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EDUCATION

2013	Assistant professor at the Faculty of Economics and Management of Sfax, Tunisia.
2012	Ph.D. in Economic Sciences, Faculty of Economics and Management of Sfax, Tunisia.
2011	Assistant at Higher Institute of Business Administration of Gafsa, Tunisia.
2007-09	MSc. Economic and Financial Dynamics, Faculty of Economics and Management of Sfax, Tunisia.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE (2010 to 2015)

- Economic Principles, University of Gafsa, and University of Monastir.
- Macroeconomics, University of Gafsa, and University of Monastir.
- Microeconomics, Entrepreneurial culture, University of Gafsa.

- Monetary and financial market, University of Monastir.
- International Economics and Development, Master at University of Sfax.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Contagion of financial crises
- Entrepreneurship
- Financial Economics
- Energy and environmental economics
- Nuclear and renewable energy
- International trade
- Regional integration

REFREE POSITION

Renewable and Sustainable Energy Reviews, Energy Economics, Energy Policy, Environmental Development, Economic Modelling, Journal of Policy Modeling, International Journal of Business and Economics, Research in Economics, International Journal of Monetary Economics and Finance, African Journal of Business Management, International Entrepreneurship and Management Journal...

PUBLICATIONS

- O21. Omri, A., (2015). A Panel Analysis of the Effects of International Tourism, Oil Consumption, Environmental Quality and Political Instability on Economic Growth in MENA Region. Submitted to **Renewable & Sustainable Energy Reviews**.
- O20. Kahouli, B., Omri, A., Chaibi, A. (2015). Foreign Direct Investment, Foreign Trade and Environment : Evidence from Gravity Equations. Submitted to **International Business Review**.
- O19. Shahbaz, M., Nasreen, S., Omri, A. (2015). Does Foreign Direct Investment Impede Environmental Quality? New Evidence from High, Middle and Low Income Countries Revised in **Energy Economics**.
- O18. Shahbaz, M., Nasreen, S., Ozturk, I., Omri, A. (2015). Validation of the Environmental Kuznets Curve in High, Middle and Low-income countries: Four way Causality between Environment, Financial Development, Trade and Economic Growth. Revised in **Economic systems**.
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- O12.Omri, A., Nguyen, D.K., Rault, C. (2014). Causal Interactions Between CO₂ Emissions, Foreign Direct Investment, and Economic Growth: Evidence from Dynamic Simultaneous-Equation Models. *Economic Modelling* 42, 382-389, (**Elsevier**, Impact Factor : 0.763 (TR), rang 2 CNRS).
- O11.Omri, A., Nguyen, D.K. (2014). On the Determinants of Renewable Energy Consumption : International Evidence. *Energy* 72- 554-560, (**Elsevier**, Impact Factor : 4.159 (TR)).
- O10.Omri, A., Kahouli, B. (2014). The Nexus Among Foreign Investment, Domestic Capital and Economic Growth: Empirical Evidence from the MENA Region. *Research in Economics*, 68, 257-263, (**Elsevier**, rang 3CNRS).
- O9.Omri, A., Kahouli, B. (2014). The Nexus Between Energy Consumption, Foreign Direct Investment and Economic Growth: Fresh Evidence from Dynamic Simultaneous-Equations Models. *Energy Policy* 67, 913-922, (**Elsevier**, Impact Factor : 2.696 (TR), rang 2 CNRS).
- O8. Omri, A., Frikha, M. (2014). How Small Businesses Fail in Tunisia? **International Journal of Economics and accounting** 6, 126-140, (**Inderscience**).
- O7. Omri, A. (2013). CO₂ Emissions, Energy Consumption and Economic Growth Nexus in MENA Countries: Evidence from Simultaneous Equations Models. *Energy Economics* 40, 657-664, (**Elsevier**, Impact Factor : 2.580 (TR), rang 2 CNRS).
- O6. Omri, A., Tmar, A. (2013). Linking FDI Inflows to Economic Growth in North African Countries. **Journal of the Knowledge Economy**. DOI 10.1007/s13132-013-0172-5, (**Springer**).

- O5. Omri, A., Frikha-Ayadi, M. (2012). Construction a Mediational Model of Small Business Growth. *International Entrepreneurship and Management Journal*. DOI 10.1007/s11365-012-0223-6, (Springer, Impact Factor : 5.053 (TR), rang 4 CNRS).
- O4. Omri, A., Frikha, M. (2012). How Entrepreneurs Identify Opportunities and Access to External Financing in Tunisian's Micro-enterprises? *African Journal of Business management* 6, 4635-4647.
- O3. Omri, A., Ghorbel-Zouari, S. (2011). International Financial Contagion of the US Sub-prime Crisis: evidence through the Adjusted Correlation Test and Nonlinear Error Correction Models (ECM). *International Journal of Monetary Economics and Finance* 4, 135–149.
- O2. Omri, A., Frikha, M. (2011). No Contagion, Only Interdependence During the US Subprime Crisis. *Transition Studies Review* 18, 286-298, (Springer).
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INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES

- C1. Omri, A., Frikha, M. (2010). Enjeux et Conséquences de la Crise Economique et Financière Etats-uniennes sur le Continent Africain: Cas de l'Economie Tunisienne. 5^{ème} colloque International « Entrepreneuriat et Entreprise : quels défis dans un contexte de crise ? », Gafsa 9-10-11 Avril 2010.
- C2. A.K. Azad A.K., Rasul, M.G., Khan, M.K., Omri, A., Hazrat, M.A., 2014. Modelling of renewable energy economy in Australia. The 6th International Conference on Applied Energy – ICAE2014.
- C3. Omri 2014. A Panel Data Analysis of the Impacts of Crude Oil Price, CO2 Emissions, Economic Growth and International Trade on Renewable Energy Demand. 2nd Annual Tunisian Society for Financial Studies (TSFS) Finance Conference . 12-13 decembre 2014, Sousse, Tunisia.

LANGUAGES AND COMPUTER SKILLS

- **Computer Skills:** EVIEWS, STATA, SPSS , MICMAC, Scientific Word, Access, ...
- **Languages:** Arabic, French & English (fluent).