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WORK EXPERIENCE

- 2021-Present **UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO** **TORONTO, CANADA**
Teaching Assistant at the St. George and Scarborough campuses.
- STA130: An Introduction to Statistical Reasoning and Data Science, Department of Statistical Sciences, under the supervision of Prof. Liza Bolton and Prof. Samantha-Jo Caetano.
 - MATA32: Calculus for Management I, Department of Computer and Mathematical Sciences, under the supervision of Prof. Raymond Grinnell.
- 2018 **GEORGIAN COLLEGE** **BARRIE, CANADA**
Adjunct Instructor – Business Finance; Macroeconomics – Summer 2018.
- 2016-2017 **GEORGETOWN UNIVERSITY** **DOHA, QATAR**
[Adjunct Instructor – Calculus II – Fall 2016 and Fall 2017.](#)
- 2010-2018 **HAMAD BIN KHALIFA UNIVERSITY** **DOHA, QATAR**
Member of the Qatar Foundation
[Researcher – Center for Islamic Economics and Finance, College of Islamic Studies \(CIS\).](#)
- Developed thematic agendas and influenced public discourse in Islamic finance by organizing over 70 events including public lectures, CEOs roundtables, and international conferences.
 - Prepared, submitted, and assisted in the submission of successful grant proposals to the Qatar National Research Fund (QNRF) which were awarded a total of \$92,000.
 - Assisted senior faculty members and the college dean by helping in curriculum development, serving in various administrative committees, advising them on Qatar Foundation policies and procedures, and editing college reports, grant applications, books, papers, and speeches.
 - Advised students on Master’s dissertation topics, career opportunities, and supported them in their Doctoral applications.
- 2006 **ERNST & YOUNG** **MANAMA, BAHRAIN**
[Summer Intern – Islamic Financial Services Group.](#)
- Carried out primary research regarding the local mortgage lending market.
 - Performed secondary research on demographics, current housing trends and land availability.
 - Conducted a benchmark study on financial services institutions in Bahrain.

EDUCATION

- 2019-2022 **UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO** **TORONTO, CANADA**
[B.Sc. in Mathematics and Statistics.](#)
- Dean’s List Scholar – 2021 Winter.
 - Received funding from the Canadian Statistical Sciences Institute (CANSSI) Ontario and from Prof. Monica Alexander in support of my participation at the 2021 Toronto Data Workshop on Reproducibility.
 - Received the 2021 Department of Statistical Sciences Summer Undergraduate Research Award (SURA) in support of my ongoing joint work with Prof. Rohan Alexander.
- 2008 **LANCASTER UNIVERSITY** **LANCASTER, UK**
[M.Sc. in Accounting and Financial Management.](#)
Dissertation topic: Equity valuation using accounting numbers.
- 2007 **UNIVERSITY OF NOTTINGHAM** **NOTTINGHAM, UK**
[B.A. \(Honors\) in Finance, Accounting and Management.](#)
Upper 2:1 honors achieved.

ACADEMIC PUBLICATIONS

Edited Volumes:

- Tariq, W.** (ed.) (in press), [Empirical Studies of Islamic Banking](#), Hamad Bin Khalifa University Press: Doha.
- Ali, S.N., **Tariq, W.**, Al-Quradaghi, B. (eds.) (2020), [The Edinburgh Companion to Shari'ah Governance in Islamic Finance](#), Edinburgh University Press: Edinburgh.
- El-Karanshawy, H., et al. (eds.) (2015), [Islamic Banking and Finance - Essays on Corporate Finance, Efficiency and Product Development](#), Bloomsbury Qatar Foundation Publishing: Doha.

Working Paper:

- Tariq, W.** and Alexander, R., "[Re-visiting the economic impact of the Guaraní Jesuit missions in South America](#)".

CONFERENCE MANAGEMENT AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Co-organizer of the 10th, 9th and 8th International Conferences on Islamic Economics and Finance held respectively in Doha during [23-24 March 2015](#); in Istanbul during [9-10 September 2013](#); and in Doha during [19-21 December 2011](#).
- Co-organizer of the CEOs Roundtable on Islamic Finance annual event held at the Hamad Bin Khalifa University in Doha on [29 November 2017](#); [22 November 2016](#); and [10 November 2015](#).
- Co-organizer of academic workshops on Islamic finance held at the London School of Economics (LSE) on [12 Feb 2016](#) and on [13 February 2015](#).
- Co-organizer of the Hamad Bin Khalifa University *Student Conference on Sustainable Development Goals* held in Doha on 2 April 2016.

SEMINAR/CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- 2021 'Toronto Workshop on Reproducibility' held at the University of Toronto.
- 2016 Society for the Advancement of Socio-Economics (SASE) Conference on 'Moral Economies, Economic Moralities' held at the University of California-Berkeley;
Seminar at King Fahd University of Petroleum and Mineral Sciences (KFUPM), Saudi Arabia.
- 2014 4th Islamic Banking and Finance Conference held at Lancaster University.
- 2013 Harvard Institute for Global Law and Policy (IGLP) Workshop held at the Qatar Foundation;
First American University of Sharjah (AUS) Symposium on Islamic Banking.

TECHNICAL SKILLS, LANGUAGES, AND DATASET EXPERIENCE

Statistical/Analytical: R; Stata; SPSS; ArcGIS; SAS.

Programming: Python; Visual Basic.

Languages: Arabic; Urdu/Hindi; Khovar.

Databases/Datasets: Bloomberg; Refinitiv Eikon; Loan Connector; Datastream; FactSet; Factiva; Investext; Canadian Election Study (CES); Canadian General Social Survey (GSS); IPUMS USA American Community Surveys (ACS); Replication data (e.g. Harvard Dataverse, etc.).

SUMMER SCHOOLS ATTENDED

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| 2014-2016 | BARCELONA GRADUATE SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS
Micro-econometrics Summer School (2016) .
Banking Summer School (2014). | BARCELONA, SPAIN |
| 2014 | LONDON SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS (LSE)
Advanced Econometrics – Summer School. | LONDON, UK |
| 2013 | UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN
Summer Program in Quantitative Methods of Social Research . | ANN ARBOR, USA |