

# NASER AMANZADEH

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## CONTACT

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## CURRENT POSITION

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**Postdoctoral Researcher**, August 2022 - present

University of California Berkeley, Haas School of Business

Currently, I use publicly available data from a major social network platform that contains information on more than 600 million users worldwide to study the mobility of skilled labor across countries and firms and its importance in the propagation of technologies and economic growth.

## EDUCATION

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**PhD in Economics**, 2015 - 2020, GPA = 18.87/20

Graduate School of Management and Economics (GSME), Sharif University of Technology.

**Visiting Student**, April 2019 - January 2020

Graduate School of Economics (GSE), Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan.

**MSc in Economics**, 2013 - 2015, GPA = 18.90/20

Faculty of Economics, University of Tehran, Tehran, Iran.

**BSc in Electrical Engineering**, 2009 - 2013, GPA = 17.25/20

Department of Electrical Engineering, Sharif University of Technology, Tehran, Iran.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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**Visiting Researcher**, October 2020 - July 2022

Tehran Institute for Advanced Studies (TeIAS), Khatam University

**Visiting Lecturer**, February 2020 - February 2022

Graduate School of Management and Economics (GSME), Sharif University of Technology.

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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**Best Paper**, December 2021, Fourth Iran Economic Forum.

**Participation Grant**, May 2021, 26th Annual Meeting, European Association of Environmental and Resource Economics (EAERE).

**Best Paper**, December 2020, Second Iran Economic Forum.

**HAAMEE Visiting Student Scholarship**, Winter 2019, Waseda University, Japan.

**Mitsubishi Corporation International Scholarship**, 2019, Waseda University, Japan.

**Top Research Student**, 2018, GSME, Sharif University of Technology, Iran.

**PhD Entrance Exam**, Rank 4, out of +2,500, 2015, Iran.

**National Economics Olympiad**, Rank 2, out of +10,000, 2013, Iran.

**MSc Entrance Exam**, Rank 9, out of +10,000, MSc Entrance Exam, 2013, Iran.

**National Physics Olympiad**, Gold medal and Rank 1, out of +100,000, 2008, Iran.

## FIELDS OF INTEREST

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Applied Microeconomics, Environmental Economics, Development Economics.

## PUBLICATIONS

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**Absolute Intragenerational Income Mobility in Iran, 2023**, *Quarterly Review of Economics and Finance*, Joint with M. S. Heydari, ([link to paper](#))

**The Impacts of Short-term Exposure to Ambient Air Pollution on Test Scores in Iran, 2020**, *Journal of Population and Environment*, with M. Vesal and S. F. Fatemi Ardestani, ([link to paper](#))

## WORKING PAPERS

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**The Distributional Effects of Climate Change: Evidence from Iran, 2021**, with T. H. Arimura, M. Vesal and S. F. Fatemi, ([Download Draft](#))

## SELECTED WORK IN PROGRESS

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**Return Migration, Human Capital Dynamics and Economic Growth**, Joint with A. Kermani and T. McQuade.

**Worker Mobility and Technology Diffusion**, Joint with A. Kermani and T. McQuade.

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

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**4th Iranian Economic Forum**, Dec 29, 2021, Online, "*Absolute Intragenerational Income Mobility in Iran over Three Decades*".

**26th EAERE Annual Conference**, June 23-25, 2021, Online, European Association of Environmental and Resource Economics, "*The Distributional Effects of Climate Change: Evidence from Iran*".

**9th IAERE Annual Conference**, April 21-23, 2021, Online, Italian Association of Environmental and Resource Economics "*The Distributional Effects of Climate Change: Evidence from Iran*".

**Second Iranian Economic Forum**, Dec 30, 2020, Online, "*The Distributional Effects of Climate Change: Evidence from Iran*".

**24th SEEPS (Society for Environmental Economics and Policy Studies) International Conference**, September 28-29, 2019, Fukushima University, Fukushima, Japan, "*The Impacts of Short-term Exposure to Ambient Air Pollution on Test Scores*".

**Sixth International Conference on the Iranian Economy**, May 16-17, 2019, International Iranian Economic Association, University of Naples 'L'Orientale', Naples, Italy, "*The Impacts of Short-term Exposure to Ambient Air Pollution on Test Scores*".

#### INVITED SEMINARS

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**2021:** University of Tehran, Sharif University of Technology, Allameh Tabatabai University.

**2020:** Sharif University of Technology, Khatam University.

**2019:** Sophia University, Aoyama Gakuin University, Waseda University, and Tohoku University in Japan.

#### TEACHING

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**Econometrics II (Applied Econometrics)**, MSc, Tehran Institute for Advanced Studies (TeIAS), Khatam University, Fall 2021.

**Econometrics I**, MSc, Tehran Institute for Advanced Studies (TeIAS), Khatam University, Spring 2021.

**Econometrics**, BSc, Sharif University of Technology, Spring 2020, Spring 2021.