

CURRICULUM VITAE

1. **Family name:** Farid
2. **First name:** Ahmed
3. **Middle Name:** Bahaa
4. **Known as:** Ahmed Bahaa
5. **Nationality:** Egyptian
6. **Civil status:** Married
7. **Education:**

Institution [Date from - Date to]	Degree(s) or Diploma(s) obtained:
Helwan University 2004 – 2009	PhD. Computer Science, and Information Systems Helwan University in Cairo PhD Thesis: A Framework for Utilizing XML Related Technologies for Building a New Web Warehousing Architecture.
Helwan University 1999-2001	M. Sc. Computer Science and Information Systems Helwan University in Cairo Master Thesis : The Effect of Using Data Warehouse Technology on Business Firms.
Sadat Academy for Sciences-Cairo, 1993- 1997	B.Sc. Information Systems and Computers Sadat Academy (excellent) with the First Honorary Degree Rank: The First on the scale of all departments. June 1997

8. **Language skills:** Indicate competence on a scale of 1 to 5 (1 - excellent; 5 - basic)

Language	Reading	Speaking	Writing
Arabic	1	1	1
English International TOEFL (230 = 603)	2	2	2
French	5	5	5

9. Qualifications Highlights

- 1-The one and only Arab in history to win the Golden Global Impact Award (Microsoft)
- 2- The one and only African Microsoft Regional Director (honorary world-class title) and MVP.
- 3- The only Arab worldwide who holds the Regional Director and active MVP award winner (Microsoft Most Valuable Professional) till now.
- 4- The only Arab worldwide who won 19 MVP awards in two competencies (it is said that MVP is the Oscar of Microsoft).
- 5- A prominent Microsoft world class expert who contributed as expert and speaker in conferences that have been keynoted by Bill Gates, Steve Ballmer (Former CEO of Microsoft), Satya Nadella (current CEO of Microsoft), and many other Corporate VPs of Microsoft around the world. This has taken place in Berlin, Barcelona, Dubai, Seattle, Paris Riyadh, and Cairo.
- 6-Leader of the technical team that built the Decision Support Dashboard part of Egypt's MCIT Hard Data Indicators project. This project was the World's First Prize Winner of the UN award for Public Service Administration (UNPSA) spring 2013.
- 7-Leader of the technical team that built the Data Warehousing part of Egypt's MCIT Hard Data Indicators project. This project was the World's First Prize Winner of the International Telecommunication Union October 2014.
- 8- A member of the Microsoft Customer Advisory Committee(One of the top 10 Microsoft Expert in Load Testing 2013).

Awards and Prizes

a. International Awards (13 Awards)

Twelve MVP Awards (one and only African and Arab along history)

- Microsoft Most Valuable Professional Award 2007 (Software Engineering Tools)
- Microsoft Most Valuable Professional Award 2008 (Software Engineering Tools)
- Microsoft Most Valuable Professional Award 2009 (Software Engineering Tools)
- Microsoft Most Valuable Professional Award 2010 (Software Engineering Tools)
- Microsoft Global Impact Award – Gold Level 2011 (The first Arabic and Muslim to win this award while holding the MVP award allover history).
- Microsoft Most Valuable Professional 2011 (Software Engineering Tools)
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- Microsoft Most Valuable Professional 2013 (Software Engineering Tools)
- Microsoft Most Valuable Professional 2014 (Software Engineering Tools)
- Microsoft Most Valuable Professional 2015 (Software Engineering Tools)
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- Microsoft Most Valuable Professional 2022 (Microsoft Azure Cloud)
- Microsoft Most Valuable Professional 2023 (Microsoft Azure Cloud)
- Microsoft Most Valuable Professional 2024 (Microsoft AI)
- Microsoft Most Valuable Professional 2025 (Microsoft AI)
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- Microsoft Regional Director (RD) of Middle East and Africa Region Since 2010
- The only Arabic person all over the world who win 12 MVP awards while being Regional Director.
- One of only two African Microsoft Regional Directors all over the world. And the only African RD till April 2016.
- The only Arab all over the world to be a Regional Director and MVP altogether in an active status.

Official Biography from Microsoft Pages

- <https://mvp.microsoft.com/en-us/PublicProfile/38768?fullName=Ahmed%20Bahaa%20%20Farid>
- <https://rd.microsoft.com/en-us/ahmed-bahaa>
- <http://www.msrd.io/>

Important Note 1: Most Valuable Professionals (MVPs) is a world class award that Microsoft HQ (Redmond, WA – USA) uses to recognize, and awards specific technical people. When a community participant sees an MVP in a technical community, whether in a newsgroup, as a user group host, a conference speaker, or a respondent in forums, that community participant can be confident that the technical information shared by the MVP will be of the highest caliber and will help every user make the most of the technology.

Important Note 2: Regional Directors are the 100+ world's top technology visionaries chosen specifically for their proven cross-platform expertise, community leadership, and commitment to business results. You will typically find Regional Directors keynoting at top industry events, leading community groups and local initiatives, running technology-focused companies, or consulting on and implementing the latest breakthrough within a multinational corporation.

10. Other Qualifications

- MCSD(Microsoft Certified Solution Developer).
- MCDBA(Microsoft Certified Database Administrator).
- MCT(Microsoft Certified Trainer).
- MCTS (Microsoft Certified Technology Specialist)
- MCITP(Microsoft Certified IT Professional)
- Intel Multi Core specialist

11. **Present positions:** 1-Principal Technical Consultant, CompuPharaohs
2-Helwan University Associate Professor of Information Systems, 3- ISO Advisory Committee Member,
4-Microsoft Regional Director- MEA (Honorary Title – not a job) 5- Vice Dean (FCI Beni-Suef University)

12. **Key qualifications:** (Relevant to my specialty)

- **M.Sc** In Data Warehousing
- **PhD** in Web Data Warehousing.
- **MVP (Microsoft Most Valuable Professional)**
- **Microsoft Regional Director - Middle East and Africa**
- **MCSD**(Microsoft Certified Solution Developer.
- **MCDBA**(Microsoft Certified Database Administrator).
- **MS SQL Server 2018**, 2016,2008,2012, 2005, 2000, and 7.0,6.5
- Oracle 7.0 -10g , 10g R2(Basic Knowledge)
- Some knowledge related to DB2 up to version 8.2
- Access 2,95,97,2000, XP, 2003,2007, 2010, 2013, 2016,2019
- **Certified Intel Multi** Core Programing specialist.
- **Microsoft Visual Basic** .Net 2017 - 2002, 2003 and 6
- HTML5, DHTML, CSS3
- ASP.Net
- XML Web Services.
- XML, XSLT, XSD, XPATH. DOM
- Restful Architecture
- SOA Architecture
- Open XML Documents (ISO Standard)
- IT Projects: Managing huge IT projects in team-work environment. Conducting ideal and standard documentation cycles (prototyping, planning, scheduling, and testing schemes documents).

- Development: Analyzing, designing, and implementing large scale and complex applications.
- Modeling complex data (RDBMS , LDAP, MDDb).
- Software Modeling Tools:
 - Visio (Version 1.0 till Visio.Net 2016 Enterprise Architect)
 - Sparx Enterprise Architect
 - Rational Rose
 - VSTS Class Designer
 - VS Architect Edition
 - Visual Studio TFS
 - Microsoft Azure
 - Microsoft Team Service
 - MongoDB
 - HDInsight
 - Microsoft Azure ML
 - C#, Visual Basic, Delphi, C, Java
- Operating Systems::
Windows 3.x, Windows 9x, Windows NT Workstation, Windows NT Server, Windows 2000 server, Windows XP, Windows 2003, Red Hat Linux, Windows 2008, 2012, 2012 R2, and Windows 2016
- Others:
 - Data Warehousing (M.Sc. Thesis).
 - OLAP.
 - Web Warehousing. (PhD. Thesis).
 - Data Mining.
 - Database Design.
 - Distributed Application Development.
 - Object-Oriented Theory .
 - Object-Oriented Analysis & Design.
 - UML 1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 2.0, 2.4, and 2.5
 - Information Systems Foundation.
 - Information Systems Applications.
 - Systems Analysis & Design (Structured and OO).
 - Software Engineering and project Management Techniques,.
 - Operating Systems Design.
 - File Organization and database structure.
 - Decision Support Systems.
 - Network Essentials.
 - Artificial Intelligence Basics.
 - Data Structures.
 - Application Frameworks and Design Patterns.
 - Application Architecture.
 - Cloud Computing
 - Quality Assurance
 - Quality Control



14. Professional experience

Date From-To	Location	Company	Position	Description
Nov 2018 Till now	Egypt	Faculty of Computers and AI -Beni-Suef University	Vice Dean and Head of the IS Department	
Jan 2010- Till now		Microsoft	Regional Director – Middle East and Africa	Honorary Title Communicate directly with Microsoft Strategic Executive Management (Microsoft VPs, Senior VPs, and CEO) <ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Helping in drawing corporate strategies of products.○ Discussing major requests, and pains of products' feature lists.○ Representing Microsoft in major public speaking technical conferences.○ Helping in dealing with high profile strategic decision making customers.○ Suggesting new directions, products, or features.○ Leading the Microsoft technical community in MEA.



11/2000 –	Egypt	Faculty of	Staff Member	<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Writing the Helwan University IT strategy. Teaching and Supervising Master and Phd theses and dissertations.➤ Head of Postgraduate Control to issue the PG studies official results
Till Now		Computers and AI, Helwan	(Currently, Full Professor)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">➤ Director of Software Engineering Post Graduate Studies Program (EU TEMPUS Project)➤ Consulting the University Chancellors in the IT-related subjects.➤ was responsible of building the higher studies Management system for Helwan University. The system has been put in production and used in some faculties between 2001 and 2009.



2/2000 – 9/2000	Egypt	Sadat Academy for management Sciences	Assistant Teacher	Assistant Teacher
		Computers and Information Systems Dept		
11/1997 – 2/2000	Egypt	Sadat Academy for management Sciences Computers and Information Systems Dept	Assistant	Assistant
2/98 – 11/99	Egypt	Aria Systems Inc (One of the Top 7 ERP producers in USA according to ranking that took place during 1998.	Senior Developer	Senior Developer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Leading a Team of Two Juniors for Implementing some modules in an 18 modules ERP System called Aria ERP. This includes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Export Management Module. -LC Management Module. -Electronic Data Interchange (EDI) Module. -Purchase Order (PO) Module Reviewing the Code of the Junior Developers Discussing the Modules Design with the Design Team. Communicating with the Technical Writers team in order to enable them produce high-quality accurate as well as detailed documentation.
4/95 – 2/98	USA/ Egypt	Aria Systems Inc	Junior/Senior Developer	Developing specific related tasks related to Aria ERP different modules.

15. Other relevant information (e.g., Research and Publications)

• Delivered Public Sessions & Events

- ☑ 4/2018 Keynote speaker of Cairo Microsoft Azure bootcamp
- 3/2017 Keynote Speaker of Microsoft Developers' Annual Conference that has been conducted in AUC.
- 9/2016 Keynote Speaker of the IEEE Egyptian Engineering Day
- 4/2016 Investment and Commerce Liberalization in IT- A Workshop with WTO and MCIT
- 1/2016 Microsoft Developers Conference (Keynoted by Satya Nadella – CEO of Microsoft Corp)
- 5/2015 Road to the Cloud (RTTC), Riyadh, KSA
- 4/2015 Road To Cloud (RTTC), Cairo, **Egypt**
- 11/2103 MVP2MVP MVP Summit Microsoft Headquarter, Redmond, Washington, USA
- 11/2013 Middle East & Africa (MEA) Visual Studio 2013 Launch (Keynoted by Sumsegar Corporate Sr. VP Microsoft)
- 1/2013 Microsoft ALM Summit, Microsoft Headquarter, Redmond, Washington.
- 9/2012 Visual Studio 2012 Launch, Cairo, Egypt
- 3/2011 Speaker in Microsoft TechEd MiddleEast. Dubai, UAE
- 11/2010 Expert in Microsoft TechEd Europe 2007. Berlin, Germany.
- 10/2010 Speaker in Microsoft TechEd MiddleEast. Dubai, UAE
- 11/2009 Expert in Microsoft TechEd Europe 2007. Berlin, Germany.
- 11/2008 Expert in Microsoft TechEd EMEA 2007. Barcelona, Spain.
- 2/2008 A New day for DB Professionals empowered with Visual Studio Team 2008 System – DB professional Edition., Khafra Hall, Egypt's Developers Conference (EDC).



- **11/2007** Expert in Microsoft TechEd EMEA 2007. Barcelona, Spain.
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- **2/2007** Optimizing Applications Development Process Using Visual Studio Team System (VSTS)-
- **3/2002** ADO.NET session in Visual Studio.Net launching event in Egypt (as one of the Microsoft team)-The Cairo International Fairs Centre
- **1/2004** MDC 2004 (Key note speech by Bill Gates) -"Using ADO.NET, SQL CE and Microsoft Compact Framework for building distributed Solutions" – Air Force House
- **1/2004** ICT 2004, Cairo International Centre for Conferences and Fairs, "Developing Smart Devices solutions" (Under the Umbrella of Microsoft Egypt) - The Cairo International Fairs Centre.
- **2/2005** MDC 2005 (Key note speech by Bill Gates) -"Building Service Oriented Architecture Using Visual Studio.NET, Microsoft Office 2003, XML Smart Documents, and Information Bridge Framework" - Air Force House
- **2/2005** Channel product training, Microsoft Office System. Microsoft Egypt Premises.
- **3/2005** Channel product training, Microsoft Project 2003 System. & Microsoft Visio 2003 – Microsoft Egypt Premises.
- **4/2005** Channel product training; Microsoft SQL Server 2005 – Microsoft Egypt Premises.
- **9,10/2005** Visual Studio 2005 Train The Trainers Event in Egypt- Microsoft Egypt.
- **24th January 2006** Visual Studio 2005, SQL Server 2005, BizTalk 2006 Microsoft **Kuwait** official launching event.
- **January 2006** What is new in ASP.Net 2.0- Khopha Hall, MDC 2006
- **19th June 2006** What is New in Windows Vista and .NET Framework 3.0- Microsoft Egypt (Explorer hall) Smart Village.
- **19th Sep 2006** Intel's Building Multi Threaded Application on Multi-Core Intel Processors- (First incident all over the world)
- **4th Feb 2007** Optimizing Applications Development Process Using Visual Studio Team System (VSTS)-Khofo Hall, Microsoft Middle East Developers Conference 2007(MDC 2007)

Academic Research and Scientific Activities

- ▣ More than 15 published papers including one that was republished in The AMSE journal millennium special edition as One of the Top 15 Papers that was published in AMSE in the old millennium.

References

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