Curriculum Vitae

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# Position

Senior Lecturer, Monash University: January 2017- Present Lecturer, Monash University: November 2010- December 2016 Visiting Scholar, Indiana University: August-December 2015 Research intern. International Monetary Fund: July 2010-September 2010

#### **Education:**

*PhD in Economics*, University of Melbourne, 2011*MS. in Economics*, Sharif University of Technology, Iran, 2005B.S. *in Economics*, Shahid Beheshti, Iran, 2002

# **Research Interests:**

Macroeconomics, Public Economics, Growth Theory, Family Economics

## **Publications:** Paper

"Does Home Production Drive Structural Transformation?, (with Alessio Moro and Satoshi Tanaka), <u>American Economic Journal: Macroeconomics</u>, 9(3) (2017), 1–33.

"Marriage and Economic Development in the Twentieth Century" (with Alessio Moro and Satoshi Tanaka), *Journal of Demographic Economics*, 83 (4) (2017), 379-420.

"What Has Driven the Great Fertility Decline in Developing Countries since 1960?" (with Jakob B. Madsen, and Cong Wang), <u>The Journal of Development Studies</u>, 23 (2017), 1-20.

"Public-Private Mix of Health Expenditure: A Political Economy Approach and a Quantitative Exercise" (with Shuyun May Li and Siew ling Yew), <u>Canadian Journal of</u> <u>Economics</u> 49(2), (2016), 834-866.

"The Role of Dietary Choices and Medical Expenditures on Health Outcomes when Health Shocks are Endogenous" (with Pedro Gomis-Porqueras and Richard M. H. Suen), *Economic Modelling*, 54 (2016): 13-25.

"Economic Freedom and Productivity Growth in Resource-rich Economies" (with Minoo Farhadi and Md Rabiul Islam), *World Development*, 72 (2015), 109–126

"The composition of government expenditure with alternative choice mechanisms." (with John Creedy, *New Zealand Economic Papers*, 48 (2014), 53-71.

"The Composition of Government Expenditure: Economic Conditions and Preferences" (with John Creedy and Shuyun May Li), *Economic Inquiry*, 49 (2011), 94-107

"A Loglinear Tax and Transfer Function: Majority Voting and Optimal Rates" (with John Creedy), <u>Australian Journal of Labour Economic</u>, 14 (2011), 1-14

"Inequality Aversion and the Optimal Composition of Government Expenditure" (with John Creedy and Shuyun May Li), *Macroeconomic Dynamics*, 14 (2010), 290-306

"The Role of Home Production in Voting over Taxes and Expenditure" (with John Creedy), <u>Australian Journal of Labour Economic</u>, 13 (2010), 81-97

"The Optimal Division of Government Expenditure between Public Goods and Transfer Payments" (with john Creedy), *Australian Economic Papers*, 49 (2010) 87-100

"Macro-Fiscal Implications of Health Care Reform in Advanced and Emerging Economies—Case Studies" <u>Prepared by the Fiscal Affairs Department, IMF Policy Paper</u> (Washington, December 2010).

"Modelling the composition of government expenditure in democracies" (with John Creedy), *European Journal of Political Economy*, 25 (2009), 42–55

#### **Publication: Book**

Modelling the Composition of Government Expenditure. Cheltenham: (with John Creedy) Cheltenham, UK: Edward Elgar, 2011

#### Work in progress:

"Homicide in the West, 1800-2016: The impact of Alcohol, Drugs and Deterrence" **Revise and resubmit** at *Journal of Human Capital* 

"Fiscal Devaluation: Role of Government Expenditure"

"Changes in the Composition of Tax Revenues: Implications for Monetary and Fiscal Policy"

"The social disorganization theory and crime in west, 1870-2016"

"The growth and welfare effects of parental leave policies"

#### **Conference and Seminar Presentations**

Annual Meeting of MEEA (Middle East Economic Association, 2007), Ph.D. Workshop in Economics (Monash University, Feb 2008), Macroeconomic workshop (University of

Melbourne, May 2008), Macroeconomic workshop (University of Auckland, Jun 2008), Ph.D. Conference 2008 (Australian National University, Nov 2008), 14th Australasian Macroeconomics Workshop (Deakin University, April 2009), 13th ZEI International Summer School (Bonn University, Jun 2009), PGPPE 2009 Workshop (University of Graz, July 2009), Australasian Public Choice Conference (Deakin University, Dec 2009), Workshop (Monash University, Jan 2010), Workshop (Latrobe University, March 2010), Monash Macro workshop (Monash University, July 2011), Macroeconomic workshop (Deakin University, October 2011), Macroeconomic workshop (Australian National University, March 2012), Southern Workshop in Macroeconomics (Auckland University, April 2012), Guest lectures (Treasury of New Zealand, April 2012), 17th Australasian Macroeconomics Workshop 2012 (Monash University, April 2012), 11th annual Canadian Health Economist's Study Group (Alberta university, Jun 2012), 7th Workshop of Macroeconomic Dynamics (University of Sydney, September 2012), Macroeconomic seminar series (Monash University, October 2012), Macroeconomic seminar series (Melbourne University, April 2013), Workshop on Macroeconomic Dynamics 2013 (Monash University, Jun 2013), Public Economic Theory (Catolica-Lisbon, July 2013), Department of Treasury and Finance (Victoria-Australia, November 2013), Australasian Public Choice Conference (Singapore, December 2013), Public Economic Theory (Washington, July 2014), Macroeconomic seminar series (Monash University, October 2013), Macroeconomic seminar series (University of Melbourne, October 2014), Australasian Public Choice Conference (Monash University, December 2014). Centre of Health Economics (Monash University, June 2015), Monash-Warwick Alliance Workshop (University of Warwick- June 2015), Public Economic Theory (Luxembourg, July 201). Macroeconomic seminar series (University of Cagliari, July 2015), Macroeconomic seminar series (Indiana University, September 2015), Fall Midwest Macro Meeting (University of Rochester, November 2015), Jobs and growth seminar (International Monetary Fund, November 2015), Macroeconomic seminar series (Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, November 2015), 2nd Workshop of Austrasia Macroeconomic Society (UNSW, December 2015), Macro/Finance Macro workshop (Monash university- February 2016), 3rd Workshop of Australasian Macroeconomics Society (AUN- August 2017), Federal Relations and Tax Reform Workshop (University of Adelaide- August 2017), Australasian Public Choice Conference (Deakin University, December 2017), Public Economic Theory (Vietnam, June 2018), Society of Computational Economics and Finance (Italy, July 2018), Workshop on International and Urban Economics (China, July 2018).

#### **Teaching:**

Teaching Award department of Economics in 2019

• For developing, implementing and delivering a course that helps students progressively achieve a higher level of understanding and become independent learners.

Teaching award 2016

Department of Economics Teaching prize based on high teaching evaluation in ECC4660

Teaching award 2015

• Department of Economics Teaching Commendation

• Department of Economics Teaching prize based on high teaching evaluation in ECF5421

Applied Macroeconomics, (Master), Monash University, Semester one 2011, 2012, 2013 and 2015

Teaching Evaluation: 4.36 (2011), 4.06 (2012), 4.29 (2013), 4.73 (2015), 3.94 (2017)

Macroeconomics (Honours), Monash University, Semester one 2014 and 2015

• Teaching evaluation: 4.5 (2014), 4.86 (2015), 4.95 (2016)

#### Service:

Organizing Conference/Workshop/Seminar

- Monash Macroeconomic workshop in 2011
- Australasian Public Choice Conference in 2014
- Macroeconomics weekly seminar in 2015 (semester one)
- Summer school in Macroeconomics in 2016
- Macroeconomics weekly seminar in 2016
- Seminar director since 2016-2019
- Macro/Finance workshop 2017
- Australian gender economics workshop in February 2019

Committee member

- Hiring Committee (level B/C) in 2012
- Research Committee June 2014-June 2015
- A committee member of Women Economic Network (Victoria Branch) in 2018-2020
- Equity and Social Inclusion Committee at Monash business school in 2020.

Supervision: Adrew He (Honours thesis-2013)

Zeresh Errol (PhD thesis- 2018) Kyneton Morris (Honours thesis-2017) Shengqin Zhang (Honours thesis-2018) Isabelle Layton (Honours thesis-2018) Tuo Shen (Master thesis-2019) Olamid Aayoade-alabi (PhD thesis- current)

Refereeing: European Journal of Economics, World Development, and Canadian Journal of Economics, Economic Modelling, Economic bulletin, Economic Inquiry

## Awards, scholarship and internship:

2007

2007 Kilmany Scholarship is awarded to the student who received the highest overall result in the first year of PhD coursework program in the University of Melbourne.

2009	Scholarship to attend the 13 <sup>th</sup> ZEI International Summer School, Bonn University, Germany.
2006-2010	PhD scholarship: full fellowship for PhD at the University of Melbourne.
2010	IMF – Internship

# Membership:

American economic association

# **Personal Information**

Citizen of Iran, Australia Languages: English (fluent), Farsi (native)