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EDUCATION

- 1978 PhD in Economics
 Thesis Title: "Are Households Rational or Ultrarational? A Theoretical and Empirical Inquiry"
 Clark University
 950 Main Street, Worcester, MA 01610
- 1975 B.A. in Economics
 Pahlavi University
 Shiraz, Iran
- 09/2002-Current A member of Public Finance Seminar, Economics Department
 Clark University, Worcester, MA

ACADEMIC POSITIONS

- 09/2005-Current La Salle University, Philadelphia, PA
 Economic professor
- 09/2004-Current Member of Board of Director, The Institute for Economic Policy Studies,
 Worcester, MA
 Developing Agenda for the forthcoming African Outreach Program
- 09/2002-09/2004 Research Associate
 Clark University, Institute for Economic Studies
 "Reform of the Public Sector": a research paper as a part of edited volume
 under contract to Edward Elgar Publishing (editor: Attiat F. Ott)
- 1990¹ East Stroudsburg University, East Stroudsburg, PA
 Adjunct Assistant Professor of Economics
- 1982-1986 Rutgers University, Camden, NJ
 Assistant Professor of Economics
- 1981-1982 Temple University, Philadelphia, PA
 Assistant Professor of Economics
- 1978-1981 Pahlavi University, Shiraz, Iran
 Assistant Professor of Economics
- 1978-1981 Shiraz Municipality, Shiraz, Iran

¹ After leaving my academic position at Rutgers for private business, engaged in academic teaching on a part-time basis.

Economic advisor to the municipality and Public Finance Instructor to Tax Auditors

1977-1978 Lowell University, Lowell, MA
Part-time Instructor of Economics

1976-1978 Clark University, Department of Economics, Worcester, MA
Teaching and Research Assistant

PUBLICATIONS²

2003, "Tax Reform: Chasing the Elusive Dream", a paper as a part of a special issue of the Atlantic Economic Journal on the Secretary William E. Simon Contribution to Economic Policy: A Retrospective Look at the Simon Agenda., September

1988, "A Test for Household's Behavior in Response to Government Activities", *Southern Economic Journal*, April.

1987, "Private Sector's Perception of Fiscal Action", *Journal of Macroeconomics*, IX (2)

1987, "Has Removal of Mortgage Ceiling Rates Helped the Home Buyers?", *The Indian Economic Journal*, Fall.

1985, "Tax Discounting, Review of Recent Literature", *The Indian Economic Journal*, July-September.

1985, "Deregulation of Lending Rates", *Proceedings of the Pennsylvania Conference of Economists*, June.

1980, "Economic Ignorance, Our Major Problem", *National Economics*, Tehran Press.

1980, "Special Characteristics of the Iranian Banking System", *National Economics*, Tehran Press.

1980, "Banking Without Interest (Pros and Cons)", *Pahlavi University Press*, Shiraz, Iran.

1979, "Objectives of Monetary Policy in Conducting the Economy 1964-1974", *Iran Central Bank Review*, Iran's Central Bank Publication, Spring.

1978, "Malnutrition and Developing Countries", *Iran National Planning and Organization Review*, December.

1978, "The Income Distribution of White Revolution in Iran", *Iran National Planning Organization Review*, September.

1978, "The Structure of Tax System in Iran", *Public Economics*, Tehran University Press, Fall.

WORKING PAPERS (PROCESSED)

² Publications associated with academic tenure.

1987, "A New Model for Testing the Consumer Rationality Hypothesis"

1987, "Increased Government Expenditures and Income Inequality via the Labor Market"

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 10/2003 “The Economic analysis of HIPPA”, International Economic Conference, Quebec City, Canada
- 06/1984 “Deregulation of Lending Rates”, Pennsylvania Conference of Economics
- 09/1981 “What is Banking Without Interest?”, Temple University
- 03/1980 “How Can the Local Government Collect Tax More Efficiently?”, Annual Conference on Taxation, Shiraz Municipality, Shiraz, Iran
- 03/1979 “US Tax System and Its Application in the Developing Countries”, Annual Conference on Taxation, Shiraz Municipality, Shiraz, Iran

COURSES TAUGHT

Graduate: Public Finance, Monetary Theory & Policy, Macroeconomics, Fiscal & Monetary Policy, Independent Study

Undergraduate: Public Finance, Money & Banking, Intermediate Macroeconomics, Intermediate Microeconomics, Economics of Public Policy, Principles of Finance, Independent Study, Economics of Community, Financial Institutions, Principles of Micro- & Macroeconomics

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AND MEMBERSHIPS

- Current Member of the American Economic Association and International Atlantic Economic Society
- 1983 Referee for *Journal of Macroeconomics*
- 1982 – 1986 Editor of *Demand & Supply Journal*, Rutgers University
- 1985 Member of the Disciplinary Hearing Panel, Rutgers University
- 1981 – 1982 Member of the Economic Department Scheduling Committee, Temple University
- 1979 – 1981 Member of Economic Department Council, Pahlavi University
- 1979 – 1981 Member of the Public Relations Committee, Pahlavi University
- 1977 – 1981 Member of Scheduling Committee, Pahlavi University

NON-ACADEMIC POSITIONS HELD

Financial Advisor and Executive Administrator at

- 2000-Current Northeastern Rehabilitation and Pain Management Center, East Stroudsburg, PA
Northeastern Neurology Center, East Stroudsburg, PA
MRI Diagnostic and Imaging Center, East Stroudsburg, PA

1990-2000 Main Line Neurology, PC, Devon, PA
Neurology Associates of Monroe County, East Stroudsburg, PA
Northeastern Rehabilitation and Sports Medicine Center
Pocono MRI