

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Key Experience

Dr Alireza Moghaddam is a freelance Socio-Economic and ESIA Consultant based in the UK. Dr Moghaddam has more than 20 years of experience working around the world, specialising in project preparation and appraisal, Socio-economic and Health Impact Assessment (ESHIA) for development projects, participatory planning and stakeholder engagement, sustainable agricultural and rural development planning, policy analysis and modelling.

Memberships

- **British Institute of Agricultural Consultants (BIAC)**
- **Association of International Consultants (AIC)**
- **International Consulting Economists Association (ICEA)**
- **International Association of Agricultural Economists (IAAE)**
- **Professional Associates (UK)**
- **The Garson Lehrman Group Councils (GLG)**

Education

1999 PhD, Agricultural Economics
1990 Masters (MSc), Agricultural Economics
1977 BSc, Agricultural Economics

Work Experience

2004 - *present* Freelance international socio-economic and ESIA consultant
2003 - 2004 Researcher,
Department of Agriculture and Food Economics, The University of Reading
2002 - 2003 Director, Agricultural Development Research Department,
Agricultural Economics & Planning Research Institute
2000 - 2002 Modelling and simulation expert,
Agricultural Economics & Planning Research Institute
1995 - 2000 PhD student, Department of Agriculture and Food Economics, University of
Reading

1992 - 1995	Senior expert of international investments, Bureau for Attraction of Investments & Joint Ventures
1989 - 1992	Senior agricultural planning officer, Planning and Budget Department, Ministry of Agriculture
1987 - 1989	Agricultural planning officer, Comprehensive Planning Bureau, Ministry of Agriculture
1982 - 1987	Regional planning officer, Provincial Dept of Agriculture, Ministry of Agriculture
1980 - 1981	Supervisor Development and Production Services, Centre
1977-1980	Agricultural Extension Officer

Additional Skills

Languages:

English (Fluent), **Persian** (Fluent), **Azerbaijani** (Fluent spoken) and **Turkish** (Good spoken)

Good computer skills including:

Microsoft, XPRESS-MP, COSTAB, FARMOD. Familiarity with GAMS, LINDO, SPSS, MINITAB and Arc-GIS.

Typical Projects

- Offshore gas field development project, Environmental, Social and Health Impact Assessment
 - Onshore LNG development project, Environmental, Social and Health Impact Assessment
 - Irrigation Improvement Project
 - Drainage Network Development Project
 - Comprehensive river catchment development project
 - Strategy framework for long term agricultural and rural development
 - Socio-economic impact assessment of agricultural and rural cooperatives
 - Modelling environmentally critical areas
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