

Biography of Prof. Dr. Kamal M. Dawood



Kamal M. Dawood was born in 1965 (Kafr Elsheikh), graduated from Cairo University, Egypt in 1987 then carried out his MSc and PhD studies under the supervision of Professor Ahmad Farag, Cairo University and received his PhD in 1995. In 1997 he was awarded the UNESCO Fellowship for one year and in 1999 he was awarded the JSPS (Japan Society for Promotion of Science) Fellowship for two years and worked in both periods with Professor T. Fuchigami at Tokyo Institute of Technology (TIT) in the field of 'Electrochemical Partial Fluorination of Heterocyclic Compounds'. In addition, he was awarded the Alexander von Humboldt Fellowship at Hanover University in 2004-2005 with Prof. A. Kirschning (in the field of polymer supported palladium catalysed cross coupling reactions) and in 2007 and 2008 with Prof. Peter Metz at TU-Dresden (in the field of total synthesis of natural products). In 2002 he promoted to Associate Professor and in May 2007 he was appointed as Professor of Organic chemistry, Faculty of Science, Cairo University. In 2002 he received the Cairo University Award in Chemistry and in 2007 he received the State-Award in Chemistry. In 2012 he received the Cairo University Award for Academic Excellence. He published about 113 scientific papers and reviews in distinguished international journals. There are more than 1950 citations of his work from 1993 until 2017 (*h*-index 24).