

Biography

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Dr. Kadi was a Professor of Communications and Electrical Engineering at King Saud University (Riyadh, Saudi Arabia).

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Prof. Kadi has a Ph. D. from Stanford University (1984), M. Sc. (University of Michigan, 1980) and B. Sc (Riyadh University 1978) all in Electrical Engineering.

He has about 25 years of academic, professional and industrial experience. His areas of expertise include Communication Systems, Telecommunication Planning and Management, Information Economy, Cryptology & Information Security, Spectrum Management, Socio-economic Impact of Technology, and Engineering Management. He is an expert in spectrum management and emerging mobile technology and business trends.

Beside education and research, Dr. Kadi was an active industry consultant/advisor. He was Vice President for Engineering and R&D of Advanced Electronics Company (AEC) from 1991-1994 and served as an Executive Consultant since 1994. In addition, Dr. Kadi has performed consultancy services to government agencies, private sector and some international organizations including the GCC and the World Bank. Dr. Kadi has also served in a number of national, academic and industrial committees.

Prof. Kadi has published over a 100 scientific papers, research reports, articles, book translations, general-interest and literary works. He participated in over 60 conferences and seminars and gave numerous technical and business presentations.

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