
Sadegh Alhosseini

Curriculum Vitae

Personal Information

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Summary of Qualification

- 7 years of work experience in research, journalism and administration
- Highly skilled in Economics, Public Policy and International Affairs
- Fluent in English, Persian and Dari, Advance level of Arabic
- Team work and demonstrated leadership skills
- Original understanding of Middle Eastern society, politics and Islam
- Worked with software packages; SPSS, STATA, E-views
- Published 2 books and lots of articles, editorials and Op-Eds

Education

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| 08/2011- present | Master of Arts in International Affairs, Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York, U.S. |
| 09/2002- 05/2006 | Bachelor of Arts in Economics, Faculty of Economics, University of Tehran, Tehran, Iran, 3.59 GPA
Thesis: <i>"The Role of Oil Revenues on the Economy of Oil-rich Countries-panel data analysis"</i> |
| 09/1998- 05/2002 | Diploma in Mathematics and Physics, Motahhari School, Tehran, Iran, 3.92 GPA |

Honors And Awards

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| 08/2011 | Full Gerald B. and Daphna Cramer Scholarship and Research Graduate Assistantship, Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University |
| 08/2009 | Awards for being "Best Researcher" in Moasser Research Center (Among 53 researchers), affiliated with Iranian Ministry of Science and Research |
| 2002-2006 | University Of Tehran Bachelor Academic Scholarship |
| 2002- 2006 | Prize for being Top Student for 3 semesters in the Faculty of Economics, University of Tehran, Tehran, Iran |

Published Books

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| 11/2011 | <u>"Iran Economy: Challenges and Opportunities"</u> , Co-Author: Hamid Zamanzadeh, Nashr-e-Markaz Publishing |
| 03/2009 | <u>"Political Campaign Planning Manual"</u> , (Persian Translation), J. Brian O'Day, Publisher: Negah-e Moaser Publishing |
| Forthcoming | <u>"The Concise Encyclopedia of Economics"</u> , (Persian Translation), David R. Henderson |

Professional and leadership experience

- 01/2012- Present **Exchange; The Journal Of Public Diplomacy, Syracuse University**
Articles Manager
- Managing connection between scholars and magazine, ordering solicited articles, deciding to publish articles
- 08/2011- Present **Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University**
Full Research Graduate Assistant, Middle Eastern Center
- Research, data analyzing and fact finding, Assisting in teaching, running conferences, events and meetings
- 06/2011- Present **Eghtesad Online News Website (www.eghtesadonline.com)**
Founder
- Built a new website, had successful fund raising negotiations, hired reporters, running a new business
- 06/2010-05/2011 **Negar-andish Consulting Engineers Company**
Economic adviser
Worked on a distinguished and nationwide research:
- *“Reshaping and restructuring the Power retailer market in Iran”*, Iran Grid Management Co, Economic expert, Tehran, Iran
- 06/2010- 05/2011 **Moasser Research Center**
Director of Economic department
Managed about 15 researchers, 4 interns, worked with other directors and board to shape the center. Did these researches:
- Research Team Member: *“Obstacles to Privatization in Iran Economy”*, Central Bank of Iran, Tehran, Iran
 - Project Consultant: *“Economic and social Consequences of Establishing LNG Facilities On Khārk Island: An Analysis of the Existing Situation, Possible Future Scenarios, and Solutions to Problems”*, Institute of International Energy Studies, Ministry of Petroleum, Tehran, Iran
 - Project Manager: *“Comparative Study of Taxation Systems in Five Countries Concerning the Interests of Beneficiaries and the Structure of the Taxation Regime”*, Part of a Comprehensive Nationwide Reforming Tax Regime, State Tax Organization, Ministry of Economic Affairs and Finance – Hāseb System Company, Tehran, Iran
- 09/2009- 09/2010 **ATI Market Investigation Organization (ATIMIO)**
CFO and Founder
Built the company, wrote strategic plan, proposed budget, managed all financial aspects of a new private company and published these researches:
- Principal researcher: *“Comprehensive analysis and future scenarios for Iranian Housing Market”*, Tehran, Iran
 - Researcher *“Comprehensive analysis and future scenarios for Iranian Stock Market”*, Tehran, Iran
 - Researcher: *“Comprehensive analysis and future scenarios for Iranian Gold Market”*, Tehran, Iran
- 05/2009- 06/2010 **World of Economy Newspaper (Donya-e-Eghtesad)**
Editorial board Member
- Edition of received articles, accepted or rejected received papers for publishing, managed columns, Published more than 50 articles and editorials

- 03/2009- 06/2009 **Presidential campaign of Mr. Mehdi Karrubi (Green Movement leader)**
 Campaign adviser, in charge of 10 young advisers
 - Prepared speech guidelines and content for Mr. Karrubi speaking especially simulating TV debates. The most famous one was with incumbent Mr. Ahmadinejad.
- 03/2008- 06/2010 **World of Economy Newspaper (Donya-e-Eghtesad)**
 Editor of Opinion section
 - Wrote editorial pieces, did research on variety of issues, lots of interview and focus groups with economists, politicians and high officials, managed 12 other reporters, writers and translators, Published more than 200 articles and editorials (some titles attached at the end)
- 04/2007- 09/2009 **Moasser Research Center**
 Senior Researcher
 Performed advanced econometric, computational and analytical also social and political research. Specially worked on these researches:
 - Research Team Member: *“Describing and Evaluating Iran’s decent work index”*, The Institute of Labor and Social Affairs on behalf of the International Labor Organization (ILO), Supervisor: Dr. Hassan Alhosseini, Tehran, Iran
 - Project Coordinator: *“Analysis of Trends in the Iranian Economy and Predicting Future Trends”*, Moasser Research Center, Tehran, Iran
 - Research Team Member: *“Investigation of Economic State of Various Urban Districts of Tehran”*, Tehran Municipality, Tehran, Iran
 - Research Team Member: *“Effects of Oil and Gas prices shocks on middle eastern economies”*, Moasser Research Center, Tehran, Iran
 - Research Team Member: *“A research on B2C and B2B E-commerce growth in Iran”*, Ministry of Commerce, Supervisor: Dr. Mina Mehrnosh, Tehran, Iran
- 11/2006- 07/2008 **Lawyers Universal House (LUH)**
 Economic Development Officer
 - Gave LHU Directors advice, summarized, analyzed and simplified data and its details for lawyers, Worked on different aspects of development of organization
- 05/2007- 02/2008 **Sarmayeh Newspaper** (closed by Government)
 Columnist and Co-Editor
 - Wrote and translated pieces, managed 5 other writers
- 04/2006- 05/2007 **Hayat-e-No Newspaper** (closed by Government)
 Journalist
 - Wrote pieces, reports and stories
- 06/2004- 04/2007 **Moasser Research Center (Part Time)**
 Research Associate
 - Gathered and Reviewed economic and financial data, assisted in developing memos and presentations

Publications

Books- Persian

- 11/2011 *"Iran Economy: Challenges and Opportunities"*, Co-Author: Hamid Zamanzadeh, Nashr-e-Markaz Publishing
- 03/2009 *"Political Campaign Planning Manual"*, J. Brian O'Day, translator, Publisher: Negah-e Moaser Publishing
- Forthcoming *"The Concise Encyclopedia of Economics"*, David R. Henderson, Co-Translator: Mohsen Ranjbar

Articles

- 01/2011 *"Resource Curse and Institutional Quality in Oil Countries"*, *Middle Eastern Finance and Economic s(submitted)*, Co-authored with M. Mehrara and D. BahramiRad

Working Papers

- 09/2008 *"Resource Curse and Institutional Quality in Oil Countries"*, Munich Personal RePEc Archive (MPRA), Co-authored with M. Mehrara and D. BahramiRad
- 06/2006 *"Justice as Freedom: A Conceptual Analysis of Justice in Friedrich August von Hayek's thought"*, Monthly Scientific Periodical Takapoo. (Persian)

Presentations

- 09/2009 *"Applying Behavioral Economics in Insurance Companies"*, Orally Presented, The First International Conference on Insurance Industry: Challenges and opportunities, School of Economic Sciences, Iranian Ministry of Science, Research and Technology, Tehran, Iran. (Persian)
- 01/2009 *"Comparative Study of Taxation Systems in Five Countries Concerning the Interests of Beneficiaries and the Structure of the Taxation Regime"*, orally presented, State Tax Organization, Ministry of Economic Affairs and Finance, Tehran, Iran
- 04/2005 *"Analysis of Trends in the Iranian Economy and Predicting Future Trends"*, Moasser Research Center, Project Coordinator, Tehran, Iran

Press articles (all in Persian)

Published more than 250 articles and editorials in Iranian newspapers including Hayat-e-no, Ham-mihan, Shargh, Etemed, Sarmayeh, Donya-e-Eghtesad, pool

More than 10 articles in monthly journals and economic periodicals including Sanat va toseh, Ravand, Eghtesad-e- Iran, Shahrvand-e-Emrooz, Ferdossi, Mehrnameh

Selected Press Articles

- 08/14/2011 Ethics of cooperation with dictatorships: in honor of Milton Friedman, *Mehrnameh magazine*
- 04/05/2011 Why did Ahmadinejad run subsidy reform? : Political economy of reform, *Mehrnameh magazine*
- 01/18/2011 Painful end for Ben Ali or for Tunisia?, *Rastak*
- 11/29/2010 Socialism is still impossible, *Mehrnameh magazine*
- 10/14/2010 State, Rent, Bazaar, *Mehrnameh magazine*
- 09/27/2010 Alarm bells ring for Iran economy, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 05/20/2010 Liberalism, Socialism and Political economy, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 05/19/2010 Though days for Euro, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 04/22/2010 Justifications for different Market performance in distinct countries, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 02/01/2010 Iran economy in decline, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 01/12/2010 Chavez new dilemma, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 09/08/2009 People are the best development experts: Trust them, *Sanat-va-Toseh*
- 08/23/2009 Petro-Dollars cut; Good or Bad? , *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 09/01/2009 Iran economy passing stagnation, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 08/31/2009 The role of Economists in development, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 01/05/2009 Botswana: development Miracle, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 04/24/2009 Economic questions every candidate for presidency should answer, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 04/17/2009 From autarky to anarchy: Zimbabwe story, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 03/18/2009 Political economy of Oil; State fuels problems, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 03/18/2009 The roots of failure to make subsidy policy right, *Sanat-va-Toseh Magazine*
- 03/11/2009 Political economy of Iran political reform failure, *Rastak*
- 02/13/2009 Obama rescue plan consequences, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 02/03/2009 Foreign aids toward nothing, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 02/01/2009 To liberalization Art industry, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 01/30/2009 Chavez is not an exception, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 12/21/2008 Oil, Budget and possible Scenarios, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 12/12/2008 Mahatir Mohammad great bid, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 11/28/2008 Reasons for being Libertarian, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 11/22/2008 In defense of petro-dollar allocation, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 10/31/2008 U.S financial crisis and Iran economy, *Donyaye Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 06/10/2008 In defense of subsidy reform in Iran, *Etamad Newspaper*
- 05/30/2008 Rentier state: Economics and politics, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 03/30/2008 Iran population pyramid and suggestions for optimizing sex partnership, *Donya-e-Eghtesad Newspaper*
- 02/23/2008 Freedom breaks rules: glance at Nozick's "Anarchy, State, and Utopia", *Rastak*
- 06/15/2007 Stabilization Funds: Wrong solution we don't accept, *Sarmayeh Newspaper*
- 02/19/2007 Iranians behave rationally? , *Rastak*
- 01/31/2007 Political Freedom or Economic Freedom: Which deserves more? , *Rastak*
- 05/12/2006 Social Justice is a Paradoxical concept, *Hayat-e-No Newspaper*