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### EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Economics and Public Policy,	University of Texas at Austin,	2004
M.S. in Economics,	University of Texas at Austin,	2000
M.S in Economics & Management Science	University of North Texas	1995
B.S. in Economics,	University of Khartoum,	1988

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Professor of Economics and Public Policy, Doha Institute for Graduate Studies (DI) 2024 -  
Dean, School of School of Economics, Administration and Public Policy, (DI), Qatar, 2020-2023  
Associate Professor of Economics and Public Policy, (DI), Qatar, 2019-2024  
Associate Professor of Economics and Public Policy, Tenure, the American University in Cairo  
(AUC), Egypt, 2013-2021  
Assistant Professor of Economics and Public Policy, the American University in Cairo  
(AUC), Egypt, 2008-2013  
Research Fellow, Economic Research Forum (ERF), 2019 – Present  
Research Fellow, Economists for Peace and Security, New York, USA 2010 - Present  
Member, the Task Force of UN Department of Economic and Social Affairs (*UN DESA*)/  
IASIA, 2022 – Present  
Acting Chair of the International Commission on the Accreditation of Public Administration and  
Training Programs (ICAPA), 2023 – Present  
Member, NASPAA Diversity and Social Equality Committee Member 2022 – Present  
Member of the College Board and a Public Policy Leaders' group for International Public Policy  
Association (IPPA) 20201 – Present.  
Member of IASIA Board of Management 2022 – Present  
Fellow, Center for Conflict and Humanitarian Studies, Doha, Qatar, 2019 - Present  
Acting Dean, School of Public Administration and Development Economics, DI, 2017  
Director of Public Policy Program, DI, 2016 - 2017

President of the Association for Middle Eastern Public Policy and Administration, 2018- 2021  
 Chair of Department of Public Policy and Administration, AUC, Egypt, 2013-2016  
 Assistant Professor of Economics and Public Policy, AUC, Egypt, 2008—2013  
 The Public Policy Program Director, AUC, Egypt, 2013; 2018- 2019  
 Director of Master of Global Affairs, AUC, Egypt, 2011 – 2013  
 Lead Consultant for African Development Bank, Egypt, 2013 - 2018  
 Member of the Advisory Board of Mahatma Ghandi Center, 2018 - present  
 Visiting Assistant Professor, Gulf University for Science and Technology Summer 2012  
 Senior Economist, Management Optimetrics, Dallas Texas, 2007--2008  
 Adjunct Professor of Economics, Southern Methodist University, Texas USA, 2006--2008  
 Policy Analyst, US Government Accountability Office, USA, 2005--2007  
 Lecturer, Texas State University, Texas, USA 2004—2005  
 Fellow, the University of Texas at Austin 2000 - 2004  
 Teaching and Research Assistant, the University of Texas at Austin USA, 1998--2000  
 Senior Policy Analyst, Texas Workforce Commission, USA, 1997-1998  
 Professor of Economics, North Central Texas College, USA, 1995--1997

## **MEMBERSHIP IN EDITORIAL BOARDS**

Editorial Board, *Defence and Peace Economics*, 2013- present  
 Guest Editor, *Defence and Peace Economics* 2012 – 2013  
 Institutional Partnership Council, the *Journal of Comparative Policy Analysis: Research and Practice* 2023 – Present  
 Editorial Board of Hikama 2020 - Present  
 Editorial Board SPOUDAI Journal of Economics and Business 2022 - Present  
 Editorial Board, the *Economics of Peace and Security Journal*, 2011- Present  
 Editorial Board and Country Editor: *Digest of Middle East Study* 2012- 2018  
 Editorial Board of *Public Organization Review* 2015 – Present  
 Editorial Board of *International Journal of Public Administration* 2015– Present  
 Editorial Board of *International Journal of Politics and Security* 2019 - Present  
 Section Editor for the Middle East and North Africa *Global Encyclopedia of Public Administration, Public Policy, and Governance* 2015– 2023

## **COURSES TAUGHT**

Applied Quantitative Analysis	Globalization and Development
Economics for Public Policy	Political Economy
Applied Research Methods	Introduction to Public Policy
Public Finance	Public Financial Management
Institutions and Public Policy	Advanced Macroeconomics
Thesis Research Seminar	Advanced Quantitative Analysis
Introduction to Statistics	Issues in Public Policy

## **ACADEMIC AWARDS, HONORS, AND FELLOWSHIPS**

2014-2020 Research Project Co-Pi (\$3 million), Swiss National Science Foundation

2016 Provost Award for the Best Outstanding research, AUC Research Day

2015 Moataz El Alfi GAPP Faculty Research Award

2014 Moataz El Alfi GAPP Faculty Research Award

2014 – 2017 Project Grant African Development Bank (\$60,000)

2012: The Provost Award for Excellence in Serving the Academic Programs

2010: Book Grant, United States Institute for Peace, Washington DC (\$50,000)

2003: Dissertation Grants, the Ford Foundation and Carnegie Endowment Program, University of Texas at Austin.

2002: Susan G. Hadden Fellowship, University of Texas at Austin

2000--2002: Robert Strauss Fellowship, University of Texas at Austin

## **JOURNAL ARTICLES**

- 1) Ali, Hamid (2024). Governance and Global Collaboration in Non-Democratic Countries. *Public Administration Review* 1–32. <https://doi.org/10.1111/puar.13897>**PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION REVIEW 25** (Q1 CiteScore (Scopus) 15.1).
- 2) Hamid E. Ali (2024). Public Policy in the Arab World: Responding to Uprisings, Pandemic, and War, *Journal of Comparative Policy Analysis: Research and Practice*, DOI: 10.1080/13876988.2024.2429067
- 3) Ali, Hamid, & Bhuiyan, Shahjahan. (2022). Governance, natural resources rent, and infrastructure development: Evidence from the Middle East and North Africa. *Politics & Policy* 50: 408–440. (Q2 Impact Factor 1.3 and CiteScore of 1.8)
- 4) Nada O. Eissa & Hamid Eltgani Ali, 2022. "Rebuilding the State Fiscal Federalism in Sudan," Working Papers 1596, Economic Research Forum.

- 5) Tchie, Andrew Ali, Hamid. (2021). "Restructuring state power in Sudan." *Economics of Peace and Security Journal*, v 16 (1), 41-51. (Impact factor Q3, 0.58)
- 6) Ali, Hamid 2020. "Public Perception of Rentier Elites in the Middle East and North Africa." *International Journal of Public Administration*, Vol 43(5), 392-403. (Q2 Impact Factor 1.88)
- 7) Ali, Hamid and Abdo Marmar (2020) Capital Formation, Rate of Return on Capital, and Economic Inequality in the Middle East and North Africa" *Siyasat Arabiya* Vol (42). (in Arabic)
- 8) Ali, Hamid & Sakiru Adebola Solarin (2020) "Military Spending, Corruption, and the Welfare Consequences." *Defence and Peace Economics*, Vol 31(6), 677 -691 (Q1, Impact factor 1.6) 3.7 (2022) CiteScore (Scopus)
- 9) Suluman, A., Elian, M. and Ali, H. (2018) "Endogenous Specification of FDI and Economic Growth: Cross-Economies Evidence" *International Journal of Business*, Vol. 23(1), 89-109.
- 10) Ali, Hamid (2018) "State Transition from Rigidity to Fragility and Failure: The Case of Middle East and North Africa" *International Journal of Public Administration*, Vol. 41(10), 765-771. (Q2 Impact Factor 1.88)
- 11) Dilip K. Ghosh, Ali. Hamid and Ghosh, Dipasri (2017). "Is a Necessary Good Necessarily an Inferior Good?" *Frontiers in Finance and Economics*, Vol. 13(1), 1-9.
- 12) Lin, Eric. Ali, Hamid E. and Yu-Lung Lu (2015). "Does Military Spending Crowd Out Social Welfare Expenditures? Evidence from a Panel of OECD Countries" *Defence and Peace Economics*, Vol. 26 (1), 33-49. (Q1, Impact factor 1.6) 3.7 (2022) CiteScore (Scopus)
- 13) Ali, Hamid and Abdelatif, Omnia (2015). "Military Spending and Natural Resource: Evidence from Rentier States in Middle East and North Africa" *Defence and Peace Economics*, Vol. 26 (1), 5-15. (Q1, Impact factor 1.6) 3.7 (2022) CiteScore (Scopus)
- 14) Ali, Hamid E. (2014). "Income Inequality and Distributive Politics: Evidence from Pork and Social Spending" *Political and Military Sociology: An Annual Review*, Vol. 41, 89-108. (Q4 Impact factor 0.27).
- 15) Ali, E. Hamid and Ubah Adan (2014). "The Conflict Types on Child and Infant Mortality Rates: Evidence from Panel Data" *Political and Military Sociology: An Annual Review*, Vol. 41, 137-162. (Q4 Impact factor 0.27).
- 16) Ali, E. Hamid (2013). "Estimate of Economic Cost of Armed Conflict: A Case Study from Darfur" *Defence and Peace Economics*, Vol. 24(6), 503-519. (Q1, Impact factor 1.6)
- 17) Ali, E. Hamid (2012). "Military Expenditures and Inequality in the Middle East and North Africa: Panel Analysis." *Defence and Peace Economics*, Vol. 23(6), 575-589. (Q1, Impact factor 1.6)

- 18) Ali, Hamid (2012). ``The Economics of Arab Spring: A View from Egypt'' *Economists for Peace and Security Quarterly*, Vol. 24(1), 8-9. (Impact factor Q3, 0.58)
- 19) Ali, Hamid E. and Adil Elsharif (2012). ``Modeling of Exchange Rate and Exchange Rate Volatility and Foreign Direct Investment: Evidence from CFA Franc Zone," *International Journal of Finance* Vol. 24 (3), 7406 -7416.
- 20) Ali, E. Hamid (2011). ``Military Expenditure and Human Development in Egypt: Guns and Butter Arguments'' *Peace Economics, Peace Science and Public Policy*, Vol. 17(1), 1- 21. (Q2, Impact factor 1.17)
- 21) Ali, E. Hamid (2011). ``Reserve Requirement and Optimal Financial Repression in Economy with an Informal Sector," *International Journal of Banking and Finance*, Vol. 8(1), 21-34.
- 22) Ali, E. Hamid and Eric S. Lin (2010). ``Wars, Foodcost and Countervailing Policies: A Panel Data Approach," *Food Policy*, Vol. 35(5), 378-390. (Q1, Impact factor 6.5)
- 23) Lin, Eric S. and Hamid E. Ali (2009). ``Military Spending and Inequality: Panel Granger Causality Test," *Journal of Peace Research*, Vol. 46(5), 671-685. (Q1, Impact factor 3.6)
- 24) Gamkhar, Shama and Hamid E. Ali (2008). ``Political Economy of Grant Allocation: Case of Federal Aid for Highways," *Publius: The Journal of Federalism* Vol. 38(1) ,1-25. (Impact factor 1.8, Q2)
- 25) Ali, Hamid E. (2007). ``Military Expenditure and Inequality: Empirical Evidence from Global Data.," *Defence and Peace Economics*, Vol. 18(6), 2519-535. (Q1, Impact factor 1.6).

## EDITED BOOKS

- 1) Ali, Hamid & Lars-Erik, Cederman (2022). *Natural Resources, Inequality and Conflict*. Cham Switzerland, Palgrave Macmillan (ISBN 978-3-030-73557-9).  
<https://www.palgrave.com/gp/book/9783030735579>
- 2) Ali, Hamid and Bhuiyan, Shahjahan (2022). *Institutional Reform, Governance and Services Delivery in the Global South*. Cham Switzerland, Palgrave Macmillan (ISBN 2524-7301)  
<https://www.palgrave.com/gp/book/9783030822569>
- 3) Dina Mansour-Ille & Hamid E Ali (2022). "Symposium on Middle East and North African (MENA) conflict" *Economists for Peace and Security Journal*
- 4) Moosa Elayah; Hind Al Muftah and Hamid Ali (2020) "Managing the Blockade Crisis: Qatar's Strategic Response" Published by the Arab Center for Research and Policy Studies. (in Arabic)

- 5) Kollias, Christos and Ali, Hamid (2017). *Defense Spending, Natural Resources, and Conflict*. Edited Volume. London: Routledge (ISBN: 1138086509).
- 6) Bhuiyan, Shahjahan and Ali, Hamid. (2015). E-Government in Developing & Transitional Countries, *International Journal of Public Administration in the Digital Age (IJPADA)*, V. 2(3). Pennsylvania: Publisher: ISI Global.
- 7) Hamid E. Ali (2014). *Darfur Political Economy: A Quest for Development*. Edited Volume. London: Routledge (ISBN: 9781857437119).

## BOOK CHAPTERS

- 1) Hamid E. Ali (2024). State Capacity and Governance Reforms in the Middle East and North Africa. Edited in Palgrave Handbook of Policy Making and Social Policy in the Middle East and North Africa by Alexander Dawoody, Springer.
- 2) Tamer Qarmout, Sonia D'Angelo, Rahel M. Schomaker and Hamid Ali (2024). Rentierism and Governing Public Private Partnerships in the Arab Gulf Cooperation Council Monarchies. Edited in Palgrave Handbook of Policy Making and Social Policy in the Middle East and North Africa by Alexander Dawoody, Springer.
- 3) Hamid E. Ali, M. Elmakkawe and N. Nasser (2023). State fragility and sustainable development in the Middle East and North Africa” p. 253- 265. Edited in Handbook of Fragile States by David Carment and Yiagadeesen Samy. Edward Elgar Publishing.
- 4) Ali, H.; Cederman, L. and Weissberg, Y. (2022). “Mineral Resources and Conflict: An analytical Overview” in an edited book by Ali, Hamid and Cederman, Lars-Erik “Natural Resources, Inequality and Conflict.” Palgrave Macmillan; P. 11- 33
- 5) Ali, H.; Cederman, L. and Weissberg, Y. (2022). “Conclusions for Theory and Policy” in an edited book by Ali, Hamid and Cederman, Lars-Erik “Natural Resources, Inequality and Conflict.” Palgrave Macmillan; P. 219-226
- 6) Ali, H.E. (2022). Defense Spending and Inequality. In: Farazmand, A. (eds) Global Encyclopedia of Public Administration, Public Policy, and Governance. Springer, Cham. [https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-66252-3\\_2437](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-66252-3_2437)
- 7) Ali, H.E., Donald, O.M. (2022). Government Spending Priorities in Uganda. In: Farazmand, A. (eds) Global Encyclopedia of Public Administration, Public Policy, and Governance. Springer, Cham. [https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-66252-3\\_2435](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-66252-3_2435)
- 8) Ali, H.E., Adam, A.H., Aboud, N. (2022). Ethnic Power Versus Regional Power Relations: The Case of Sudan and South Sudan. In: Farazmand, A. (eds) Global Encyclopedia of Public Administration, Public Policy, and Governance. Springer, Cham. [https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-66252-3\\_2438](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-66252-3_2438)

- 9) Ali, Hamid and Bhuiyan, Shahjahan (2021). Institutional Reform, Governance and Services Delivery in the Global South. In an edited book by Ali, Hamid and Bhuiyan, Shahjahan. *Institutional Reform, Governance and Services Delivery in the Global South*. Palgrave Macmillan. P. 1-17.
- 10) Bhuiyan, Shahjahan and Ali, Hamid (2021). Institutional Reform, Governance and Services Delivery in the Global South: Issues and Perspectives. In an edited book by Ali, Hamid and Bhuiyan, Shahjahan. *Institutional Reform, Governance and Services Delivery in the Global South*. Palgrave Macmillan. P. 289-298.
- 11) Ali, H. (2021). Defense Spending and Inequality. In Farazmand A. (eds.), *Global Encyclopedia of Public Administration, Public Policy, and Governance*. Springer, Cham.
- 12) Ali, Hamid (2020) "Natural Resource Rents and Military Expenditures in the Middle East and North Africa: A Long-Run Perspective" In A. Tan (Eds.), *Research Handbook on the Arms Trade* (pp. 115-132). Edward Edgar Publishing (UK).
- 13) Moosa Elayah, Hind Al Muftah and Hamid Ali. (2020). "Crisis Management between Theory and Practice: Qatar's Strategic Response to the Blockade Crisis" edited by Moosa Elayah; Hind Al Muftah and Hamid Ali "Managing the Blockade Crisis: Qatar's Strategic Response" Published by the Arab Center for Research and Policy Studies (in Arabic).
- 14) Abdelaziz AL Khalifa and Hamid Ali (2020). "The Blocked of Qatar and its Impact on the Economy, Infrastructure, and the Directed State's Policies" edited by Moosa Elayah; Hind Al Muftah and Hamid Ali (2020) "Managing the Blockade Crisis: Qatar's Strategic Response" Published by the Arab Center for Research and Policy Studies (in Arabic).
- 15) Ali, Hamid (2020). The Sudanese Economy: The Depth of the Crisis and the Prospects of the Renaissance. in *Sudan: Thirty Years under the Islamists' Oppression: Critical Reading and Future Challenges*, edited by Nassef Bashir, Siddig Al-Zayla'i and Umar Abbas. New Horizons Studies Center, UK. Pp. 155--168.
- 16) Ali, H. and Al Anbar, N. (2019). Oil Production, Innovation, and Politics in the Middle East. in *Handbook of International Relation in the Middle East*, edited by Sharam. P. 165-184. London: Routledge (ISBN: 9780415317283).
- 17) 2015. Ali, Hamid and Sami, Sara (2015). Inequality, Economic Growth and Natural Resources Rent: Evidence from the Middle East and North Africa. With S. Sami. In *Contemporary Issues in Microeconomics*, edited by Stiglitz, Joseph and Guzman, Martin. London: Palgrave Macmillan (ISBN: 978-1-137-52971-8).
- 18) Ali, H. E. (2014). The Evolution of Corruption and Optimal Level of Corruption Reduction in Africa. In *Public Administration and Policy in the Middle East*, Edited by Dawood, Alexandar, P.165-184. Midtown Manhattan: Springer (ISBN:978-1-4939-1552-1).

## **BOOK CHAPTER AND MANUSCRIPT IN PROGRESS**

- 1) Book Chapter “Development and Determinants of Patronage System and rentier elites in the Middle East and North Africa” Hand Book on Politicization and Political Patronage by B. Guy Peters, Colin Knox, Francisco Panizza, Conrado Ramos Larraburu and Katarina Staroňová; Elgar Handbooks in Public Administration and Management series
- 2) Book chapter ‘State Capacity and Governance Reforms in the Middle East and North Africa” Palgrave Handbook on Policy Making and Social Policy in MENA edited by Alexandar Dawoody, Palgrave
- 3) Book Chapter: ‘Natural Resource Rents and Causes of Grievances’ Handbook on Inequality and Natural Resources, edited by Graham A. Davis, Edward Elgar Publishing Ltd
- 4) Ali, Hamid “Enhancing Cooperation in the Energy Sector within the Nile Basin Countries”

## WORKING PAPERS

- 1) Ali, Hamid and F. Mansouri "Ethnic Marginalization in Public Administration and Conflict" revised resubmit, Public Administration and Development
- 2) Ali, Hamid and Aghdam, Mohamed. *"Oil Extraction, Grievances, and Conflict: Evidence from Case Studies in Aceh, Kurdistan, the Niger Delta, and South Sudan"* Under review Journal of Peace Research.
- 3) Ali, Hamid and Cederman, Lars-Erik and Hug, Simon. *Natural Resources and Ethnic Inequality Paradox.*
- 4) Hamid E. Ali and Abdelsalam, Dina. *Economic Inequality, Capital Rate of Return in the Middle East and North Africa.*
- 5) Ali, Hamid E. and Abdlehy, A. *Ethnic Power Relationships: Perceived and Objective Inequalities in Sudan.*
- 6) Ali, Hamid. *Sudan Intermittent Peace Experience: Case from Darfur and South Sudan.*
- 7) Ali, Hamid and Gamkhar, Shama. *Political Economy of Grant Allocations: Do Federal Highway Formula Grants Crowding-out Demonstration Grants.*
- 8) Ali, Hamid. *Industrial Growth around the Globe Financial, Legal and Technological Dependence: Evidence from Industry Data.*
- 9) Ali, Hamid. *The Military Industrial Complex and the Persistence of Spending Habits: Evidence from the Peace Agreements.*

## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS



- 1) 27<sup>th</sup> Annual International Conference on Economics and Security “Determinants of the global arms trade” with Nan Tian, Doha Institute for Graduate Studies 30<sup>th</sup> June – 2 July, 2024.
- 2)
- 3) “Socio-economic Development for Sustainable Recovery” SDG 16 in the Post-Conflict Phase: How to Strengthen Public Governance for Sustainable Recovery. ESCWA , Amman, Jordan, April 29-30, 2024
- 4) The International Conference on Comparative Public Policy “Roundtable: Comparative Public Policy in the Age of AI” in Celebration of the 25th Anniversary of the Journal of Comparative Policy Analysis: Research and Practice School of Public Policy and Management. Tsinghua University, Beijing, China April 19-21, 2024
- 5) Ali, Hamid and Aghdam, Mohamed. "Oil Extraction, Grievances, and Conflict: Evidence from Case Studies in Aceh, Kurdistan, the Niger Delta, and South Sudan" *International Economics Association IEA World Congress*, Colombia, Medellin.
- 6) “Global Research Collaboration in MENAPAR” IASIA 2023 Conference on building better future of governance towards achieving the SDGs in a VUCA world, July 31 - August 4, 2023, at the University of the Philippines.
- 7) “The Arms Trade in Middle East and North Africa: Drivers and Determinants” the 26th Annual International Conference on Economics and Security (ICES2023), co-hosted by the Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (SIPRI) and The Swedish Defence Research Agency (FOI) June 29 – July 2, 2023.
- 8) “Building the State: Fiscal Federalism and State Capacity in Sudan” the 6th International Conference for Public Policy, organized by the International Public Policy Association (IPPA) and hosted by Toronto Metropolitan University, June 24 -28, 2023
- 9) Governance and Global Integration: Context and Evidence from the Middle East and North Africa. *Public Administration Review*, PAR-FGV Symposium on International Collaboration in Public Administration at FGV EAESP in São Paulo, May 22 – 2024.
- 10) Lead Discussant, Economic Research Forum (ERF) 29th Annual Conference on: “The future of MENA development path: Risks and Opportunities in an emerging World Order” May 4-6, Cairo, Egypt
- 11) IIAS-EUROMENA 2022 Joint Conference on “Next Generation Governance and Young Global Public Administration” Track Chair “Public Administration and Public Policy Education in the MENA Region” Tor Vergata University, Italy, Rome, June 27 – July1, 2022).
- 12) “Governance and Military Expenditure in MENA: Evidence from Panel Data” 25th Annual International Conference on Economic and Security June 29 – July 1, 2022 University of Perugia, Perugia, Italy
- 13) NASPAA Virtual Conference “The Curriculum, Research in public Affairs and COVID-19 Pandemic.” October 25 – 29, 2021.

- 14) A keynote Speaker at Association for Middle Eastern Public Policy and Administration (AMEPPA). 10th AMEPPA Annual Conference 2021, “ Governance, natural resources rent, and infrastructure development: Evidence from the Middle East and North Africa.” *Hamad Bin Khalifa University, College of Public Policy*. December 7-8, 2021.
- 15) Public Policy during Conflict. *Doha Institute for Graduate Studies, School of Public Administration and Development Economics*. International Conference Governance of public policies during and after conflicts in the Middle East April 4- 6, 2021, Doha Qatar
- 16) Welcome Remarks as President of AMEPPA and Spade Dean. 9th AMEPPA Conference 2020 Crises Conflicts, and the other Challenges: Rethinking Governance and Public Policy Reforms in the MENA Region. *School of Public Administration and Development Economics (SPADE)*
- 17) Rapid Support Forces in Sudan: From Militia to Army. *The Strategic Studies Unit in the Arab Centre for Research and Policy Studies (ACRPS)*, Militias and Armies: Developments in Combat and Political Performances of Armed Non-State and State Actors, Doha, Qatar. February 22-24 (2020).
- 18) The Economic Cost of the Conflict in Sudan and Peace Dividends. *Center for Conflict and Humanitarian Studies*, Dialogue for Peacebuilding and Reconstruction in Sudan. Doha, Qatar, November 28-29 (2019).
- 19) Sudan Economy: Drained Resources and Prospects for Peace. *Conference, Towards a New Vision for Sustainable Inclusive Development in Sudan*. Sudan Research Group, Khartoum, Sudan. November 16 -18 (2019).
- 20) The Future of Public Affairs Teaching and Learning in the Middle East and North Africa. NASPAA Conference, Los Angeles, California October 16-19 (2019).
- 21) Ali, H. and Mistarihi A. Public Private Partnership: Two Sector Model. Conference *HR Capacity Development for Achieving National Development Agendas*. IIAS-IASIA Regional Seminar, Doha Institute, Qatar, December 11-12 (2019).
- 22) Governance Natural Resources Rent and infrastructure Development: Evidence from the Middle East and North Africa. *4th International Conference on Public Policy Association*, Concordia University, Montreal, June 26-28 (2019).
- 23) Public Perception of Rentier Elites in the Middle and North Africa. *IASIA-KTU Regional Conference*, Kaunas University of Technology, Kaunas, Lithuania, April 24-25 (2019).
- 24) Sudan Stakeholders Dialogue Round 1. Workshop Organized by *Chatham House*, Ditchley Park, Oxfordshire, January 22- 23 (2019).

- 25) Sudan Stakeholders Dialogue Round 2. Workshop Organized by *Chatham House*, Kuriftu, Bishoftu, Ethiopia, February 24- 26 (2019).
- 26) Sudan Stakeholders Dialogue Round 3. Workshop Organized by *Chatham House*, Nairobi, Kenya, March 24- 26 (2019).
- 27) Research for Development. Workshop organized by the *Tata Institute of Social Science*. Mumbai, January 10-11(2019).
- 28) Ethnic Conflict and Oil Nexus. *7<sup>th</sup> International Conference for the Association of Middle Eastern Public Policy and Administration* (AMEPPA), American University in Cairo December 27-28 (2018).
- 29) Natural Resources Rent and Ethnic Inequality Paradox. *22<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Economics and Security*, METU-NCC, Kalkanli, Northern Cyprus, June 27-30 (2018).
- 30) Ethnic Conflict, Institutions and Leadership Legitimacy: Sudan and South Sudan. *International Seminar on Democracy and Diversity* organized by Universidad de San Carlos Guatemala, February 15-16 (2018).
- 31) Military Expenditures and Natural Resources Rents in the Middle East and North Africa: A Long Run Perspective. *6<sup>th</sup> International Conference for Association for Middle Eastern Public Policy and Administration* (AMEPPA), Kuwait University from December 17-18 (2017).
- 32) Empowerment of New Generation of Public Servant. *NASPAA Conference Toward a Quality Public Service Education*, Doha Institute for Graduate Studies, November 13-14 (2017).
- 33) Water Management in Middle East and North Africa. *International Conference on Middle East the Cross-Fate Region*, Italian Congress, Rome, October 26 (2017).
- 34) Natural Resources Rent: Theory versus Reality. *21<sup>st</sup> Annual Conference on Economics and Security*, Brussel, Royal Military Academy, June 22-23 (2017).
- 35) Ethnic Inequality and Defense Spending. *19th Annual Conference on Economics and Security*, ENSTA Bretagne, in Grenoble, France. June 25 (2015).
- 36) Inequality, Economic Growth and Natural Resources Rent: Evidence from the Middle East and North Africa. *17th World Congress of the International Economic Association*,", *International Economic Association*, Dead Sea, Jordan. June 5, (2014).
- 37) Defense Spending and Natural resources: Evidence from Global Data. *18th Annual Conference on Economics and Security*, University of Perugia, Perugia, Italy. June 19 (2014).
- 38) Military Spending and Natural Resource: Evidence from Rentier States in Middle East and

- North Africa. *17th Annual International Conference on Economics and Security*, SIPRI in Stockholm June 14 (2013).
- 39) Egypt and the Nile Basin Countries. *Tahrir Dialogue Series*, the American University in Cairo, April 18 (2013).
- 40) Evolution of Corruption and Institutional Development: The Optimal Level of Corruption Reduction. *Association for Middle Eastern Public Policy and Administration*, Al-Akhawayn University, d'frane Morocco, November 8-9 (2012).
- 41) The Chair and Organizer the *16th Annual Conference on Economics and Security*, American University in Cairo June 16 (2012).
- 42) The Conflict Types on Child and Infant Mortality Rates: Evidence from Panel Data. *16th Annual Conference on Economics and Security*, American University in Cairo June 16 (2012).
- 43) Income Inequality and Distributive Politics: Evidence from Pork and Social Spending. *16th Annual Conference on Economics and Security*, American University in Cairo June 16 (2012).
- 44) The Economics of Arab Spring: A Case Study from Egypt. *American Economic Association Conference*. Chicago January 5 -8 (2012).
- 45) Sudan's Two States: Post-Secession Opportunities and Risks. Aljazeera Center for Studies, Doha. January 14 -15 (2012).
- 46) Government Pork Spending and Inequality: distributive politics of Federal Grants. *15th Annual Conference on Economics and Security*, University of Bristol, June 16 (2011).
- 47) Estimate of Economic Cost of Armed Conflict: A Case Study from Darfur. *The Global Economic Cost of Conflict*, German Research Institute, Berlin, January 19 (2011).
- 48) Evolution of Corruption and Institutional Development: The Optimal Level of Corruption Reduction. *Turkish-Arab Social Science Congress*, Ankara, December 9 (2010).
- 49) Does Military Spending Crowd-out Social Welfare Expenditures in OECD Countries? *15th Annual Conference of the African Econometric Society*, American University in Cairo, July 7 (2010).
- 50) Military Expenditures and Human Development in Egypt: Guns and Better Arguments Revisited. *Fourteenth Annual International Conference on Economics and Security*, Izmir June 17 (2010).
- 51) Public values: NASPAA leads the discussion. *NASPAA Conference*, Washington DC, October 15-17 (2009).
- 52) Military Expenditures and Inequality in the Middle East and North Africa. *13th Annual*

*Conference on International Security and Peace*, Thessaloniki June 24 (2009).

- 53) Political Economy of Grant Allocations: Do Federal Highway Formula Grants Crowding-out Demonstration Grants. *Association of Public Policy Analysis and Management Conference*, Los Angeles California, November 6-8 (2008).
- 54) Introducing Quality in Public Administration Education and Training. *17th Annual Euro-Mediterranean Conference*, Rome, April 13-16 (2008).
- 55) Political Economy of Grant Allocations: Do Federal Highway Formula Grants Crowding-out Demonstration Grants. *Public Choice Conference*, San Antonio, March 12-15 (2008).
- 56) The US Foreign Policy in the Middle East. *Department of Political Science*, Missouri State University, Springfield Missouri, October 3-5, (2007)
- 57) Political Economy of Grant Allocation: Case of Federal Aid for Highways. *Symposium, Martin School of Public Policy Administration*, University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky, May 12 (2006).
- 58) Political Economy of Grant Allocation: Case of Federal Aid for Highways. *61st International Atlantic Economic Conference*, Berlin, March 25-28 (2006).
- 59) Evolution of Corruption and Power of State. Symposium *University of Santa Clara and Santa Clara Journal of International Law*, Santa Clara, March 17 – 19 (2004).
- 60) Military Expenditures and Inequality: Empirical Evidence from Global Data. *Annual Meeting of the Southern Economics Association*, U.S. San Antonio, November 23-25 (2003).
- 61) Military Expenditures and Inequality: Empirical Evidence from Global Data. *Association for Budgeting and Financial Management 15th Annual Conference*, Washington, DC September 10 – 12, 2003.
- 62) Military Expenditures and Inequality in the Middle East and North Africa. *Mediterranean Conference sponsored by European University Institute*, Florence Italy March 17-19 (2003).

#### **INVITED GUEST SPEAKER**

- 1) “From World Crisis to Sustainable Development: Priorities for Global Cooperation.” the 6th International Conference for Public Policy, organized by the International Public Policy Association (IPPA) and hosted by Toronto Metropolitan University, June 24 -28, 2023
- 2) 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Joint Seminar of DI -SEAPP and The College of Public Policy at Hamad Bin Khalifa University May 17<sup>th</sup> 2023.
- 3) Dr. Hamid and Dr. Shahjahan’s edited book “Institutional Reforms, Governance, and Service Delivery in the Global South.” Palgrave Macmillan, launched by Alasdair Roberts, Professor,

School of Public Policy, University of Massachusetts – Amherst, United States September 5-6, 2022; College of Public Policy, Hamad Bin Khalifa University Education City, Doha, Qatar

- 4) Keynote Speaker “Crisis and Post-conflict Governance in the MENA Region.” Special International Workshop, Doha Institute for Graduate Studies, School of Public Administration and Development Economics. 7<sup>th</sup>- 8<sup>th</sup> of November 2021.
- 5) Sudan Economy: Prospects and Opportunities. *Sudan Working Group at United States Institute of Peace*, Washington, DC, May 14 (2019).
- 6) Regional Judge for NASPAA-Batten Student Simulation Competition, American University in Cairo, February 25 (2018).
- 7) Natural Resource Rents and Ethnic Inequality: A Theory versus Reality. *Faculty Colloquium Series*, American University in Cairo, October 18 (2017).
- 8) Conflict in Sudan: Framework for Peaceful Settlement and Regional Repercussions. *Tahrir Dialogue No. 44*, School of Global Affairs and Public Policy, AUC. April 7 (2014).
- 9) Fiscal Marginalization in Sudan. *Dialogue of Sudan’s Marginalized Groups*, Columbia University Global Centers in Africa, Nairobi, Kenya. September 19 (2014).
- 10) Darfur Political Economy. *The African Center at the University of Pennsylvania*, University of Pennsylvania, November 10 (2014).
- 11) Asymmetric Assurances and the Durability of Peace Agreements: Evidence from Armed Self-Determination Conflicts. *PPAD Colloquium Series*, AUC. October 26 (2014).
- 12) Reconstruction and the Cost of Conflict. *Columbia University The Institute for the Study of Human Rights*. November 13 (2014).
- 13) Inequality, Economic Growth and Natural Resource Rent in the Middle East and North Africa. *Making Better Policies Seminar Series*, PPAD, AUC. November 26 (2014).
- 14) Egypt and the Nile Basin Countries. *Tahrir Dialogue Series*, School of GAPP, February 13 (2014).
- 15) Public Policy Design and Analysis Program. *GAPP Executive Education*, IDSC. Cairo, October 11 (2014).
- 16) The Arab Spring and the region's future. *Foundation for Science and Arts*, Turkey, July 20 (2013).
- 17) Civil Society Forum on Sudan and South Sudan. *Darfur Relief and Documentation Center*, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia, January 21-13 (2013).

- 18) Darfur Crisis and the Repercussions of South Secession. *Aljazeera Center for Studies*, January 14 -15 (2012).
- 19) Darfur War Costs: Estimates of the Economic Cost of Armed Conflict. *Columbia University School of International and Public Affairs*, January 11 (2012).
- 20) The State and Direction of the Darfur Peace Process. *United States Institute of Peace*, Washington DC, November 15 -16 (2011).
- 21) Darfur Peace Process. *Consultation*, US State Department November 11 (2011).
- 22) Advanced Research Skills for IDSC Researchers. *Information and Decision Support Center*, Cairo, November 2-3 (2010).
- 23) Enhancing Project and Organization Development for Darfur NGOs. *Columbia University Institute for the Study of Human Rights, Darfur Development Initiative*, July 17 (2010).
- 24) Prospect for Peace in Darfur. *University of South Florida*, Saint Petersburg, January 28 (2010).
- 25) Darfur Diasporas Consultation. *United States Institute for Peace*, March 19 (2010).
- 26) Moving the Peace Process in Darfur. *Darfur Diasporas Consultation" United States Institute for Peace*, January 25 (2010).
- 27) Logic of Engagement and Research Design Matrix. *Information and Decision Support Center*, Cairo Egypt April 16 -18 (2009).
- 28) Creating Conditions for Sustainable Peace in Darfur. *American University in Cairo*, June 28-30, 2009.
- 29) Darfur Development Initiatives. *Columbia University*, December 23-26 (2008).
- 30) Darfur Recovery, Land and Water Issues" *Symposium United State Peace Institutes*, January 9 –12 (2008).
- 31) Darfur: Stand for Justice. *Eckerd College*, Saint Petersburg, Florida, December 14 (2008).
- 32) Voices from the Sudan: Atrocities, Survival and Hope. *Southern Methodist University, Human Rights Education*, Texas, June 12 (2007).
- 33) Fraud, waste and abuses in crop insurance program. Statement before *House Oversight and Government Reform*, Washington, DC, May 13 (2007).
- 34) Conflict in Sudan and Role of International Community. *University of Michigan at Ann Arbor*, May 15 (2006).

## NONREFREED PROCEEDINGS AND REPORTS

- 1) Towards a national project to build a democratic state in Sudan, 2023  
<https://www.aljazeera.net/opinions/2023/5/26/>
- 2) “How Sudan Transitions” *Cairo Review for Global Affairs*. Winter 2020  
<https://www.thecaireview.com/essays/how-sudan-transitions/>
- 3) Military Spending and Fiscal Deficit: Post Arab-Spring” *Vision of Humanity*, 2019  
<http://visionofhumanity.org/economists-on-peace/military-spending-and-fiscal-deficit-in-mena-post-arab-spring/>
- 4) One of the contributors to Human Development Report 2019, *United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)*. <file:///C:/Users/hali/Downloads/hdr2019.pdf>
- 5) Darfur: The Estimated Impact of Military Spending. *Vision of Humanity*, 2018.  
<http://visionofhumanity.org/economists-on-peace/darfur-estimated-impact-military-spending/>
- 6) Enhancing Cooperation in the Energy Sector with the Nile Basin Countries. *African Development Bank*. Cairo, May 30 (2017).
- 7) Farm Program Payments: USDA Needs to Strengthen Controls to Preclude Improper Payments to Estates and Deceased Individuals" *US Senate Finance Committee*, Washington DC, June 1 (2007).
- 8) Emergency Preparedness Current Emergency Alert System has limitations, and Development of a New Integrated System Will be Challenging. *Under the Authority of Comptroller General of the United States*. Washington DC (2006).
- 9) Chemical and Biological Defense: Management Actions are Needed to close the gap between Army Chemical Unit Preparedness and Stated National Priorities. *Ranking Minority Member, Subcommittee on National Security and International Relations, Committee on oversight and Government Reform, House of Representatives* (2005).
- 10) Ports Security: Identification of the Threats and Methodology. *Center for Transportation Research*, University of Texas at Austin, (2002).

## OTHER PUBLICATIONS

- 1) Interview Independent Newspaper UK with Sudan Prime Minister, December 1, 2019.  
<https://www.independent.co.uk/news/world/africa/sudan-crisis-sanctions-us-abdalla-hamdok-isis-terror-a9227331.html>
- 2) Factors driving Session Movements. *Journal of democracy* n. 69, January 18 (2018)



- 3) Bashir's Autocratic Regime: Fighting for its Survival" *African Arguments*, July 17 (2015).
- 4) The Rebirth of Sudan. *Cairo Review* October 31 (2013).
- 5) Measuring the Cost of War in Darfur. Blog by Danielle B. Goldberg in *Africa.com*, February 2 (2012).
- 6) Egypt elections beyond ideology: A return to common sense politics. *Egypt Daily News*, with Warigia Bowman, December 13 (2011).
- 7) For Darfur, I will. *Alcalde*, Texas Exes, September 26 (2011).
- 8) Opportunity to End Al Bashir Rule in Sudan. *Cairo Review*, April (2011).
- 9) Call for Unity of the Opposition in Sudan. in Arabic, March (2011).
- 10) Sudan and the Roaring Waves of Tunisia and Egypt. *Sudan Tribune*, January 3 (2011).
- 11) Causes of war and how to preserve human dignity. *Egypt Daily News*, August 15 (2010).
- 12) How to Govern Sudan: A Quest for Confederation. *Daily News Egypt*, January 1 (2010); reprinted in *Sudan Tribune* January 13 (2010) and *Ajruas Alhura*, January 12 (2010).
- 13) Creating Conditions for Sustainable Peace in Darfur. (with David Phillips), *Daily News Egypt*, July 12 (2009).
- 14) Interviews in *Sudaneseonline*, *SudaNile*, *Algerida*, *World Today*, (2008, 2009 & 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016).
- 15) Interview *Energy and Investment Magazine*, Egypt (2009).

## **SERVICE TO THE DEPARTMENT**

- 1) Leading MPA program NASPAA Accreditation Process 2019 - 2020
- 2) Member of Faculty Hiring Committee in MPA and Sociology and Anthropology Programs
- 3) Director of Public Policy Program at AUC 2018 – 2019
- 4) Revamped the existing Public Policy Courses and concentrations. Developed 4 new courses and created new concentrations on Data Analytics and upgraded the old concentrations October (2018).
- 5) Member of DI Research Committee 2016-2017.
- 6) Member of DI Adhoc PhD Committee 2017.
- 7) Program Director for Public Policy Program, SPADE, Doha Institute 2016-2017.
- 8) Department Chair, AUC 2013 -2016
- 9) Coordinate and led the efforts for the PPAD accreditation by NASPAA, 2014-2015.
- 10) Created 8 new tool courses; developed and upgrade 4 other courses 2009-2014.

- 11) Formulate and follow up promotion and tenure cases 2011- 2018.
- 12) Chair eight hiring committee 2010- present.
- 13) Served in 15 Faculty Hiring Committees 2009—2019.
- 14) Chair Faculty Affairs Committee, 2011- 2016.
- 15) Chair Department Research Committee 2009-2011& 2017.
- 16) Member of Faculty Research Committee, 2011 – 2018.
- 17) Founder and Organizer of PPAD Colloquium, 2011-2013.
- 18) Member of Graduate Program and Assessment for PPAD, 2011-2013
- 19) Member of Public Policy & Administration, Academic Affairs committee 2009- 2013.
- 20) AUC Business School Academic Affairs Committee 2008—2009.
- 21) Director of Master of Global Affairs, since 2011-2013.
- 22) Supervised 74 master thesis (40 direct supervision and served in 34 theses) from 2009- Present.
- 23) Faculty Hiring Committee at Lyndon B. Johnson of Public Affairs, University of Texas at Austin 2004.

### **SERVICE TO THE SCHOOL**

- 1) Dean for School of Economics, Administration and Public Policy 2020 – 2023
- 2) Chair of Adhoc Committee preparing the dossier for the Executive Master of Arts in Diplomatic Studies and International Cooperation, 2020 - 2021
- 3) Acting Dean for School of Public Administration and Development Economics (SPADE), Doha Institute, 2017
- 4) Restructured the Curriculum and institutional processes for SPADE, DI, 2016-2017.
- 5) AUC: Member of Ad Hoc Committee wrote Professor of Practice promotion guidelines, 2017.
- 6) AUC: Chair Adhoc Committee for integrity issue, 2018
- 7) AUC: Serve in the school promotion and tenure committee 2014 – 2019.
- 8) AUC: Member of the Academic and Research Affairs Committee, 2013 – 2016.
- 9) AUC: Yousef Jameel GAPP Public Leadership Program, Selection Committee, 2012-2019.
- 10) AUC: Tenure Committee and three promotion cases or the Department of JRMCA 2013-2019.
- 11) AUC: Media Policy, Selection Committee, 2012 -2015.
- 12) AUC: In two committee for pre-tenure review of faculty member at the Dept. JRMCA in 2012.

- 13) AUC: Chair of School of GAPP Family Day for Fall 2011- 2015.
- 14) AUC: School representative in AUC Intellectual Property Committee member 2010 – 2015.
- 15) AUC Business School Representatives to Libraries and Learning Technologies, 2008 - 2009.

## **SERVICE TO THE UNIVERSITY**

- 1) Chair of DI Policy Committee 2020 - Present
- 2) Chair of DI Emergency Crisis Management Committee 2020 -2021
- 3) Member of Adhoc DI Emergency Crisis Management Committee 2020
- 4) Chair DI IQR Accreditation Committee, 2019 - 2020
- 5) Member of Planning Committee 2020 - 2023
- 6) Member of DI Faculty and Staff Grievances Committee, 2019 – 2021
- 7) Member of DI Students Admission Appealing Committee 2020
- 8) Member of DI Distance Learning Committee 2020
- 9) Member of DI Temporary Committee Finalizing Students Admission Processes 2020
- 10) AUC University Senate member 2009 - 2019
- 11) AUC University Integrity Committee 2018 – 2019
- 12) AUC University Centennial Research Track Chair 2019
- 13) AUC Chair of University Senate Budget Committee 2017 - 2019
- 14) AUC Senate Budget Committee member 2014 – 2016 & 2017 to 2019.
- 15) AUC Center for Learning and Teaching (CTL) Faculty Associate 2015 - 2017
- 16) AUC University Olympic Committee, 2013
- 17) AUC University Senate Curriculum Committee 2009-- 2013
- 18) AUC Faculty Housing Committee Chair, 2011- 2015
- 19) AUC Development Studies Steering Committee, Spring 2012 - 2015
- 20) AUC University Fellowship Committee to select the finalists for the International Graduate, SYLFF Sasakawa, Tarek Juffali, and African fellowships from Fall 2011-2017.
- 21) AUC Chair of Faculty Housing Committee Fall 2011-Spring 2012
- 22) AUC Serve in Graduate School Committee for January 25th Revolution for Best Thesis Award
- 23) AUC Serve in Jury for Academic Services Award, Fall, 2011- 2017
- 24) AUC Supervising and Mentoring Mo-Ibrahim Fellows at AUC Spring 2010- 2019

- 25) AUC Supervising and Mentoring African Students at AUC Spring 2010- 2019
- 26) AUC Served in two hiring committees in Economics Dept 2009-2010.
- 27) Reviewer for *15th Annual Conference of the African Econometric Society*, in AUC, July 2010
- 28) AUC Served in two hiring committees and Political Science Dept. 2011-2012

## **REVIEW SERVICE**

Peace Economics, Policy Science and Public Policy; Food Policy; Publius Journal of Federalism; Journal of Human Development and Capabilities; Structural Change and Economic Dynamics. Political and Military Sociology: An Annual Review, defence and Peace Economics; State and Local Government Review; International Journal of Peace and Development Studies; Economic Modeling; Journal of Peace Research; International Journal of Public Administration; Social Indicators Research; Review of Development Economics; Singapore Economic Review; Heliyon; British Journal of Middle Eastern Studies; Public Organization Review; and *Economia Politica*; Journal of International Development; Public Finance Review; Public Organization Review; Policy & Politics; Public Organization Review; The Extractive Industries and Society.

## **SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY**

- 1) Served in the National Strategic Plan Committee for Ministry of Education and Higher Education, Qatar 2022 – 2023.
- 2) Organized a workshop “the Perspective on the Economic fragility of Conflicts in the Middle East and North Africa, hosted by ESPJ (special issue), (Doha, March 2022)
- 3) Member of Strategic Planning Committee for Qatari Ministry of Education 2022 – 2023
- 4) President of Association for Middle Eastern Public Policy and Administration (AMEPPA) 2017-2021.
- 5) External Examiner for PhD dissertation “India-Russia Industrial Relations, 1991-2018” by Shilpa Parasrampur, *Pandit Deendayal Petroleum University*, Gandhinagar-India, December 26 (2019).
- 6) Silatech Staff Training Workshop on Grant Applications. January 19, 2020
- 7) Conference Organizing and Chair *AMEPPA 7<sup>th</sup> International Conference* at American University in Cairo, December 27-28 (2018).
- 8) The Ad Hoc Executive Committee Member of Association of Middle Eastern Public Policy and Administration (AMEPPA) 2011 – 2016.
- 9) Chair of organizing committee for 4<sup>th</sup> AMEPPA conference November 6, 2015

- 10) Founder and board member of Economists for Peace and Security in Egypt (EPS) 2010 - Present
- 11) Chair of *16th International Conference on Peace and Security* in AUC, June 2012
- 12) Invited the International Criminal (ICC) delegation to AUC, 2011
- 13) President of the Board, Darfur Relief and Documentation Centre, Geneva, Switzerland, 2011-Present.
- 14) Committee member for Ph.D. thesis " *Investigating the Association of Latent Toxoplasmosis with Neurobehavioral Test Performance*" by Nesreen N. Al Anbar, at Drexel University in Pennsylvania, USA 2009 -2012
- 15) Founder of Darfur Development Advisory Group, Khartoum, Sudan
- 16) Advisory Board of Darfur Women Network, Indiana, USA, 2010-Present
- 17) Founder and Board Member of Darfur Working Group, Washington DC, 2008 - Present
- 18) Regular commentators for BBC, Aljazeera TV, Al-Arabia, Voice of America, Japanese Public TV, Egypt Nile TV and Alhuda TV and KSA 2 and Radio Dabanga of Darfur, Swedish News Agency and SAWA and Bloomberg.