

Personal data :

Name: Essam Abdel Aziz Al-Hamid Abdullah Metwally Ali

Current profession: Master Mariner at the College of Maritime Transport - Arab Academy for Science, Technology and Maritime Transport - Head of the Maritime culture & Leadership (BS 203) courses - Maritime Student Affairs Officer.

Previous professions:

- Commander of a group of ships in the Navy
- Head of the Maritime Department of the Military Intelligence Department
- Director of the International Center for Marine Pollution Control in the Red Sea and the Gulf of Aqaba
- Master of the High Seas - Maritime consultant for the International Maritime Search and Rescue Center for the Red Sea region.

Nationality: Egyptian

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Education:

- Bachelor's degree in Maritime Studies - Maritime College - Alexandria - Arab Republic of Egypt 1986 (accredited by the Supreme Council of Universities)

- Master of Science in Marine Technology from the Arab Academy for Science, Technology and Maritime Transport (specialization in marine environment pollution)
- Currently enrolled in the doctoral program in marine science technology and is currently obtaining it. (PhD researcher)
- Postgraduate studies in high seas leadership (Master since 1995)
- Valid certificate in command of marine units of the Navy
- Marine pollution protection and control course, January-2006
- Marine Radar, Automated Radar and Navigational Aids Course – January 2006
- Radar simulation course January - 2006
- Basic and advanced course in communications, January-2006
- Training course for medical studies and first aid, February-2006
- Advanced training course in fire protection and firefighting, February-2006
- Basic and advanced course in personal protection and search and rescue methods, February-2006
- Training course on the professionalism of driving lifeboats, February-2006
- Training course on personal survival and social responsibilities, March-2006
- Ship Handling Training Course August 2006
- Training course No. (3.20) for ship security officers, compatible with IMO systems, August-2006
- GDMSS/GOC training course in accordance with paragraph of the law (A-IV/2) July-2006
- Training course for the International Code for Security in Ships and Ports, August 2006
- IMO Level 1 training course on containing marine oil pollution incidents.
- IMO training course, second level (Maritime Pollution Containment Operations Manager up to the second level)

Experiences:

- 15 years and 6 months service on ships on the high seas.
- Served on Navy ships on the high seas for 15 years and 6 months
- Served as commander-in-chief of one of the Egyptian Navy ships for 8 years

- Worked in the field of search and rescue (SAR) (consultant for a maritime search and rescue center)
- Worked in marine pollution management (combat the marine pollution incident at the entrance to the Gulf of Aqaba Million Hope).
- Served in the field of theoretical and practical training for officers in the Egyptian Navy.
- Head of naval operations in the regions of South Sinai, the Gulf of Aqaba, and the Red Sea, which includes activities, most notably the following:
    - Marine pollution management in cooperation with environmental affairs bodies, petroleum service ships, and the Egyptian naval forces
    - Participate in managing the disposal operations of a sunken ship while adhering to laws and legislation
    - Coordination and cooperation with all bodies and organizations working in maritime business in the South Sinai region
    - Participation with the relevant authorities from the Petroleum Authority in planning to secure the construction of a natural gas pipeline between Taba in Egypt and Aqaba in Jordan under the sea.
    - Coordination between the authorities concerned with maritime operations in South Sinai and the Gulf of Aqaba.
    - Managing life-saving operations for ships and yachts
- Commanding a group of ships operating in the Egyptian Navy.
- Working as Assistant Head of the Navigation Branch in the Destroyers Brigade from 1986 to 1989
- Planning and management of marine administrative affairs
- Working as an international observer to supervise joint maritime training on search and rescue work between the American side and the Jordanian side in the Gulf of Aqaba and the Red Sea (1996).
- Leader of the group receiving search, rescue and safety vessels from Lockheed Martin.
- Working as a maritime consultant for the Search and Rescue Center (FRC - Red Sea SAR) in the Red Sea and the Gulf of Aqaba.
- Director of the largest marine pollution control center in Egypt in the Gulf of Aqaba and the Red Sea
- Taught security and safety courses at the International Training Center in Sharm El-Sheikh for captains and naval officers from foreign countries.
- Participated in preparing the national plan to combat marine oil pollution with the Environmental Affairs Agency.

- Participated as Chief of Marine Group Operations in the Raa Atum VI marine oil pollution manoeuvre, in which many foreign and Arab bodies and friendly countries participated off the coast of Port Said - Damietta (in the Mediterranean Sea).
- Member of the marine investigation committees for marine accidents in the Gulf of Aqaba, in cooperation with the Egyptian Safety Authority.
- Strategic partner in planning local and regional maritime economic projects with foreign companies for the coastal regions of Egypt and neighbouring countries.
- Lecturer for students of the College of Maritime Transport at the Arab Academy for Science, Technology and Maritime Transport (bachelor's level)
- Maritime Student Affairs Officer at the College of Maritime Transport and Technology at the Arab Academy for Science, Technology and Maritime Transport.
- Head of Maritime Culture & Leadership courses (BS 203) at the College of Maritime Transport and Technology at the Arab Academy for Science, Technology and Maritime Transport.

Interests and hobbies:

- Fishing, diving, and reading (history, poetry, and politics)
- Squash.