

Curriculum Vitae

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- Associate Dean for Graduate Studies and Research &
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- Ph.D. Economics (1983)
University of California
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- M.A. Economics (1979)
University of California
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- M.S. Electrical Engineering (1979)
University of California
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- B.S. Electrical Engineering (1977)
Iowa State University
Ames, Iowa, U.S.A.

Specialization: Economics of Natural Resources and Energy
Econometrics & Quantitative Methods
Economic Theory

Ph.D. Thesis Title: **"Recent Developments Within OPEC: An Economic Perspective."**
Submitted June 13, 1983 to: University of California Santa Barbara,
U.S.A.

Awards: Scientific Achievement Award, 1992
Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Sciences
Kuwait.

Editorial Boards: Arab Journal of Administrative Sciences
Kuwait University

Kuwait Economic Journal
Kuwait Economic Society, Kuwait

Journal of Development and Economic Policies
The Arab Planning Institute, Kuwait

Professional Affiliation: Research Fellow: Economic Research Forum
Member: Kuwait Economic Society

Published Research Papers

1. **"Recent Developments Within OPEC: An Economic Perspective,"** The Journal of Energy and Development, Vol. (9), No. (2), (Spring) 1984, pp. 223-241. The International Research Center for Energy and Economic Development (ICEED), University of Colorado, U.S.A.
2. **"Instability in the World Oil Market and the Role of OPEC,"** Journal of Finance and Industry, No. (6), 1985, pp. 23-32. The Industrial Bank of Kuwait, Kuwait.
3. **"An Interpretive Survey of the Structure of the World Oil Market,"** The Arab Journal of the Social Sciences, Vol. (1), No. (2), (October) 1986, pp. 196-214. Kuwait University, Kuwait.
4. **"An Evaluation of Traditional Admission Standards in Predicting Kuwait University Students' Academic Performance,"** with Mohammad Al-Mahmeed, Higher Education, Vol. (17), No. (2), 1988, pp. 203-217. Kluwer Academic Publishers, Dordrecht, the Netherlands.
5. **"Predictors of Academic Performance for Kuwait University Students,"** with Mohammad Al-Mahmeed, The Arab Journal of the Social Sciences, Vol. (3), No. (1), 1988, pp. 22-54. Kuwait University, Kuwait.
6. **"Prospects for International Utilization of Natural Gas,"** Journal of the Social Sciences, Vol. (16), No. (4), (Winter) 1988, pp. 157-181. Kuwait University, Kuwait. (Arabic)
7. **"The Role of the Banking Sector in the Kuwaiti Economy,"** with Abdulhadi Yousef, Journal of Finance and Industry, No. (10), 1989, pp. 67-84. Industrial Bank of Kuwait, Kuwait. (Arabic)

8. **"The Role of Government Expenditures in the Development of the Non-Oil Sectors in Kuwait,"** with Abdulhadi Yousef, *The Middle East Business and Economic Review*, Vol. (2), No. (1), 1990, pp. 13-21. The International Center for Middle East Business and Economic Research Ltd., Sydney, Australia.
9. **"Non-OPEC Oil Supply,"** *The Journal of Energy and Development*, Vol. (16), No. (1), (Autumn) 1990, pp. 79-90. The International Research Center for Energy and Economic Development (ICEED), University of Colorado, U.S.A.
10. **"OPEC Strategies for the Monopoly Oil Profits,"** in *The Oil Market in the 1980s: A Decade of Decline*, Siamack Shojai and Bernard S. Katz (editors), pp. 23-39, 1992. Praeger Publishers, U.S.A.
11. **"Price Levels and Exchange Rates: The Case of Kuwait,"** with John Pippenger, *Journal of King Saud University (Administrative Sciences)*, Vol. (5), No. (2), (1413 A.H.) 1993, pp. 69-89. King Saud University, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia.
12. **"Liquidity in the Kuwait Banking System,"** with Abdulhadi Yousef, *Journal of Finance and Industry*, No. (11), 1993, pp. 81-101. Industrial Bank of Kuwait, Kuwait. (Arabic)
13. **"Forecasting Manpower Requirements in Bahrain,"** with Abdul-Karim Al-Saffar & Jafar A. Haji, *The Egyptian Statistical Journal*, Vol. (38), No. (1), 1994, pp. 19-32. Institute of Statistical Studies and Research, Cairo University, Egypt.
14. **"A Simple Computable General Equilibrium Model for Saudi Arabia,"** with Jafar A. Haji & Mahdi H. Al-Salman, *Journal of College of Business for Scientific Research*, Vol. (31), No. (1), (March) 1994, pp. 33-71. Alexandria University, Egypt.
15. **"Efficiency of Exchange Rate Determination: The Case of Kuwait,"** with John Pippenger, *Journal of the Social Sciences*, Vol. (22), No. (1/2), (Spring/Summer) 1994, pp. 287-315. Kuwait University, Kuwait.
16. **"The Impact of the Iraqi Invasion on the Structure and Ranking of the Industrial Sector in Kuwait,"** with Jafar A. Haji & Mahdi Al-Salman, *Journal of College of Business for Scientific Research*, Vol. (31), No. (2), 1994, pp. 239-264. Alexandria University, Egypt. (Arabic)
17. **"The Impact of the Structure of Government Expenditures on the Kuwaiti Economy after the Gulf War,"** with Jafar Haji & Ahmed Dashti, *Journal of the Gulf and Arabian Peninsula Studies*, Vol. (20), No. (79), (October) 1994, pp. 15-41. Kuwait University, Kuwait. (Arabic)
18. **"A Comparative Analysis of The GCC Economies: A Linkage Structure Approach,"** with Jafar A. Haji & Mahdi Al-Salman, *The Middle East Business and Economic Review*, Vol. (7), No. (1), (January) 1995, pp. 41-56. The International Center for Middle East Business and Economic Research Ltd., Sydney, Australia.
19. **"The Structure of Demand for Electricity in the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) Countries,"** with M. Nagy Eltony, *The Journal of Energy and Development*, Vol. (18), No. (2), (Spring) 1995, pp. 213-221. The International Research Center for Energy and Economic Development (ICEED), University of Colorado, U.S.A.
20. **"The Demand for Natural Gas in the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) States,"** with M. Nagy Eltony, *The Middle East Business and Economic Review*, Vol. (8), No. (1), (January) 1996, pp. 41-48. The International Center for Middle East Business and Economic Research Ltd., Sydney, Australia.

21. **"Private Consumption in the GCC Countries: An Empirical Investigation (1970-1992),"** Journal of the Social Sciences, Vol. (24), No. (4), (Winter) 1996, pp. 198-228. Kuwait University, Kuwait.
22. **"The Demand for Imports in Kuwait,"** Journal of Business Studies, Vol. (10), Nos. (3&4), 1996, pp. 429-454. Faculty of Commerce and Business Administration, Helwan University, Arab Republic of Egypt.
23. **"Demand for Oil in the OECD Countries Revisited,"** The Journal of Energy and Development, Vol. (23), No. (1), (autumn) 1997, pp. 95-112. The International The International Research Center for Energy and Economic Development (ICEED), University of Colorado, U.S.A.
24. **"The Economic Significance of the Insurance Sector in Kuwait,"** Journal of Economics and Administration, No. 14, (December) 1998, pp. 107-123. The College of Business & Economics, United Arab Emirates University, U.A.E.
25. **"The Demand for Imports in the GCC Countries,"** with Mohammed Al-Sakka, Journal of the Gulf and Arabian Peninsula Studies, Vol. (XXVII), No. 100, (Jan. – Mar) 2001, pp. 43-84. Kuwait University, Kuwait.
26. **"Exchange Rates and Domestic Prices in the GCC Countries,"** with Mohamed Ghars El-Din, Economic Research Forum for the Arab Countries, Iran & Turkey, Working Paper Series (No. 0105), 2001.

Completed Research Papers

27. "The World Oil Supply Revisited."

Books Authored

1. Energy and Petroleum Industries: Fundamentals and Economics, University Textbook, 1988, Kuwait. (Arabic)
2. World Oil Prices: Demand, Supply and Substitutes, co-authored with Walter J. Mead, published by The International Research Center for Energy and Economic Development (ICEED) , 1990. University of Colorado, U.S.A.

Book Reviews

- The Environment: Economic Perspectives**, by E. Goodstein. Completed 1991, for W.H. Freeman and Company Publishers, New York, U.S.A.
- The Waste of Nations: Dysfunction in the World Economy**, by Douglas Dowd, Westview Press, 1989. Completed 1994, for Journal of the Social Sciences, Kuwait.
- Economic Development in the GCC: the Blessing and the Curse of Oil**, by Hossein Askari, Vahid Nowshirvani, and Mohamed Jaber, JAI Press Inc., 1997. Completed 1998, for The Journal of Energy and Development, Boulder, Colorado, U.S.A.

Article Translations

- "The Economics of Life and Death,"** by A. K. Sen. For Arabic Translation of Scientific American, No. (5), 1993. Completed 1994, for Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Sciences, Kuwait.

"The Growing Popularity of Econometrics," by Damodar Gujarati, in academic Newsletter; Economics, McGraw-Hill Inc. pp. 3-4. Published in University Horizons (Afaq), May 4, 1996, page 10. Published by Kuwait University, Kuwait.

Projects: Completed

1. **"The Economic Impact of Changing the Structure of Electricity Pricing in Kuwait,"** in collaboration with a team of researchers, KISR Final Report No. 2346, July 1984. Kuwait Institute for Scientific Research (KISR), Kuwait. (Arabic, Restricted Circulation)
2. **"A Critical Review of a Study by The Kuwait Chamber of Commerce Dealing with Non-performing Bank Loans,"** September 1985. The Amiri Diwan, Kuwait. (Arabic, Restricted Circulation)
3. **"Proposals for Reviving the Kuwaiti Economy with Emphasis on the Banking Sector,"** with Abdulhadi Yousef and Ibrahim Effanah, November 1985. The Kuwaiti Banks Committee, Kuwait. (Arabic, Restricted Circulation)
4. **"The Status of the World Oil Market and Medium Term Outlook,** in collaboration with a team of research assistants, March 20, 1989. Economic Affairs, Ministry of Oil, Kuwait, . (Restricted Circulation)
5. **"The Dynamics of Exchange Rate Determination in Capital Surplus Countries: The Case of Kuwait,"** with John Pippenger, Grant No. CC004, 1989. Research Administration, Kuwait University, Kuwait.
6. **"Consumption Patterns in Kuwait and Means of Rationalizing It,"** in collaboration with a team of researchers from Kuwait University. Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Sciences (KFAS), Kuwait.
7. **"Evaluation, Analysis, and Forecasting of the Insurance Market in Kuwait,"** in collaboration with a team of researchers from Kuwait University and Kuwait Insurance Company, completed in 1999. Financed by Kuwait Insurance Company and Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Sciences (KFAS), Kuwait.
8. **"Kuwait/World Bank Education Expenditure Analysis Study: Labor Market Needs,"** in collaboration with a team of researchers from Kuwait University, completed in 2002. Financed by the Ministry of Finance.
9. **"Enhancing the Role of the Oil Sector in the Development of the Kuwaiti Economy: A Comparative Study with the Norwegian Economy,"** with a team of researchers from Kuwait University, prepared for the Higher Planning Authority, September 2005.

Committees & Advisory Boards

1. **KFAS Prize Committee,** Best Article Published in Kuwait Humanities Journals in 1993, Kuwait Foundation for the advancement of Sciences (KFAS), Kuwait.
2. **KFAS Prize Committee,** Arabic Book Exhibition of 1993. Task: Selecting Best Published Books in Humanities (four categories). Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Sciences (KFAS), Kuwait.
3. **Economic Committee,** The International Conference on the Effects of the Iraqi Aggression on the State of Kuwait, 1994, Kuwait University, Kuwait.
4. **Nomination Committee,** The Kuwait Prize 1995, Field of Economics and Social Sciences, Kuwait Foundation for the Advancement of Sciences, Kuwait.

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5. **Economic Consultant**, Finance and Economics Committee, Kuwait Parliament, February to August 1995.
6. **Committee Member**, Assistance to the Quintuple Committee Charged with Proposing a new Salary Structure, Kuwait University Faculty Association, 1997.
7. **Review Committee**, Formed by Kuwait University President to Study the Organizational Structure of the Language Center and its Functions, 1998.

Conferences, Seminars & Workshops

- 1- **Conference: "Energy Industries in Transition: 1984 - 2000,"** the International Association for Energy Economics, November 5-7, 1984. San Francisco, U.S.A.
- 2- **Executive Seminar: "Energy Decision making in the Eighties,"** Stanford University, July 7-19, 1985. Stanford, U.S.A.
- 3- **Lecture: "Use of Public Funds in the Economic Crisis,"** Social Cultural Society, Jan. 1, 1986. Kuwait
- 4- **Lecture: "The Latest Developments in the Oil Market,"** Economics and Political Science Student Association, March 19, 1986. Kuwait University, Kuwait.
- 5- **Conference: "Energy Decisions For The Future: Challenge and Opportunities,"** the International Association for Energy Economics, June 5-7, 1986. Tokyo, Japan.
- 6- **Workshop: "Econometric Modeling,"** IBM Europe Institute, July 21-25, 1986. Oberlech, Austria.
- 7- **Conference: "World Energy Markets: Coping With Instability,"** the International Association for Energy Economics, July 6-8, 1987. Calgary, Canada.
- 8- **Seminar: "Energy Conservation,"** November 16, 1988, The Gulf Cooperation Council Secretariat, Riyadh, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia. (Presented a paper)
- 9- **Conference: "Energy Supply in the 1990s and Beyond,"** the International Association for Energy Economics, June 26-28, 1989. Caracas, Venezuela.
- 10- **Conference: "The Globalization of Financial Markets and its Impact on the GCC Countries,"** Kuwait University, October 7-9, 1989. Kuwait City, Kuwait.
- 11- **Lecture: "Development Planning in the Gulf Cooperation Council Countries,"** The Arab Planning Institute Regional Program, April 4 - May 22, 1992, Kuwait.
- 12- **Seminar: "Economic Planning and Administration in Kuwait,"** April 6, 1993, Kuwait Economic Society, Kuwait.
- 13- **Conference: "Future Directions of The Kuwaiti Economy,"** May 3-5, 1993. The First Conference for Kuwaiti Economists, Kuwait Economic Society, Kuwait. (Discussant)
- 14- **Conference: "Energy, Environment and Sustainable Development: Challenges for the 21st Century,"** the International Association for Energy Economics, July 27-29, 1993. Bali, Indonesia.

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- 15- **Conference: "The International Conference on the Effects of the Iraqi Aggression on Kuwait,"** Kuwait University, April 2-6, 1994. Kuwait (Committee Chair for the Economic Impacts of the Iraqi Aggression).
- 16- **Conference: "Education and Development,"** Kuwait Teachers Society, April 23-27, 1994. Kuwait (Representing The College of Commerce, Econ. & Political Science).
- 17- **Conference: "Energy and Arab Cooperation,"** Organization of Arab Petroleum Exporting Countries, May 7-10, 1994. Cairo, Egypt (Invited Guest).
- 18- **Lecture: "Methods and Techniques for Estimating and Forecasting Demand,"** Training Program for Al-Lulua Real Estate Company, November 17, 1994. Kuwait.
- 19- **Conference: "The Changing Role of the State,"** the Economic Research Forum for the Arab Countries, Iran & Turkey, Jan. 8-10, 1995. Morocco. (Discussant)
- 20- **Seminar: "Emerging Markets,"** Morgan Stanley & Kuwait Investment Authority, January 18, 1995. Kuwait City, Kuwait.
- 21- **Conference: "Towards a Proper Approach to National Issues,"** Kuwait Economic Society, March 12-14, 1995. Kuwait
- 22- **Seminar: "Investment Opportunities in Kuwait,"** Kuwait Investment Authority, March 18, 1995, Kuwait.
- 23- **Conference: "Fiscal Policy Instruments for Dealing with the Deficit in the Government Budget,"** The Second Conference for Kuwaiti Economists, April 9-11, 1995, Kuwait Economic Society, Kuwait.
- 24- **Round Table: "The Concept of Benign Intervention,"** Kuwait University, April 19-23, 1995, Kuwait.
- 25- **Conference: "The Current Situation of Kuwaiti Women and Future Prospects,"** Public Benefit Societies, May 20-23, 1995, Kuwait.
- 26- **Round Table: "Modeling Economic Integration Efforts in the Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) States,"** The General Secretariat of GCC, May 23-24, 1995, Kuwait. (Session Chair).
- 27- **Round Table: "The Kuwaiti Economy Under the Iraqi Occupation,"** Kuwait Economic Society, October 16, 1995.
- 28- **Conference: "The Eleventh World Congress of the International Economic Association,"** the International Economic Association, December 18-22, 1995. Tunis, Tunisia.
- 29- **Conference: "Wages and Correcting the Economic and Financial Imbalances,"** The Third Conference for Kuwaiti Economists, April 28-29, 1997, Kuwait.
- 30- **Conference: "Globalization: Challenges and Opportunities for Development in the ERF Region,"** College of Administrative Sciences, October 18-20, 1997, Kuwait. (Discussant)
- 31- **Workshop: "Institutional Reform and Development in the MENA Region,"** Arab Planning Institute & ERF, November 24-26, 1997, Dubai, United Arab Emirates. (Discussant)

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- 32- **Conference: "Sixth Arab Energy Conference: Energy and Arab Cooperation,"** The Organization of Arab Petroleum Exporting Countries, May 10-13, 1998, Damascus, Arab Republic of Syria. (**Official Invitation**)
- 33- **Workshop: "Arab Stock Markets: recent trends and Performance,"** Arab Planning Institute, March 15-16, 1999, Kuwait.
- 34- **Lecture: "Alternative Non-Petroleum Energy Sources."** Presented during the sixteenth round of the workshop titled: Basics of the Oil and Gas Industry, held by Organization of Arab Petroleum Exporting Countries (OAPEC), 10-15/4/1999.
- 35- **Training Seminar: "Macroeconomic Management Financial Sector Issues,"** The World Bank and the Economic Research Forum, October 26-27, 1999, Cairo, Egypt.
- 36- **Conference: "Regional Trade, Finance and Labor."** ERF Sixth Annual Conference, October 28-31, 1999, Cairo, Egypt. (**Session Chair**)
- 37- **Panel Member: "Economic Reform in Kuwait."** Organized by Al-Rai Al-Am News Paper, Kuwait, 29/1/2001.
- 38- **Economic Expert: "Financing for Development Process."** Organized by United Nations Economic and Social Commission for west Asia (ESCWA), 23-24/11/2000.
- 39- **Conference: "Energy and Arab Cooperation."** Sponsored by The Organization of Arab Oil Exporting Countries, 11-14 May, 2002. (Invited Guest)
- 40- **Workshop: "Overview of Microeconomic Principles."** Presented to prospective students preparing for CFA tests, Kuwait University, March 2003.
- 41- **Workshop: "Principles of Microeconomics."** Presented to prospective MBA students at Kuwait University, May 2003.
- 42- **Workshop: "Macroeconomics Theory and Applications."** Presented to trainees from Kuwait Investment Authority, June 2003.
- 43- **Conference: "Oil Impact on the Global Economy,"** Organized by Economic Research Forum, ERF XIII Annual Conference, December 15-18, 2006, Kuwait.