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Education

- Ph.D. in Accounting, Tarbiat Modares University, Iran, 2013
- M.A. in Accounting, University of Tehran, Iran, 2009
- B.A. in Accounting, Ferdowsi University of Mashhad, Iran, 2007

Employment

- Professor, Ferdowsi University of Mashhad, 2022 - present
- Associate Professor, Ferdowsi University of Mashhad, 2018 - present
- Assistant Professor, Ferdowsi University of Mashhad, 2013 - 2017

Research Interests

- Financial Reporting Quality, Disclosure Regulation, Philosophy of Science and Research Methodology

Teaching Interests

- Financial Accounting, International Financial Reporting Standards, Research Methods

Selected Publications

- Oradi, J., Hesarzadeh, R., E-Vahdati, S., & Nadeem, M. (2024). CEO succession origin and annual reports readability. *The British Accounting Review*, 101384. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.bar.2024.101384>
- Hesarzadeh, R., & Behbahaninia, P. S. (2024). The Impact of International Public Sector Accounting Standards on Economic Policy Uncertainty. *Public Money & Management*, 44(3), 187-195. DOI: 10.1080/09540962.2022.2154066
- Zamani, R., Lari Dashtbayaz, M., & Hesarzadeh, R. (2024). Factors affecting team performance of external auditors in Iran. *International Journal of Auditing*. <https://doi.org/10.1111/ijau.12346>
- Bazrafshan, A., & Hesarzadeh, R. (2021). Board busyness and firm productivity. *Personnel Review*, ahead-of-print. doi:10.1108/pr-07-2019-0375
- Bazrafshan, A., & Hesarzadeh, R. (2021). Multiple directorships and managerial ability. *European Journal of International Management*, 15(1), 146 - 168. doi:10.1504/ejim.2019.10016753
- Bazrafshan, A., Makarem, N., Hesarzadeh, R. and SalmanAbbood, W. (2021). Managerial ability, earnings quality and ISIS: evidence from Iraq. *International Journal of Emerging Markets*, ahead-of-print. doi:10.1108/IJOEM-08-2020-1012
- Hayaecian, S., & Hesarzadeh, R. (2023). Knowledge Management Strategies, Intellectual Capital, and Ambidextrous Innovation Capability in SMEs: Are They Relevant? *Journal of the Knowledge Economy*. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s13132-023-01172-5>

- Hayaieian, S., Hesarzadeh, R., & Abbaszadeh, M. R. (2021). The impact of knowledge management strategies on the relationship between intellectual capital and innovation: evidence from SMEs. *Journal of Intellectual Capital*, ahead-of-print. doi:10.1108/jic-07-2020-0240
- Hesarzadeh, R. (2019). Are the individual and collective roles of financial reporting quality measures the same? Evidence in the context of information uncertainty. *Spanish Journal of Finance and Accounting*, 48(2), 160–202. doi:10.1080/02102412.2018.1469858
- Hesarzadeh, R. (2020). Regulatory oversight and managerial ability. *Eurasian Business Review*, 10(4), 559–585. doi:10.1007/s40821-020-00150-0
- Hesarzadeh, R. (2022). The impact of corporate social responsibility on regulatory comment letters: Evidence from Iran. *Spanish Accounting Review*, 25(1), 58–75. doi:10.6018/rcsar.398611
- Hesarzadeh, R. Rajabalizadeh, J. (2019). Does securities commission oversight reduce the complexity of financial reporting?. *Spanish Accounting Review*, 23(1), 1–17. doi:10.6018/rcsar.389791
- Hesarzadeh, R., & Bazrafshan, A. (2018). Corporate reporting readability and regulatory review risk. *Baltic Journal of Management*, 13(4), 488–507. doi:10.1108/bjm-11-2017-0357
- Hesarzadeh, R., & Bazrafshan, A. (2019). CEO ability and regulatory review risk. *Managerial Auditing Journal*, 34(5), 575–605. doi:10.1108/maj-08-2018-1958
- Hesarzadeh, R., & Rajabalizadeh, J. (2019). The impact of corporate reporting readability on informational efficiency. *Asian Review of Accounting*, 27(4), 489–507. doi:10.1108/ara-11-2018-0203
- Hesarzadeh, R., Bazrafshan, A., & Rajabalizadeh, J. (2019). Financial reporting readability: Managerial choices versus firm fundamentals. *Spanish Journal of Finance and Accounting*, 49(4), 452–482. doi:10.1080/02102412.2019.1668219
- Khodakarami, M., Rezaee, Z., & Hesarzadeh, R. (2021). Islamic Religious Atmosphere and Audit Pricing: Evidence from Iran. *Business Ethics, the Environment & Responsibility*, ahead-of-print. doi: 10.1111/beer.12364

Selected Honors and Awards

- Distinguished faculty in education, Ferdowsi University of Mashhad, 2019
- The first distinguished young faculty Scholar in Accounting: Professor Ali Saghafi Award, 2016
- Distinguished PhD Alumnus Award, Tarbiat Modares University, 2014
- National Outstanding Student, Ministry of Science, Research and Technology of the Islamic Republic of Iran, 2013

Selected Professional Activities

- Ad hoc reviewer: European Accounting Review, Canadian Journal of Administrative Sciences, Spanish Accounting Review
- International Journal of Emerging Markets-Editorial Board /RAE- Associate Editor
- Advisor for Economic Deputy, Municipality of Mashhad, 2019-2020
- Strategic Financial Advisory Committee, Municipality of Mashhad, 2015- 2017
- The Secretary of Standard and Education Committee, Securities and Exchange Organization of Iran, 2010-2014
- Iranian Accounting and Auditing Standards Boards, Research Section, 2009-2010