* conference Organized by the Intercultural Cities Program Helinä Rautavaara Museum, Finland
- Nov 18 2021 "Urban Recovery and the Engagement of the Beirut Urban Lab with the City of Beirut," AKAA Seminar series organized by the Bengal Institute.
- Sept 1 2021 "Towards a People-Centered Recovery of Post-blast Karantina in Beirut, Lebanon" keynote lecture in the ENHR 2021 conference on *Unsettled Settlements: Housing in the Unstable Contexts*, organized by University of Cyprus and the European Network of Housing Research, 30 Aug- 3 Sept 2021

- June 3 2021 “Critical Reflections on Community Engagement in the Urban Recovery Project of Karantina, Lebanon” in the *Rehabilitation and Reconstruction of Historic Districts and Preservation of Architectural Heritage after Armed Conflicts* Seminar organized by the BTU Cottbus, TU Berlin and AUB cooperation on post-conflict reconstruction of Syrian historic cities, 1-3 June 2021
- Mar 17, 2021 “Linking People to Place” in the *Urban Thinkers Campus* of UN-Habitat dedicated to Beirut post-blast reconstruction: Climate heritage planning to Build back better, organized by ICOMOS, FNAU-MTPA, AUB Urban Lab and IFPO
- Mar 11, 2021 “Cultural Heritage Recovery: The Case of Beirut, Lebanon” in the webinar entitled Holistic, Sustainable and Resilient Recovery of Cultural Heritage following Disasters and Conflicts organized by ICCROM, March 11, 2021
- Mar 10 2021 “Spatial Tactics of the Revolution in the aftermath of Reconstruction. Beirut” in the webinar entitled The Aftermath of Reconstruction: From Beirut to Coventry organized by Arab Urbanism and ARUP, March 10, 2021
- Dec 21 2020 “Working towards a People-centered Heritage-led Recovery: The Case of Post-blast Karantina, Lebanon,” in the webinar entitled Cultural Heritage and People- Building Resilience in the Superimposed Trauma organized by Arab Regional Center for World Heritage and UNESCO, December 21, 2020
- Dec 9 2020 “Post-war Recovery of Jerusalem under the Ayyubids and the Mamluks,” the Jerusalem Conference, organized by the Organization of Arab Architects and held at the Order of Engineers and Architects in Beirut, Lebanon 6-10 December 2020
- Nov 17 2020 “Re-conceptualizing Urban Recovery,” Capacity Building Workshop, Sulaymaniya University, Erbil
- Oct 6 2020 “Research Challenges upon Covid-19, Financial Crises and the Port Explosion” Discovery Day of the RELIEF Research Project, Beirut, Lebanon
- June 11 2020 ‘Imagining Futures through Un/Archived Pasts’: Emerging Lessons from a Global Cross-disciplinary Collaboration in *Art in Peace and Reconciliation: A Transnational Perspective* inaugural conference, ACU and Stellenbosch University, 9 - 12 June 2020
- Feb 24 2020 “Imagining Futures through Un/Archived Pasts” with Elena Isayev in *Heritage for Global Challenges, PRAXIS: Art and Humanities for Global Development* conference, 24-26 February 2020
- Apr 2 2019 “Learning to be a City: Emerging Practices for Housing the Displaced,” with C. Boano and Ja Dabaj, City Debates 2019 “Urban Recovery at the Intersection between Displacement and Reconstruction,” American University of Beirut, April 1-3, 2019.
- Mar 10 2019 “Architecture: The Shifting Boundaries of the Discipline,” Keynote lecture, conference on *The Future of Architectural Education in the Middle East*, organized by Dar Al-Hekma University, Jeddah, Saudi Arabia, March 10-11, 2019
- Feb 5 2019 “History, Memory and Politics in Post-war Recovery,” the 7th Global Migration Conversation, a 2-day workshop co-organized by ACSS, the RELIEF Project at UCL, Arts and Humanities Council, Migration Leadership Team, LIDC, and ESRC.
- Feb 1 2019 “Refugees Hosting Other Refugees in Al-Ouzai, Lebanon: Endurance and Maintenance of Care at Work” with C. Boano, and B. Yassine in the symposium *Infrastructures of Care: Spaces of Displacement and Refuge* the Bartlett School of Architecture, London, February 1 2019

- Jan 21 2019 "Refugees and Public Services in Lebanon" in *Cities and Infrastructure: Emerging Impact*, Award Holder Seminar, British Academy, London, UK, January 21 2019
- Dec 1 2018 "Re-Constructing the Historic Neighborhood in Bint Jbeil after the 2006 Wa," paper presented at the conference *Reconstructing Neighborhoods of War*, organized by the Orient Institute, Beirut, Lebanon, November 29-December 1, 2018
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- May 12 2017 "Connecting the Dots: Tracing Beirut's Mamluk Urban Layer," 4th conference, School of Mamluk Studies, organized by University of Chicago in Beirut, 11-13 May 2017
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- Oct 12 2016 "City Development Strategy for Saida," Planning in Practice Lecture Series, Department of Architecture and Design, American University of Beirut
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- July 22 2015 "Digital Reconstruction of the Roman Theatre in Byblos, Lebanon" Workshop on *Augmented Virtual Reality for Archeology and Tourism*, American University of Beirut
- Dec 7 2012 "The Consumption of Heritage in the Post-war Reconstruction Project of Downtown Beirut", in the conference of *City Crossings: Claiming the Past, Making the Present in Beirut, Cairo and Istanbul*, 7-8 December 2012, Sabanci University, Istanbul, Turkey
- Sept 26 2012 "The Contested Heritage of Living Medieval Cities," in the Joint Urban Design Workshop Cairo 2012, German Middle East Cooperation for Urban Design and Development, Cairo University, Cairo, Egypt, 17-27 Sept 2012
- July 30 2012 "A Note on the Arab Revolution," Spaces of Resistance, *Seminar in Experimental Critical Theory*, SECT VIII, organized jointly by UCLA and AUB and hosted by the Department of Architecture and Design at AUB, July 30 – August 8, 2012
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- Nov 25 2011 "Production of Urban Space in Mamluk Cities," conference on *Historic and Architectural Heritage of Hebron*, Institut du Monde Arabe, Paris, 25-26 Nov 2011
- Sept 8 2011 "From Ideal City to Heritage Site," Design Activism and Social Change Conference, Design History Foundation, Barcelona, Spain, 7-10 September 2011
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- Apr 9 2010 "Reclaiming the Past and Post-War Reconstruction in Southern Lebanon," International conference on *Archeology in Conflict*, Vienna, Austria 6-10 April 2010
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- Feb 10 2010 "The Practice of Art History," Conference of the National Committee for the History of Art, Chicago, USA
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- Dec 15 2008 "The Politics of Identity Construction in Post-War Reconstruction," IASTE 2008 conference entitled *Interrogating Tradition*, Oxford, England, Dec 12-15, 2008

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- Dec 7 2007 "Architecture and Identity Construction in the Arab World," in seminar by Prof. Tarif Khalidi, Center for Arab and Middle Eastern Studies, American University of Beirut
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- June 4-9 2007 "Deconstructing the layers of urban heritage: identity, memory and ownership," IAPL 2007 conference: *LAYERING (textual / visual / spatial / temporal)*, held at the University of Cyprus, Nicosia, Cyprus
- Oct 27 2006 "Politics of Heritage Conservation, Reconstruction and Consumption," MEST301: course by Professor Tarif Khalidi, Center for Arab and Middle Eastern Studies, AUB
- Apr 25 2006 "Negotiating the Built Heritage," Center for Contemporary Arab Studies, Georgetown University, Washington DC
- Apr 10 2006 "Decorative Traditions in Islamic Architecture: Origins and Shifts," Muslim Women in the Arts Organization, Maryland, USA
- Feb 23 2006 "Invisible Boundaries, Visible Presence: Persian Cultural Influence on Medieval Cairo," 2006 CAA (College Art Association) Conference, held in Boston, February 23-25, 2006
- Nov 14 2005 "The Politics of the Reconstruction Project in Downtown Beirut," hosted by Professor Hudson, Georgetown University
- June 8 2005 "AUB's Department of Architecture: Forces of Change and Challenges for the Future," New York Office, American University of Beirut, New York, USA
- May 6 2005 "Writings on the Wall: Mamluk Architecture of Tripoli," International Conference entitled "Towards a Cultural History of Bilad al-Sham in the Mamluk Era," organized by the Orient Institute and Balamand University, Beirut and Tripoli, May 4-7, 2005
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- Dec 14 2004 "World Heritage: A Redefinition," Plenary Session at the IASTE 2004 Conference, organized by the Center for Middle Eastern Studies at UC Berkeley and held at the American University of Sharjah, December 14-18, 2004
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- Sept 18 2004 "The Issue of Cultural Heritage in the World Today," Forum on Adaptive Reuse of Historical Monuments in Old Saida, organized by the Municipality of Saida
- Sept 6-7 2004 "Historic Cities and the Concept of World Heritage," Union of International Architects (UIA) 2004 Conference, held at the Order of Engineers and Architects, Beirut.
- Aug 29 2004 "Rehabilitation of Historic Cities: Approaches and Challenges," Workshop on the Historic City of Tyre, organized by the Municipality of Tyre, Tyre, Lebanon
- Feb 18 2004 "The Shrine of Ibn Arraq in Beirut," Department of Architecture, Cairo University

- Mar 27 2003 "Restoring the Monument, Rewriting the City: Post-War Reconstruction in Downtown Beirut," the Anis Makdisi Program in Literature, American University of Beirut
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- April 7 2001 "The Role of Women in the Making of Architecture in the Muslim World," The National Museum, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia
- Oct 12-15 2000 "Manufacturing Architectural Identity: Rasem Badran's Work in Riyadh Saudi Arabia," Seventh IASTE Conference, held in Trani, Italy
- Nov 22 1999 "Patterns of Urbanization in the Middle East," core seminar at the Center for Arabic and Middle Eastern Studies, American University of Beirut
- July 23-26 1999 "The Appropriation of Symbolic Space: The Case of Bayn al-Qasrayn," Sixth ISUF (International Seminar on Urban Form) Meeting, held in Florence, Italy
- Dec 3-6 1998 "The Representation of Architecture in Persian Miniature Paintings," MESA Conference, held in Chicago, Illinois
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- Dec 8 1997 "The Ottoman Kulliye: An Imperial Ideology," lecture course entitled City, Art and Architecture in the Post-Medieval Period, given by Prof. Jamal Abed at the American University of Beirut
- Apr 1-4 1997 "Mamluk Architecture in Damascus," ARAM Conference, held at the American University of Beirut, Beirut, Lebanon
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- Apr 11 1996 "Architecture as a Source for the Study of Women," Sources for the Study of Women in Medieval Islam Conference, held at Georgetown University
- June 9 1995 "The Legal Rights of Women as Patrons of Architecture during the Mamluk Period," Legal Illiteracy Conference, held at the Orient Institute, Beirut, Lebanon

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- Nov 12 1992 "The Urban Character of Mamluk Cairo: The Notion of the Urban Façade," American Research Center in Egypt lecture series, NY
- Oct 29 1992 "The Complex of Sultan Hasan in Cairo: Reading between the Lines," MESA Conference, held in Portland, Oregon
- June 18 1992 "The Evolution of the Hypostyle Mosque," in conjunction with an art exhibition entitled Images of Paradise in the Architecture of the Muslim World, Springfield Museum, Springfield, MA
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