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EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS:

Ph.D. Entomology, 2012 University of Leeds, Leeds, UK
M.Sc. Zoology, 2003 University of Tripoli, Tripoli. Libya
B.Sc. Zoology, 1996 University of Tripoli, Tripoli. Libya

LANGUAGES:

Arabic
English (Good)

PROFESSIONAL INTERESTS:

- Medical Entomology
- Insect Diversity and Ecology
- Insect Plant Interactions

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE:

- * Teaching Assistant: 2001- 2003
- * Assistant Lecturer: 2003 – 2012
- * Lecturer: 2012-2015
- * Assistant Professor: 2015 up to date

Duties:

- * Entomology Division Coordinator: 2016 – to 2018
- * Entomology Division Coordinator: 2019 – to date
- * Study and Examination Committee at Zoology Department: Fall 2017 to date
- * High Education Committee at Zoology Department: Fall 2016 to date

WORKSHOPS, CONFERENCES AND TRAINING:

- Postgraduate training course on systematic of spiders (Class: Arachnida), June 9th-July 7th 2003. University of Catania, Italy.

- Postgraduate training course on using Excel for research data (Fundamental, Intermediate and Advanced). University of Leeds.
- Statistics courses using SPSS and R language (Basic and Advanced). University of Leeds.
- Digital images and photo editing using Corel Paint Shop Pro. University of Leeds.
- Good Clinical Laboratory Practice/ Good Clinical Practice (GCLP/GCP). 14-17 August 2017, Regional Training Center. Institute Pasteur de Tunis, Tunis, Tunisia.
- Training Workshop on Surveillance and Control of Mosquitos in Libya. 7-11 September 2017. Institute Pasteur de Tunis, Tunis, Tunisia.

Supervision:

In addition to many BSc project supervision, I supervised students for MSc degree

- Walid Belgasim (2020) Fleas (Siphonaptera) fauna in Jabal Nafusa- Libya. MSc Thesis. The Libyan Academy
- Abdulkarim Saleh (2020) Diversity of mosquito larvae (Diptera, Culicidae) and breeding habitats in Tarhuna- Libya. MSc Thesis. Zoology Department, Faculty of Science, University of Tripoli

PUBLICATION, PAPERS, AND PORJECTS:

- Belgasm, W.Y.M., Ghana, S. and Shaibi, T. (2022). Flea Infestations on Domestic Animals in Nafusa Mountain Region, North-West Libya.
- Khalefa, A.S., Ghana, S., Rashid, N.M., and Shaibi, T., (2022). Mosquito Fauna (Diptera, Culicidae) In Tarhuna Region, Libya. *Zoodiversity*. 56:111-116
- Belgasm, W.Y.M., Shaibi, T., Ghana, S., (2022). Fleas infestation on small wild mammals in Gharyan, Northwest Libya. *Open veterinary Journal*. 12:17-22
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- Ghana, S., Suleman, N. and Compton, S.G., (2015). A comparison of pollinator fig wasp development in figs of *Ficus montana* and its hybrids with *Ficus asperifolia*. *Entomologia Experimentalis et Applicata*, 156: 225-237.
- Wang, R., Aylwin, R., Barwell, L., Chen, X., Chen, Y., Chou, L., Cobb, J., Collette, D., Craine, L., Giblin-Davis, R. M., Ghana, S., Harper, M., Harrison, R. D., Mcpherson, J. R.,

- Peng, Y., Pereira, R. A.S., Reyes-Betancort, A., Rodriguez, L. J.V., Strange, E., Van Noort, S., Yang, H., Yu, H., And Compton, S. G.(2015). The fig wasp followers and colonists of a widely introduced fig tree, *Ficus microcarpa*. *Insect Conservation and Diversity*. 8: 322-336
- Ghana, S., Suleman, N. and Compton, S. G. (2015). Ability to gall: the ultimate basis of host specificity in fig wasps? *Ecological Entomology*. 40: 280-291
 - Wang, R., Aylwin, R., Cobb, J., Craine L., Ghana S., Reyes-Betancort J. A., Quinnell, R. J. and Compton S. G. (2015). The impact of fig wasps (Chalcidoidea), new to the Mediterranean, on reproduction of an invasive fig tree *Ficus microcarpa* (Moraceae) and their potential for its biological control. *Biological Control*. 81:21-30
 - Bourass, E.M., Shaibi, T., Elkrwe, H.M., Ghana, S. and Swehli, A.I., (2014). Spider fauna (araneae) of Abu Ghilan National Park, north-western Libya. *Indian Society of Arachnology*. 3: 6-16
 - Ghana, S., Suleman, N. and Compton, S. G. (2012). Factors influencing realized sex ratios in fig wasps: double oviposition and larval mortalities. *Journal of Insect Behavior*. 25: 254-263.
 - Ghana, S. (2003) Biological study of the frond Palm borer *Phonapate frontalis* (Fahraeus), Coleoptera: Bostrichidae at Al Wahat region, Libya. M.Sc. Thesis submitted to Zoology Dept. University of Tripoli.