

Curriculum Vitae

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Short CV

Master in Cardiology 1989 (The early cardiac changes in the young diabetics)

MD Degree on specialisation in Internal Medicine (48 months) in 1990 with Excellent degree

Ph D in cardiology 1992 (correlation among clinical picture non invasive test and coronary angiography in women with suspected coronary disease in reproductive and postmenopausal period)

FESC: Fellowship of European Society of cardiology 2006 **FACC:** Fellowship of American college of cardiology 2007

Consultant cardiologist in the main cardiac center in Libya (National heart centre Tajura Tripoli) 1992-2008. **Consultant** cardiologist in the Libyan British Diagnostic center Tripoli 2008-2012. Member of **the teaching staff** of the medical faculty Tripoli University 1994-2008

President of Libyan Cardiac Society (LCS) 2004-2010 of which I was one of the main founders. Current Head of the working group of cardiovascular prevention (LCS) since 2008

National contact person for the working group of prevention (Libyan Cardiac Society) and for a large number of initiatives, organisations and studies. Regular attendance at ESC meetings and other congresses.

Participation in TV and radio for discussion, advice and dissemination of the health education for the general population about hypertension, cardiovascular disease diagnosis, prevention and management. See even my interview in Circulation:
<http://circ.ahajournals.org/content/116/20/f115.full.pdf>

The **main researcher in STEPS** surveillance Libya:

http://www.who.int/chp/steps/2009_STEPS.Libya.pdf?ua=1

References: Available upon request