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 - Teaching: Finance, Econometrics, Empirical Strategies for Policy Analysis, Machine Learning in Economics and Finance
 - Researching: Applied Econometrics, Quantile Models with Endogeneity, Causal Machine Learning, Empirical Asset Pricing

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 - B.S. - Universitas Indonesia, Indonesia
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 - Teaching: Finance (Corporate Finance, Investments, Financial Risk Management, Financial Econometrics) Economics (Principles of Economics, Applied Econometrics), Accounting (Financial Accounting, Management Accounting)
 - Researching: Commodity Markets, Financial Risk Management, Financial Economics, Empirical Quantitative Finance, Empirical Financial Econometrics, Sports Economics

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 - B.A. - Gakushuin University
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 - Teaching: Digital Business Strategies, Operations and Service Management, Entrepreneurship, Computer-based Business Modeling
 - Researching: Digital Business, Algorithm Design, AI, Business Modeling, Mobile Technologies in Health Care, Operations and Service Management

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 - B.S. - LaRoche College, Pittsburgh, U.S.A.
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 - Teaching and Research Interests:
 - Teaching: Marketing Management and Strategy, Digital Marketing and Marketing Intelligence, Entrepreneurship Strategy, Business Ethics, Mathematics for Business, Big Data and Analytics
 - Researching: Analytics, Machine Learning and Text Mining, Consumer Behavior, Engagement and Involvement in Digital World and Viral Content, Marketing Performance Metrics, Virtual and Augmented Reality in Business, Blockchain and Omni Channels, Tourism in Southeast Asia

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 - B.A. - Simon Fraser University
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 - Teaching and Research Interests:
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 - B.A. (Honors) - Tehran University, Iran
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 - Ph.D. - Bradford University School of Management, U.K.
 - Teaching and Research Interests:
 - Teaching: Strategic Management, Global Marketing, Strategic Marketing, Innovation and Entrepreneurship, Research Methods, Business Plan
 - Researching: Service Innovation, New service/Product Development, Entrepreneurship, Strategic Management

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 - B.A. / Ph.D. - Singapore Management University
 - Teaching and Research Interests:
 - Teaching: Marketing Research, Digital Marketing, Marketing Strategy, Digital Entrepreneurship
 - Researching: User Generated Content, Sharing Economy, Social Networks, Digital Innovation