Kamran Rabiei (PhD)

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Education	
2013	Ph.D., Economic Sociology and Development (1st Class), University of Isfahan
	Thesis: Socio-Economic Development and its Impact on Individual's Perception
	of Superstitions – Case Study: Isfahan Province, Iran
2007	M.A., Sociology, University of Tehran
	Thesis: Social Changes and Their Impact on Socio-Cultural Policies of the
	Government in Post-Revolutionary Iran
2004	B.A., Social Science Research (1st Class), University of Isfahan
	Thesis: Measuring Social Capital - A Case Study: The Arab Slum-Dwelling of
	Malekshahr in Isfahan

Professional Experience

2016-23	 Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Tarbiat Modares University Courses Taught: Economic Development, Sociology of Development, Sociology of Revolutions, English for Sociology
2014-15	Assistant Professor, Department of Social Science, University of Isfahan
	 Courses Taught: Political Sociology, Urban Sociology,
	Sociology of Islamic Countries, Anthropology of Shiites,
	Cultural Anthropology
2012-15	Lecturer, Department of Urban Planning, Isfahan University of Art
2012-15	Lecturer, Department of Urban Planning, University of Khorasgan
2008-14	Lecturer, Department of Public Relations, Isfahan School of Culture and Art

Executive Experience

• Chair/Director of the Department of Sociology, Tarbiat Modares University, 2021-2023

Research Interests

- Economic Development
- Social Policy
- Social Movements
- Comparative Middle East Studies
- Urban Studies

Language Skills

• English, Arabic, Persian

Honors and Awards

2014	2nd Place, Isfahan's Book of the Year in Social Science, Isfahan, Iran
2012	PhD student of the year; Iranian Ministry of Science, Research and Technology
	(Highest nationwide award given annually to outstanding graduate students by
	Iranian President)
2003	Undergraduate student of the year; Iranian Ministry of Science, Research and
	Technology
2004	Best Paper Award, Second Festival of Urban Research Publications, Isfahan, Iran
2004	The second place in the Iranian University Entrance Exam for M.A. Degree

Institutional Service

- Founded the Research Council of the Office of Planning and Research in Municipality of Isfahan in 2009.
- Launched the Isfahan Branch of the Iranian Sociological Association in 2005.
- Established databases for patients with epilepsy and women in Isfahan Province (2004-2005).
- Launched the International Relations Committee of the Isfahan Society of Epilepsy (2004).
- Founded the Social Capital Reconstruction Committee within the Education Organization of Isfahan Province (2003)

Organizing Training Workshops

Conducted various courses and workshops on social and urban topics for Isfahan Municipality employees:

- "Social Pathology in the City" (12 hours, March 5th to 13th, 2014)
- "Urban Pathology" (16 hours, January 26th to February 4th, 2014)
- "Principles of Urban Sociology" (16 hours, May 2013)
- "Culture, Development, and Civilization" (5 sessions, September to October 2011)

Professional Memberships

• Iranian Sociological Association, 2004-present

Research Experience

Proi	ect	Manager	
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Evaluating the Political, economic, social and legal effects of development projects in the Zab River basin and other basins on the country. (Manager of the social studies part of the project) (*Ministry of Energy*)
 Internal evaluation of Department of Sociology (*National Organization for Educational Testing and Tarbiat Modares University*)
 Identifying and Categorizing Heresies and Superstitions in Isfahan Province, a Study with an Extensive Survey Including 6192 Questionnaires Carried Out Across 25 Counties (*Office of Islamic Propagation, Isfahan, commissioned by the Isfahan Governorate*)

Principal Assistant

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2019	Identification of criteria and design of a native model for evaluating university			
	professors within the framework of the Social Impact Factor index.			
	(Educational Deputy of Tarbiat Modares University)			
2011-12	Cultural and Religious Needs Assessment and Stakeholder Analysis of			
	Bagh-e Rezvan Cemetery, Isfahan. (Advisor) (Deputy of Planning and			
	Research and Information Technology of Isfahan Municipality)			
2011-12	Study, Extraction, and Development of Naming Criteria for Streets and			
	Urban Facilities in Isfahan, and Presentation of an Applicable Template.			
	(Advisor) (Deputy of Planning and Research and Information Technology of			
	Isfahan Municipality)			
2009	Survey of Non-level Intersections of Shahid Arab, Askariyeh, and			
	Ghaza Martyrs in Isfahan. (Advisor) (Deputy of Planning and Research and			
	Information Technology of Isfahan Municipality)			
2007-8	Social Capital in Neighborhoods of Isfahan City and Providing Solutions to			
	Increase It. (Advisor) (Plan and Program of Isfahan Municipality's Cultural			
	and Recreational Organization)			
2007	Usage, Conservation, Maintenance, and Organizing Historical Bridges in Isfahan			
	City from the Perspective of Citizens, Tourists, and Experts. (Research			
	Institute of the Cultural Heritage, Handicrafts, and Tourism Organization of			
	Isfahan Province)			
2006- 7	Pathology of Religious Mourning Assemblies of Isfahan Province. (Islamic			
	Propagation Office of Isfahan Province)			
2005- 6	Measurement and Ranking of Social Capital in the Townships of Isfahan			
	Province. (University of Applied Sciences & Technology, Culture and Art			
	Branch, Isfahan)			
2004- 6	Practical Solutions for Women's Employment in Isfahan Province from the			
	Perspective of Supporting Female Entrepreneurs (with an emphasis on small			
2004 7	industries and agriculture). (Women's Studies Center, Isfahan University)			
2004-5	Study of the cultural and social needs of female students in Isfahan. (<i>Isfahan</i>			
2004 7	Provincial Department of Education and Training).			
2004- 5	Comprehensive Plan for the Social Development of Isfahan Province. (Center for			
2002 4	Reflection and Development of Isfahan Province)			
2003-4	Strategic Structural Scheme for the Social Development of the Country.			
2004	(Ministry of Interior).			
2004	Study of Attitudes, Needs, and Social Status of Epilepsy Patients in Isfahan.			
2002 4	(Epilepsy Association of Isfahan)			
2003-4	Practical Analysis of the Challenges Faced by Religious Preachers in Confronting			
2002 4	the Development Trend in Iran. (Islamic <i>Propagation Office of Isfahan</i>).			
2003- 4	Analytical and Descriptive Study on Friendly Relationships between Male and			
	Female Students - Case Study: Isfahan University of Technology. (Student			
	Affairs Deputy, Isfahan University of Technology).			

Publications

Books

- Rabiei, K. (2016). *Modernization and Iranian World*. Isfahan, Iran, The Center for Islamic Studies Publication. (published in Persian)
- Rabiei, K. (2013). *Heresies and Superstitions in Isfahan Province*, Isfahan, Iran, The Center for Islamic Studies Publication. (published in Persian)

Translations

• Martin, G. (2015). *Understanding Social Movements*. Routledge. (Translated into Persian, Tehran: Agah) (In press).

Journal Papers

- Rabiei, k. (2023) *Understanding Iraqi Society: Reading Ali al-Wardi (1913-1995)*. Sociology Compass. https://doi.org/10.1111/soc4.13157 (in English)
- Baghban Moshiri, N., Kazemi, A., Rabiei, K., & Ahmadipour, Z. (2022). Production of Space and Rhythmanalysis of Urban Space in Tehran: Henri Lefebvre Approach. Sociological Cultural Studies, 13(3), 25-56. (in Persian)
- Baghban Moshiri, N., Varij Kazemi, A., Rabiei, K., & Ahmadipour, Z. (2022). *Alienation in Everyday Life: Case Study of Urban Space in Tehran*. Journal of Social Sciences Ferdowsi University of Mashhad, *19*(3), 170-137. (in Persian)
- Mehrizi, M., Roshanfekr, C., Rabiee, K., & Tavakoli, A. (2022). *Application of Discourse Analysis Method in Family Studies (A Review of Linguistic Strategies in Films, Book of Law, Forever and One Day)*. The International Journal of Humanities, 29(3), 42-57. (in Persian)
- Rabiei, k. & Rezaei, B. (2022) Regional Development and Critical Junctures: A Study of the Achievements and Failures of Iran and Turkey (1990-2020). Political Spatial Planning. 4(1):376-390. (in Persian)
- Rabiei, k. & Golrokh, Sh. & Bahrami, Z. (2020) Class and Urban Public Space Consumption: a Typology in Iran. City and Community. (in English)
- Rabiei, K. & Shariat, T. (2020) Hangouts and the Social Production of Space: A Phenomenological Study of Everyday Life in Isfahan Women's Hangouts. Women in Development and Politics. 18(2): 263-292. (in Persian)
- Rabiei, K. (2020) Developmental State and the Challenges of Economic Development in Iran (1979-2020). Journal of Historical Sociology, 12(1): 105-143. (in Persian)
- Rabiei, K. (2020). Protest and Regime Change: Different Experiences of the Arab Uprisings and the 2009 Iranian Presidential Election Protests. International Studies, 58(2). (in English).
- Razzaghi, M. & Chavoshian, H. & Ebadollahi Chanzanaghand, H. & Rabiei K. (2020). Religious fundamentalism, individuality, and collective identity: A case study of two student organizations in Iran. Critical Research on Religion, Vol. 8, No. 1: 3–24. (in English)
- Rabiei, K., & YazdKhasti, B. (2019). Modernization and Attitude Change: Comparing and Analyzing the Attitudes of Urban and Rural Women toward Jobs (Case Study: Isfahan Province). *Two Quarterly Journal of Contemporary Sociological Research*, 8(14), 99-127. (in Persian)
- Rabiei, K. (2109). Social Policy under Socio-Political Changes in Post -Revolutionary Iran 1979-2013. Contemporary Review of the Middle East, Vol. 6, No. 1, pp. 16-43. (in English)

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- Nastaran, Mahin; Kamran Rabiei and kamyar abdekhoda (2018) The Study of Informal Employment Impacts on Social Sustainability; the Case Study of Baneh. Social Development and Welfare Planning, Vol.10, No. 37: 91-120. (in Persian)
- Rabiei, K. (2108). Uprising and Regime Change in the Middle East and North Africa: Explaining the Conditions of the Arab Spring Formation and its Beginning in Tunisia and Egypt. The State Studies Quarterly. 4(14). (in Persian)
- Ehsan Babaei Salanghooch, Mohammad Massoud, Kamran Rabiei (2018) Explaining the Characteristics and Components of Good City in Iran-Shahri Thought. National Studies Quarterly, 19 (4), pp. 67-84. (in Persian)
- Ehsan Babaei Salanghooch, Mohammad Massoud, Kamran Rabiei (2018) Explaining the Concept of Islamic City by Situational Analysis. Journal of Researches in Islamic Architecture. 6 (2), pp. 1-18. (in Persian)
- Ehsan Babaei Salanghooch, Mohammad Massoud, Bahador Zamani, Kamran Rabiei (2017) Situational analysis as a method in research on characteristics and components of Islamic city. Journal of Studies on Iranian-Islamic City, Vol. 7, No. 27, spring, Pages 17-28. (in Persian)
- Ehsan Babaei Salanghooch, Mohammad Massoud, Kamran Rabiei, Bahador Zamani (2016) *Normative Theory and its Characteristics in Urban Studies*. Methodology of Social Science and Humanities Journal, Vol. 22, No. 89, pp. 57-78. (in Persian)
- Kamran Rabiei (2016) A Search on Individuals' Perception of Entity of Superstitions and Influencing Factors- Case Study: Isfahan Province, Iran. Economic Sociology and Development, Vol. 5, No. 2, pp. 73-102. (in Persian)
- Rabiei, K. (2015). Socio-economic Development and its Impact on Individuals' Perception of Entity of Superstitions; A Case study: Isfahan Province, Iran. Applied Sociology, Vol. 60, No. 4, pp. 148-129. (in Persian)
- Ghanbari, A. and Rabiei, K. (2015). Etiology of Changes in Pattern of Narcotic Consumption in Iran. Rahbord Quarterly, Center for Strategic Research, Issue 15, pp. 243-270. (in Persian)
- Rabiei, K., Ghasemi V., and Arzani H. R. (2013). Superstition and Cultural Diversity; A Case Study: Isfahan Province, Iran. Mediterranean Journal of Social Science, Vol. 4, No. 4. (in English)
- Rabiei, K. (2012). The Development of Sociology in the Middle East: Studying the Obstacles since the 20th Century. Journal of Iranian Social Studies Vol. 6, No. 2, pp. 77-101. (in Persian)
- Rabbani, R. and Rabiei, K. (2011). Evaluation of College Major Selection and its Impact on Educational Satisfaction among Isfahan University Students. Journal of Research and Planning Higher Education, Vol. 17, No. 2 (60), pp. 99 120. (in Persian)
- Rabbani, R. and Rabiei, K. (2010). *Slum-Dwelling and Community Estrangement*. Iranian Journal of Social Problems. Vol. 1, No. 3, pp. 43-64. (in Persian)
- Esmaeili, R., and Rabiei, K. (2008). *An Assessment of the Socio-Cultural Needs of High-School Girls in Isfahan*. Women's Socio-Cultural Council Quarterly, Women's Strategic Studies, No. 41, pp. 97-134. (in Persian)
- Rabiei, K. (2008). Study of Relationship between Culture and Politics in the History of Iran. Journal of Sepehr-e Andisheh, Vol. 1, No. 1. (in Persian)
- Ghasemi, V., Esmaeili R., and Rabiei, K. (2006). *Measurement and Ranking of Social Capital in 20 Townships of Isfahan Province*. Social Welfare Quarterly, Vol. 6, No. 23. pp. 225-250. (in Persian)
- Rabiei, K. (2005). *One Player Game on Robert D. Putnam's Bowling Alone: The Collapse and Revival of American Community*. Social Science Monthly Review, Iranian Book Review and Information Journal. Vol.8, No. 5. (in Persian)

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• Rabiei, K. (2004). *Social Capital: the foundation Of Development*. Ehya Quarterly. Vol. 3, No. 9 and 10. (in Persian)

Conference Proceedings

- Rabiei, Kamran (2022) **The Failures of Nation-State Formation in Iraq and its Impact on Regional Order and Security**. The 1st Biennial International Conference on "Regional Order and Social Structure in the Middle East: From Theory to Practice". Tehran: Iranian Political Science Association, May.
- Rabiei, Kamran & Behrouz Rezaei (2022) **Laying the Foundations for Sustainable Economic Growth at Critical Junctures: Understanding the Causes of Iran's Failure (1989-2020).** National Conference of Growth Diagnostics in Iran; Explaining Production Obstacles and Reforming Strategies and Policies, 31 January 1 February.
 - Rabiei, Kamran (2020) **Positive Identity Politics for Resolving Middle East Conflicts: A Positive Peace Approach.** The Second International Conference on Peace and Conflict Resolution (ICPCR). November 23-24, Iran: University of Tehran.
 - Kamran Rabiei (2018) **Urbanization and Attitude Change: Urban-Rural Differences in Occupational Attitudes within Women in Isfahan Province, Iran**. 15th International Conference on Social Sciences, Belgium, Leuven: Katholike Universiteit Leuven, 13-14 July.
 - Ghasemi, Vahid & Zahra Bahrami & Kamran Rabiei (2017) **Identity and Urban Space:** Place of Memory and Reproduction of Collective Identity in Isfahan. 7th International Conference on Sustainable Development and Urban Construction, Isfahan: DaneshPajoohan Higher Education Institute (DHEI). December 14 & 15.
 - Ghasemi, Vahid & Zahra Bahrami & Kamran Rabiei (2017) Class and Urban Space: A Typology for Patterns of Urban Space Consumption in Isfahan. 7th International Conference on Sustainable Development and Urban Construction, Isfahan: DaneshPajoohan Higher Education Institute (DHEI). December 14 & 15.
 - Rabiei, K. (2013). **Study Thought and Views of Iraqi Sociologist Ali al-Wardi.** 3rd International Conference on Social Thought and Society in the Middle East and North Africa, Iran Sociological Association and Institute for Humanities and Cultural Srudies, Tehran, Iran.
 - Rabiei, K. (2011). **Obstacles of Development of Sociology in Contemporary Middle East**. Regional Conference on Social Thought and Sociology in the Contemporary Middle East. International Sociological Association and Iranian Sociological Association, Tehran, Iran.
 - Yazdkhasti, B., Rabiei, K., and Rezaei, M. (2009). The Comparison of Women's Entrepreneurship in Urban and Rural Regions in Iran: Barriers and Solutions (Case Study: Women of Isfahan Province). International Conference on Harnessing Entrepreneurial Potential of Women for Economic Growth, India.
- Rabiei, K. (2007). Slum-Dwellings and Reproduction of the Worn-Out Social Fabric: Crisis of Social Capital – A Case Study: The Arab District of Malekshahr Region of Isfahan. National Seminar on the Urban Worn out Texture – Perspective of Stable Development, Values and Challenges. Ahvaz, Iran.
- Rabiei, K. (2006). **The Arrival of Women to the Public Sphere in Course of Iran's Social History**. International Conference on the role of women in development of Islamic Science, Culture, and Civilization. Isfahan, Iran.

Reviewer Experience

- Contemporary Review of the Middle East (CME), Middle East Institute, New Delhi.
- Historical Sociology, Tarbiat Modares University
- Quarterly of Social Studies and Research in Iran, University of Tehran
- Journal of Iranian Social Studies, Iranian Sociological Association.
- Social Development and Welfare Planning, Allameh Tabataba'i University
- Applied Sociology, University of Isfahan
- Security and Social Order Strategic Studies, University of Isfahan
- Economic Sociology and Development, University of Tabriz
- Studies in Arabic Narratology, University of Kharazmi
- Modares Arabic Journal of Research in Humanities, Tarbiat Modares University