

# *Curriculum Vitae*

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### **(a) Professional Preparation**

- Professor of computers and systems since Nov., 2016.
- Associate professor of computers and system, March., 2011.
- Ph.D. in Information Technology, Faculty of Computers and Information, Cairo university, 2005, entitled, "Developing 3D Model from Interferometric SAR Images".
- Master's degree in electronic and communication Engineering, Faculty of Engineering, Cairo University, 2000. "Artificial Neural Network Techniques for Detecting Change in satellite Images".
- B.Sc. Degree in Electronic and Communication Engineering, Zagazig University, 1991.

### **(b) Appointments**

- ❖ Head of Data Reception analysis and Receiving Station Affairs Division (2020-current).
- ❖ Head of Space Sciences and strategic studies Division (2010-2020)
- ❖ Head of Digital Image Processing Department, NARSS, (2005-2010)
- ❖ Invited professor, Department of Computer Science, Faculty of Computers and Informatics, Suez Canal University, Ismailia, Egypt, 2005 to 2012.
- ❖ Invited professor, Faculty of Information Technology, Misr University for Science and Technology (must), Cairo, Egypt, 2009 to 2011.
- ❖ Invited professor, Department of computers, Faculty of Engineering, Suez Canal University, and Ismailia, Egypt, 2005-2010.
- ❖ A regular reviewer for applying soft computing journal.
- ❖ Associate editor of Egyptian Journal of Remote Sensing and space sciences.

### (c) Publications

1. Mohamed AboElenean, Ashraf Helmy, Fawzy ElTohamy, and Ahmed Azouz "Land cover analysis of PolSAR images using probabilistic voting ensemble and integrated support vector machine," *Journal of Applied Remote Sensing* 17(4), 044505 (20 October 2023). <https://doi.org/10.1117/1.JRS.17.044505>
2. ELBohy, A. Azouz, A. S. Mashaly and A. K. Helmy, "Evaluating the Effect of Stage Removal on the Performance of Phase Gradient Autofocus (PGA) Algorithm," *2023 International Telecommunications Conference (ITC-Egypt)*, Alexandria, Egypt, 2023, pp. 754-760, doi: 10.1109/ITC-Egypt58155.2023.10206094.
3. Rewhel, Ekram M, a.k.helmy., et al. "Deep Learning Methods Used in Remote Sensing Images: A Review." *Journal of Environmental & Earth Sciences* 5.1 (2023): 33-64.
4. M. A. Elenean, A. T. Hafez, A. K. Helmy, F. ElTohamy and A. Azouz, "Unsupervised Multi-level Segmentation Framework for PolSAR Data using H-Alpha features and the Combined Edge- Region based segmentation," *2023 IEEE Aerospace Conference*, Big Sky, MT, USA, 2023, pp. 1-8, doi: 10.1109/AERO55745.2023.10115863.
5. Sayed A. Mohamed, Amira S. Mahmoud, Marwa S. Moustafa, Ashraf K. Helmy and Ayman H. Nasr, "Building Footprint Extraction in Dense Area from LiDAR Data using Mask R-CNN" *International Journal of Advanced Computer Science and Applications (IJACSA)*, 13(6), 2022. <http://dx.doi.org/10.14569/IJACSA.2022.0130643>
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8. Sayed, A., El-Sherbeny, A. S., Nasr, A. H., & Helmy, A. K.. (2017). A new image super-resolution restoration algorithm. *International Journal of Computer Application*, 173(10), 5-12.
9. Moustafa, M.S., Ebied, H.M., Helmy, A.K., Nazamy, T.M., Tolba, M.F., Acceleration of super-resolution for multispectral images using self-example learning and sparse representation (2017) *Computers and Electrical Engineering*, 62, pp. 249-265. DOI: 10.1016/j.compeleceng.2017.02.012

10. Moustafa, M., Ebied, H.M., Helmy, A.K., Nazamy, T.M., Tolba, M.F. Parallel implementation of super-resolution-based neighbor embedding using GPU, (2017) Advances in Intelligent Systems and Computing, 533, pp. 628-638. DOI: 10.1007/978-3-319-48308-5\_60
11. Moustafa, M., Ebied, H.M., Helmy, A.k., Nazamy, T.M., Tolba, M.F., Rapid real-time generation of super-resolution hyperspectral images through compressive sensing and GPU, (2016) International Journal of Remote Sensing, 37 (18), pp. 4201-4224. DOI: 10.1080/01431161.2016.1209314
12. Helmy, A.K., El-Tawel, G.S., Image segmentation scheme based on SOM-PCNN in frequency domain, (2016) Applied Soft Computing Journal, 40, pp. 405-415. DOI: 10.1016/j.asoc.2015.11.042
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15. Helmy, A.K., El-Tawel, G.S. An integrated scheme to improve pan-sharpening visual quality of satellite images, (2015) Egyptian Informatics Journal, 16 (1), pp. 121-131. DOI: 10.1016/j.eij.2015.02.003
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17. El-Tawel, G.S., Helmy, A.K. An edge detection scheme based on least squares support vector machine in a contourlet HMT domain (2015) Applied Soft Computing Journal, 26, pp. 418-427. DOI: 10.1016/j.asoc.2014.10.025
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20. S.A. Mohamed , A.K. Helmy, M.A. Fkirin and S.M. Badway ,“Proposed Method to Measure Sub Pixel Shift in Egyptsat-1 Aliased Images”, International Journal of Computer Applications (0975 – 8887) Volume 95– No. 10, June 2014.

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#### **(d) Synergistic Activities**

- AI, ML and Deep learning development in object Detection and tracking for different scopes including, car detection, Shoreline designation from Satellite Images, Oil spill detection from Satellite Images, crop monitoring from satellite images ...
- Neural Network (NN) development and modeling in change detection and Classifying Remotely Sensed Data.
- Invited professor, Faculty of Information Technology, Misr University for Science and Technology (must), Cairo, Egypt, 2009 to 2011.
- Invited professor, Department of computers, Faculty of Engineering, Suez Canal University, and Ismailia, Egypt, 2005-2010.
- Measuring Land Subsidence from Radar Interferometric Data.
- Development of Digital Elevation Model from RADAR IMAGAING (Stereoscopic and Interferometric SAR Imaging)
- Developing a 3-D model using LIDAR Data.
- EGYPTSAT-1 Satellite on Orbit Modulation Transfer Function (MTF) Measurement.
- European Commission Joint Research Project for Monitoring and Modeling of Coastal Lagoons: Making Management Tools for Aquatic Resources in North Africa (MELMARINA).
- Modeling and Mapping of Shoreline Sensitivity for Tourism Development Using Satellite Data “Marsa-Alam Baranies Area, Red Sea Coast”
- Dune Fields of the Western Desert of Egypt, Using Landsat TM data, Arab League Education, Culture and Science Organization (ALECSO).
- Regional Earth Observation Application for Mediterranean Sea Emergency Surveillance (RAMSES) Project, in Co-operation with ESA/ESRIN (I), SPOT image (F), Eurimage (I), MS & I (F), ACS (I), ICOD (M) and others.
- UNDP-UNESCO Joint Project for the Capacity Building of the Egyptian Geological Survey & Mining Authority and the National Authority for Remote Sensing and Space Sciences (NARSS) for the Sustainable Development of the South Valley and Sinai using.