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Your Name: Heba Labib

Your Institution: William Carey University, College of Osteopathic Medicine, Hattiesburg, MS, USA

Did you win a Poster or Platform presentation? Poster

Title of winning presentation: A Cadaveric Study of Variations of the Posterior Cerebral Artery.

Your current position: Assistant Professor of Preclinical Sciences.

Your Undergraduate and previous graduate training (if any):

My name is Heba Labib, MD, MSc, PhD, Assistant Professor of Preclinical Sciences, William Carey University, College of Osteopathic Medicine, MS, USA, 2021- till present.

I have worked as an Assistant Professor of Anatomy and Embryology since 2015 back home in Cairo, Egypt at the Faculty of Medicine, Cairo University but had started my Anatomy and Embryology teaching career in 2005. I am an MD, where I graduated at the Faculty of Medicine, Cairo University with a final Degree of Excellent with Honor and have two masters (one in Anatomy & Embryology and another in Clinical Pathology, the latter includes hematology, immunology, biochemistry, microbiology and parasitology) and a PhD in Anatomy & Embryology (Histology, Pathology and Anthropology were parts of
my PhD as well). I worked as hematologist for two years from 2006-2008, alongside teaching and my publications range between Gross Anatomy, histopathology, immunohistochemistry, light and electron microscopy and molecular medicine. My Orcid profile is at https://orcid.org/0000-0002-1007-3065. I have
worked as a reviewer and a deputy editor and have been a member of the AACA since I first came to the States in 2021. At the very beginning of my career, I was a radiation oncology resident at the National Cancer Institute, Cairo University, Cairo, Egypt. I am fluent in English, can read French (and pronounce it

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very well), and Arabic is my mother language.

Your hometown: Originally it was Cairo, Egypt, and currently it is Hattiesburg, MS, USA.

Hobbies and or Special Interests: Sewing, fashion, DIYs, cooking, reading and dancing.

What would you like to see yourself doing 10 years from now? In 10 years from now, I wish I will have contributed to a breakthrough in cancer-related and/or gene therapy-related research and to have expanded my work as a reviewer. I regard research as a service to mankind and a legacy humans are given the chance to leave behind after they have left this world for the benefit of their fellow humans. I also see myself as an Editor and Co-author in books and publications that would serve future generations of students and help in advancement of education. Being part of a fully integrated (with emphasis on integration of physiology and forensic) and clinically-correlated Anatomy and Embryology teaching curriculum, that is in addition based on self-directed learning with some guided learning, is among the things I would like to see myself doing.