

Curriculum Vitae

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Education

- 2007 **PhD** (T_EX Studies).
T_EX University, Amherst, NY.
Dissertation: *Arabic Critical Editions*.
Advisor: T_EX Distinguished Professor Hans Hagen.
- 1996 **MA** (Physics).
University at Buffalo, State University of New York, Amherst, NY.
Thesis: *Gödel's Universe, the Mach Principle, and the Cosmological Principle: Considerations for the Philosophy of Physics*.
- 1990 **BSc** (Physics; minor, Mathematics).
Georgia State University, Atlanta, GA.

Academic Positions

- 2001– **Location:** T_EX State University, T_EXville, CO.
2007 **Position:** Associate Professor.
Responsibilities: Instruction and research, especially the development of upper-level courses in T_EX and CONTEX_T.

Areas of Specialization

Metaphysics of T_EX, Islamic Philosophy, Philosophy of Mysticism, Philosophy of Science.

Philosophic Interests

T_EX Logic, Category Theory, Chinese Philosophy.

Languages and Technical Skills

Arabic, French, and the professional computer typesetting language T_EX, including the major dialects L^AT_EX, C_ON_TE_XT, as well as the minor dialects ArabT_EX (for typesetting in Arabic script) and EDMAC (for critical edition typesetting). I am also developing a new Arabic-script system for scholarly typesetting, O_RI_EN_TA_L T_EX, based upon T_EX and C_ON_TE_XT.

Publications

Books Authored

1. Idris Samawi Hamid, 2006, *The Cosmology of T_EX*, T_EX University Press, 240 pp.

Articles

1. Idris Samawi Hamid, 2005, *Installing Expert Fonts: Minion Pro*. In *MAPS*, Issue 33; pp. 19–35. Published by the Nederlandstalige T_EX Gebruikersgroep (NTG), Netherlands.

Grants

2006–2007 *Oriental T_EX: A New Direction in Scholarly Complex-Script Typesetting*; Academic Enrichment Program, College of Liberal Arts, CSU; \$42,927.

Presentations

1. 2007, “Oriental T_EX”, 1st Annual C_ON_TE_XT Conference, Epen, the Netherlands.

Service

Profession

1. The T_EX Users Group.

Department

1. Graduate Committee, 2002–2005, 2006–2007.
2. Advisory Committee, 2005–2006.

College

1. T_EX Studies Committee, 2001–2006.

University

1. Faculty Council, Fall 2005.

Thesis/Dissertation Direction

1. Joseph Ramagli (MA), “T_EX Theology in Context”, in progress.