# **Curriculum Vitae**

## Dhahri Amel

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## **Current position:**

Research professor, Department of physics, Gafsa University-Faculty of Sciences

#### **RESEARCH Interests**

Solar chimneys, Modeling and simulation, heat and mass transfer, energy conversion, renewable energies.

## ACADEMIC APPOINTEMENT

2011-2012: Assistant professor, Department of physics, Gafsa University-Faculty of Sciences

**2010-2011:** Assistant professor, Department of physics, Gafsa University-Faculty of Sciences

2009-2010: Assistant professor, Department of physics, Gafsa University-Faculty of Sciences

#### **EDUCATION**

**2009-2012:** PhD candidate in the Engineering National School of Gabes-Tunisia (ENIG)

Departement of Chemical Engineering

Thesis:" Study of a solar system for the energy exploitations".

**2008-2009:** Master degree in chemical engineering at the Engineering National School of Gabes-Tunisia (ENIG)

Master:" Improving energy performance of a DAP drying unit".

**2008:** Diploma of engineer from the Engineering National School of Gabes-Tunisia (ENIG)

Departement of Chemical Engineering

Final project study:" Improving separation performance of an ethanization section of the LPG unit".

#### INVITED LECTURES AND PRESENTATIONS

#### 2012

Participation in the sixth international congress on renewable energies and the environment in Hammamet-Tunisia (CERE 2012)

Title "CFD modeling of a solar chimney power plant".

#### 2010

Participation in the 1st Maghrebian Conference on Materials and Energy in Gafsa-Tunisia (CMMEG 2010)

Title "energy Study of a solar chimney".

#### 2009

Participation in the 1st International symposium of the control of energy and the applications of renewable energies in Gafsa-Tunisia (CIE'09)

Title "Improvement of the energy performances of a unit of drying of the DAP".

#### 2008

Participation in the 15th National Days of the Chemical Company of Tunisia JNC15

Title "Optimization of the consumption of natural gas in a unit of drying DAP".

#### **LANGAGES**

**ARAB**: Mother tongue

French: Good (reading and writing)

**English:** Good (reading and writing)

#### TECHNICAL SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

**Operating systems**: Microsoft Windows® **Office software**: Microsoft Office®, LaTeX

Programming languages: C, Fortran 90, Matlab, Pascal

Technical software: Aspen Plus, Aspen HTFS, Maple, Aspen B-Jac, Ansys FLUENT®,

GAMBIT, AutoCAD®

# **Memberships**

- -Member of Research Unit: Materials, Energy and Renewable Energies, University of Gafsa, Sciences Faculty Tunisia.
- -Member of the organization committee of the Maghrebian Conference on Materials and Energy in Gafsa-Tunisia (CMMEG 2010).
- Member of the review committee of The 5th International Power Engineering and Optimization Conference 2011, Malaysia (PEOCO2011).
- -Member of the Programme committee (reviewer) of the 11<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Environment and Electrical Engineering, Italy (EEEIC 2012).
- -Senior Member of the Asia-Pacific Chemical, Biological& Environmental Engineering Society (APCBEES).
- -Member of the organization committee of the Maghrebian Conference on Materials and Energy in Gafsa-Tunisia (CMMEG 2012).
- Member of the Editorial board of The International Journal of Scientific and Technology Research (IJSTR).
- -Peer-reviewer in the Global Journal of Science Frontier Research.
- -Reviewer in the International Journal of Energy & Technology (IJET).
- -Member of the Editorial board of the International Journal of Current Engineering and Technology.
- -Member of the International Organization on Technical and Physical problems of engineering (IOTPE).
- -Member of the scientific committee of 8th International Conference on Technical and Physical Problems of Power Engineering, Fredrikstad, Norway (ICTPE-2012).
- Member of the scientific committee of the International Journal on Technical and Physical Problems of Power Engineering (IJTPE).
- -Member of the editorial team of the International journal of Renewable energy development (IJRED).
- -Member of the editorial board of Journal of Basic and Applied Physics (JBAP).
- -Member of the editorial board of the Continental Journal of Renewable Energy.
- -Reviewer for the World Scientific and Engineering Academy and Society (WSEAS).
- -Reviewer for the ASME Journal of Heat Transfer (WSEAS).

## **Training and formation**

**July 2007**: Training course engineer within the Chemical Group Tunisia, Factory of Medhilla-Gafsa.

**July 2006**: Working training course within the Tunisian Chemical Group, Factory of Medhilla-Gafsa.

**2010:** Obtaining the Certificate of control of the research tools and access to scientific documentation by the university Agency of Francophonie (AUF).

**2012:** Participation in the 14<sup>th</sup> day of the Science and Technologies of Image and Telecommunications Gabes-Tunisia (SETIT): LateX training Workshop.

**2012:** participation to the Second Workshop on Neural Networks for Signal Processing, Gafsa-Tunisia.

## Fields of competence

- Design of : heat exchangers (tubular, aerocondensers), fractionating columns and the biphasic separators...
- Unit operations: Distillation, Extraction, Separation solid-gas, Absorption, Adsorption, Drying.
- Energy optimization of the industrial processes
- Simulation of the processes (thermo-transformer, refrigerating cycle, fractionating columns, heat exchangers)
- Industrial quality and standards.
- Modeling and simulation.