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Professor Shafik Rifaat is now a Fellow at the American Institute of Certified Planners.

The American Institute of Certified Planners is American Planning Association's professional institute and provides the only public, independent verification of planners' qualifications. Certified planners pledge to uphold high standards of practice, ethics, and professional conduct, and to keep their skills sharp and up-to-date by continuously pursuing advanced professional education.



Professor Rifaat is also a Fellow of the American Institute of Architects. Holding a fellowship at both the AICP and the AIA is a rarity for professional architects.

Professor Rifaat is a principal of SIR Architects & Planners in Houston. He has earned high praise and numerous awards for his talents and expertise.

His work includes the creation of a new town for the Ministry of Planning and Urbanization in Egypt, and he has served as a consultant to the World Bank for community master planning on the Red Sea.

