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## EDUCATION

### College and University Education

1976-1983: Ph.D. in Economics, Department of Economics, the American University,  
Washington, DC

*Fields of Study:*

Global Political Economy  
Economic Theory and Methodology  
Energy, Oil, and Environment  
Applied Econometrics  
International Economics and Finance

*Regional Specialization:*

Iran, Middle East, and Central Asia  
(Economics, Politics, and Regional conflicts)

1974-1976: M.A. in Economics, Department of Economics, Ball State University,  
Muncie, IN

*Concentration:*

Economic Development  
Comparative Economic Systems

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### Middle Eastern Oil

1971-1973: M.A. in Management, College of Business Administration, Ball State University, Muncie, IN

*Concentration:*

International Finance

Management Strategy

International Business

1968-1969: C.A. (Chartered Accountant)  
Passed the Qualifying Exams

1964-1968: B.Sc. in Accounting (with two-year *jurisprudence*)  
Institute of Advanced Accounting  
Tehran, Iran

*Concentration:*

Cost Accounting and Control

Financial Management

International Law

### **Undergraduate Honors and Awards**

- Recipient of Senior Honors Award, Institute of Advanced Accounting, Tehran, Iran, 1967-1968.

### **Graduate Honors and Awards**

- Recipient of the Hall of Nations Scholarship Award, The American University, Washington, DC, 1977-1979.
- Recipient of Teaching and Research Assistant Awards, Department of Economics, Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana, 1972-1974.
- Recipient of International Scholarship Award, International House, Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana, 1972-1973.

## **EMPLOYMENT**

### **Professional Employment**

- 2004-Present Distinguished Research Professor of Economics and Management, University of Minnesota-Morris, Morris, Minnesota.
- 2002-2004 Professor of Economics and Management, Division of the Social Sciences, University of Minnesota-Morris, Morris, Minnesota.
- 2000-2002 Associate Professor of Economics and Management, Division of the Social Sciences, University of Minnesota-Morris (UMM is the liberal arts college of the University).
- 1999-2000 Taught (jointly) at Department of Economics & Department of Finance, California State University, Fullerton, California.
- 1996-1998 Associate Professor of Business and Management; Lead Faculty for Theses and Practicum Projects (Graduate and Undergraduate); Associate Director of Global MBA Program; Founder/Director of *Center of Unified, Global, and Applied Research* (COUGAR), Department of Management and Business, University of Redlands, Redlands, California.
- 1994-1995 Affiliate in Research, Center for Middle Eastern Studies, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts.
- 1990-1993 Research Fellow/Research Associate, Center for Middle Eastern Studies, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts.
- 1989-1990 Visiting Scholar, Center for Middle Eastern Studies, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts.
- 1987-1990 Associate Professor of Economics, Department of Economics, Providence College, Providence, Rhode Island.
- 1982-1987 Professor of Economics, Department of Business and Economics, Olivet College, Olivet, Michigan.
- Summer 1982 Lecturer, Center for Technology & Administration, the American University,

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Washington, DC.

- 1981-1982 Lecturer in Economics & Statistics, Washington International College, Washington, DC.
- 1980-1981 Associate and Lead Project, EMAY Corporation, McLean, Virginia.
- 1979-1980 Lecturer, Department of Economics, Towson State University, Towson, Maryland.
- 1978-1979 Instructor, Department of Economics, American University, Washington, DC.
- 1969-1971 Senior Auditor, Division of Pension & Social Security, General Gendarmerie Headquarters, Tehran, Iran.
- 1966-1968 Foreign Exchange Analyst, Treasury Section, Plan & Budget Organization, Tehran, Iran.

### **Sabbaticals and Leaves of Absence**

*Visiting Scholar*, Center for Social Theory and Comparative History, Institute of Social Science Research, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA (2002-2003); also was associated with the Center for Globalization and Public Policy, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA (2002-2003).

## **PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP**

### **Professional Organization Memberships**

Member, Editorial Board, *Journal of Critical Studies on Business and Society*, as of Jan. 2008.  
Elected Member of the Steering Committee, URPE, 2004-2007.  
Elected Member of the Editorial Board, *RRPE*, 1980-1990 and 2001-2004.  
Associate Editor, *Journal of Iranian Research & Analysis* (JIRA), since September 2000.  
Elected Member of the Editorial Board, *Journal of Economic Democracy*, 1989-1994.  
Elected Member of the Board of Directors, *Middle East Economic Association*, 1988-1992.  
Founding Member of the *Congress of Political Economist (COPE), International*: 1989.

Past and/or Present Member of:

*American Economic Association (AEA)*  
*American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU)*  
*Amnesty International, USA*  
*Center for Iranian Research & Analysis (CIRA)*

*Conference of Political Economy (COPE) International  
Economists for Peace & Security (EPS)  
International Academy of Business Disciplines (IABD)  
International Association for Energy Economics (IAEE)  
International Society for Iranian Studies (ISIS)  
International Trade and Finance Association (IT&FA)  
Kress Society for History of Economic Thought (Harvard University)  
Southern Poverty Law Center  
Western Decision Sciences Institute (WDSI)  
Western Economic Association (WEA)  
Union for Radical Political Economics (URPE)*

### **Professional Honors and Awards**

- Recipient of the *2004 Faculty Distinguished Research Award (FDRA)*, University of Minnesota, Morris (a life-time achievement award).
- Recipient of the *1998 Outstanding Research/Creative Activity Award*, University of Redlands, Redlands, California.
- Nominated for the *1991 Grawemeyer World Order Award for Outstanding Achievement in Improving the World Order*, (given annually at the University of Louisville, Kentucky).  
[N.B.: Gro Harlem Brundtland, Former Norwegian Prime Minister and Chair of the United Nations World Commission on Environment and Development, deservedly won the award.]
- Recipient of the *1985 Faculty Enrichment Award*, Center for Near Eastern and North African Studies, The University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.
- Recipient of the *1983 Gorton Riethemiller Faculty Research Award*, Olivet College, Michigan.

## **TEACHING AND ADVISING**

### **University of Minnesota, Morris, Courses Taught**

Principles of Financial Accounting I  
Principles of Financial Accounting II  
Variable Topics in Management: Global Business  
Variable Topics in Management: Business Strategy  
Political Economy I  
Political Economy II  
Political Economy Seminar  
Management Seminar on Globalization  
Economics/Management Internship

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Transnational Enterprise  
First-Year Seminar: *Hegemony and Homogenization in Contemporary Societies*  
Macroeconomics Principles  
Globalization and Business Strategy  
Technological Change, Labor Markets, and Skill Formation  
History of Economic Thought I  
History of Economic Thought II

### **Curricular Innovations**

Initiated the implementation of the Global Business Emphasis in the Management discipline, UMM, 2000-2001.

Offered new courses in Economics, UMM, 2000-2001:

- Political Economy I
- Political Economy II
- Political Economy Seminar
- Senior Seminar on Globalization
- Senior Seminar on Labor in Air Transport
- Senior Seminar on Child Labor

Offered new courses in Management, UMM, 2000-2001:

- Global Business
- Business Strategy
- Transnational Enterprise

Offered new courses in Management (*Global Emphasis*), UMM, 2001-2002:

- Globalization & Business Strategy
- Technological Change, Labor Market and Skill Formation

Globalized the MBA Program, Whitehead College, University of Redlands, California, 1997-1998.

Arranged the integration of Business and Economics Programs within the Liberal Arts framework, Olivet College, Olivet, Michigan, 1986-1987.

Developed a new curriculum for Economics, Olivet College, Michigan, 1983-1985.

Led a major curricular revision for the Business Administration Program, Olivet College, Michigan, 1984-1985.

### **Special Teaching Methods Implemented**

As the Lead Faculty for undergraduate *practicum projects* and/or MBA and MA theses, directed and enhanced the variety and quality of 'Service Learning' activities of these vast degree programs (nearly 800 annual projects) at the Department of Management & Business, Whitehead College, University of Redlands, California, 1996-1998.

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Instructional Technology, Technical Triad Participation, UMM, 2003-2004.

### **Advising and Instruction-Related University Activities**

Student Advising, UMM, 2000-present (beginning with the first year of appointment).  
Student Advising, Department of Management & Business, Alfred North Whitehead College,  
University of Redlands, Redlands, California, 1996-1998.  
Student Advising, Providence College, Providence, Rhode Island, 1997-1990.  
Student Advising, Olivet College, Olivet, Michigan, 1982-1987.

### **Major Courses Taught**

Labor and Globalization, International Economics, International Finance, Industrial  
Organization, Microeconomic Theory, Advanced Macroeconomics, Money and Banking, Energy  
Economics, Environmental Economics, Applied Econometrics, Economic Forecasting, Global  
Political Economy, Transnational Corporations, Economic Development, Newly Emerging  
Market Economies, Managerial Economics, History of Economic Thought, Corporate Finance,  
Seminar in Global Oil and Energy, U.S. Trade Policy, The New World Order and Globalization,  
Seminar in Global Technological Change, Seminar in Chaos Theory, Seminar in Economic  
Theory and Institutions, Economic Theory and Methodology, Oil and U.S. Foreign Policy.

## **SCHOLARY, PROFESSIONAL, AND CREATIVE ACTIVITY**

### **Selected Publications**

#### ***Books and Monographs:***

Cyrus Bina, Laurie Clements, and Chuck Davis, *Beyond Survival: Wage Labor in the Late  
Twentieth Century* (eds.), Armonk, NY: M.E. Sharpe, 1996.

Cyrus Bina and H. Zangeneh, *Modern Capitalism and Islamic Ideology in Iran* (eds.),  
London/New York: Macmillan/St. Martin's Press, 1992.

Cyrus Bina, *The Economics of the Oil Crisis*, London/New York: Merlin Press/St. Martin's  
Press, 1985.

\_\_\_\_\_, *Accounting Guide for Community Development*, McLean, VA: An Emay Monograph,  
1980.

\_\_\_\_\_, *Khorshid-O-Khak (The Sun and the Earth)*, Los Angeles, CA: Bahār Publishers, 1998 (a volume of Persian poetry).

\_\_\_\_\_, *Posht-e Daryāhā (Behind the High Seas)*, Los Angeles, CA: Pārs Publishers, 2008 (a forthcoming volume of Persian poetry).

***An Analytical Oral History and Comprehensive Political Economy of Oil:***

*This 20-Partite (nearly 40-hour) Series* is authored by Cyrus Bina and produced in cooperation with *Radio Azadegan* (Satellite Broadcast, in Persian), San Jose, California, USA:

**PART I:** “Economic and Political History of Global Oil: From 1859 Colonel Drake Well to the 2003 Invasion of Iraq: A Summary,” (60 minutes; October 7, 2005).

**PART II:** “The Economics and Politics of Early Oil Cartelization: From John D. Rockefeller to William K. D’Arcy,” (60 minutes; November 5, 2005).

**PART III:** “Oil and the Early Twentieth-Century Revolutions: The Age of Energy,” (90 Minutes; November, 20, 2005).

**PART IV:** “The 1928 Achnacarry Agreements and the Inter-War International Petroleum Cartel,” (60 minutes; December 25, 2005).

**PART V:** “The Inter-War Period: the Ownership of Reserves, Politics of Gulf-Plus Pricing, and the Post-Achnacarry Oil Cartel,” (85 minutes; January 28, 2006).

**PART VI:** “The Post-War Inter-state System of the Pax Americana: The American Foreign Policy Surreptitious Embrace of the Achnacarry,” (100 minutes; March 7, 2006).

**PART VII:** “The Nationalization of Oil in Iran: The 1933 Oil Concession and the Extra-Economic Power of the Anglo-Iranian Oil Company in Iran,” (95 minutes; March 12, 2006).

**PART VIII:** “Disputes Over the 1933 Oil Concession in the Larger Context of Reaction Against the British Colonialism and Iran’s Political Capitulation,” (75 minutes; June 27, 2006).

**PART IX:** “The Meaning of Nationalization, Question of Sovereignty over National Resources and the Examination of the Proposed Oil Contracts by the British and/or American Governments to Premier Mossadegh,” (90 minutes; June 28,

2006).

**PART X:** “The 1953 Coup, Post-Coup De-Nationalization of Oil, and the Nature of Basing-Point Pricing at the Gulf of Mexico and Persian Gulf,” (90 minutes; July 2, 2006).

**PART XI:** “The International Petroleum Cartel’s Diktat and Formation of OPEC in 1960,” (80 minutes; July 6, 2006).

**PART XII:** “OPEC: A Point of Departure of Grand Socioeconomic Forces that Swept Throughout the Region and the World,” (80 minutes; July 9, 2006).

**PART XIII:** “The Post-OPEC ‘60s and the Momentum for the Mother of all Crises,” (80 minutes; September 24, 2006).

**PART XIV:** “The Implosion of the *Pax Americana*: The Panoramic View of the World Economy and Polity,” (80 minutes; October 1, 2006).

**PART XV:** “The Making of a Globalized Industry: Objectification of Capital via the 1973-74 Oil Crisis,” (90 minutes; October 8, 2006).

**PART XVI:** “OPEC Oil and the Global Turbulence in the Post-1970s and 1980s,” (90 minutes; November 4, 2006).

**PART XVII:** “The *Pax Americana*’s Demise and the Rise of Modern Globalization,” (90 minutes; November 26, 2006).

**PART XVIII:** “The Globalized Oil, the Slogan of ‘No Blood for Oil,’ and Why the Left and the Right Complete Each Other,” (90 minutes; December 15, 2006).

**PART XIX:** “Oil: Research Methodology, Historical Documentation, and Sources,” (95 minutes; December 26, 2006).

**PART XX:** “The Quagmire of Iraq and Beyond: The Political Economy of Global Oil and Contemporary Globalization,” (125 minutes; April 19, 2007).

***Book Chapters:***

Cyrus Bina, “Industrielle Reservearmee” [The Industrial Reserve Army], in ***Historisch-Kritisches, Wörterbuch, Des Marxismus***, Band 6/II (IMPERIUM BIS JUSTIZ), Herausgegeben von Wolfgang Fritz Haug, für diese Ausgabe Argument-Verlag, 2005: 1003-1011.

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Cyrus Bina and C. Davis, "Dynamics of Globalization: Transnational Capital and the International Labor Movement," in B. Berberoglu (ed.), *Labor and Capital in the Age of Globalization*, Rowman & Littlefield Publishers, 2002: 163-178.

\_\_\_\_\_, "Globalization, Technology, and Skill Formation in Capitalism," in R. Baiman, et al. (eds.), *Political Economy and Contemporary Capitalism*, Armonk, NY: M.E. Sharpe Publishers, 2000: 193-202.

Cyrus Bina, "Globalization: The Epochal Imperatives and Developmental Tendencies," in D. Gupta (ed.), *The Political Economy of Globalization*, Boston, MA: Gluwer Academic Press, 1997:41-58.

\_\_\_\_\_, and C. Davis, "Wage Labor and Global Capital: Global Competition and Universalization of the Labor Movement," in C. Bina, et al. (eds.), *Beyond Survival*, Armonk, New York: M.E. Sharpe, 1996: 19-47.

Cyrus Bina, "The New World Order and Order of New Islam," in M. Yamauchi (ed.) *Central Asia and the Gulf*, Tokyo: Asahi Selected Series (in Japanese), 1995: 163-205.

\_\_\_\_\_, "Towards A New World Order: U.S. Hegemony, Client States and Islamic Alternative," in H. Mutalib and T. Hashmi (eds.), *Islam, Muslims and the Modern State*, London: Macmillan, 1994: 3-30.

\_\_\_\_\_, "Farewell to the Pax Americana: Iran, Political Islam, and the Passing of the Old Order," in H. Zangeneh (ed.), *Islam, Iran, and World Stability*, New York: St. Martin's, 1994: 41-74.

\_\_\_\_\_, and C. Davis, "Transnational Capital, Global Labor Process, and the Transnational Labor Movement," in *The Labor Process and Control of Labor: The Changing Nature of Work Relations in the Late Twentieth Century* (ed.), B. Berberoglu, New York: Praeger, 1993: 152-170.

Cyrus Bina, "Global Oil and the Oil Policies of the Islamic Republic," in C. Bina and H. Zangeneh (eds.), *Modern Capitalism and Islamic Ideology in Iran*, New York: St. Martin's Press, 1992: 121-158.

\_\_\_\_\_, "War Over Access to Cheap Oil or the Reassertion of U.S. Global Hegemony," in G. Bates (ed.), *Mobilizing Democracy: Changing the U.S. Role in the Middle East*,

Monroe, Maine: Common Courage Press, 1991: 71-81.

\_\_\_\_\_ and J. Teixeira, "Leveraged Buyouts: The Robber Barons of the Eighties," [reprint], in P.D. McClelland (ed.) *Readings in Introductory Macroeconomics*, New York: McGraw-Hill, 1991.

***Selected Journal Articles:***

Cyrus Bina and Chuck Davis, "Contingent Labor and Omnipotent Capital: The Open Secret of Political Economy," *The Iranian Journal of Political Economy*, Special English Issue, 2008 (forthcoming).

Cyrus Bina, "The 'Cakewalk' of Shame and Cruelty: Misreading of History and the End of Lolita in Baghdad," forthcoming 2008, (in Persian).

Cyrus Bina, "Global Oil: Introduction to the Critique of Political Economy," *Saamaan no (New Order)*, No. 3, October 2007 (in Persian).  
Available at [www.saamaan-no.org](http://www.saamaan-no.org)

\_\_\_\_\_, "La Guerra de Irak no es por el petróleo" ("The War in Iraq Is Not for Oil,") *El Aromo, Periódico Cultural Piquetero*, No. 38, Sept/Oct, 2007.  
Available at: <http://www.razonyrevolucion.org/>

Cyrus Bina and M. Vo, "OPEC in the Epoch of Globalization: An Event Study of Global Oil Prices," *Global Economy Journal*, Vol. 7 (1), March 2007.  
Available at: <http://www.bepress.com/gej/vol7/iss1/2>

Cyrus Bina, "America's Bleeding 'Cakewalk,' *EPS Quarterly* (The 4<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Iraq War Issue), Vol. 18 (4), March 2007.  
Available at: <file:///C:/Documents%20and%20Settings/Cyrus%20Bina/Desktop/bina.htm>

\_\_\_\_\_, "The Political Base of the Bush Administration and the Real Cause of Invasion of Iraq: An Interview," *Journal of Negah Research Center*, No.19 (in Persian), November 2006.

\_\_\_\_\_, "The Globalization of Oil: A Prelude to a Critical Political Economy," *International Journal of Political Economy*, Special Issue: Oil in Global Economy Vol. 35 (2), Summer 2006.

\_\_\_\_\_, "At the Threshold of a Modern 'Imagined' Society: The Making of 1906 Constitutional Revolution in Iran," *ĀRASH: A Persian Monthly of Culture and Social*

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Nos. 95-96 June 2006, June 2006.

\_\_\_\_\_, "Nature and Environment as an Open System in Capitalism," ***Journal of Negah Research Center***, No.18 (in Persian), May 2006.

Cyrus Bina and B.D. Finzel, "Skill Formation, Outsourcing, and Craft Unionism in Air Transport," ***Global Economy Journal***, Vol. 5 (1), March 2005. Available at: <http://www.bepress.com/gej/vol5/iss1/4>

Cyrus Bina, "Technology, Skill Formation, and the Significance of the 'Reserve Army of Unemployed'," ***Journal of Negah Research Center***, No. 15 (in Persian), December 2004.

\_\_\_\_\_, "The American Tragedy: The Quagmire of War, Rhetoric of Oil, and the Conundrum of Hegemony," ***Journal of Iranian Research and Analysis***, Vol. 20 (2), November 2004.

Cyrus Bina and B.D. Finzel, "Globalization, Skill Formation, and Craft Unionism: The Air Transport Mechanics," ***Proceedings of the Fourteenth International Conference, Trade & Finance Association***, May 19-22, 2004 (San Antonio, Texas), Fall 2004.

Cyrus Bina, "Is It the Oil, Stupid?" ***The URPE Newsletter***, Vol. 35 (3), Spring 2004.

\_\_\_\_\_, "Neo-liberalism, Privatization, and Class Polarization in the Global Economy," ***Journal of Negah Research Center***, No. 14 (in Persian), May 14, 2004.

\_\_\_\_\_, "The War for Oil or the American Dilemma of Hegemonic Nostalgia," ***Working Paper Series*** (Working Paper No. 2), Faculty Center, University of Minnesota, Morris, October 2003.

Cyrus Bina and B. D. Finzel, "De-regulation, Competition, and Global Alliances in the Air-Transport Industry," ***Proceedings of the Thirteenth International Conference, Trade & Finance Association***, May 28-31, 2003 (Vaasa, Finland), Fall 2003.

Cyrus Bina and C. Davis, "Globalization, Technological Change, and the Critique of Labor Contingency," ***Proceedings of the Twelfth International Conference, Trade & Finance Association***, May 29-June 2, 2002 (Bangkok, Thailand), Fall 2002.

Cyrus Bina and S. Badiei, "Oil and the Rentier State: Iran's Capital Formation (1960-1997)," ***Proceedings of the Middle East Economic Association***, January, 4-6, 2002 (Atlanta, GA), <http://gsb.luc.edu/depts/economics/meea>, Vol. 4 (September 2002).

Cyrus Bina "The American War in Afghanistan," *Shahrvand*, Vol. 12 (712) (in Persian), August 23, 2002.

\_\_\_\_\_, "Premier Mossadegh, National Crisis, and the 1951 Nationalization of Oil in Iran," *ARASH: A Cultural, Political, and Social Affairs Publication*, Nos. 77 & 78, June 2001 (in Persian).

\_\_\_\_\_, "The Meaning and Significance of Contemporary Global Economic Development," *Journal of Negah Research Center*, No. 8 (in Persian), May 2001.

\_\_\_\_\_, "The Hot Summer of Defiance: The Student Protests for Freedom and Democracy in Iran," *Journal of Iranian Research and Analysis*, Vol. 15 (2), November 1999.

Cyrus Bina, et al. "Technological Change: Global Competition and Skilling/Deskilling of Labor," *Proceedings of Western Decision Sciences Institute*, April 1999.

\_\_\_\_\_, "Technological Change: Conventional Wisdom and Critical Assessment," *Proceedings of Western Decision Sciences*, April 1998.

\_\_\_\_\_, "Technological Change and Social Capital," *Business Research Yearbook: Global Business Perspectives*, International Academy of Business Disciplines, Vol. 5, 1998.

\_\_\_\_\_, "On Globalization and the Necessity of Global Curricula," in *Business Research Yearbook: Global Business Perspectives*, International Academy of Business Disciplines, Vol. 5, 1998.

Cyrus Bina, "On Sand Castles and Sand Castle Conjectures: A Rejoinder," *Arab Studies Quarterly*, Vol. 17 (1 & 2), Winter/Spring 1995.

\_\_\_\_\_, "World Oil: Who is in Control Now/Globalization vs. Cartelization," *URPE Newsletter*, Vol. 27 (1), Fall 1995.

\_\_\_\_\_, "Economic Theory and Ideology," Trans. [Introduction and concise translation of Ben Fine's opening chapter of the same title], *Mehregan: A Journal of Economics, Politics, and Culture*, Vol. 4 (2) (in Persian, with English abstract), Summer 1995.

\_\_\_\_\_, "The Foreign Exchange Crisis and the Fragility of the Iranian Economy," *Mehregan: A Journal of Economics, Politics, and Culture*, Vol. 3 (4) (in Persian, with English abstract), Winter 1994.

\_\_\_\_\_, "Today's Global Oil," *Mehregan: A Journal of Economics, Politics, and Culture*, Vol. 3 (3) (in Persian, with English abstract), Fall 1994.

- \_\_\_\_\_, "Oil, Japan and Globalization," *Challenge*, Vol. 37 (3), May/June 1994.
- \_\_\_\_\_, "The Rhetoric of Oil, and the Dilemma of War and American Hegemony," *Arab Studies Quarterly*, Vol. 15 (3), Summer 1993.
- \_\_\_\_\_, "Global Oil and Inviability of *Pax Americana*," *Economic and Political Weekly*, Vol. 27 (28), July 11, 1992.
- \_\_\_\_\_, "The Laws of Economic Rent and Property: Applied to the Oil Industry," *The American Journal of Economics and Sociology*, Vol 51 (2), April 1992.
- \_\_\_\_\_, "The Oil Policies of the Islamic Republic of Iran," *Mehregan: A Journal of Economics, Politics, and Culture*, Vol. 1(3), Fall 1992 (in Persian, with English abstract).
- \_\_\_\_\_ and F. Araghi, "Production, Market Exchange and Alienation," *Journal of Economic Democracy*, Vol. 1 (3), July/September 1991.
- \_\_\_\_\_ and B. Yaghmaian, "Postwar Global Accumulation and the Transnationalization of Capital," *Capital & Class*, No. 43, Spring 1991 (Special Joint-Issue with RRPE: Beyond the Nation-State).
- Cyrus Bina, "The Political Economy of Global Oil," *The World & I*, December 1990 (Special Issue on the Middle East).
- \_\_\_\_\_, "Limits of OPEC Pricing: OPEC Profits and the Nature of Global Oil Accumulation," *OPEC Review*, Vol. 14 (1), Spring 1990.
- \_\_\_\_\_, "Price Formation, Control and Competition in the International Energy Industry," *Energy Economics*, Vol. 11 (3), July 1989.
- \_\_\_\_\_, "Some Controversies in the Development of Rent Theory: The Nature of Oil Rent," *Capital & Class*, No. 39, Winter 1989.
- \_\_\_\_\_ and J. A. Teixeira, "Leveraged Buyouts: Robber Barons of the Eighties," *Challenge*, Vol. 32 (5), September/October 1989.
- Cyrus Bina, "Global Oil and the Transformation of OPEC," *Review of Radical Political Economics*, Vol. 21 (3), Fall 1989.
- \_\_\_\_\_, "Internationalization of the Oil Industry: Simple Oil Shocks or Structural Crisis,"

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\_\_\_\_\_ and B. Yaghmaian, "Import Substitution and Export Promotion Within the Context of the Internationalization of Capital," **Review of Radical Political Economics**, Vol. 20 (2 & 3), Summer 1988.

**Book Reviews:**

*Social Change in Iran: An Eyewitness Account of Dissent, Defiance, and New Movements for Rights* by Behzad Yaghmaian, **Review of Radical Political Economics**, Vol. 37 (4), Fall 2005.

*Freezing Assets: The USA and the Most Effective Economic Sanction* by Mahvash Alerassool, **Iranian Studies**, Winter/Spring 1996.

*The Philosophy and Economics of Market Socialism: A Critical Study* by Arnold N. Scott, **Choice**, March 1995.

*Mercantile States and the World Oil Cartel, 1900-1939* by Gregory Nowell, **Choice**, January 1995.

*Capitalism vs. Capitalism: How America's Obsession with Individual Achievement and Short-Term Profit Has Led it to the Brink of Collapse* by Michel Albert, **Choice**, March 1994.

*American Hegemony and World Oil* by Simon Bromley, **Harvard Middle Eastern and Islamic Review**, March 1994.

*State, Power and Politics in the Making of the Modern Middle East* by Roger Owen, **Harvard Middle Eastern and Islamic Review**, February 1994.

*Oil, the Persian Gulf States, and the United States* by Xuan Han, **MESA Bulletin**, Vol. 28, 1994.

*North-South Trade, Employment and Inequality: Changing Fortunes in a Skill-Driven World* by Adrian Wood, **Choice**, December 1994.

*Adjusting to Volatile Energy Prices* by Philip Verleger, **Choice**, April 1994.

*The Pathology of the U.S. Economy: the Costs of a Low-Wage System* by Michael Perelman, **Choice**, January 1994.

*Oil, Power, and Principle: Iran's Oil Nationalization and Its Aftermath* by Mostafa Elm, **CIRA Bulletin**, Vol. 9 (1), Fall 1993.

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*Capitalism and Social Theory: the Science of black Holes* by Rajani Kanth, **Choice**, April 1993.

*Socialism Revised and Modernized: the Case of Pragmatic Market Socialism* by James A. Yunker, **Choice**, January 1993.

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*Capital for Profit* by Paul Fabra, **Choice**, April 1992.

*Marx and Modern Economic Analysis: vol. 1: Values, Prices, and Exploitations; vol. 2: The Future of Capitalism and the History of Thought*, ed. by G.A. Caravale, **Choice**, February 1992.

*Oil and Economic Geography of the Middle East and North Africa* [Studies by Alexander Melamid], ed. by C.M. Kortepeter, **Choice**, October 1991.

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Economics Department, The American University, Washington, DC, 1977.

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“The Quest for Oil or the Thirst for the Return of American Hegemony?”

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(with C. Davis).

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“The Political Economy of War, Oil, and New American Foreign Policy.”

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## **Conference Papers, Public Lectures, and Professional Activities**

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**Paper:** “Technology, Skill Formation, and Universality of Labor Contingency,”  
(with C. Davis).

*The Seventeenth International Trade & Finance Association Conference*, Florida  
International University, May 16-19, 2007 (Miami, FL):

**Chair:** *Session 20 - INDUSTRY*

**Paper:** “Bankruptcy, Mergers, and Global Realignment in Air Transport”  
(with B.D. Finzel).

*On the Fourth Anniversary of American War in Iraq and Escalating Beyond*,  
George Mason University, April 15, 2007 (Fairfax, VA):

**Speaker:** “Globalization: The Loss of American Hegemony, War and  
Attempt to Change the Map of the Middle East.”

*Midwest Economic Association*, 71<sup>st</sup> Annual Meeting, March 23-25, 2007 (Minneapolis, MN):

**Paper:** “Global Alliances and the Challenge to Labor Unions: The Case of Air  
Transport,” (with B. D. Finzel).

*The 56<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Nationalization of Oil in Iran*, University of California, Berkeley,  
March 16, 17, 2007 (Berkeley, CA):

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**Speaker:** “The Political Economy of Oil: Yesterday and Today,” (in English).

**Speaker:** “The Nationalization of Oil and the Objectives of Iran’s Constitutional Revolution,” (in Persian).

*News and Letters*, News and Letters Office, January 8, 2007 (Chicago, IL):

**Guest Speaker:** “Oil, Globalization, and the Diminished American Hegemony.”

*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference*, January 5-7, 2007 (Chicago, IL):

**Presiding:** “Alternatives to Globalization.”

**Paper:** “The Globalization of Oil: A Prelude to a Critical Political Economy.”

*Iranian-American Community Center*, 55 Washington Square Park South, New York, NY  
(December 9, 2006):

**Speaker:** “Dr. Mohammad Mossadegh and the Question of Oil.”

*Connecticut United for Peace (and member organizations, including the CCSU Antiwar Referendum Committee)*, Bellin Gallery, Central Connecticut State University,  
New Britain, CT (December 9, 2006):

**SPEAKERS:** Michael Klare, Merrie Najimy, Cyrus Bina, and Nir Rosen

Cyrus Bina: “The History of Oil and US-Iran Relations: From the 1953 CIA Coup to Present Crisis.”

*Mahfel-e Unce (Professional Persian Community)*, Hamden, CT (December 8, 2006):

**Speaker:** “The 1951 Nationalization of Oil in Iran.”

*International Studies Program, Global & Middle Eastern Studies, and Political Science*,  
Trinity College, Hartford, CT (December 7, 2006):

**Speaker:** “Iran, the U.S. and the Struggle over Oil in the Middle East.”

*Problems of War and Peace (PES 110)*, Central Connecticut State University,  
New Britain, CT (December 7, 2006):

**Lecture:** “Iran: The Dialectic of War and Peace.”

*The U.S. Middle East Policy (PS 439: Honors Course)*, Central Connecticut State University,

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New Britain, CT (December 7, 2006):

**Lecture:** “The Blunder of Iraq: U.S. Foreign Policy after the Nine-Eleven.”

*Middle East Lecture Series*, Davidson Hall, Torp Theatre, Central Connecticut State University, New Britain, CT (December 6, 2006):

**Speaker:** “Iran, the United States, and the Role of Oil in the Middle East.”

*International Relations Club*, University of Minnesota, Morris; November 28, 2006 (Morris, MN):

**Panelist:** “Public Forum on the War in Iraq and Global War on Terror.”

*Iranian Democratic Society of Dallas*, South Fork Hotel, Plano, TX (July 16, 2006):

**Speaker:** “The Political Economy of Oil and Globalization: Epochal Shift in the World Order,” (in English).

**Speaker:** “From the Defunct *Pax Americana* to the Global World: A New Look at the Transformation of Economy, Polity, and International Relations in the Globalization Era,” (in Persian).

*Democracy in Iran, Middle East and Central Asia: Past Traditions and Future Prospects*, Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago, IL, April 5-8, 2006:

**Speaker:** “The Heart and Soul of the Middle East: The Making of Iran’s Constitutional Revolution,” (in English).

**Speaker:** “Constitutional Revolution: the Mirror of Modern Imagined Community,” (in Persian).

*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference*, January 6-8, 2006 (Boston, MA):

**Presiding:** “Critique of Neo-liberal Globalization.”

**Paper:** “The Epoch of Globalization or Corporate Globalism: What is Missing From the Left Analysis?”

**Poster Session/Paper:** “Can OPEC Affect the Oil Market? An Event-Study Approach,” (with Minh Vo).

*The Learning Unlimited, the National Issues Forum*, December 6, 2005, Town of Morris, Minnesota:

**Speaker of the 2005 National Forum:** “‘The Most Unbelievable Thing’: The

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Illusive Peace and the Cause of American War in Iraq.

*The Twenty-Third Annual Conference of the Center for Iranian Research and Analysis (CIRA), May 6-8, 2005, Widener University, Chester, Pennsylvania:*

**Chair:** *The Political Economy of Oil: Yesterday and Today*

**Paper:** "Post-Cartelization and the Myth of Monopoly: Can OPEC Affect the Oil Market? (With Minh Vo).

**Chair:** *The Call for Referendum: An Analytical and Political Evaluation*

**Chair:** *The 1979 Iranian Revolution and the Impact of Confederation of Iranian Students Abroad*

**Paper:** "Mossadegh and His Influence on the UN Anti-colonial and Democratic Resolutions."

*The Foreign Language Association of the Red River (FLARR), University of Minnesota, December 4, 2004 (Morris Campus):*

**Luncheon Key-Note Speaker:** "The U.S. Foreign Policy Muddle: Between Iraq and the Neoconservative Agenda."

*The Fourteenth International Conference, International Trade and Finance Association (IT&FA), May 19-22, 2004 (San Antonio, TX):*

**Paper:** "The War for Oil or the Result of Epochal Loss of American Hegemony."

**Paper:** "Globalization, Labor Contingency, and Labor Conflict in the Air Transport Industry," (with Bart Finzel).

*Fifth Biennial Conference on Iranian Studies, May 28-30, 2004 (Washington, DC):*

**Paper:** "A Double-Edged Sword: The Conundrum of Democracy and Transition From the *Pax Americana* to Globalization."

*Center for Social Theory and Comparative History, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA, March 15, 2004:*

**Winter & Spring Colloquium Series: American Empire?**

**Oil and Empire:** "Beyond Oil and Empire."

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*The Andrew Young Center for International Affairs*, Morehouse College, Atlanta, GA,  
February 20, 2004:

**Public Lecture:** “Americanization or Globalization: Between Iraq and a  
Hard-Pressed Neo-conservative Agenda.”

*The Esmail Khoi Foundation in Atlanta & Emory University*, Atlanta, GA, February 21, 2004:

**Public Lecture:** “The Conundrum of Democracy: The Oil Mythology, Loss of  
U.S. Hegemony and Anachronistic Pandemonium of Political Islam.”

*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference*, January 2-5, 2004 (San Diego, CA):

**Presiding:** “Globalization II.”

**Paper:** “The Political Economy of War, Oil, and New U.S. Foreign Policy.”

**Discussant:** “The Constitution of Capital: The Papers on Marx’s  
*Capital*, Vol. I.”

*Thwarting Democracy in Iran and Guatemala: What Have We Learned Fifty Years After the  
U.S. Sponsored Coups? An Exploration*, Northeastern Illinois University, Chicago, IL,  
November 13-15, 2003:

**Speaker:** “The Golden Age of U.S. Foreign Policy: Killing Four Birds  
With One Stone.”

**Speaker:** “The *Pax Americana*, Oil, and the Globalized World of Today.”

**Speaker:** “Thwarting of Democracy: The Role of the Forgotten Containment  
Against Nationalism.”

**Speaker:** “The 1953 CIA Coup and the Future of Democracy in Iran.”

*The Untold Story of the CIA Coup in Iran*, The Center for Middle Eastern Studies, Department  
Of History, and Iranian Student Alliance in America (ISAA), UC-Berkeley, California,  
co-sponsored by KPFA Radio, Berkeley, California, November 8, 2003:

**Speaker:** “Dr. Mossadegh, the 1953 CIA Coup, and the Emergence of American  
Global Hegemony.”

*International Symposium: Political, Economic and Social Issue in the Middle East*, California  
State University, San Bernardino (USA), and Gazi University (Ankara, Turkey), San  
Bernardino, California, November 5-6, 2003:

**Invited Paper:** “The Epoch of Globalization: The Middle East Oil or the

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Conundrum of American Hegemony in a De-centered World?"

*UMM Faculty Seminars (2003-2004)*, October 2, 2003 (Morris, Minnesota):

**Paper:** "The War for Oil or the American Dilemma of Hegemonic Nostalgia?"

*URPE Summer Conference, War and Empire: The Political Economy of U.S. Militarism*, Camp Chinqueka, Bantam, Connecticut, August 23-26, 2003:

**Plenary Speaker:** "The Quest for Oil or the American Craving for a Hegemonic Return?"

*The Thirteenth International Conference, International Trade & Finance Association (IT&FA)*, May 28-31, 2003 (Vaasa, Finland):

**Paper:** "Deregulation, Competition, and Global Alliances in the Air Transport Industry," (with B. Finzel).

*The Spring Symposium on Oil Politics: Energy, Economics, and Globalization*, International Law Society, New York Law School, New York, April 10, 2003:

**Speaker:** "Oil, War, and U.S. Foreign Policy."

*Peoples' Perspectives on the War, the Economy, and U.S. Foreign Policy*, Marygrove College Detroit, MI, April 5, 2003:

**Speaker:** "Oil, Iraq, and the U.S. Middle Eastern Policy."

*The Twenty-First Annual Conference of CIRA*, California State University, Northridge, California, March 28-30, 2003:

**Author Meets Critics:** Examination of Bina's poetry volume, *Khorshid-O-Khak (The Sun and the Earth)* Los Angeles: Bahār Publishers, 1998.

*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference*, January 3-5, 2003 (Washington, DC):

**Paper:** "The Fiftieth Anniversary of the CIA Coup: Political Economy of Oil & Sovereignty in Iran (1951-1953).

**Paper:** "Strategic Convergence in the Air Transport Industry (with B. D. Finzel).

*Center for Near Eastern Studies, UCLA*, December 3, 2002 (Los Angeles, CA):

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**Public Lecture:** “Iraq, Oil, and U.S. Foreign Policy in the Age of Globalization.”

*The Twelfth International Conference, International Trade and Finance Association (IT&IF)*, May 29-June 2, 2002 (Bangkok, Thailand):

**Paper:** “Globalization, Technological Unemployment, and Contingent Labor.”

*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference*, January 4-6, 2002 (Atlanta, GA):

**Paper:** “Globalization, Labor Contingency, and the Mechanic’s Conflict in the Airline Industry,” (with B. Finzel).

**Paper:** “Iran’s Economy in Perspective: Oil, Capital Formation, and the Rentier State,” (with S. Badiei).

*The Foreign Language Association of the Red River, University of Minnesota*, November 17, 2001 (Morris Campus):

**Luncheon Key-Note Speaker:** “Afghanistan and the Surrounding Area: Economics, Religion, and Culture.”

*Royal D. Alworth, Jr. Institute for International Studies, University of Minnesota, Duluth*, November 8, 2001 (Duluth, Minnesota):

**Annual Public Lecture:** “Iran: Economy and Polity of the Islamic Republic.”

*UMM Thursday Afternoon Faculty Seminars (2001-2002)*, October 11, 2001 (Morris, Minnesota):

**Paper:** “Technological Change, Globalization and Skill Formation in Contemporary Capitalism.”

*Congrès Marx International III, Université de Paris X—Nanterre*, September 26-29, 2001 (Paris, France):

**Paper:** “Globalization: Uniqueness and Universal Omnipresence of Capitalism.” (Copies of the paper were provided to the entire conference.)

*International Conference on the Fiftieth Anniversary of Mossadegh (Democratic) Government In Iran (1951-1953)*, May 3-6, 2001 (Chicago, Illinois):

**Plenary Lecture:** “Premier Mossadegh and the Nationalization of Oil in Iran

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(1951-1953).”

*The Tenth Annual Symposium Critique: Journal for Critical Studies of the Middle East – Life & Politics of the Middle East*, March 2-3, 2001 (St. Paul, Minnesota):

**Moderator:** Session on: Modernity and Post-Modernist Dilemmas.

*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference*, January 5-7, 2001 (New Orleans, LA):

**Paper:** “Technology, Skill Formation and Universal Labor Contingency,”  
(with C. Davis).

*Rumi 2000: Whirling with the Cosmos Conference*, California State University, October 26-28, 2000 (San Bernardino, CA):

**Paper:** “On the Dialectic of *Rumi's* Discourse,” (with M. Vaziri).

*UCLEA/AFL-CIO Education Conference, Unions and the Global Economy: Labor Education at the Crossroad*, April 13-15, 2000 (Milwaukee, Wisconsin):

**Paper:** “Globalization, Technological Unemployment, and Contingent Labor Force,” (with C. Davis).

*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference*, January 7-9, 2000 (Boston, Massachusetts):

**Paper:** “Technology, Social Capital, and Global Transformation,” (with C. Davis).

*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference*, January 3-5, 1999 (New York, NY):

**Paper:** “The Labor Process, Social Capital, and Technological Unemployment”  
(with C. Davis).

**Discussant:** Session on “Applied Microeconomics.”

*Western Economic Association, International (Seventy-Third) Annual Conference*, June 28-July 2, 1998 (Lake Tahoe, Nevada):

**Paper:** “Technological Change: Global Competition and Skilling & De-Skilling of Labor.”

*IABD (International Academy of Business Disciplines), Tenth Annual Conference*, April 2

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5, 1998 (San Francisco, California):

**Paper:** “Technological Change: The Role of Social Capital vs. Individual Capital.”

*Western Decision Sciences Institute (Twenty-Seventh Annual Meetings)*, April 7-11, 1998 (Reno, Nevada):

**Paper:** “Technological Change: Conventional Wisdom and Critical Assessment.”

*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference*, January 3-5, 1998 (Chicago, Illinois):

**Paper:** “Technological Change and Global Unemployment,” (with C. Davis)

**Presiding & Discussing:** Session on The Maoist Socialist Experience: Perspectives and Lessons.

**Presiding & Discussing:** Session on Labor III.

*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference*, January 4-6, 1997 (New Orleans, Louisiana):

**Paper:** “Technology, Globalization, and Labor,” (with C. Davis).

*Omicron Delta Epsilon (ODE) Keynote Lecture (Chapter at Drew University)*, April 24, 1996, Department of Economics, Drew University, Madison, New Jersey:

**Speaker:** Globalization: The Epochal Imperatives and Developmental Tendencies.

*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference*, January 5-7, 1996 (San Francisco, California):

**Paper:** “The Transnationalization of Capital and Strategic Consideration for Labor,” (with C. Davis).

*The Thirteenth Annual Conference of CIRA*, Ohio State University, Ohio, April 7-9, 1995:

**Chair & Moderator:** Session on The Impact of Oil on Iran' Internal Structure and External Trade.

**Paper:** “The Foreign Exchange Crisis and Question of Hard Currency in Iran.”

*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference*, January 6-8, 1995 (Washington, DC):

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**Paper:** "Global Oil and the Former Soviet States."

*The Twelfth Annual Conference of CIRA*, Vilanova University, Pennsylvania, April 29-May 1, 1994:

**Paper:** "Iran: The New World Disorder and Order of the New Islam."

**Presiding:** Session on: Political Economy & Women's Socioeconomic Status.

*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference*, January 3-5, 1994 (Boston, Massachusetts):

**Paper:** "Global Integration: The Fragility of the Iranian Economy,"

**Presiding:** Session on The Social and Political Structures of Asian Development.

*Islamic Iran in the Post-Khomeini Era: Domestic and Foreign Problems*, Center for Middle Eastern Studies, Harvard University, April 3, 1993:

**Speaker:** "The Globalized Economic Environment and Iran's Fragile Economy."

*The Eleventh Annual Conference of CIRA*, University of California-Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California, April 2-3, 1993:

**Keynote Speaker:** Obstacles to Development in Iran (*Political and Ideological Impediments to Development*)

**Presiding:** "Development, Underdevelopment, and Democracy."

*Eastern Economic Association (Nineteenth Annual Meetings)*, March 19-21, 1993 (Washington, DC):

**Presiding:** "Economic Analysis and Economic Policy in the Islamic Republic of Iran."

*US-Japan Roundtable Discussion*, The Program on US-Japan Relations, Harvard University (February 23, 1993):

**Speaker:** "The Globalization of the Oil Industry: Implication for Japan."

*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference*, January 5-7, 1993 (Anaheim, California):

**Paper:** "Global Competition and the Proliferation of the Labor Movement: Wage Labor and Capital Beyond the Nation-State," (with C. Davis).

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*Fireside Chats, Harvard's Dudley Fireside Room*, November 30, 1992, Dudley House, Harvard University:

**Speaker:** "The New World Order and Order of the New Islam?"

*Conference on Oil Revenues and State Strategies in the Middle East*, November 20-21, 1992, Harvard University:

**Paper:** "Rent and the Rentier: The Slippery Concept of Rent."

*Committee on Iranian Studies Seminar* (Center for Middle Eastern Studies, Harvard University, May 18, 1992):

**Paper:** "Global Oil and the Iranian Oil Policy in the Aftermath of the Persian Gulf War."

*Eastern Economic Association (Eighteenth Annual Convention)*, March 27-29, 1992 (New York City):

**Discussant:** Session on State-Capitalism and the 1990's: Theoretical Perspectives and Alternative

*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference*, January 2-5, 1992 (New Orleans, Louisiana):

**Paper:** "Changing the Old Guard and the New World Oil Order."

**Paper:** "The Transnationalization Process and the Strategic Considerations for Revitalization of the U.S. Labor Movement," (with C. Davis).

*Returned Peace Corps Volunteers and Partners in Action for Sustainable Peace*, Boston, Massachusetts (October 29, 1991):

**Speaker:** "The Post-War Middle East."

*The Sixth Annual Global Issues Conference: Understanding the Future of the Middle East*, Manchester Community College, Manchester, Connecticut (October 26, 1991):

**Paper:** "Middle East Oil and U.S. Foreign Policy."

*New Hampshire Campaign for Peace in the Middle East & New Hampshire Action for Peace and Lasting Security*, Franklin Pierce Law School, Concord, New Hampshire (October 5, 1991):

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**Paper:** "The Economic Imperatives of Oil."

*The Twenty-Third Annual Convention of AAUG (Association of Arab-American University Graduates)*, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois (June 7-9, 1991):

**Plenary Session:** The Future of the Arab World

**Paper:** "The Middle East Oil and U.S. Hegemony in the Era of Post-Cartelization."

*CMES Fellows Seminar at Harvard: The Middle East After the Gulf War* (April 23, 1991):

**Paper:** "Global Oil in the Aftermath of the Persian Gulf War."

*The United States and the Middle East: The Persian Gulf War and Beyond*, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey (April 20-21, 1991):

**Plenary Session:** The Global Implication of Persian Gulf Crisis

**Panelist:** "U.S. Hegemony and Global Oil Order."

*Fourth Annual Foreign Policy Symposium (CFIA Student Council)*, Harvard University, April 16, 1991:

**Theme:** The Future Role of Japan

**Panelist:** Japan and the Middle East.

*The Ninth Annual Conference of CIRA*, The University of Michigan, Ann Arbor (April 5-7, 1991):

**Paper:** "Global Oil and the Oil Policies of the Islamic Republic of Iran."

*Multidisciplinary Colloquium in Natural Resources & Environmental Policy*, University of New Hampshire, Durham, New Hampshire (February 7, 1991):

**Speaker:** "The Economics of Oil and the Crisis of U.S. Foreign Policy."

*Congress of Political Economists (COPE), International*, January 9-12, 1991 (Boston, Massachusetts):

**Paper:** "Transnationalization of Capital,"

**Panelist:** Plenary Session: Political Economy of War and Peace in the Middle East.

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*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference, December 28-30, 1990*  
(Washington, DC):

**Paper:** "Internationalization of Economy, Polity and Ideology,"

**Paper:** "The Internationalization of Capital and the Decline of the U.S. Labor Movement," (with C. Davis).

**Presiding:** Session on Pre- and Post- Revolutionary Economy of Iran,

**Presiding:** Session on New Perspectives on Maoist and Post-Maoist China,

**Presiding:** Special Plenary Session:

The Politics and Economies of the Gulf Crisis

(Participants: James E. Akins [*former US Ambassador to Saudi Arabia*],  
Abbas Alnasrawi, Cyrus Bina and Edward S. Herman)

*The Eighth Annual Conference of CIRA, University of California-Berkeley, Berkeley, California,*  
April 6-8, 1990:

**Paper:** "Oil Rentier States and the Global Polity,"

**Presiding:** Session on Iranian Economy Since the Revolution.

*CMES Forum: Issues and Approaches in Middle Eastern Studies, Harvard University,*  
March 7, 1990:

**Paper:** "Internationalization Process: OPEC Within a Changing Global Economy."

*CMES Fellows Colloquium: Controversial Middle Eastern Issues, Harvard University,*  
February 20, 1990:

**Paper:** "The Rise and Fall of Oil Prices: What is Wrong With Blaming OPEC?"

*Allied Social Sciences Associations (ASSA) Conference, December 28-30, 1989*  
(Atlanta, Georgia):

**Paper:** "Production, Market Exchange and Alienation," (with F.A. Araghi),

**Paper:** "Global Oil and the Transformation of OPEC,"

**Paper:** "The Global Origins of Iran's Land Reform, 1962-1972," (with F. A. Araghi),

**Presiding:** Session on Labor Values and the Transformation Problem.

*Providence Committee on Foreign Relations (Hope Club, Providence, Rhode Island,*  
October 1989):

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**Speaker:** "Middle East in the Changing Global Order."

*Global Imbalances: Alternative Perspectives on the International Economy*, The American University, Washington, DC, May 26-28, 1989:

**Paper:** "Post-War Global Accumulation and the Transnationalization of Capital," (with B. Yaghmaian).

*Harvard's Kress Seminars on the History of Economic Thought*, Kress Library, Harvard University, April 1989:

**Paper:** "Theories of Rent and Value: A Classical Inconsistency."

*The Seventh Annual Conference of CIRA*, Columbia University, New York, April 7-9, 1989:

**Paper:** "The Real and Fictitious Sides of the Islamic Revolution,"  
**Presiding at Plenary Session:** On the Postwar Reconstruction.

*Eastern Economic Association (Fifteenth Annual Convention)*, March 3-5, 1989 (Baltimore, Maryland):

**Paper:** "Middle Eastern Oil and False Expectations on the Role of OPEC,"  
**Presiding & Discussing:** Session on Forces for Transformation & Development in Eastern Europe & the Third World.

*Middle East Studies Association (Twenty-Second Annual Meetings)*, November 2-5, 1988 (Beverly Hills, California):

**Paper:** "The Oil Crisis: Pricing of Oil Within the Structural Transformation of the Oil Market."

*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference*, December 28-30, 1988 (New York City):

**Paper:** "Import Substitution and Export Promotion Within the Context of the Internationalization of Capital," (with B Yaghmaian),

**Paper:** "OPEC Super Profits, Differential Productivity, and the Nature of Accumulation in the Oil Industry,"

**Presiding:** Session on Trade, Oil and Economic Development,

**Presiding:** Session on Excursions in Political Economic Theory.

*The Sixth Annual Conference of CIRA*, University of Chicago, Illinois, April 8-10, 1988:

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**Paper:** “A General Theory of Price Formation in the International Energy Industry.”

*Eastern Economic Association (Fourteenth Annual Convention)*, March 10-12, 1988 (Boston, Massachusetts):

**Paper:** “Worldwide Pricing in the Energy Industry,”

**Presiding:** Session of Accumulation, Labor Markets, and Competition in the Capitalist Economies.

*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference*, December 28-30, 1987 (Chicago, Illinois):

**Paper:** “The Oil Surpluses and the Crisis of Accumulation in Iran's Economy, 1973-1979,”

**Paper:** “Competition and Price Formation in the International Energy Industry.”

*The Fifth Annual Conference of CIRA*, Widener University, Pennsylvania, April 11-12, 1987:

**Paper:** “The Fall of the Oil Prices: What Next?”

*Conference: Current Issues in Political Economy*, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, October 24-26, 1986:

**Paper:** “The Falling Prices in the Oil Market.”

*The Fourth Annual Conference of CIRA* (Center for Iranian Research & Analysis), The American University, Washington, DC, April 1986:

**Speaker at Plenary Session:** “Energy Crisis & Prices.”

*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference*, December 28-30, 1986 (New Orleans, Louisiana):

**Paper:** “The Rise and Fall of Oil Prices: World Oil Industry in Crisis,”

**Presiding:** Session on Political Economy of Industrial Policy.

*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference*, December 28-30, 1985 (New York City):

**Paper:** “Internationalization of the Oil Industry: Simple Oil Shocks or Structural Crisis.”

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*Allied Social Science Associations (ASSA) Conference, December 28-30, 1984 (Dallas, Texas):*

**Paper:** “The Nature of the Oil Rent: A Theoretical Analysis,”

**Presiding:** Session on *Value Theory*.

### **Recent Electronic Broadcasts and Global Media Participation**

- Guest of Radio Azadegan (Satellite Persian Broadcast): In Memory of Dr. H. Fatemi; and Reflections on the Roots of American Deception and Demagogic Politics of Iranian Government (60 minutes), November 11, 2007, San Jose, CA, via telephone;
- Guest of Radio Azadegan (Satellite Persian Broadcast): *On the Fifty-Forth Anniversary of The CIA Coup in Iran: The Rhetoric of Freedom and its Tragic Consequences* (100 minutes), August 26, 2007, San Jose, CA, via telephone;
- Guest of Channel One TV (A Satellite Broadcast in Persian), Woodland Hills, CA; Host: M. Hassibi, *On the CIA Coup of August 19, 1953* [4 commentaries by N. Zarafshān, C. Bina, M. Mohit, Y. Parsa-Banāb] (60 minutes), August 16, 2007, live via telephone;
- Guest of Radio Azadegan (Satellite Persian Broadcast): *On the 30<sup>th</sup> of Tir (1331) [July 1952] Political Protests in Support of Mossadegh* (65 minutes), July 21, 2007, San Jose, CA, via telephone;
- Guest of Channel One TV (A Satellite Broadcast in Persian), Woodland Hills, CA; Host: M. Hassibi, *On the Arrest and Imprisonment of University Students and the Iranian-Americans Visiting Iran* (30 minutes), July 19, 2007, live via telephone;
- Guest of Radio Azadegan (Satellite Persian Broadcast): *The Rhetorical and Real Dimensions Of the Iranian and American Administrations* (100 minutes), July 14, 2007, San Jose, CA, via telephone;
- Guest of VOA Kurdish Service (Satellite Broadcast—Washington, DC): *The Release of 15 British Sailors Captured in Iranian Waters*, April 8, 2007;
- Guest of Radio Farda (Satellite Persian Broadcast—Washington, DC): *Oil and Democracy in Iran* (15minutes), March 18, 2007;
- Guest of Radio Azadegan (Satellite Persian Broadcast): *On the 56<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Nationalization of Oil in Iran and Subsequent CIA Coup* (100 minutes), March 9, 2007, via telephone;
- Guest of Channel One TV (A Satellite Broadcast in Persian), Woodland Hills, CA; Host: M. Hassibi, *On the Twenty-Eighth Anniversary of Iranian Revolution* (40 minutes), February 9, 2007, live via telephone;
- Guest of Radio WIOJ, Jacksonville, FL; Host: Ed Banker; “First Stop in the Morning”; Topic: *Christmas, Iraq, and When the Troops Will Come Home*, December 21, 2006, via telephone;
- Guest of WNPR (Broadcast from Hartford, CT), “Where We Live ([wherewelive@wnpr.org](mailto:wherewelive@wnpr.org)),” Morning Radio Show with John Dankosky, 9:00 AM – 10:00 AM (December 12, 2006)

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[http://www.publicbroadcasting.net/wnpr/news.newsmain?action=article&ARTICLE\\_ID=1010362;](http://www.publicbroadcasting.net/wnpr/news.newsmain?action=article&ARTICLE_ID=1010362)

- Guest of Channel One TV (A Satellite Broadcast in Persian), Woodland Hills, CA; Host: M. Hassibi, *The US-Iran Conflict—Part II* (30 minutes), November 19, 2006, live via telephone;
- Guest of Channel One TV (A Satellite Broadcast in Persian), Woodland Hills, CA; Host: M. Hassibi, *The US-Iran Conflict—Part I* (30 minutes), November 19, 2006, live via telephone;
- Guest of the Radio Hambastegi/Radio Barabari (Persian Broadcast), Stockholm, Sweden: *The American Foreign Policy since Nine-Eleven* (50 minutes), October 1, 2006;
- Guest of the Voice of America, Persian Service (via satellite, live from campus of the University of Minnesota, Morris: *The Status of Oil Industry in Iran* (60 minutes), Washington, DC, September 16, 2006;
- Guest of Channel One TV (A Satellite Broadcast in Persian), Woodland Hills, CA: *Nasim-e Shomāl Program (Breeze from the North)*, with F. Forouzandeh (America's Green Light: the 2006 Israeli's Attack on Lebanon, 120-minute Video), August 13, 2006;
- Guest of the Voice of America: *The Oil Prices in the View of US Elimination of the Head of Al-Qaeda (Zarqawi) in Iraq* (30 minutes), Washington, DC, June 9, 2006, via telephone;
- Guest of Channel One T.V.—A Satellite Broadcast in Persian (Host Dr. M. Mohit): *Iran's Nuclear Issue: The Text and Pre-Text for US Intervention* (30 minutes), Los Angeles, CA, May 14, 2006, live via telephone;
- Guest of the Voice of America (Host A. Biparva): *The Oil Prices and the Political Impact of US-Iranian Confrontation* (30 minutes), May 7, 2006, Washington, DC, via telephone;
- Guest of the Voice of America (Host A. Biparva): *The US-Iran Nuclear Stand-off: What Does the Non-Proliferation Treaty Stand For?* (30 minutes), Washington, DC, May 7, 2006, via telephone;
- Guest of Radio Azadegan (Satellite Persian Broadcast): *Premier Mossadegh: A Political Assessment of the Man and the Phenomenon on the 41<sup>st</sup> Anniversary of His Death* (60 minutes), March 11, 2006, San Jose, CA, via telephone;
- Guest of Radio Azadegan (Satellite Persian Broadcast): *The 53<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary of the CIA Coup d'état in Iran* (60 minutes), August 19, 2005, San Jose, CA, via telephone;
- Guest of Radio Azadegan (Satellite Persian Broadcast): *Commemoration of the July 21, 1952 Uprising (Bozorg daasht-e ghiyaam-e 30 Tir-e 1331) in Iran* (80 minutes), July 21, 2005, San Jose, CA, via telephone;
- Guest of Radio Azadegan (Satellite Persian Broadcast): *Assessment of Post-Presidential Election in Iran* (60 minutes), June 28, 2005, San Jose, CA, via telephone;
- Host of Radio Sharārehā (*The Burning Flames: A Persian Broadcast*), A Biweekly (75 minutes) Via Telephone, *A Special Look: More on Presidential Elections in Iran; Bolivia's Revolt and Demand for the Nationalization of Energy and Oil; Europe's Failed Referenda*, Stockholm, Sweden, June 12, 2005;
- Guest of Radio Sharārehā (*The Burning Flames: A Persian Broadcast*), A Biweekly (50 minutes) Via Telephone, Interview: [1] *The World Trade Organization (WTO)* and

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- [2] *June Presidential Elections in Iran*, Stockholm, Sweden, May 29, 2005;  
Guest of Radio Azadegan (Satellite Persian Broadcast): *The Significance of Premier Mossadegh for Iran and the World on the Occasion of the 123<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary of his Birth* (60 minutes), May 19, 2005, San Jose, CA, via telephone;  
Host of Radio *Sharārehā* (*The Burning Flames: A Persian Broadcast*), A Biweekly (60-minute Program) Via Telephone: *A Report on 2005 CIRA Conference (Philadelphia)*, Stockholm, Sweden, May 15, 2005;  
Guest of Radio Azadegan (Satellite Persian Broadcast): *June 2005 Presidential Election in Iran* (60 minutes), May 13, 2005, San Jose, CA, via telephone;  
Host of Radio *Sharārehā* (*The Burning Flames: A Persian Broadcast*), A Biweekly (90-minute Program) Via Telephone: *Review of Political Economy: Value and Price Formation, and the Meaning of Abstract Labor*, Stockholm, Sweden, April 17, 2005;  
Guest of Radio *Sharārehā* (*The Burning Flames: A Persian Broadcast*), via Telephone: *Reading Poetry, Greetings, and Reminiscing On the Eve of Persian New Year*, Stockholm, Sweden, March 20, 2005;  
Guest of Radio Azadegan (Satellite Persian Broadcast): *Premier Mossadegh, Special Parliamentary Oil Commission, and the Internal and External Opposition* (60 minutes), March 19, 2005, San Jose, CA, via telephone;  
Guest of Radio Barabari (Satellite Persian Broadcast from Norway): *The Iranian Economy: Past and Present* (34 minutes), March 16, 2005, Oslo, Norway, via telephone;  
Host of Radio *Sharārehā* (*The Burning Flames: A Persian Broadcast*), A Biweekly (A 60-minute Program) Via Telephone: *An Analytical Review of the 1979 Iranian Revolution and Counter-Revolution*, Stockholm, Sweden, March 6, 2005;  
Guest of Radio Azadegan (Satellite Persian Broadcast): *The 1951 Iranian Nationalization of Oil in the Context of United Nations Economic and Human Rights and the Right of self-determination* (60 minutes), March 5, 2005, San Jose, CA, via telephone;  
Guest of Radio Azadegan (Satellite Persian Broadcast): *Critical Evaluation of the five Oil Contract Proposals Following the 1951 Nationalization of Oil Under the Premiership of Mossadegh in Iran* (80 minutes), February 26, 2005, San Jose, CA, via telephone;  
Guest of Radio Azadegan (Satellite Persian Broadcast): *Critical Appraisal of the Iranian Revolution: 26<sup>th</sup> Anniversary* (60 minutes), February 11, 2005, San Jose, CA, via telephone;  
Host of Radio *Sharārehā* (*The Burning Flames: A Persian Broadcast*), A Biweekly (90-minute Program) Via Telephone: *Iraq's Election, Iran's Nuclear Negotiations, Weapons of Misinformation, and Confirmation of the Second Bush Administration*, Stockholm, Sweden, January 30, 2005;  
Guest of Radio Azadegan (Satellite Persian Broadcast): *The Post-Pax Americana Hegemonic Loss and America's (Neocons) Strategy in the Middle East* (60 minutes), January 28, 2005, San Jose, CA, via telephone;  
Host of Radio *Sharārehā* (*The Burning Flames: A Persian Broadcast*), A Biweekly (90-minute Program) Via Telephone: *Analysis of the International News and Critical Reflection on the Proposed Referendum Against the Cleric in Iran*, Stockholm, Sweden,

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- January 17, 2005;
- Guest of Radio Azadegan (Satellite Persian Broadcast): *Critical Examination of the Proposed Referendum Against the Government of Islamic Republic in Iran* (60 minutes), December 23, 2004, San Jose, CA, via telephone;
- Guest of Appadana International TV (Satellite Broadcast), Santa Clara: *Nasim-e Shomāl* Program In Persian (*Breeze from the North*), via telephone, with F. Forouzandeh (Debate on the Referendum against the Government of Islamic Republic in Iran, 90-minute interview), December 12, 2004;
- Host of Radio *Sharārehā* (*The Burning Flames: A Persian Broadcast*), A Biweekly (90-minute Program) Via Telephone: *Political Crisis in Ukraine, Proposed Changes in the UN Security Council, Mr. Rumsfeld's Statement about another Insurrection in Iran, the CIA Knowledge of the Venezuelan Coup, and the Commemoration of Post-1953-Coup Student Movement in Iran*, Stockholm, Sweden, December 5, 2004;
- Host of Radio *Sharārehā* (*The Burning Flames: A Persian Broadcast*), A Biweekly (150-minute Program) Via Telephone: *Reflections on the U.S. 2004 Election, Iraqi Insurgency, Yasir Arafat's Passing, Iranian Nuclear Controversy*, Stockholm, Sweden, November 21, 2004;
- Guest of Radio Azadegan (Satellite Persian Broadcast), *Interview: On the 1953 CIA Coup And the Anniversary of the Execution of Dr. Hossein Fatemi, Iranian Foreign Minister* (40 minutes), November 7, 2004, San Jose, CA, via telephone;
- Guest of Radio Azadegan (Satellite Persian Broadcast), *Interview: Iran, Middle East, and U.S. Foreign Policy* (40 minutes), October 18, 2004, San Jose, CA;
- Guest of Appadana International TV (Satellite Broadcast), Santa Clara: *Shallagh-o-Gol-e Sorkh* Program in Persian (*Point-Counterpoint: Review of the Week*, 120-minute Video), with F. Forouzandeh, B. Taheri, and T. Mokhtar), October 18, 2004;
- Guest of Appadana International TV (Satellite Broadcast), Santa Clara: *Nasim-e Shomāl* Program in Persian (*Breeze from the North*), with F. Forouzandeh (2004 U.S. Presidential Elections: Critical Evaluation of the Candidates, 150-minute Video), October 17, 2004;
- Host of Radio *Sharārehā* (*The Burning Flames: A Persian Broadcast*), *Review of the Week: A Weekly Program of Economic, Political, and International Relations of Iran and the Globe*, Stockholm, Sweden, Summer 2004;
- Guest of Appadana International TV (Satellite Broadcast), Santa Clara: *Nasim-e Shomāl* Program In Persian (*Breeze from the North*), via telephone, with F. Forouzandeh (U.S. Foreign Policy in the Middle East: Democracy or the Abuse of Human Rights in Iraq? 90-minute interview), May 2, 2004;
- Guest of KPFK Radio (Los Angeles), *Beneath the Surface*, with Suzy Weissman (Topic: The Quagmire of Iraq and Misleading Slogan of 'Blood for Oil,' 30-minute CD), 5:00 p.m.–6:00 p.m., March 15, 2004, Los Angeles, CA;
- Guest of Minnesota Public Radio (MPR), *Midmorning: Iran's Parliamentary Elections*, 9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m., February 17, 2004;
- Guest of Voice of America, Persian Service, Washington, DC, *Call in Show*,

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- International*—25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Islamic Republic of Iran, 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m., February 1, 2004;
- Guest of Radio Stockholm, Sweden: *Sharārehā (The Burning Flames: A Persian Program)*: On the issues concerning the attempted privatization of Iran's oil industry by the Islamic Government and the general strikes by the employees and workers of NIOC in Iran, among others, an 80-minute telephone interview, November 19, 2003;
- Guest of Appadana International TV (Satellite Broadcast), Santa Clara: *Nasim-e Shomāl* Program in Persian (*Breeze from the North*), with F. Forouzandeh (Critical Examination of the U.S. Senate Foreign Relations Committee debates on Iran, October 2003, 120-minute Video), Cyrus Bina and Mansour Farhang, November 9, 2003;
- Guest of Radio Stockholm, Sweden: *Sharārehā (The Burning Flames: A Persian Program)*: Globalization And Epochal Change: The United States, Iran, and the Middle East, a two-hour telephone interview, September 7, 2003;
- Guest of Appadana International TV (Satellite Broadcast), Santa Clara: *Nasim-e Shomāl* Program In Persian (*Breeze from the North*), with F. Forouzandeh (Premier Mossadegh and the Formation of U.S. Foreign-Policy Habit, 60-minute Video), August 4, 2003, Santa Clara, CA;
- Guest of Appadana International TV (Satellite Broadcast), Santa Clara: *Nasim-e Shomāl* Program In Persian (*Breeze from the North*), with F. Forouzandeh (Premier Mossadegh and the Nationalization of Oil in Iran: The Fiftieth Anniversary of the Coup, 150-minute Video), August 3, 2003, Santa Clara, CA;
- Guest of Appadana International TV (Satellite Broadcast), Santa Clara: *Nasim-e Shomāl* Program In Persian (*Breeze from the North*), with F. Forouzandeh (The Student Movement and the Outlook of Democracy in Iran, 60-minute Video), July 14, 2003, Santa Clara, CA;
- Guest of Appadana International TV (Satellite Broadcast), Santa Clara: *Nasim-e Shomāl* Program In Persian (*Breeze from the North*), with F. Forouzandeh (The Student Movement in Iran, Globalization, and the Assessment of U.S. Intervention in Iraq, 150-minute Video), July 13, 2003, Santa Clara, CA;
- Guest of Appadana International TV (Satellite Broadcast), Santa Clara: *Nasim-e Shomāl* Program In Persian (*Breeze from the North*), with F. Forouzandeh (Oil, *Pax Americana*, and the Impending U.S. War against Iraq, 150-minute Video), March 9, 2003, Santa Clara, CA;
- Guest of Appadana International TV (Satellite Broadcast), Santa Clara: *Nasim-e Shomāl* Program In Persian (*Breeze from the North*), with F. Forouzandeh (Patriot I, U.S. Immigration, and the U.S. Foreign Policy in the Middle East, 150-minute Video), December 8, 2002, Santa Clara, CA;
- Guest of KPFK Radio (Los Angeles), *Beneath the Surface*, with Suzy Weissman (Topic: Iraq, Oil, and Intention of the Bush Administration, 30-minute CD), 5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m., December 2, 2002, Los Angeles, CA.

## **Grants Received**

### *Outside the University:*

Faculty Enrichment Grant, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Summer 1985.

### *Within the University:*

Application for IPC Faculty Grant:

Project Title: *Transnational Enterprise* (re-evaluation of a newly developed course in the Management curriculum), October 22, 2001. Acceptance: December 15, 2001.

## **Grant Proposals Submitted, Not Accepted**

Application for IPC Faculty Grant:

Project Title: *Transnational Enterprise* (a new course intended as a step for the internationalization of Management curriculum), February 13, 2001.

Application for IPC Faculty Grant:

Project Title: *Global Political Economy* (a new course intended as a step for the internationalization of Economics curriculum), February 13, 2001.

Morris Academic Partnership (MAP), UMM: 2001-2002, 2002-2003, and 2003-2004.

## **Professional Meetings Attended**

American Economic Association (AEA)  
Association for Evolutionary Economics (AFEE)  
Center for Iranian Research & Analysis (CIRA)  
Eastern Economic Association (EEA)  
Economists for Peace & Security (EPS)  
Harvard Kress Society for History of Economic Thought  
International Trade and Finance Association (IT&FA)  
Middle East Economic Association (MEEA)  
Middle East Studies Association (MESA)  
Union for Radical Political Economics (URPE)  
Western Decision Sciences (WDS)  
Western Economic Association (WEA)

## **Research and Scholarly Activities in Progress**

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*The World of Globalization and Globalization of the World: Beyond the Nation-State.*  
*Technological Change and Global Development: The Pandora's Box Opened*  
“Globalization, Foreign Exchange Crisis, and the Fragility of Iranian Economy.”  
“New World Disorder and Order of the New Islam?”  
“Global Oil and the Political Economy of Former Soviet States.”  
“Technical Change and Global Unemployment.”

## **SERVICE**

### **All-University Service**

Committees:

Other:

### **UMM Service**

Committees:

Chair, Faculty Development Committee (FDC), University of Minnesota, Morris,  
2007-2008.

Convener and Chair, Distinguished Research Award Committee (DRAC), University of  
Minnesota, Morris, 2007-2008.

Member, Faculty Review Committee, Division of Social Sciences, University of  
Minnesota, Morris, 2007-2008.

Member, Post-Tenure Review Committee, Division of Social Sciences,  
University of Minnesota, Morris, 2007-2008.

Chair, Review Committee for Pareena Lawrence's Research Evaluation (for Promotion),  
Division of Social Sciences, University of Minnesota, Morris, 2007-2008.

Member, Review Committee for Seung-Ho Joo's Research Evaluation (for Promotion),  
Division of Social Sciences, University of Minnesota, Morris, 2007-2008.

Chair, Faculty Development Committee (FDC), University of Minnesota, Morris,  
2006-2007.

Member, Distinguished Research Award Committee (DRAC), University of  
Minnesota, Morris, 2006-2007.

Member, Faculty Review Committee, Division of Social Sciences, University of  
Minnesota, Morris, 2006-2007.

Chair, Review Committee for Bart Finzel's Research Evaluation (for Promotion),  
Division of Social Sciences, University of Minnesota, Morris, 2006-2007.

Chair, Faculty Development Committee (FDC), University of Minnesota, Morris,  
2005-2006.

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Member, Distinguished Research Award Committee (DRAC), University of Minnesota, Morris, 2005-2006.  
Chair, International Programs Committee (IPC), University of Minnesota, Morris, 2004-2005.  
Member, Distinguished Research Award Committee (DRAC), University of Minnesota, Morris, 2004-2005.  
Chair, Review Committee for Stephen Burks' Research Evaluation (for Tenure and Promotion), Division of Social Sciences, University of Minnesota, Morris, 2004-2005.  
Chair, International Programs Committee (IPC), University of Minnesota, Morris, 2003-2004.  
Chair, Review Committee for Arne Kildegaard's Research Evaluation (for Tenure), Division of Social Sciences, University of Minnesota, Morris, 2003-2004.  
Member, Search Committee, Psychology, University of Minnesota, Morris, 2001-2002.  
Member, Search Committee, Economics and Management, University of Minnesota, Morris, 2001-2002.  
Member, Search Committee, Economics and Management, University of Minnesota, Morris, 2000-2001.  
Member, Faculty Development Committee, University of Minnesota, Morris, Spring 2001.  
Member (and Faculty Adviser), Student Organizations Committee, Sub-Committee on Constitution of Campus Organizations, University of Minnesota, Morris, 2000-2001.  
Member, Faculty Committee on Single-Semester Leave, University of Minnesota, Morris, 2000-2001.

Other:

Participation in the Fall Faculty Retreat: *Planning for the Future: Making It Happen*, University of Minnesota, Morris, August 20-21, 2007.  
Participation in the Fall Faculty Retreat: A Conference on *Teaching and Learning in a Multi-Cultural Society*, University of Minnesota, Morris, August 23-24, 2004.  
Mentoring a probationary faculty, University of Minnesota, Morris, 2003-2004.  
Participation in the Faculty Retreat: A Conference on *Enhancing Learning and Teaching through Technology*, University of Minnesota, Morris, August 21-22, 2001.  
Mid-Career Teaching Seminar, University of Minnesota, Morris, 2000-2001.  
Participation in the Faculty Retreat: A Conference on *Service Learning*, University of Minnesota, Morris, August 20-21, 2000.

### **Professional Service Activities**

#### ***Academic & Professional Administration***

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Founder and Director, Center of Unified, Global, and Applied Research (COUGAR), Alfred North Whitehead College, University of Redlands, 1997-1998.  
Lead Faculty for Graduate and Undergraduate Research Projects (BSBAM, MAM, and MBA Programs Project Practicum and Theses), Department of Management and Business, University of Redlands, 1996-1998.  
Associate Director of MBA Program, University of Redlands (*Developed the Global MBA Curriculum*), 1997-1998.  
Member of the Advisory Board, International Business Program, Graduate School of Business, New Hampshire College, 1991-1996.  
Supervisor of the Work-Study and Internship Programs, Business & Economics, Olivet College, Michigan, 1983-1985.  
Senior Lead Project and Director of Community Development, EMAY, 1979-1981.  
Consultant and Reviewer for *Choice Magazine*.  
Reviewer of manuscripts and referee for a number of academic and professional journals.  
Consultant to several scholarly publishers.  
Appeared in several commemorative directories such as:

*Who's Who in the World, International Directory of Distinguished Leadership, The Writers Directory, 5,000 Personalities of the World, Men of Achievement, Who's Who in the East, Who's Who in America, Who's Who in Finance and Business, Who's Who of Emerging Leaders in America, Who's Who in American Education.*

#### *Academic Activities*

Member of Curriculum Committee, College of Arts & Sciences, University of Redlands, 1998.  
Member of University's Institutional Review Board (IRB), University of Redlands, 1997-1998.  
Chair, Departmental Honors Committee, Department of Management & Business, University of Redlands, 1997-1998.  
Member of University Task Force on On-Line and Distance Learning, University of Redlands, 1997-1998.  
Coordinated and Developed the Primary Activities of the Center of Unified, Global, and Applied Research (COUGAR), Department of Management & Business, University of Redlands, 1996-1998.  
Member of Alfred North Whitehead College Curriculum Committee, University of Redlands, 1996-1998.  
Chair, Task Force for Release Time of the Chair and Program Directors, Department of Management & Business, University of Redlands, 1996-1997.  
Member of Scholarship and Creative Activities (SCAT) Group, University of Redlands, 1996-1997.  
Member of Faculty Search Committee, Department of Management and Business, Alfred North Whitehead College, University of Redlands, 1996-1997.  
Member of Senior Common Room, Dudley House, Harvard University, 1993-1995.  
Member of Iranian Studies Seminar (CMES), Harvard University, 1991-1995.

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Member of Fellows' Colloquium (CMES), Harvard University, 1991-1993.

Member of Economics Department Faculty Search Committee, Providence College, 1989-1990.

Member of MBA Program Advisory Committee, Providence College, 1988-1990.

Member of the Academic Policy Committee, Olivet College, Michigan, 1986-1987.

Member of Library Committee, Olivet College, Michigan, 1985-1986.

Member of the Faculty Senate, Olivet College, Michigan, 1984-1986.

### **Public Service Activities**

- Had more than 1100 interviews with the various local, state, national, and international (print and electronic) media on the number crisis-ridden national and global issues during the last decade; provided expert opinion and technical commentaries to the national and international media on the subjects of American Foreign Policy, oil and diplomacy, South East Asian crisis, globalization, global competition and plant closings in the United States, "intellectual property," New World Order, The Middle East regional conflicts, and Iran's economy, foreign policy and human rights.
- Recent interview: WBAI (New York), KPFK (Los Angeles, CA), KPFA (Berkeley, CA), Appadana International TV (Santa Clara, CA), Voice of America (Washington, D.C.), Radio Paris-International, Radio Stockholm (Persian Programs, Sweden), Radio Iran: KIRN 670 (Los Angeles), Radio Azadegan (San Jose, CA), Voice of America (Los Angeles), *The New York Times* (Steven Kinzer, <http://www.nytimes.com/2003/11/30/weekinreview/30KINZ.html>), *The Star Tribune* (Mike Meyers, Minneapolis), WTIC Radio (Matt Dwyer: Hartford, CT).

Samples of a few commentaries are as follows:

Bina, C. and M.E. Mckenna, "Nursing Shortage with a Twist," *The Providence Journal*, July 12, 1989.

Bina, C. and J. Hawkins, "Be a Trend-Setter and Lead the Market," *The Providence Journal*, July 27, 1990.

Bina, C., "Watching the Gulf Scoreboard," *The Providence Journal*, August 31, 1990.

- Testified, as an expert, in U.S. immigration courts in respect to political asylum cases, pertaining to violation of human rights and freedom of expression on behalf of dissidents from Iran.