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Education

PhD	International Finance	Sogang University, South Korea	2005-2009
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• GPA 4.3/4.3 and Outstanding Doctoral Thesis Award 2009• Thesis: Essays on the interaction of mispricing and firm's corporate decisions.• Courses taken: Economics Analysis; International Economic Analysis; Financial Institutions and Systems; International Finance; Research Methods; Practical Issues in International Finance; Derivatives Markets; East Asian Economy; Introduction to International Relations; Intellectual Property Rights; Advanced Corporate Finance; Chinese Economy		
Master	Business Administration	Balamand University-Lebanon	2002-2004
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Very Good with Finance Emphasis• Financial Courses taken: Financial Statement Analysis; Applied Corporate Finance; International Financial Markets; Quantitative Methods; Advanced Management Accounting; Investment Portfolio Analysis; Business Economics.		
Bachelor	Business Administration	Balamand University-Lebanon	1999-2002
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• With Honors		

Academic Experience

Notre Dame University- Louaize (NDU), Lebanon	Associate Professor	2015- Present
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Associate professor in Finance at the Faculty of Business Administration and Economics.• Courses taught at BBA level: Principles of Accounting; Principles of Financial Management I and II; Principles of Financial Institutions and Markets; Fundamentals of Investments; Commercial Bank Management I and II; International Business Finance; Derivatives; Quantitative Asset Management; Advanced Derivatives; Fixed Income Securities; and Training on Reuters Platform• Courses taught at the Graduate Level: Accounting for Managerial Decisions Making; Managerial Finance; Asset Pricing; and Strategic Financial Analysis.	
Notre Dame University- Louaize (NDU), Lebanon	Assistant Professor	2009-2015
American University of Technology (AUT), Lebanon	Part Time Lecturer	Feb-June 2009
Hanyang University, South Korea	Visiting Professor	2009-2011
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Courses taught at Hanyang International Summer School: Macroeconomics, International Business, Accounting, and Corporate Finance	
Hanyang University, South Korea	Part Time Lecturer	2007-2008
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Courses taught at Hanyang School of Business: Introduction to Business, Macroeconomics, International Business, Understanding International Economics, International Finance, and Corporate Finance]	

Academic and Professional Service Activities

- Discipline Coordinator for Finance courses at the Department of Accounting and Finance, Notre Dame University, Louaize (2018- Present).
- Champion of AACSB Standards 8 and 9 and Member of AACSB Standards 10 and 11
- Chair for the assessment of learning for AACSB accreditation at the Faculty of Business Administration and Economics (2018-Present).
- Academic Advisor for the following programs: Accounting; Banking and Finance and Financial Engineering
- Member of the Department Personnel Committee, as well as Faculty Personnel Curriculum Committee.
- Mentoring the winning Lebanese team for CFA research challenge in February 2020.

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Skills

- Professional user of Microsoft Office Products: Word, Excel, PowerPoint
- Expertise in data analysis through SPSS (Statistical Package for Social Sciences)
- Expertise in STATA (Statistical package for Econometrics and financial studies)
- Expertise in Eviews (for time series econometric analysis)
- Expertise in Reuters
- Expertise in dealing with data (Extracting, cleaning, organizing, standardizing).
- Possess high communication skills, organization skills, problem solving skills, teamwork skills, and analytical skills.

Intellectual Contributions

International Journals/ Chapter in a Book

1. **El Khoury, R.**, Nasrallah, N, Atayah, O, Dhiyf, M., & Frederico, G., “The impact of green supply chain management practices on environmental performance during COVID-19 period: the case of discretionary companies in the G-20 countries”, *Benchmarking*, **2022**, doi.org/10.1108/BIJ-11-2021-0636
2. **El Khoury, R.**, Nasrallah, N, Harb, E., & Hussainey, K., "Exploring the performance of responsible companies in G20 during the COVID-19 outbreak," *Journal of Cleaner Production*, **2022**, 131693, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jclepro.2022.131693> (Q1 Scimago, A ABDC, and 2 ABS)
3. Harb, E., **El Khoury, R.**, Mansour, N. and Daou, R, "Risk management and bank performance: evidence from the MENA region", *Journal of Financial Reporting and Accounting*, **2022**, Vol. ahead-of-print No. ahead-of-print. <https://doi.org/10.1108/JFRA-07-2021-0189> (Q2 Scimago, 1 ABS)
4. Nasrallah, N. H., **El Khoury, R.**, & Harb, E, “Forensic Accounting in a Digital Environment: A New Proposed Model”. In *Handbook of Research on the Significance of Forensic Accounting Techniques in Corporate Governance* (pp. 128-149), **2022**. IGI Global.
5. Naimy, V., Haddad, O., **El Khoury, R.** “Modeling the Resilience of the Cryptocurrency Market to COVID-19”. In: Abramowicz, W., Auer, S., Stróżyńska, M. (eds) *Business Information Systems Workshops. BIS 2021. Lecture Notes in Business Information Processing*, **2022**, vol 444. Springer, Cham. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-04216-4_30 (Q3/Q4 Scimago)
6. **El Khoury, R.**, Harb, E. and Nasrallah, N., “Triple vectorial analysis of financial development impact on economic growth: evidence from the Middle East and Central Asia”, *International Journal of Emerging Markets*, **2021**, Vol. ahead-of-print No. ahead-of-print. <https://doi.org/10.1108/IJOEM-07-2021-1060> (Q2 Scimago, 1 ABS)
7. **El Khoury, R.**, Nasrallah, N., & Alareeni, B., “The determinants of ESG in the banking sector of MENA region: a trend or necessity?”. *Competitiveness Review: An International Business Journal*. **2021** (Q2 Scimago, 1 ABS).
8. Awwad, B, & **El Khoury, R.**, “Information technology governance and bank performance: evidence from Palestine”, *Journal of Decision Systems*, **2021**, <http://doi.org.10.1080/12460125.2021.2005860> (Q2 Scimago, 1 ABS).
9. Nasrallah, N., Atayah, O. F., **El Khoury, R.**, Hamdan, A., & Obaid, S., “Intellectual Structure of Knowledge Management: A Bibliometric Analysis of the Journal of Information and Knowledge Management”, *Journal of Information & Knowledge Management*, **2021**, 2250001 (Q3 Scimago).
10. Hamdan, R, Nasrallah, N., **El Khoury, R.**, Hamdan, A & Bahaeddin A, “Presence of women on boards in industrial firms: evidence from GCC countries financial markets”, *International Journal of Management Science and Engineering Management*, **2021**, <http://doi.org/10.1080/17509653.2021.1985644> (Q1 Scimago)
11. Buallay, A., **El Khoury, R.** & Hamdan, A., “Sustainability Reporting in Smart Cities: A Multidimensional Performance Measures”, *Cities*, **2021**, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cities.2021.103397> (Q1 Scimago, 2 ABS)
12. **El Khoury, R.**, Nasrallah, N. & Alareeni, B., “ESG and financial performance of banks in the MENAT region: concavity–convexity patterns”, *Journal of Sustainable Finance & Investment*, **2021**, <https://doi.org/10.1080/20430795.2021.1929807> (Q2 Scimago, 1 ABS)
13. **El Khoury, R.**, Naimy, V., & Iskandar, S. “ESG Versus Corporate Financial Performance: Evidence from East Asian Firms in the Industrials Sector”, *Studies of Applied Economics*, **2021**, 9 (3), <http://dx.doi.org/10.25115/eea.v39i3.4457> (Q4 Scimago)

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14. Nasrallah, N. & **El Khoury, R.**, “Proxy Measure for SMEs Financial Performance in Opaque Markets”, *Lecture Notes in Networks and Systems*, **2021**, https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-69221-6_108 (**Q4 Scimago**).
15. Nasrallah, N, & **El Khoury R.**, “Is Corporate Governance a Good Predictor of SME’s Financial Performance”, Evidence from Developing Countries (The Case of Lebanon), *Journal of Sustainable Finance and Investment*, **2021**, <https://doi.org/10.1080/20430795.2021.1874214> (**Q2 Scimago, 1 ABS**).
16. Naimy, V., Haddad, O. Fernandez-Avliés G, and **El Khoury, R.**, “The Predictive Capacity of GARCH-Type Models in Measuring the Volatility of Crypto and World Currencies, *PLOS ONE*, **2021**, 16 (2), e0245904. <https://doi.org/10.1371/journal.pone.0245904> (**Q1 Scimago, 332 H-index**)
17. Naimy, V., El Chidiac, J., & **El Khoury, R.**, “Volatility and Value at Risk of Crypto Versus Fiat Currencies”, *BIS 2020 Workshops, LNBIP 394*, 1–13, **2020**. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-61146-0_12 (**Q4 Scimago**)
18. Naimy, V., Montero, J.-M, **El Khoury, R.**, & Maalouf, N., “Market Volatility of the Three Most Powerful Military Countries during Their Intervention in the Syrian War”, *Mathematics*, 8(5), 834, **2020**. <https://doi.org/10.3390/math8050834> (**Q2 Scimago**)
19. **El Khoury, R.**, “Regulation, bank capital, and bank risk: evidence from the Lebanese banking industry”, *Journal of Banking Regulation*, 21,241-255, **2020**. <https://doi.org/10.1057/s41261-019-00111-2>. (**Q4 Scimago, 2 ABS**)
20. **El Khoury, R.**, “The CAC 40 index’ Reaction to terrorist attacks: The case of Charlie Hebdo”, *Studies in Business and Economics*, 14 (2), 55-72, **2019**. <https://doi.org/10.2478/sbe-2019-0025> (**Q4 Scimago**)
21. **El Khoury, R.**, “Does corporate governance affect bank profitability: Evidence from Lebanon”, *International Journal of Business and Management Science*, 8(1), 83-108, **2018** (**Q4 Scimago**).
22. **El Khoury, R.**, “The impact of bank liquidity on the Lebanese banks’ risk-taking behavior”, *Journal of International Business and Economics*, 6 (1), 12-28, **2018**.
23. **El Khoury, R.**, & Ghasb Salem, C., “Ranking and rating Lebanese commercial banks: A CAMELS framework”, *International Academic Journal of Accounting and Financial Management*, 5 (4), 49-65, **2018**.
24. **El Khoury, R.**, & Nahas, J., “January effect in the French market: The case of CAC40 Index”, *International Academic Journal of Accounting and Financial Management*, 5 (3), 96-117, **2018**.
25. Mattar, D. M., & **El Khoury, R.**, “What do I want my professor to be: Popular, social, lenient, or effective?”, *Journal on Excellence in College Teaching*, 28(1), 5-47, **2017**.
26. **El Khoury, R.**, “Liquidity in Lebanese commercial banks and its determinants”, *Academy of Accounting and Financial Studies Journal*, 19 (3), 57-74, **2015** (**Q4 Scimago**).
27. **El Khoury, R.**, “Do macroeconomic factors matter for stock returns? Evidence from the European automotive industry?”, *International Journal of Monetary Economics and Finance* 8 (1), 71-84, **2015** (**Q3 Scimago**).
28. Maldajian, C., & **El Khoury, R.**, “Determinants of the dividend policy: An empirical study on the Lebanese listed banks”, *International Journal of Economics and Finance* 6(4), 240-256, **2014**.
29. **El Khoury, R.**, “Market timing and capital structure”, *International Research Journal of Finance and Economics*, 118 (2), 14-45, **2014**.
30. Kanj, O. and **El Khoury, R.**, “Determinants of Non-Resident Deposits in Commercial Banks: Empirical Evidence from Lebanon”, *International Journal of Economics and Finance*, 5 (12),127-134, **2013**
31. **El Khoury, R.** and Kanj, O., “Determinants of Deposits in Lebanese Commercial Banks- Evidence from Non-resident Depositors”, *Journal of Money, Investment and Banking*, 5 (12), 127-134, **2013**.
32. **El Khoury, R.**, “Determinants of Commercial Banks’s Profitability- Evidence from Lebanon”, *Journal of Money, Investment, and Banking*, 28, 58-81, **2013**
33. **El Khoury, R.** and Helou, M., “Non-Interest Income and Financial Performance of US Bank Holding Companies”, *World Academy of Science, Engineering and Technology (WASET)*, 80, 227-233, **2013**
34. Mattar, D. and **El-Khoury, R.**, “Identical instructors, different teaching methodologies: contrasting outcomes”, in Feldmann, Timothy J. Rupert (ed.) *Advances in Accounting Education: Teaching and Curriculum Innovations* (Advances in Accounting Education, Volume 14), Emerald Group Publishing Limited, 193-212, **2013**
35. **El-Khoury, R.** and Mattar, D., “PowerPoint in Accounting classrooms: Constructive or Destructive?”, *International Journal of Business and Social Sciences*, 3(10), 240-259, **2012**.
36. Mattar, D. and **El-Khoury, R.**, “The Interaction between Accounting Students’ Preference, Teaching methodology, and Performance”, *World Academy of Science, Engineering and Technology (WASET)*, 66, 907-913, **2012**

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37. Mattar, D. and **El-Khoury, R.**, “Effectiveness of PowerPoint: Quantitative vs. Qualitative Courses”, *International Journal of Arts & Sciences*, 4(25), 287-298, **2011**.

Research at Presentation Seminars

38. **El Khoury, R.**, & Ghasb Salem, C., “Rating and ranking Lebanese banks- A multi criteria approach using PROMETHEE”. Presented at the 12th Asian Academy of Management International Conference, Penang, Malaysia, October 6-9, **2017**.
39. **El Khoury, R.**, & Ghasb Salem, C., “Ranking and rating Lebanese commercial banks: A CAMELS framework”, Presented at the 12th Asian Academy of Management International Conference, Penang, Malaysia, October 6-9, **2017**.
40. **El Khoury, R.**, & Nahas, J., “January effect in the French market: The case of CAC40 Index. Presented at the 12th Asian Academy of Management International Conference, Penang, Malaysia, October 6-9, **2017**.
41. **El Khoury, R.**, “Do macroeconomics factors matter for stock returns: evidence from the European automotive industry”. Presented at the second Tunisian Society For Financial Studies (TSFS) Finance Conference, Sousse, December 12-13, **2014**.

International proceedings

42. Mattar, D., & El-Khoury, R., “Students’ honesty in evaluating their teachers”, ICERI2014 Proceedings, 4327-4333, 2014.
43. El Khoury, R., & Al Beaino, R., “Classifying manufacturing firms in Lebanon: an application of Altman’s model”, *Procedia-Social and Behavioral Sciences*, 109,11-18, 2014.

Forthcoming

44. **Modelling COVID-19 Effect on the Performance of MENA Healthcare Sector**, Accepted for publication in the *Journal of Modelling in Management* (Q2 Scimago).
45. **Leadership Moderating the Impact of Personality Traits on Sales Performance**. Accepted for publication in the *International Journal of E-Business Research* (IJEER).
46. **Market Reaction to an Audit firm Change decision**, Accepted for publication in Springer’s *Lecture Notes in Networks and Systems* series (Q4 Scimago).
47. **Impact of Green Supply Chain Management Practices on Environmental Performance during COVID-19 Period: The Case of Discretionary Companies in G-20 Countries**, Accepted for publication in *Benchmarking* (Q2 Scimago).

In Process of Revision

48. **Determinants of Women on Boards in GCC: Agency and Institutional Perspectives**, submitted to the *Journal of Sustainable Finance and Investment* (Q2 Scimago).
49. **Factors Affecting Auditor Change Decisions: The Case of UK**, submitted to *SAGE Open* (Q2 Scimago).
50. **The impact of E-Government and E-Participation on IT Companies’ Performance: The mediating role of cybersecurity commitment**, submitted to *Journal of Decisions Systems* (Q2 Scimago).
51. **ESG and Performance in Public Healthcare Companies: The Role of Disclosure and Director Liability**, submitted to *Competitiveness Review* (Q2 Scimago).
52. **Spillovers between Twitter Uncertainty Index and Sector Indices: Evidence from U.S**, submitted to *Journal of Behavioral Finance* (Q1 Scimago).
53. **Dynamic connectedness of MSCI Climate Change Indices with the Media Coverage Index during four waves of the Coronavirus Disease Pandemic**, submitted to *International Journal of Finance & Economics* (Q2 Scimago).

Scholar Work

- Guest Editor for a special issue for Higher Education, Skills and Work-Based Learning

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- Guest Editor for a special issue for Development and Learning in Organizations.
- Reviewer for the Journal of Applied Accounting Research, **2021**
- Reviewer for the Cogent Economics and Finance, **2021-2022**
- Reviewer for Higher Education, Skills and Work-Based Learning, **2022**
- Reviewer for the Journal of Competitiveness Review, **2021**
- Reviewer for the Journal of Strategic Marketing, **2021-2022**
- Reviewer for the Journal of International Journal of Emerging Markets, **2021-2022**
- Reviewer for the Journal of Financial Reporting and Accounting, **2021 -2022**
- Reviewer for the Journal of Business and Socio-economic Development, **2021**.
- Reviewer for the Journal of Banking Regulation, **since 2020**.
- Session Chair for the International Conference on Business and Technology (ICBT), **2020**
- Reviewer for the International Conference on Business and Technology (ICBT), **2020**
- Reviewer for the Journal of Corporate Accounting and Finance, **2018**.