

# Curriculum Vitae

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## **EDUCATION**

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**B.Sc., Public Health,** School of Public Health & Institute of Public Health Research, Tehran University of Medical Sciences, Tehran, IRAN, 1989.

## **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**2013-present: Professor,** Dept of Parasitology, School of Medicine, KUMS, Kerman, Iran.

**2013-present: Vice-Chancellor for Education,** Kerman University of Medical Sciences, Kerman, Iran.

**2013-present: Head,** Research Center for Hydatid Disease in Iran, Kerman University of Medical Sciences, Kerman, Iran.

**2013: Chairman, Scientific Committee,** Fifth National Medical Sciences Olympiad in Iran. Kerman, Iran. Sept. 7-12, 2013.

**2012: Chairman, Scientific Committee,** 1<sup>st</sup> International and 8<sup>th</sup> National Congress of Parasitology and Parasitic Diseases in Iran. Kerman, Iran. Oct. 16-18, 2012

**2010-2011: Visiting Research Scholar,** Dept of Veterinary Integrative Biosciences, College of Veterinary Medicine and Biomedical Sciences, Texas A&M University, College Station, Texas.

**2007-present: Dean of Post Graduate Studies,** School of Medicine, Kerman University of Medical Sciences (KUMS), Kerman, Iran.

**2007-2010: Dean of the University Post Graduate Studies,** Vice Chancellor for Education, KUMS, Kerman, Iran.

**2006-2010: Head, KUMS Central Library & Scientific Documents.**

**2012-present: Associate Editor, CAMEL,** An international Journal of Veterinary Sciences, ND Publishers, India.

**2009-2010: Editor-in-Chief, Strides of Development in Medical Education,** The Journal of Education Development Center, Vice Chancellor for Education, KUMS, Kerman, Iran.

**2008-present: Academic Member,** Dept of Medical Education, Education Development Center, Vice Chancellor for Education, KUMS, Kerman, Iran.

**2006-2008: Head, Department of Laboratory Medical Sciences,** School of Paramedics, KUMS, Kerman, Iran.

**2003: Immuno / Serodiagnostics training course,** Institute of Parasitology, University of Zurich, Zurich, Switzerland.

**2002-2006: Managing Director of KUMS Research Affairs,** KUMS, Kerman, Iran.

**2001: WHO/TDR training course on Bioinformatics in Tropical Medicine,** International Center of Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology (ICGEB), New Delhi, India.

**2000-2008: Assistant Professor,** Dept of Parasitology, KUMS, Kerman, Iran.

**1999: Molecular Epidemiology course, Visiting Researcher,** WHO Collaborating Center for Molecular Epidemiology of Parasitic Infections, Division of Veterinary Studies, Murdoch University, Perth, Australia.

**1993-1994: Managing Director of KUMS Research Affairs,** KUMS, Kerman, Iran.

## **PROFESSIONAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP**

International Association of Hydatidology, 2009

International Society for Infectious Diseases, 2011

Iranian Society of Parasitology (ISP), 1997

Iranian Epidemiological Society (IrEA), 2006-present

## **RESEARCH INTERESTS** (ResearcherID: C-4636-2008)

**Molecular Epidemiology of Parasitic Infections** (Parasitic Zoonoses e.g. Echinococcosis, Taeniasis, Toxocariasis, Cryptosporidiosis, Giardiasis, Toxoplasmosis, etc.).

**Systematics** of parasitic organisms.

**Systematic Review and Meta-analysis** of human and animal parasitic infections

## **SCIENTIFIC PUBLICATIONS**

### **Books**

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- World Health Organization, WHO Manual of Basic (Parasitology) Techniques for a Health Laboratory, Translated by Fasihi Harandi M., & Amini E., Roshan Ketab, Tehran, 2008. (ISBN 978-964-989-392-1).

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- Fasihi Harandi, M., and Mobedi, I., Fertility and viability study of human hydatid disease in Iran and its clinical implications, *Archivos Internacionales de la Hidatidosis* 1999, 33, 293.
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- Sharifi I., Daneshvar H., Zia-Ali N., Fasihi Harandi M., Nikian Y., Ebrahimi A.M., Keshavarz H., Massoud J., Evaluation of a control program on Hydatid cyst in the city of Kerman. Journal of Kerman University of Medical Sciences, 1997, 4: 168-174.

### **Abstracts presented in Scientific Meetings**

- Fasihi Harandi M., Moazezi S., Saba M., Kamyabi H., Sheikhzadeh F. Epidemiology of cystic echinococcosis in rural regions of kerman, iran: a sonographical and serological survey. XXIII World Congress of Hydatidology, Colonia de Sacramento, Uruguay, December 10-12 2009.
- Sharbatkhori M., Mirhendi H., Fasihi Harandi M., Kia E.B., Molecular identification of *Echinococcus granulosus* isolates from Golestan province, north of Iran. 6<sup>th</sup> European Congress on Tropical Medicine and International Health. Sept 2009, PP. 202.
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