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## **EDUCATION**

Ph.D. Mechanical Engineering, Georgia Institute of Technology, 2004.
 M.Sc. Mechanical Engineering, Georgia Institute of Technology, 1997.

B.Sc. Mechanical Engineering, King Saud University, Riyadh, Saudi Arabia, 1993.

## **EMPLOYMENT HISTORY**

- Professor, Mechanical Engineering Department, King Saud University, 2017-present.
- Associate Professor, Mechanical Engineering Department, King Saud University, 2012-2017.
- Chair, Mechanical Engineering Department, King Saud University, 2011-2013.
- Assistant Professor, Mechanical Engineering Department, King Saud University, 2004-2012.
- Student Intern, General Electric Company, Atlanta, Georgia, 2000-2002.
- Graduate Research Assistant, GWW School of Mechanical Engineering, Georgia Institute of Technology, 1997.
- Teaching Assistant, Mechanical Engineering Department, King Saud University, 1993-1994.
- Student Intern, Vice Rectorate for Project, King Saud University, 1993.
- Student Intern, Saudi Aramco, 1992

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Solar thermal energy conversion
- Energy conservation
- Refrigeration and air conditioning
- Desalination technologies

## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Member of the ESCO licensing and accreditation committee, Saudi Energy Efficiency Center, 2017-present
- Member of the Investment Committee, Riyadh Valley Company, 2016-present.
- Consultant for the Saline Water Conversion Corporation, 2018-2019.
- Consultant for National Air Conditioning Center at King Abdulaziz City for Science and Technology, 2016-2018 (participated in drafting the national HVAC research road map)
- Member of the Board of Directors, Chemical Development Company, 2017-2018.
- Consultant for the Ministry of Higher Education (reviewed HVAC designs for new university campuses in Saudi Arabia), 2006-2010.
- Consultant for Ministry of Higher Education (reviewed HVAC design for the Holy Mosque), 2008-2010.
- Director of the Intellectual Property and Technology Licensing Program at King Saud University, 2007-2008.
- Member of the board of directors of the Center of Research Excellence in Renewable Energy, 2007-2011.

## RESEARCH LEADERSHIP

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- Member of the board of directors of the Center of Research Excellence in Renewable Energy, 2007-2011.

## HONORS AND AWARDS

- King Saud University Award for Scientific Excellence (Obtaining External Funding), 2017
- King Saud University Award for Scientific Excellence (Innovation and Technology Licensing), 2015
- Bronze medal, Malaysia Technology Expo, Kuala Lumpur, 2011.
- Best invention in desalination award at Ibtikar 2010, Jeddah, Saudi Arabia, 2010.
- ME Department's best teacher award, King Saud University, 2009.
- ASHRAE grant-in-aid research fellowship, 2001.
- College of Engineering student of the year award, King Saud University, 1993.
- ME Department student of the year award, King Saud University, 1992-1993.

## **GRANTED PATENTS**

- 1. "Skip Hoist System for a Particle-Based High-Temperature Power Tower Plant", US Patent No. 12,234,133, granted on February 25, 2025.
- 2. "System for Measuring Angle of Repose of High Temperature Granular Material", US Patent No. 12,215,970, granted on February 4, 2025.
- 3. "Thermal Energy Storage Bin for a High-Temperature, Particle-Based Solar Power Plant", US Patent No. 12,196,455, granted on January 14, 2025.
- 4. "Expanded Bed Direct-Contact System and Heat Exchanger and Chemical Reactor Using the Same", US Patent No. 12,097,489, granted on September 24, 2024.
- 5. "Solid Particle Receiver with Porous Structure for Flow Regulation and Enhancement of Heat Transfer", US Patent No. 11,971,197, granted on April 30, 2024.
- 6. "Solar Heating Apparatus", US Patent No. 10,955,171, granted on March 23, 2021.
- 7. "Particle-to-Working Fluid Heat Exchanger and Solar Power Generator Using the Same", US Patent No. 10,788,021, granted on September 29. 2020
- 8. "Solar Heating Apparatus", US Patent No. 10,190,802, granted on January 29, 2019.
- 9. "Solar Heating Apparatus", US Patent No. 10,190,801, granted on January 29, 2019
- 10. "Solar Heating Apparatus", US Patent No. 10,151,512, granted on December 11, 2018.
- 11. "Multi-Effects Desalination System", US Patent No. 10,099,154, granted on October 16, 2018
- 12. "Solar Cooling and Water Salination System", US Patent No. 10,022,646, granted on July 17, 2018.
- 13. "Solid Particle Receiver with Porous Structure for Flow Regulation and Enhancement of Heat Transfer", US Patent No. 9,732,986, granted on August 15, 2017.
- 14. "Two Axis Solar Tracking System", US Patent No. 9,732,987, granted on August 15, 2017
- 15. "Nozzle Apparatus and Method", US Patent No. 9,579,669, granted on February 28, 2017
- 16. "Solar Heating Apparatus and Methods", US Patent No. 9,441,858, granted on September 13, 2016
- 17. "Desalination System", US Patent No. 9,393,502, granted on July 19, 2016
- 18. "High Temperature Solar Thermal Systems and Methods", US Patent No. 9,377,246, granted on June 28, 2016
- 19. "Electric linear generators/motors and energy converting systems with the same", European Patent No. 2,854,265, granted on May 4, 2016
- 20. "Multi-Effects Desalination System", US Patent No. 9,309,129, granted on April 12, 2016

- 21. "Method for Conversion of Carbon Dioxide into Hydrocarbons", US Patent No. 9,174,890, granted on November 3, 2015.
- 22. "Solar Steam Generation", US Patent No. 8,877,016, granted on November 6, 2014
- 23. "Solar Steam Generator", US Patent No. 8,863,517, granted on October 21, 2014.
- 24. "Heat Exchanger Steam Condenser Water Distillation", US Patent No. 8,834,683, granted on September 16, 2014.
- 25. "Vortex Generating Nozzle-End Ring", US Patent No. 8,807,458, granted on August 19, 2014.
- 26. "Glass Receiver with Bifurcated Annulus Responsive to Thermal Dimensional Changes", US Patent No. 8,800,548, granted on August 12, 2014.
- 27. "Method and System for Purifying Liquid Using Waste Heat", US Patent No. 8,709,257, granted on April 29, 2014
- 28. "Method and System for Utilizing Waste Energy from a Fluid Purification System", US Patent No. 8,551,343, granted on October 8, 2013.
- 29. "Systems and Methods for Solar Water Purification", US Patent No. 8,419,904, granted on April 16, 2013.

## TRANSLATED BOOKS

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- 3. Ali, E., Orfi, J., **AlAnsary, H.**, Alsaadi, A., Ghaffour, N., 2024, "Hybrid reverse multi-stage flash and multi-effect evaporator systems powered by low grade energy for water desalination", *Desalination and Water Treatment*, Vol. 319, p. 100501.
- 4. Saeed, R., Alswaiyd, A., Saleh, N., Alaqel, S., Djajadiwinata, E., **Al-Ansary, H.**, Danish, S., El-Leathy, A., Alsuhaibani, Z., Almutairi, Z., 2024, "An experimental investigation of chevron-shaped discrete structure configuration on the particle flow behavior of particle heating receivers", *Results in Engineering*, Vol. 21, p. 101786.
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- 14. Djajadiwinata, E., Sarfraz, M., Alaqel, El-Leathy, A., S., Saleh, N., Saeed, R., Alswaiyd, A., **Al-Ansary, H.**, Jeter, S., Danish, S., Al-Suhaibani, Z., "The selection of expansion joint material for high-temperature multi-layered thermal energy storage bins", AIP Conference Proceedings, Vol. 2445, p. 160005.
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- 17. Saeed, R., Alswaiyd, A., Saleh, N., Alaqel, S., Djajadiwinata, E., El-Leathy, A., Danish, S., **Al-Ansary, H.**, Jeter, S., Al-Suhaibani, Z., Almutairi, Z., 2022, "Characterization of Low-Cost Particulates Used as Energy Storage and Heat-Transfer Medium in Concentrated Solar Power Systems", *Materials*, Vol. 15, No. 8, Article 2946, pp. 1-20.
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