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Personal Information:

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Qualifications:

- Ph.D. in International Economics, Batna 1 University, 2016.
- Professor in Economic Sciences, 2021.

Training:

- Short-term academic internship at University College of London (UCL): 2012.
- Short-term academic internship at the Diplomatic Archives Center in Nantes, France: 2014.
- Special training in Econometrics - Eviews within the research team PNR, under the title: Economic Opening Policies and the Growth Issue in South Mediterranean Countries. Project Code: 27/u05/5201, supervised by LEEM Laboratory, Batna 1 University, Algeria, 2013.
- English language training at Al-Bayan Language Academy, Batna, Algeria, 2016-2017.

Professional Experience and Administrative Responsibilities:

- Teaching assistant at Batna 1 University, Faculty of Economic and Commercial Sciences and Management Sciences, 2007-2008.
- Assistant lecturer at the Faculty of Economic and Commercial Sciences and Management Sciences, Abbas Laghrour University, Khenchela, since December 20, 2009.
- Associate professor at the University of Continuous Training, Khenchela Branch, 2016-2017.
- Manager of the Master's Theses Unit at the Faculty of Economic and Commercial Sciences and Management Sciences, Abbas Laghrour University, Khenchela, 2011-2014.
- Vice Dean in charge of postgraduate studies, scientific research, and external relations at the Faculty of Economic and Commercial Sciences and Management Sciences, Abbas Laghrour University, Khenchela, 2016-2017.
- Professor at the Faculty of Economic and Commercial Sciences and Management Sciences, Abbas Laghrour University, Khenchela, Algeria, 2021.

Pedagogical Activities:

- Teacher of several courses at different academic levels (Bachelor's, Master's, Ph.D.), such as: International Trade Operations (I-II), Capital Markets, Stock Markets, Financial Evaluation of Projects, International Monetary and Financial Theories, Research Methodology (II), Environmental Economics, Public Projects Evaluation, Corporate Taxation, Management Control, Evaluation of Project Feasibility, Production and Operations Management, Stock Exchange Management Techniques, Enterprises Evaluation, Stock Exchange Law.

- Responsible for the exploratory teaching unit (Research Methodology 2 + Statistics), 2014-2015, University of Khenchela.
- Supervision of much internship, Bachelor's and Master's theses, and Ph.D. dissertations.
- Author of several printed educational materials and lessons (peer-reviewed and online), including:
 - Project Management and Feasibility Evaluation (Educational material for undergraduate students specializing in Finance, and first-year Master's students specializing in Public Management (2021)).
 - Public Projects Evaluation (Educational material for first-year Master's students specializing in Public Management (2021)).
 - Corporate Taxation (Lessons for third-year undergraduate students specializing in Finance and Accounting (2021)).
 - Contemporary Environmental Issues (Lectures for Ph.D. students specializing in Environmental Economics and Sustainable Development (2017)).

Scientific Publications:

- "Efficiency Trends of Financial Investments in the Saudi Stock Market during the Period 2000-2006: A Sectoral Analytical Study," Journal of Economic and Administrative Sciences, Issue 5, Union of Arab Universities, Lebanon, 2011.
- "Random Characteristics of Price Indices and Predictability of Returns in Gulf Stock Markets," Cooperation Journal, Issue 88, General Secretariat of the Cooperation Council for the Arab States of the Gulf, July 2015.
- "Modern Trends in Critiquing the Efficient Market Hypothesis: A Review Survey, " Journal of Humanities and Social Sciences, University of Biskra, Issue 43, March 2016.
- "Adventure Capital Company: Legal and Economic Vision," Journal of Law and Political Science, University of Khenchela, Algeria, 2017.
- "Financial Asset Valuation: From Traditional Pricing Approaches to Alternative Models - An Analytical and Critical Study, " Journal of North African Economics (Six-Monthly International Scientific Journal, University of Chlef), Volume 16, Issue 23, 2020.
- "The Impact of Knowledge Management on Decision Making: A Field Study at a Retail Pharmaceutical Distribution Institution in Biskra," Algerian Journal of Security and Development (Six-Monthly International Scientific Journal, University of Batna 1), Volume 10, Issue 1, January 2021.
- "Trade Openness ... Towards Alternative Measures: An Analytical Study of Some Models," Journal of Authentic Economic and Administrative Research (Six-Monthly International Scientific Journal, University of Khenchela), Volume 5, Issue 1, June 2021.
- "Anti-Money Laundering Crimes in Algeria: Reality and Solutions," Fields of Knowledge Journal (National Scientific Journal, University of Djelfa), Issue 03, Volume 02, October 2021.
- "Volatility Patterns and Dynamics of Response in Global Financial Markets under COVID-19: Summation of Theoretical and Applied Studies," Journal of Social and Human Sciences (Six-Monthly International Scientific Journal, University of Batna 1), Volume 22, Issue 2, December 2021.

Scientific initiatives:

1. Membership in research laboratories:

- Member of the Maghreb Economic Studies Laboratory (LEEM), Faculty of Economic Sciences and Management, University of Batna 1, since 2021,

2. Membership in research teams:

- Member of the research team PNR, under the title: Economic Opening Policies and the Issue of Growth in South Mediterranean Countries. Project code:

27/u05/5201, supervised by LEEM laboratory, University of Batna 1, Algeria. 2012-2013.

- Member of the research team CNEPRU, under the title: Financial Crises and the Problem of Prediction in the Context of Financial Liberalization. Project code: M01320140009, integrated research team in LEEM laboratory, Faculty of Economic Sciences and Management, University of Batna 1, 2015-2018.
- Project leader of the research project PRFU, titled: Addressing the Structural and Cyclical Imbalances of the Algerian Balance of Payments in light of the Current Economic Constraints and Available Alternatives, Faculty of Economic Sciences and Management, University of Khenchela, 2019-2022.

3. Membership in scientific bodies:

- Member of the scientific committee of the Department of Economic Sciences, Faculty of Economic Sciences and Management, University of Khenchela: 2016-2019.

4. Organization of scientific events:

- Chairman of the National Scientific Forum with International Indexing: Dynamics of Exchange Rates and Their Effects on the Sustainability of the Algerian Balance of Payments, September 11, 2021, University of Batna 1.
- Deputy Chairman of the Second International Forum titled: The Impact of the African Continental Free Trade Area on the Algerian Economy, November 29-30, 2022, Faculty of Economic and Commercial Sciences and Management, University of Batna 1, Algeria.

5. Membership in scientific conference committees:

- Member of the organizing committee of the International Conference on Economic Opening Policies and Their Impact on Growth in South Mediterranean Countries, held on November 11-12, 2013, Faculty of Economic Sciences and Management, University of Batna 1.
- Member of the scientific committee of the First International Scientific Conference on "Algeria and the Necessity of Transition towards a Green Economy for Sustainable Development," held on December 10-11, 2018, Faculty of Economic Sciences and Management, University of Khenchela, Algeria.
- Member of the scientific committee of the International Standardized Scientific Conference on "Domestic Tourism and Local Communities: Between the Necessity of Economic Diversification and the Industry of Excellence," held on April 27-28, 2019, Accounting, Finance, Taxation, and Insurance Laboratory, University of Umm Al-Bouaghi, Algeria.
- Member of the scientific committee of the Second National Scientific Conference on "Applications of Economic Measurement and Financial Modeling in the Era of Big Data, Information and Communication Technology," held on November 14, 2019, Ain Temouchent University Center, Algeria.
- Member of the scientific committee of the National Scientific Conference on "Dynamics of Exchange Rates and Their Effects on the Sustainability of the Algerian Balance of Payments," held on September 11, 2021, LEEM, University of Batna 1, Algeria.
- Member of the scientific committee of the National Conference on "The Role of Information Technologies in Economic Development and its Link to the Knowledge Economy," held on November 24, 2022, Faculty of Economic and Commercial Sciences and Management, University of Khenchela, Algeria.

- Member of the scientific committee of the Second International Conference on "The Impact of the African Continental Free Trade Area on the Algerian Economy," held on November 29-30, 2022, Faculty of Economic and Commercial Sciences and Management, University of Batna 1, Algeria.

6. Reading and Reviewing committees in scientific journals:

- Assistant Editor in the Journal of Economic Analysis and Development Studies, a peer-reviewed international journal published by the Institute of Law and Political Science - Department of Economics, University Center of Naama, Algeria.
- Reviewer in the Journal of Strategy and Development, a peer-reviewed international journal published by the Faculty of Economic and Commercial Sciences and Management, University of Mostaganem, Algeria.
- Reviewer in the Journal of North African Economics, a peer-reviewed international journal published by the Faculty of Economic and Commercial Sciences and Management, University of Chlef, Algeria.
- Reviewer in the Journal of El-Asil for Economic and Administrative Studies, a peer-reviewed international journal published by the Faculty of Economic and Commercial Sciences and Management, University of Khenchela, Algeria.
- Reviewer in the International Journal of Human Studies, a peer-reviewed international journal published by the Faculty of Economic and Commercial Sciences and Management, University of Khenchela, Algeria.
- Reviewer in the Journal of Economic Sciences and Business Administration, a peer-reviewed national journal published by the Faculty of Economic and Commercial Sciences and Management, University of Batna 1, Algeria.

Research interests and scientific prospects:

- Authoring scientific books such as: Financial Markets Modeling; Energy Transition Economics.
- Areas of scientific and research interest: Islamic finance and Shariah governance standards, financial market, international trade, climate finance, energy transition economics, environmental economics and sustainable development, financial modeling, financial technology, project feasibility assessment, artificial intelligence.