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EDUCATION

PhD in Pharmacology and Toxicology, Joint supervision member to the Ohio State University, USA from Al-Azhar University according to the Egyptian Channel and Joint System Program, 2009.

MS in Pharmacology and Toxicology, Faculty of Pharmacy, Al-Azhar University, Cairo, Egypt, 2004.

BS in in Pharmaceutical Sciences, Faculty of Pharmacy, Al-Azhar University, Cairo, Egypt, 1998.

PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS

Associate Professor of Clinical Pharmacy, Faculty of Clinical Pharmacy, Al Baha University, Al Baha, Saudi Arabia,
2017-Present.

Associate Professor of Clinical Pharmacy, Faculty of Pharmacy, Misr International University, Cairo, Egypt,
2015- 2017

Assistant Professor of Clinical Pharmacy, Faculty of Pharmacy, Misr International University, Cairo, Egypt
2012-2015

Assistant Professor of Pharmacology & Toxicology, Faculty of Pharmacy, Al-Azhar University, Cairo, Egypt
2009- 2012

Lecturer of Pharmacology & Toxicology, Faculty of Pharmacy, Al-Azhar University, Cairo, Egypt
2004- 2009

Demonstrator of Pharmacology & Toxicology, Faculty of Pharmacy, Al-Azhar University, Cairo, Egypt
1999-2004

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

Member, The Egyptian Society of pharmacology and experimental therapeutics.

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

El-Mahdy MA, Zhu Q, Wang QE, Wani G, Patnaik S, Zhao Q, Arafa el-SA, **Bassant M. Barakat**, Mir SN, Wani AA. Naringenin protects HaCaT human keratinocytes against UVB-induced apoptosis and enhances the removal of cyclobutane pyrimidine dimers from the genome. Photochem Photobiol. 2008 Mar-Apr; 84(2):307-16. 2007 Dec 15. PMID: [18086244](https://pubmed.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/18086244/)

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- Arafa el-SA, Zhu Q, **Bassant M. Barakat**, Wani G, Zhao Q, El-Mahdy MA, Wani AA. Tangeretin Sensitizes Cisplatin-Resistant Human Ovarian Cancer Cells through Downregulation of Phosphoinositide 3-Kinase/Akt Signaling Pathway. Cancer Res. 2009; 69(23):OF1-8]. PMID: [19903849](#)
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- Bassant M. Barakat**. Effect of the chronic treatment with a proton pump inhibitor, rabeprazole, on the complete blood count in mice. Life science journal, 2013, 10 (4) 2647-2653.
- Shymaa E. Bilasy, **Bassant M. Barakat**, Aly A. Shaalan. Addition of a low dose of sitagliptin to repaglinide improves pancreatic islet proliferation and insulin production in experimentally type 2 diabetic rats. Al-Azhar journal of pharmaceutical sciences, 2014, (49), 44-59. DOI:[10.21608/AJPS.2014.6955](#)
- Zaitone SA, **Bassant M. Barakat**, Bilasy SE, Fawzy MS, Abdelaziz EZ, Farag NE. Protective effect of boswellic acids versus pioglitazone in a rat model of diet-induced non-alcoholic fatty liver disease: influence on insulin resistance and energy expenditure. Naunyn-Schmiedeberg's Archives of Pharmacology, 2015, 388(6): 587-600. PMID: [25708949](#)
- Ali EA, **Bassant M. Barakat**, Hassan R. Antioxidant and angiostatic effect of Spirulina platensis suspension in complete Freund's adjuvant-induced arthritis in rats. PLoS One 2015 Apr 8;10(4):e0121523. doi: 10.1371/journal.pone.0121523. PMID: [25853428](#)
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Mehanna ET, **Bassant M. Barakat**, ElSayed MH, Tawfik MK. An optimized dose of raspberry ketones controls hyperlipidemia and insulin resistance in male obese rats: Effect on adipose tissue expression of adipocytokines and Aquaporin 7. Eur J Pharmacol. 2018 Aug 5;832:81-89. doi: 10.1016/j.ejphar.2018.05.028. Epub 2018 May 19. PMID: [29787773](#)

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Fayed HA, **Bassant M. Barakat**, Elshaer SS, Abdel-Naim AB, Menze ET. Antiosteoporotic activities of isoquercitrin in ovariectomized rats: Role of inhibiting hypoxia inducible factor-1 alpha. Eur J Pharmacol. 2019 Nov 9:172785. doi: 10.1016/j.ejphar.2019.172785. [Epub ahead of print] PMID: 31712059. PMID: [31712059](#)

Saleh Alghamdi, **Bassant Barakat**, Ilhem Berrou, Abdulhakim Alzahrani, Abdul Haseeb, Mohamed Anwar Hammad, Sirajudheen Anwar, Abdulmajeed Abdulghani A Sindi, Hussain A Almasmoum, Mohammad Albanghali. Clinical Efficacy of Hydroxychloroquine in Patients with COVID-19: Findings from an Observational Comparative Study in Saudi Arabia. Antibiotics (Basel). 2021 Mar 31;10(4):365. doi: 10.3390/antibiotics10040365. PMID: [33807320](#)

POSTER PRESENTATIONS PRESENTED AT PROFESSIONAL MEETINGS

Attending and presenting research data at the 9th Annual Midwest DNA Repair Symposium at Pittsburgh University, Pennsylvania, USA. **Poster Presentation** (Awarded the fourth best poster prize) 2008

Presenting research data at the American Association of Cancer Research Annual Meeting in San Diego, California, USA. **Poster Presentation**, April 12-16, 2008