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Personal information

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Research Interest: Applied Econometrics
Development Economics
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Education

Ph.D. in Economics, expected May 2009

University of Southern California Los Angeles, CA

Master of Arts in Economics, May 2006

University of Southern California Los Angeles, CA

Master of Business Administration, August 2004

Sharif University of Technology Tehran, Iran

B.S. in Mechanical Engineering, September 2002

Sharif University of Technology Tehran, Iran

Honors and Awards

Graduate Merit fellowship

Graduate School of University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA

Fall 2004 - present

Outstanding Student Award

Graduate School of Business and Economics, Sharif University of Technology

2002 - 2004

Work experience

Research Assistant *Fall 2006 - present*
for John Strauss, Department of Economics, USC, Los Angeles, California

Research Assistant *Spring 2006 - present*
for Levon Goukasian, Department of Economics, USC, Los Angeles, California

Econometrician *Winter 2006 - present*
for Arthur Auerbach, Department of Political Science, USC, Los Angeles, California

Research Assistant *March – August 2004*
for Ali Prizadeh, Advanced Institute for Research in Planning and Development, Tehran, Iran

Project Manager *2002 - 2003*
Sharif Center for Entrepreneurship, Sharif University, Tehran, Iran.

Manager *2001 - 2002*
Own-business, a Total Student café in Sharif University of Technology, Tehran, Iran.

Research Assistant *2001*
for M. Said Saidi , Department of Mechanical Engineering, Sharif University of Technology, Tehran, Iran

Teaching experience

Teaching, University of Southern California, USC:

- Econ 414 - Introduction to Econometrics, Fall 2006
- ISE 562 – Valuation and Decision Theory, Summer 2006
- BUAD 351 – Economic Analysis of Business Decisions, Summer 2006
- Econ 303 – Intermediate Microeconomics, Spring 2006

Other Teaching:

- Micro/Macroeconomics for students of Pharmaeconomics, Iran, Summer 2003.
- English for MBA National Examination, Mahan Educational Association, Iran, January – May 2004.
- English for MBA National Examination, Kosar Educational Association, Iran, Fall – Spring 2004.
- Introduction to Economics for MBA National Examination, Kosar Educational Association, Iran, Fall 2003 – Spring 2004.

Teaching experience (continued)

Teaching Assistant, Department of Economics, USC:

- Econ 652 – Financial Markets II (Prof. Goukasian), Spring 2007
- Econ 615 – Applied Econometrics (Prof. Moon), Spring 2007
- Econ 414 – Introduction to Econometrics (Prof. Rashidian), Fall 2006
- Econ 434 – Economics of Law (Prof. Kamrany), Spring 2006
- Econ 350 – The World Economy (Prof. Kamrany), Spring 2006
- Econ 203 – Principles of Microeconomics (Prof. Al-Sabea), Fall 2005

Teaching Assistant, Sharif Graduate School of Business and Economics, Tehran, Iran.

- Organization Theory (Prof. Feyzbakhsh), Fall 2004

Working papers

Mehdi Majbouri, “Regulation, Liberalization and Monopoly Inefficiencies”, Draft, December 2006.

Levon Goukasian and Mehdi Majbouri, “Impact of Monetary Policy Actions on Uncertainty in the Stock Market”, Draft, November 2006.

Levon Goukasian and Mehdi Majbouri, “The Reaction of Real-Estate-Related Industries to the Monetary Policy Actions”, submitted to Journal of Real Estate Finance and Economics, October 2006.

Mehdi Majbouri, “Effect of Group Membership on Household Welfare in South Africa 1993-1998 – a note”, Draft, September 2006.

Publications

Aslani S., Eshraghi A. & Majbouri M., “Economics and its Applications for Managers”, Negah Danesh Publications, 2004, Tehran, Iran.

Aslani, S., Ghaffar zadegan N. & Majbouri M., “Theories of Management for MBA Examination”, Negah Danesh Publications, 2003, Tehran, Iran.

Publications (continued)

Aslani, S., Ghaffarzagdegan, N. & Majbouri, M., "GMAT for MBA Examination", Negah Danesh Publications, 2003, Tehran, Iran.

Aslani, S., Ghaffarzagdegan, N. & Majbouri, M., "English for MBA Examination", Negah Danesh Publications, 2003, Tehran, Iran.