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EMPLOYMENT University of Missouri – Columbia 2018 - Present
Assistant Professor of Finance

EDUCATION University of Miami, Coral Gables, FL 2013 - 2018
Ph.D., Business Administration - Finance

Amirkabir University of Technology, Tehran, Iran 2011 - 2013
M.Sc., Financial Engineering

Amirkabir University of Technology, Tehran, Iran 2007 - 2011
B.Sc., Industrial Engineering - Systems Planning and Analysis

PUBLICATIONS

Running a Mutual Fund: Performance and Trading Behavior of Runner Managers
with Arash Dayani

Best paper award in Corporate Finance – Semi-finalist, 2019 Financial Management Association

Journal of Empirical Finance, 69, 2022

Transient Emotions, Perceptions of Well-being, and Mutual Fund Flows
with William Bazley and Arash Dayani

Finance Research Letters, 41, 2021

Big Fish in a Small Pond: Locally-Dominant Firms and the Business Cycle
with George Korniotis and Alok Kumar

Journal of Economic Behavior & Organization, 180, 2020

Geographic Spillover of Dominant Firms' Shocks

Outstanding Ph.D. student paper award, 2017 Southern Finance Association

Journal of Banking & Finance, 118, 2020

WORKING PAPERS

In-Group Bias in Financial Markets

with Alok Kumar, Alexandra Niessen-Ruenzi, and Justin Wolfers

Management Science, Reject and Resubmit

A Ruffled Mind Makes a Restless Forecast: Rest and Financial Judgments

with Sarah Khalaf

Contemporary Accounting Research, Revise and Resubmit

The Up Side of Being Down: Depression and Crowdsourced Forecasts

with Sarah Khalaf and Du Nguyen

Review of Accounting Studies, Revise and Resubmit

Peer Effects of All-Star Females

Best paper award in Investments, Semi-finalist, Financial Management Association, 2018

Winemiller Excellence Fund Data Analytics Awards, University of Missouri, 2019

Grit, Preferences, and Investor Behavior

with William Bazley and George Korniotis

The Influence of Emotion on Households' Borrowing

with William Bazley

Social Jetlag and Heuristic Analyst Forecasts

with Sarah Khalaf

Best Paper Award, 2022 AAA Midwest Region Meeting

Gender Issues Work/Life Balance Best Paper Award, 2022 AAA Midwest Region Meeting

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Missouri

FINANC 4020 – Investments (undergraduate)

2018 - Present

Most recent teaching evaluation: 4.6 (of 5)

FINANC 4220 – Portfolio Management (undergraduate)

Fall 2022

University of Miami

2017

FINANC 3000 – Fundamentals of Finance (undergraduate)

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Journal Referee

Review of Financial Studies

Management Science

Review of Finance

Journal of Banking and Finance

Journal of Empirical Finance

Journal of Business Ethics
 Review of Financial Economics
 Corporate Governance: An International Review
 Finance Research Letters
 SN Business Economics

Internal Service

Internationalization Committee, Trulaske College of Business	2018 - Present
Mizzou '39 Award Judge, University of Missouri	2022
Department of Finance Chair Hiring Committee, Trulaske College of Business	2021
Tenure Track Faculty Hiring Committee, Trulaske College of Business	2019 and 2020

Program Committee Member

Midwest Finance Association	2020
Financial Management Association	2019
Eastern Finance Association	2019
Academic Female Finance Committee (Ph.D.s' Chairperson)	2017 and 2018
Showcasing Women in Finance Conference (Assistant Organizer)	2017 and 2018

Doctoral Thesis Committee Member

Sarah Khalaf (First Placement: Kuwait University)
 Du Nguyen (Expected- 2024)

PRESENTATIONS AND DISCUSSIONS

2022 (Completed and Scheduled)
 European Financial Management Association (presentation and discussion)
 University of Missouri - Department of Finance Seminar Series (by co-author)
 Bank of Canada FSRC Macro-Finance Conference
 American Accounting Association Midwest Region Meeting (by co-author)
 Academic Female Finance Committee (AFFECT) Mentoring Workshop
 Southern Illinois University (Carbondale) - Department of Finance Seminar

2021

Southwestern Finance Association (by co-author)
 University of Missouri - Department of Finance Seminar Series (2 papers)
 Kuwait University - Department of Finance Brown Bag (by co-author)
 World Finance Conference (presentation and discussion)
 Academy of Behavioral Finance & Economics (presentation and discussion)
 Financial Management Association (presentation at DESI session and discussion)
 Southern Finance Association (presentation and discussion)
 Miami Behavioral Conference

New Zealand Finance Meeting (presentation and discussion)

2020

Financial Management Association (presentation and discussion)

University of Missouri - Department of Finance Seminar Series (by co-author)

Eastern Finance Association (canceled due to Covid-19)

2019

Financial Management Association

American Economic Association

University of Missouri - Department of Finance Seminar Series

University of Oregon - Department of Finance Brown Bag (by co-author)

Middle Tennessee State University - Department of Finance Brown Bag

Academic Research Colloquium (presentation, poster session, and discussion)

Eastern Finance Association (presentation and discussion)

2018

American Finance Association (Ph.D. poster session)

Eastern Finance Association (presentation and discussion)

Southwestern Finance Association (presentation and discussion)

Financial Management Association

2017

American Finance Association

Bi-Annual Household and Behavioral Finance Symposium

MFS Investment Management

Midwest Finance Association (presentation and discussion)

Financial Management Association

Miami Behavioral Finance Conference

Southern Finance Association (presentation and discussion)

Georgia Tech University - Department of Finance

University of Missouri at Columbia - Department of Finance

Virginia Commonwealth University - Department of Finance

California State University at Fullerton - Department of Finance

Cornerstone Research

2016

University of Miami - Department of Finance Brown Bag (2 papers)

Financial Management Association (discussion 3 papers)

HONORS AND AWARDS

Best Paper Award and Gender Issues Work/Life Balance Best Paper Award- American Accounting Association	2022
Best paper award - Corporate Finance Semi-finalist, Financial Management Association	2019
Winemiller Excellence Awards, University of Missouri	2019
Best paper award - Investments Semi-finalist, Financial Management Association	2018
GAFAC award for graduate students, University of Miami	2018
Outstanding Ph.D. student paper award, Southern Finance Association	2017
School of Business Administration Fellowship, University of Miami	2017

COVERAGE OF RESEARCH

Sadder but Wiser: Understanding How Depression Affects Financial Forecasting, <i>St. Louis Business Journal</i> , October 2022	
Hedge Funds Want to Stay Popular, <i>Bloomberg Opinion</i> , April 2021	
Stock Analysts' Biases Are Showing, a Study Finds, <i>Wall Street Journal</i> , April 2017	
How Biases Affect Stock Analyst Predictions, <i>National Public Radio</i> , February 2017	

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Mellat Insurance Company, Financial Analyst	2013
Iran Industries Investment Company, Financial Analyst	2012

SKILLS

Finance Technical Software
Python (web scraping), Stata, SAS, Psychophysics Toolbox (in MATLAB)

Engineering Technical Software
MATLAB, Eviews, Comfar III Expert, MSP, Access

Programming Languages: C

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Marital status: Married

Citizenship: Iran

Residency: U.S. permanent resident

Languages: English (fluent); Farsi (native); Kurdish (native); Spanish (intermediate)

Interests: Long-distance running (five half-marathons, one World Marathon Major: Chicago); traveling; reading (non-fiction and literature)