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Resume in a "Nutshell"

Over 15 years of cross-borders academic experience; policy analyst, econometrician; economist; strong peerreviewed publications record, and co-founder of one of the World-top training and consulting institutes for applied econometrics and data analysis.

Education

- Ph.D. Economics (Dr. rer. pol.), November 2017, Philipps-Universität Marburg, Germany (Committee members: Mohammad Reza Frazanegan, Bernd Hayo, Michael Kirk).
- M.A. Economics, April 2014, Philipps-Universität Marburg, Germany (Thesis advisor: Mohammad Reza Farzanegan).

Software/Technical skills

- Econometric Modeling: Stata, RATS, Eviews, SPSS
- Macroeconomic/Energy Market Modeling: GEMPACK/GTAP, GAMS
- Programming: R Studio
- Cloud Business Intelligence: Tableau, Power BI

Employment History

- Assistant professor Economics, July 2022-present, American University in Cairo (AUC), Egypt.
- Lead Senior Economist, Feb 2022-present, UN-Habitat-Ministry of Housing, Cairo, Egypt.
- Co-founder, August 2018- present, M&S Research Hub, Kassel, Germany.
- Ass. Professor (remote), March 2021-July 2022, British University in Egypt, Cairo, Egypt.
- Ass. Professor (remote), February 2018- April 2018, Faculty of Dentistry, Sinai University, Egypt.
- Research Project manager, Joint between Jameel Foundation (Dubai) and Marburg University (Germany), March 2016- July 2017, Egypt-Germany.

- Ph.D. Scholar, October 2014 November 2017, Economics of the Middle East Research Group, Center for Near and Middle Eastern Studies (CNMS), Philipps-Universität Marburg, Germany.
- Junior Researcher, July 2013 April 2014, African Studies Centre (ASC), Leiden University, Netherlands.
- Regional academic director and business manager, ENACTUS, March 2011-April 2012, Egypt.
- Certified Trainer (pathways to higher education project), August 2011 April 2012, Ford foundation and Cairo University, Egypt.

Affiliations and Memberships

- Member of International Institute of Global Economy (IIGE), 2018-present.
- Member of Royal Economics Society, 2019-present
- Member of American Economic Association, 2019-present
- Research Associate at Economic Research Forum (ERF), 2018-present.
- Research Affiliate at Global Labor Organization (GLO), 2017-present.
- Member of International Institute of Social and Economic Sciences (IISES), 2017-present.
- Member of Middle East Economics Association (MEEA), 2016-2017.
- Member of Eurasia Business and Economics Society (EBES), 2016-present.
- Alumnus of DAAD (German Academic Exchange Service), 2014-present.

Funding and Awards

- **DAAD-Germany:** Master's Scholarship, August 2012 March 2014, Philipps Universität-Marburg, Germany.
- Jameel Foundation-Dubai: Research Grant, May 2015 May 2016, project on causes and impacts of remittances: household survey evidence from Egypt, with Mohammad Reza Farzanegan.
- Jameel Foundation-Dubai: Ph.D. Scholarship, October 2014 November 2017, Philipps-Universität Marburg, Germany, a dissertation on the political economy of demographic transition and economic development in the Middle East and North Africa.
- *M&S Research Hub-Germany:* Funded Project, August 2020 project on "Health, economic & behavioral implications of child marriage".
- *M&S Research Hub-Germany:* Funded Project, July 2020 , project on "Covid 19 and aggregate economy", with John Riveros and Samuel Odyueni.
- UN-Habitat, Ministry of Housing, Switzerland government: Funded national project, Feb. 2022-present, "developing a strategic local development plan for Qena city".

Publications

Refereed articles

• 2022: Determinants of Sectoral and Sub-Sectoral FDI: Evidence from the MENA Region (With Ahmed Badreldin). South African Journal of Economic and Management Sciences (in press)

- 2022: Eco-Envriomental costs of Conflict. Int. Journal of Green Economics (in press)
- 2021: First to React is Last to Forgive: Stock Market Impact of COVID 19 (with John Riveros). Journal of Risk and Financial Management, 14(1).
- 2020: <u>Revisiting the development impact of sectorally disaggregated foreign aid</u>, Poverty and Public Policy, 12(2).
- 2019: <u>Reporting errors and biases in published empirical findings: Evidence from innovation research</u> (with Stephan Burns, Guido Buenstorf, and others), <u>Research Policy</u>, 48(9).
- 2019: <u>How does the flow of remittances affect the trade balance of the Middle East and North Africa?</u> (with Mohammad Reza Farzanegan), Journal of Economic Policy Reform, 23(2).
- 2019: <u>Urban slums and fertility rate differentials</u> (with Ron Mahabir), Population Review, 57(2).

Non-refereed articles

• 2012: <u>Evolution of monetary policy in Egypt: a critical review</u> (with Ahmed Fikri Mabrouk), The International Journal of Social Science, 4(1).

Monographs, books, and chapters in edited volume

• 2016: <u>A historical retrieval of the methods and functions of monetary policy.</u> Monograph, MPRA Nr. 75648.

Technical reports and policy papers

- 2016: <u>Reaping the bless of Arab migrants: mobilizing diaspora resources for private sector development.</u> MPRA Paper No. 80625.
- 2014: <u>Egypt and Sub-Saharan Africa: does Egypt's future lie in Africa</u>? (with Mayke Kaag), African Studies Center (ASC), Leiden University, Info Sheet 20.

Working papers and work in progress

- 2021: Believe it or Not: Covid 19 Environmental Effects are Moe Negatives than Pisitives(with Samuel Odyuniy, John Riveros, and Ferhat Citak), MSR working paper Nr. 05-2021.
- 2021: Determinants of Sectoral and Subsectoral FDI; Evidence from MENA region. (with Ahmed Badreldin), MSR working paper Nr. 04-2021.
- 2021: 2008 Financial Crises V.s. COVID 19: The Painful Double-Knock of Food Prices. (with John Riveros and Samuel Odyuni), MSR working paper Nr. 001-2021.
- 2020: Health Repercussions of Child Marriage on Middle-Eastern Mothers and Their Children (with Mohsin Khan), MSR working paper Nr. 001-2020.
- 2016: How does the flow of remittances affect the trade balance of the Middle East and North Africa? (with Mohammad Reza Farzanegan), CESifo Working Paper No. 6172.
- 2017: Causes and impacts of remittances: household survey evidence from Egypt (with Mohammad Reza Farzanegan and Ribal Abi Raad), MAGKS Discussion Paper No. 37/2017.
- 2017: What determines fertility rate in Pakistan? Role of economic status, female employment, nutrition, contraception, and urbanization. Faisal Abbas, Iftikhar Ul Husnain, Iram A. Khan.

Interviews

• Interview on monetary policy in Egypt with Isabel Esterman, the American Chamber of Commerce (AMCHAM) in Egypt business magazine, March 2013.

Conferences, Seminars, and Workshops

Workshops

- 2018-present, applied econometrics training programs (several modules) (Moderator)
- 2018-present, Applied econometrics academy program (Time series, Panel and advanced topics) (Moderator)
- 2019-present, General Equibbirum Modeling (CGE and DSGE), several rounds (Moderator)

Refereed conferences

- 2021 International Conference on Economics, Energy and Environment (ICEEE), Cappadocia, Turkey, 1-3 July 2021.
- 2020 Global Economics Conference (GEC), M&S Research Hub, Virtual, 7 November 2020.
- 8th Economics & Finance Conference, International Institute of Social and Economic Sciences, University of London, London, UK, 29-31 May 2017.
- 19th Eurasia Business and Economics Society (EBES) Conference, Istanbul, Turkey, 26-28, May 2016.
- 30th Annual Congress of the European Economic Association (EEA). Mannheim, Germany, 24-27 August 2015.

External

- Economic Research Forum (ERF) workshop, 'Writing effective policy briefs'. Cairo, Egypt, 8-9 December 2015 (invited).
- Egypt Scholars Economics Society (ESES) Annual award online workshop "Trade and Growth", 15 June 2015 (Organizer).
- Egypt Scholars Economics Society (ESES) online workshop, 31 January 2015.
- Workshop on 'African Studies and the Epistemological Reflections on Two Africas'. Leiden University, Netherlands, 20 September 2013.

Academic activities

Reviewer for

• Routledge; the American Journal of Economics and Business Administration; Applied Economics; Emerging Markets Finance and Trade.

Editor for

• Journal of Risk and Financial Management (Special Issue: Budgeting in A Crises: Macroeconomy Relief Policies)

Teaching

British University in Egypt (BUE), Faculty of Economics & Business Dep.

- Introduction to Econometrics, Undergraduate 3rd year, SS 2021
- Applied Econometrics, Undergraduate 4th year, WS 2021
- Mathematics for economics, Undergraduate 3rd year, WS 2021

Sinai University, Faculty of Dentistry

• Introduction to Business Administration, Undergraduate 3rd year, SS 2018

Philipps University of Marburg, Center for Near and Middle East Studies (CNMS)

- Applied Econometrics, Postgraduate, SS 2016
- Development Economics, Postgraduate, WS 2015
- Middle East Economics, Postgraduate, WS 2014

Suez Canal University, Faculty of Commerce

- Macroeconomics I, Undergraduate 1st year, SS 2011
- Microeconomics II, Undergraduate Specialization 4th year, WS 2011
- Money and Banking, Undergraduate 2nd year, WS 2009
- Microeconomics I, Undergraduate 1st year, WS 2008
- Public Finance, Undergraduate 3rd year, WS 2008

Language skills

- Arabic (Native)
- English (Fluent)
- German (Advanced speaking and writing).

References

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