

Dr SamehAboul-Enein

Curriculum Vitae

Professional Experience

Ambassador, Deputy Assistant Foreign Minister of Egypt for Disarmament and Peaceful Uses of Nuclear Energy, Cairo (Sept 2011-present)

Minister Plenipotentiary and Deputy Head of Mission of Egypt to the United Kingdom, London (Aug 2007-Aug 2011)

Director, United Nations Dept., Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Cairo (Jan 2007-Aug 2007)

Director, UN Specialised Agencies and International Organizations Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Cairo, Egypt (July 2006-Jan 2007)

Alternate representative to the Conference of Disarmament and to U.N. Offices, Permanent Mission of Egypt, Geneva (2002-2006)

Advisor for Arab and Middle East Affairs, Cabinet of the Egyptian Foreign Minister, Cairo (2000-2002)

Head of Political Section, Embassy of Egypt, Ankara, Turkey (1996-2000)

Cabinet of the Egyptian Foreign Minister, Cairo (1994-1996), Officer for Middle East-Israeli/Palestinian Affairs

Desk Officer and Press Secretary for Political and Middle East Affairs, Embassy of Egypt, London (1991-1994)

Third Secretary Political Section, Embassy of Egypt, Moscow (1989-1991)

Diplomatic Attaché, Embassy of Egypt, London (1988-1989)

Diplomatic Attaché, EU Affairs, Office of Assistant Foreign Minister for International Economic Relations, Cairo (1988)

Diplomatic Attaché, Diplomatic Training, Berlin (1987-1988)

Diplomatic Attaché, Institute for Diplomatic Studies, Cairo (1987-1988)

Academic Posts

Assistant Professor for Disarmament, conflict and Security Studies, the School of Global Affairs and Public Policy, American University in Cairo, 4 semesters (January 2012 - Present), Taught 6 (5 Post-Graduate + 1 Undergraduate) Courses:

- 1- PPAD 570: Middle East and Regional Security: Simulation and Skills
- 2- PPAD 570: International Diplomacy: Theory and Practice
- 3- PPAD 530: Conflict Resolutions and Management
- 4- PPAD 529: Issues in International Security
- 5- PPAD 531: Arms Control and Disarmament
- 6- PPAD 299: Introduction to Global Affairs and International Security

Organised and supervised a study visit for 25 of my American University Post-graduate Students (Course on International Security and Non-proliferation) to the Geneva Center for Security Policy (GCSP) in July 2012 and Lectured on Several relevant issues on disarmament and non-proliferation in coordination with other professors in GCSP

University of East Anglia–Visiting Professor on Security, Disarmament and Non-Proliferation

University of Westminster –Visiting Professor, MA Program on International Security

Defence Academy of the U.K.–Visiting Professor
Centre for International Studies and Diplomacy, SOAS, University of London–Visiting Professor on WMD

Diplomatic academy of Vienna–Visiting Professor

European University Institute in France – Visiting Professor on WMD

American University in Cairo – Teacher and Research Assistant, Political Science Department

Recent Professional and Academic Workshops and Conferences (Sept. 2011 – Present)

Regular lecturer and speaker in several international fora such as the United Nations, the International Atomic energy agency, the British American Security Information Council, Wilton Park, Chatham House, NATO Defence College, Arms Control Association and participated in several conferences hosted by Carnegie, Monterey, EU Consortium and the Frankfurt institute for Peace on topics such as disarmament, Non-proliferation and international Peace and Security

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper titled “A Zone Free of Nuclear and other WMD’s in the Middle East: Addressing Challenges to Nuclear Disarmament and Non-Proliferation” in the Workshop for the Senior Executive Regional Conference organized by the NATO Defence College on “Nuclear Non-Proliferation Issues in the Middle East” held in Rome between 25-27 June 2013

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper titled “The Way Forward: Middle East Conference of 2012” in the Meeting organized by Institute for Peace Studies on the “Middle East” held in Frankfurt between 26-30 May 2013

Participated as a speaker in the Launching Panel of the White Paper titled “Ten Steps towards a Weapons of Mass Destruction-Free Zone in the Middle East” organized by the Russian Center for Policy Studies held in Geneva (UN Library) on 25 April 2013, together with the US Deputy Secretary of State, Russian Deputy Foreign Minister, and Under Secretary General of the Arab League

Participated as the Deputy Head of the Egyptian Delegation in the Second Preparatory Committee of the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty Review Conference to be held in 2015 between 21 April – 1 May 2013 in Geneva

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper in the panel seminar organized by the Geneva Center for Security Policy (GCSP) for the participants of the 27th International Training Course on “Possibilities of the Establishment of a Weapons of Mass Destruction Free Zone in the Middle East” held in Geneva on 16 April 2013

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper in the annual Workshop organized by the Center for Non-Proliferation Studies of the Monterey Institute on the “Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty and the preparation for the Second Preparatory Committee of the NPT Review Conference in 2015” held in Annecy, France between 22-23 March 2013

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper in the Workshop organized by the European Union Consortium for Non-Proliferation on “Arms Trade Agreement” held in Geneva between 28 February – 1 March 2013

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper in the annual Conference organized by Wilton Park Institution on “Nuclear Non-Proliferation Issues” held in London between 10-14 December 2012

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper in a Conference organized by EDAM (Center for Economics and Foreign Policy Studies) on “The Arab Spring and the Changing Security Landscape in the Middle East” held in Istanbul between 26-27 November 2012

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper in a Conference organized by Wilton Park on “The Future of Global Markets for Sensitive Nuclear Fuel Cycle Services: Connecting Supply and Non-proliferation Objectives” held in London between 1-3 November 2012

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper in a roundtable organized by British American Security Information Council (BASIC) on “The 2012 Conference on a WMD-free Zone in the Middle East” held in Istanbul between 24-25 October 2012

Participated as Alternate Representative of Egypt in the United Nations First Committee held in New York October 2012

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper in a seminar organized by Arms Control Association on “Fifty Years After the Cuban Missile Crisis: Next Steps on Nuclear Disarmament and Non-proliferation” held in New York on 15 October 2012

Gave a lecture and presented a paper in NATO Defence College on “The Establishment of a Middle East Zone Free of Nuclear Weapons and all other Weapons of Mass Destruction and the 2012 ME Conference” in Rome on 12 October 2012

Participated as Alternate Representative of Egypt in the 56th session of the General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) held in Vienna between 17-21 September 2012

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper in a Conference organized by the Center for Energy and Security Studies on “The 2012 Moscow Non-proliferation Conference: Nuclear Energy, Disarmament and Non-proliferation” held in Moscow on 6-8 September 2012

Participate in my Academic Capacity in a Workshop organised by VERTIC on “Verification and Dismantlement of Nuclear weapons” held in London in August 2012

Participated as Alternate Representative of Egypt in the United Nations Conference on the Arms Trade Treaty held in New York between 2-27 July 2012

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper in a workshop organized by the European University Institute on “Assessing the Prospects of the EURATOM Treaty Approach in the Middle East” held in Florence on 26-27 June 2012

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper in the Annual NATO Conference on WMD Arms Control, Disarmament and Non-Proliferation held in Budapest on 14-15 June 2012

Participated as Alternate Representative of Egypt and as Chair of Main Committee one (Nuclear Disarmament) in the first session of the Preparatory Committee for the 2015 Review Conference of the Parties to the Treaty on the NPT held in Vienna from 30 April to 11 May 2012

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper in a workshop organised by the EU Institute of Security Studies on “Development of international treaties on disarmament and contributions to the security of the Middle East” held in Paris on 10-11 April 2012

Participated as Sous-Sherpa of Egypt in the 2nd Nuclear Security Summit, held in Seoul on 26-27 March 2012

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper in a seminar organised by VERTIC on Multilateral Verification of Disarmament, held near Johannesburg on 8-9 March 2012

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper in a conference on nuclear energy for peace and the protection of the environment held in Brussels between 28 February and 1st of March 2012.

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper in the First conference on Nuclear non-Proliferation and Disarmament organised by the International Institute for Strategic Studies and the Centre of the European Union to prevent nuclear proliferation held in Brussels on 3-4 February 2012

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper in the Wilton Park annual conference on the prevention of nuclear proliferation held near London on 12-16 December 2011

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper in a Regional Symposium to define the decisions of the Nuclear Security Summit and the Global Initiative to Combat Nuclear Terrorism held in Rabat on 21-22 November 2011

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper in the Fifth meeting of the Working Group to study the technical dimensions necessary to establish a zone free of weapons of mass destruction in the Middle East in Como, Italy on 10-13 November 2011

Participated as Alternate Representative of Egypt in the First Committee of the 66th session of the General Assembly, in New York on 17-24 October 2011

Participated as Alternate Representative of Egypt in the 55th session of the General Conference of the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) held in Vienna between 19-23 September 2011

Participated as a speaker and presented a paper in a workshop organised by BASIC on the 2012 Conference on the establishment of a zone free of nuclear weapons in the Middle East, held in Valletta on 8-9 September 2011

Participated as a speaker and presented papers in several Pugwash Conferences on Disarmament and Non-Proliferation in the U.K., New York and Italy.

Memberships and Committees

Coordinator, Egyptian National Committee for Coordination on the Peaceful Uses of Nuclear Energy

Coordinator, Egyptian National Committee for Coordination on Conventional Weapons

Coordinator, National Board for the Egyptian National Data Center for Monitoring of Nuclear Explosions (CTBT)

Coordinator, Egyptian National Committee for Coordination on the Nuclear and WMD Free Zone in the Middle East

Board Member, UN Association in Cairo

Member, Multilateral Group on Missiles, Frankfurt Peace Research Institute

Member, American University Graduates Association, Cairo

Member, American University in Cairo Alumni Committee, UK

Multilateral Middle East peace process working groups on Water, the Environment, and Aid to Palestinians – Cairo, Amman, Athens, Brussels, Paris Washington, New York, and London

Alternate Chair of Non-Aligned Movement Main Committee, Non-Proliferation Treaty Review Conference, New York, May 2010.

Member of delegation of Egypt, NPT (2002-2005) Geneva and New York

Academic Background

Doctorate of Philosophy (M.Phil-PhD), SOAS, University of London & American University of London, UK (2002-2008) – Middle East Foreign Policy and Security

Master of Science, University of London, UK (1989-1991) – Middle Eastern Politics

Master of Arts, American University in Cairo (AUC), Egypt (1986-1990) – Political Science

Bachelor of Arts, American University in Cairo, Egypt (1986) – Political Science, Economics

Certificate, Disarmament and Security Policy, Geneva Centre for Security Policy (2003)

Diploma, School of Oriental and African Studies (SOAS), University of London, UK (1990) – International Relations, Diplomacy and Skills

Certificate, International Development Institute (DSE), Berlin (1988) – International Economic Relations

Publications

The 2010 NPT review and the Middle East: Challenges and Opportunities, March 2012, Carnegie Endowment.

www.carnegieendowment.com

The 2010 NPT Review Conference Outcome and Nuclear Disarmament, April 2012, Presentation.

“2012 Conference on the Establishment of Zone Free of Nuclear Weapons and all Other Weapons of Mass Destruction: the Way Forward” Annual NATO Conference on WMD arms Control, Disarmament, and Non-Proliferation, Budapest, June 2012, Presentation.

From (potential) spoilers to guarantors? The Role of external powers, January 2012, Arms Control and Missile Proliferation in the Middle East, Routledge Global Security Studies

<http://www.routledge.com/>

NPT 2010-2015: The Way Forward, March 31, 2011, Carnegie Endowment.

www.carnegieendowment.com

Middle East: Nuclear No-Go, May 2011, Diplomat Magazine, London

www.diplomatmagazine.co.uk

NPT 2010: The Beginning of a New Constructive Cycle, Arms Control Today, November 2010
www.armscontrol.org

A Real Opportunity for a Nuclear-Weapons-Free Zone in the Middle East, New World, Autumn 2010
www.una.org.uk

Towards a Verified Nuclear-Weapon-Free Zone in the Middle East, Vertic Brief, 11 April 2010
www.vertic.org

The 2010 NPT Review and the Middle East: Challenges and Opportunities, Palestine-Israel Journal, March 2010/Vol, 16, Nov. 14, 2010
www.PIJ.org

The Missile Regime: Verification, Test Bans and Free Zones, Disarmament Forum, December 2009
www.unidir.org

The Roadmap to Total Nuclear Disarmament, Carnegie Endowment, April 2009.
www.carnegieendowment.org/files/abolishing_nuclear_weapons_debate

Towards 2010 and Beyond, Challenges for the Non-Proliferation Regime and the Middle East, Disarmament Diplomacy, Spring 2009.
www.acronym.org.uk

SOAS Conference on a WMD Free Zone in the Middle East
www.cisd.soas.ac.uk/Editor/assests/transcript_17jun08.final
<http://www.mefedia.com/watch/34219675>

Regular contributor, *The Diplomat* (Egyptian monthly political periodical), 2006-2012
Lexicon of WMD Terms relevant to Middle East Free Zone.

Regular contributor, *ElSiyassaEIDawliya* (Egypt's political and strategic quarterly) and *Al Ahrām* newspaper
www.siyassa.org.eg/asiyassa/index.asp

Additional Publications

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