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Academic Background

Ph.D. University of Missouri, Columbia, Missouri, USA, Finance, 2014.

M.B.A. University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington, TX, USA, Finance Concentration, 2010.

B.S. Kuwait University, Kuwait, Accounting, 2008.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Work Experience

Assistant Professor, Finance and Financial Institutions Department, College of Business Administration, Kuwait University (2014 - Present), Shuwaikh, Kuwait.

Visiting Scholar, University of California - Berkeley (August, 2017 - December, 2018), Berkeley, United States of America.

Refereed Articles

Alabdullah, Y., & Ferris, S. (2014). Bridging the Cultural Divide: The Role of Foreign Directors in Cross-Border Mergers. *Advances in Financial Economics*, 17, 35-79.

Working Papers

Almudhaf and Alabdullah. (2019). "Bubbles in REITs Subsectors". Under Review

Alabdullah, Y. (2012). "REITs and Dividends Around the World."

Alabdullah, Y. (2012). "Country Effects in the Share Repurchase Decision."

Alabdullah, Y. (2012). "Ear, Drink, and be Merry: An International Perspective on Sin Stocks."

TEACHING

Courses Taught

Courses from the Teaching Schedule: FINANCIAL MODELS, INTERMED.FINANCIAL MANAG., PRIN.OF FIN. MANAGEMENT, PRINCIPLES OF INVESTMENT

Teaching Schedule

Term	Course	Course Title	Sec	Cr	Enroll	Total	Session	Campus	Eval	Grade	Dist	TR%
2017/Summer	FIN1012327	INTERMED.FINANCIAL MANAG.	01	3	37	111						
2017/Spring	FIN1012220	PRIN.OF FIN. MANAGEMENT	55	3	15	45						
2017/Spring	FIN1012327	INTERMED.FINANCIAL MANAG.	52	3	14	42						
2017/Spring	FIN1012327	INTERMED.FINANCIAL MANAG.	2	3	9	27						
2016/Fall	FIN1012327	INTERMED.FINANCIAL MANAG.	51	3	31	93						
2016/Fall	FIN1012327	INTERMED.FINANCIAL MANAG.	1	3	17	51						
2016/Fall	FIN1012220	PRIN.OF FIN. MANAGEMENT	53	3	26	78						
2016/Summer	FIN1012327	INTERMED.FINANCIAL MANAG.	52	3	16	48						
2016/Spring	FIN1012340	FINANCIAL MODELS	01A	3	7	21						
2016/Spring	FIN1012320	PRINCIPLES OF INVESTMENT	51	3	15	45						
2016/Spring	FIN1012320	PRINCIPLES OF INVESTMENT	01A	3	18	54						
2015/Fall	FIN1012320	PRINCIPLES OF INVESTMENT	1	3	22	66						
2015/Fall	FIN1012340	FINANCIAL MODELS	01A	3	17	51						
2015/Fall	FIN1012320	PRINCIPLES OF INVESTMENT	51	3	40	120						
2015/Summer	FIN1012220	PRIN.OF FIN. MANAGEMENT	53	3	23	69						
2015/Spring	FIN1012340	FINANCIAL MODELS	01AX2	3	14	42						
2015/Spring	FIN1012327	INTERMED.FINANCIAL MANAG.	53	3	27	81						
2015/Spring	FIN1012220	PRIN.OF FIN. MANAGEMENT	56	3	30	90						
2015/Spring	FIN1012327	INTERMED.FINANCIAL MANAG.	54X1	3	13	39						
2015/Spring	FIN1012327	INTERMED.FINANCIAL MANAG.	52	3	29	87						
2014/Fall	FIN1012220	PRIN.OF FIN. MANAGEMENT	57X1	3	40	120						

2014/Fall	FIN1012220	PRIN.OF FIN. MANAGEMENT	56	3	41	123						
2014/Fall	FIN1012327	INTERMED.FINANCIAL MANAG.	55	3	33	99						
2014/Fall	FIN1012220	PRIN.OF FIN. MANAGEMENT	3	3	28	84						
Totals				72	562	1686						

SERVICE

Service to the Institution

Department Assignments

Chair:

2016-2017: Academic Accreditation Committee

2015-2016 – 2016-2017: Academic Affairs Committee

2014-2015: Planning and Budgeting Committee

Member:

2016-2017: Scholarships Committee

2015-2016 – 2016-2017: Departmental Advisory Council

2015-2016 – 2016-2017: Cultural Affairs Committee

2015-2016 – 2016-2017: Research Committee

2015-2016: Academic Accreditation Committee

2015-2016: Planning and Budgeting Committee

2014-2015: Guidance ,Counseling and Scheduling Committee

2014-2015: Academic Affairs Committee

2014-2015: Scholarships Committee

College Assignments

Member:

2015-2016: Libraries and Laboratories Committee

2014-2015: Planning and Budgeting Committee

Service to the Profession

Academic Conference: Discussant

2009: Financial Management Association (FMA) (International).

Presentation

2012 – 2014: University of Missouri, Columbia, Missouri (International).

2010: University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington, Texas (International).

Professional Development

Assurance of Learning - Professional Development

2017: Assurance of Learning Seminar II - AACSB, Salmiya, Kuwait. Lorelle Frazer Director (Online & Blended Learning) Griffith Business School, March 21-22

2015: Assessment: Assurance of Learning Seminar - AACSB, Salmiya, Kuwait. Kathryn Martell, Dean, College of Business, Central Washington University, November 8th 2015 (CPE:)

Research-Related Conference/Seminar

2017: How to Get Research Grants From the Research Administration at Kuwait University through the use of the Workflow System, Shuwaikh, Kuwait. Speaker: Dr. Kamel Rouibah, Director of the Research Development Unit at CBA, April 17, Al-Yousefi Hall, College of Business Administration, Kuwait University (CPE: 1)

2016: Research Special Topics: Development and Funding - Seminar, Shuwaikh, Kuwait. Speaker: Professor Haidar Behbehani, Assistant Vice President for Research - Kuwait University, December 26, Al-Danah Hall, College of Business Administration, Kuwait University (CPE: 1.5)

2016: The Risk Index of Islamic Banks - Seminar, Shuwaikh, Kuwait. Speaker: Professor Talla M. Aldeehani Professor and acting chairman of the Finance and Financial Institutions Department, November 9, Finance and Financial Institutions Department, College of Business Administration, Kuwait University

2015: American Finance Association, Boston, Massachusetts.

2014: American Finance Association, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

2013: American Finance Association, San Diego, California.

2013: Financial Management Association, Chicago, Illinois.

2012: Financial Management Association, Denver, Colorado.

Other Professional Development

2016: AACSB International Conference and Annual Meeting (ICAM), Boston, Massachusetts. Theme of the annual meeting was "Renewing Our Purpose. Empowering your potential" - April 3-5, 2016 - 100-year celebration. (CPE: 26)

Professional Seminars / Workshops

2017: Business Continuous Review Accreditation Seminar - AACSB, Salmiya, Kuwait.
Tim Mescon - March 23rd 2017

2015: Accreditation Seminar - AACSB, Salmiya, Kuwait. Jacob Chako - Dean of College of Business Administration, Abu Dhabi University, November 19th 2015 (CPE:)

2015: Building Culture for Strategic Management, Kuwait City, Kuwait. Speakers: Dr. Anthony P. Graffeo, Director General of KISR and Dr. Mahdi Al Jazzaf, Faculty Member in College of Business Administration, Kuwait University. (CPE: 2.5)

Honors/Awards

Award

2009: Amir of Kuwait Award, Kuwait University.

2008: Scholarship to University of Texas at Arlington and University of Missouri- Colombia, Kuwait University.

2001: Amir of Kuwait Award, High School.

Honor

2006: Dean's list (2006-2008), Kuwait University.

Professional Memberships

Honor Society, 2010-2014