Cloud Solution for PWHD



From Exclusion to Empowerment: Role of ICT for Persons with Disabilities

Inclusive and Innovative Technological Solutions for Sustainable Societies



Empowerment





Facts

The only thing deaf people cannot do is hear

360 million people worldwide have disabling hearing loss.

http://www.who.int/mediacentre/factsheets/fs300/en/

Although there are no official statistics for the number of deaf people in Egypt, a 2007 study by the World Health Organization estimated that hearing loss is prevalent in 16% of the population of Egypt. This means more than 13 million people across all age groups.

http://deafunit.org/the-deaf-in-egypt/

http://applications.emro.who.int/emhj/1305/13_5_2007_1170_1180.pdf?ua=1

If deaf children receive a good and suitable education then they are every bit as capable as hearing people.

http://unesdoc.unesco.org/images/0012/001255/125541ev.pdf

The Sign Language

When ever we say deaf, we think of sign language

Signed languages are the natural languages of deaf people. They are the languages Deaf people use when they communicate with one another

Sign language is a real language, exactly like all other languages. Except it couldn't be written nor pronounced. It is a set of movements of hands, arms, lips and facial expressions.

It is mainly used by deaf people for communication, expression of their feelings, telling stories, learning and teaching

Without knowing normal people the sign language, It will be very difficult for them to communicate with Deaf people

Definition Of The Problem

Deaf child can do anything that hearing child can do, except hearing, but there are challenges to achieve that.

On the National Level (Egypt)

- Sign language is not fully unified all over the country
- The sign language is not recognized by the government.
- Most of deaf people are not educated
- No unified resources for teachers to teach deaf other than the curricula given to normal students which do not consider the disability for Deaf.
- No access to resources deaf can understand through their sign language.
- Due to poor communication with the society, the deaf communities are isolated
- No chances for jobs.

On the International level

- Most of the developing countries have the same main above problems
- The Modern Countries such as USA, UK, France and others have advanced systems to help their deaf overcome their difficulties.
- No social platform is utilized for deaf communities to communication with each others all over the world.
- And More...

Partners







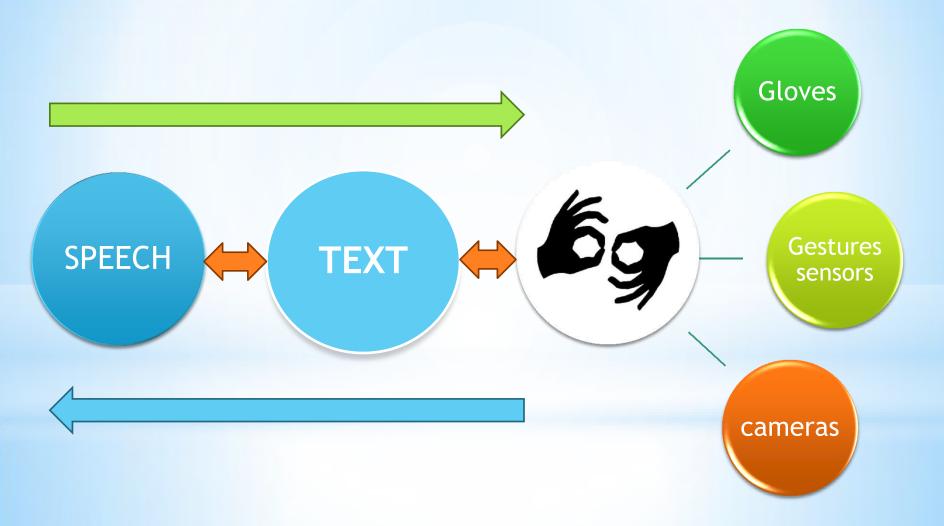


MOE

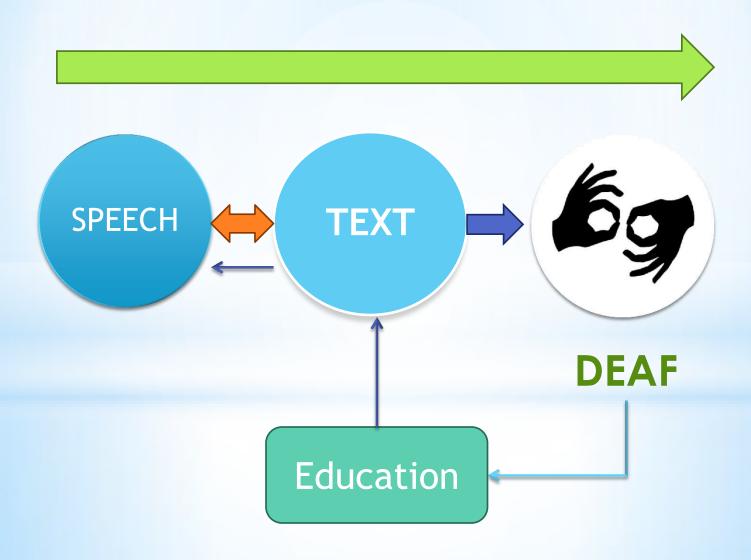


Deaf NGOs

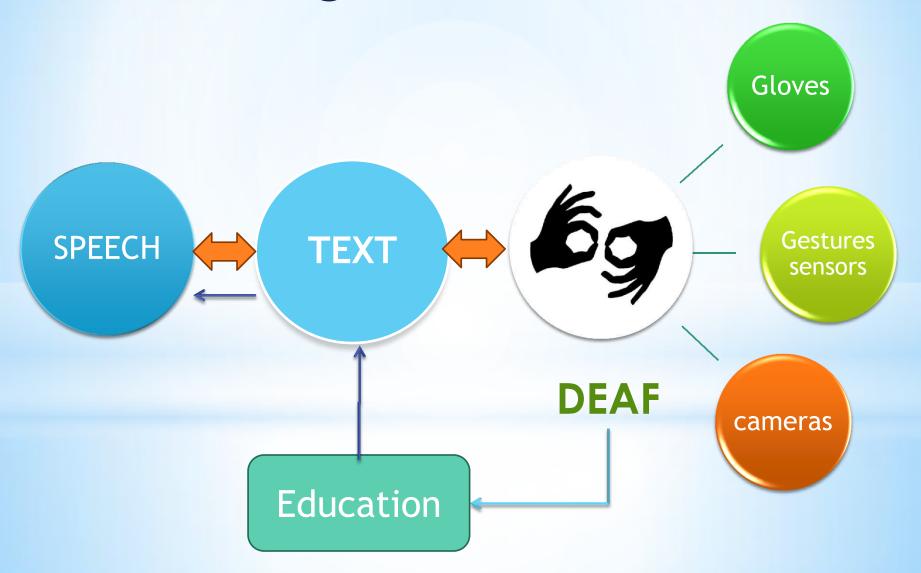
IT Research Areas



Our Suggested Track



To be integrated in the future



For Who?



Teachers



Family



Students







Cloud Based Solution



Arabic Sign Language Dictionary

Deaf Reader

Touch Typing for Deaf

Arabic Fundamentals for Deaf



Cloud Based Solution

تطبيقات تواصل للصم

تطبيق الطباعة باللمس للصم

مجموعة من التدريبات باللغة العربية والانجليزية تم اعدادها بطريقة علمية لتدريب الصم على الكتابة على لوحة المفاتيح وتم دمج لغة الاشارة بها لتيسير عملية التدريب على الكتابة لتصل الى سرعة 60-50 كلمة في الدقيقة.



















Arabic Sign Language Dictionary



- Arabic Alphabets
- English Alphabets
- Words with Video
 Sign (2500+) &
 (5000+) Images
- Sentences Translator

ASLD - Alphabets (Arabic - English)



ASLD - Words





(2500+)

(5000+)



ASLD - Subjects







ASLD - Sentences Reader





Smart Morphological analyzer



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Deaf Reader

5000+ composited Video Signs, 2500+ Video Signs



- It uses built-in Arabic morphological analyzer for analyzing the sentences and displaying according sign videos.
- It could understand the time where the verb happened, the Plural and single,
 Feminine and masculine as well as Pronouns.
- If a word is not existing in the dictionary, it finger spells the word.

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Touch Typing For Deaf (TTD)



TTD - Arabic & English













TTD-Sequential Training (objectives Driven)



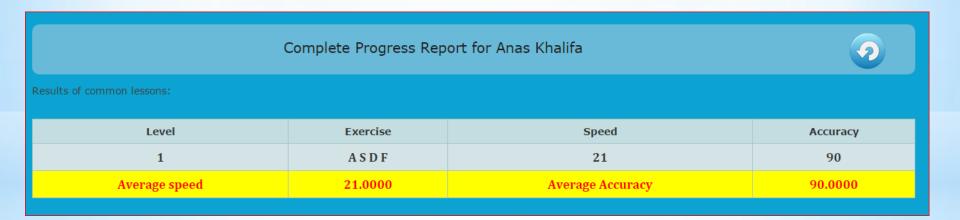
TTD-Clear Design - Measures Accuracy and Speed

Finger, Sign, Keyboard Key, wrong type indicator



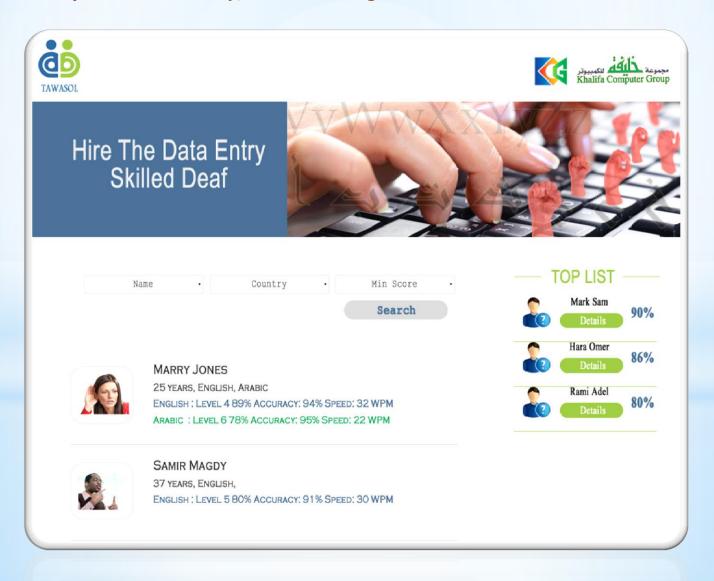
TTD- Measures Accuracy and Speed

Detailed progress reports for user on each exercise and Language



TTD- Job Opportunity

Guaranteed Speed & Accuracy, Will Be Integrated With Social Media



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Learn Arabic Alphabets

Learn Words

Learn Sentences & Grammar

Exercises & Evaluation

Lessons Objectives







عن البرنامج خروج

باب الجمل

باب الكلمات

باب الحروف

مقدمة



أهداف الباب:

في نهاية الباب ينبغي أن يكون المتعلم األصم قادراً على أن :

- ١. يُحدد الحروف الهجائية والمقابل الإشاري لها بدقة وسرعة.
 - ٢ . ينطق الحروف الهجائية بتقليد حركة الشفاه .
 - ٣ . يكتب الحروف الهجائية باستخدام لوحة المفاتيح
- يتعرف على الحروف الهجائية الإشارية بأشكالها الثالث)الفتح ،
 الضم ، الكسر (.
 - يتعرف على الحروف الهجائية الإشارية بأوضاعها الثالث)
 أول، وسط، آخر الكلمة (

انتقل الى الدروس

AFD - Learn Alphabets









AFD - Learn Words





AFD - Learn Sentences









The Next Phase



More Words for the ASLD

Improved Deaf Reader

More Applications

Going to mobile Apps

Next Phase - Sign Dictionary





Increase Video Signs to 5000+, Images to 10000+

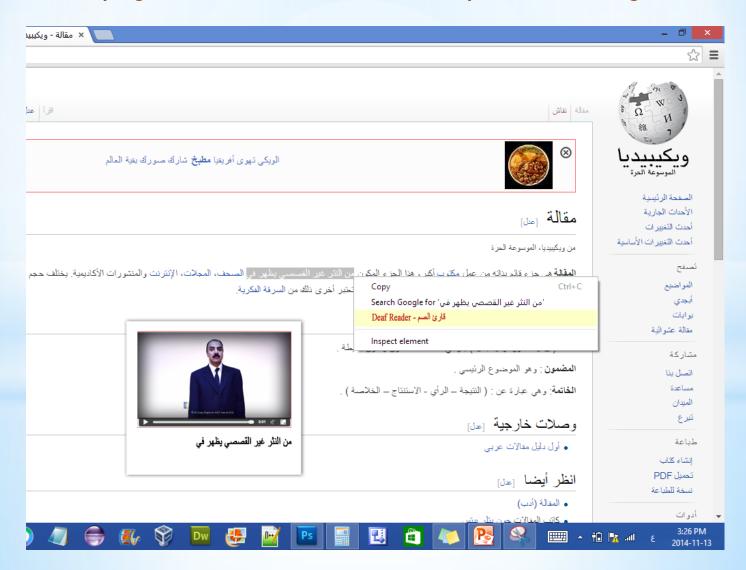
(5000+)

(10000+)



Next Phase - Deaf Reader

Deaf Reader: a plugin for internet browsers to interpret Arabic to Sign Video



Next Phase - Chat App for Mobility



- Text to Speech
- Text to Video Sign
- Voice Recognition
- Chat History (Sign, Text, Speech)
- Word Auto Complete

Results

- Our Cloud Based Solution "Tawasol" provides a complete (input/output) accessibility solution for deaf in Egypt.
- Tawasol does not need any special hardware and is using digital video for signing which was proved as the best over the Avatar.
- Artificial Intelligence is used for translating Arabic text into the Egyptian sign language with high accuracy.

Results

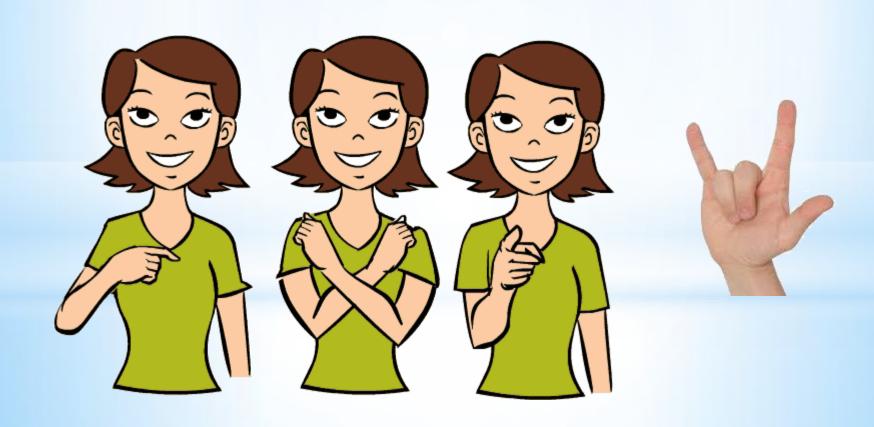
- The system will be applied in 200 deaf schools and 1000 integration schools for MOE in Egypt and will be utilized by Teachers academy for training of teachers on Egyptian sign language. It will the base for developing curricula for Deaf.
- The developed innovative technologies can be used for any sign language in all Arab countries and can be modified for other native languages.

Conclusions

Khalifa Computer Group has developed an innovative system for Deaf which supports enabling, empowering and inclusion of them in both the Education system and the Jobs market. The "Tawasol system" brakes the barriers between deaf, the society and the world.

New phases of the project will deal with more improvements and applications for the infra-structure which was built in the first phase.

Thanks With Worm Love



Questions



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