# SAAD ANDALIB SYED SHAH

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#### **EDUCATION**

# University of California, Irvine

June 2023

PhD in Economics

# University of California, Irvine

June 2019

MA in Economics

# Bangladesh University of Business and Technology

M.Sc. in Mathematics

## University of Dhaka

**B.S.S** in Economics

#### RESEARCH AND TEACHING INTERESTS

Industrial Organization, Applied Microeconomics, Regulatory and Competition Economics, Agricultural Economics, Applied Econometrics, Machine Learning

#### **PUBLICATION**

"An Empirical Model of the Effect of "Bill Shock" Regulation in Mobile Telecommunication Markets", with Jiawei Chen and Lai Jiang, International Journal of Industrial Organization, 83 (2022), 102848

# JOB MARKET PAPER

"Auctions with Reference Prices: An Empirical Analysis of Tea Auctions in Bangladesh"

# WORKING PAPERS

- 1. "Substitution Patterns and Welfare Implications of Local Taxation: Empirical Analysis of a Soda Tax", with Jiawei Chen and Colin Reinhardt
- 2. "Size Matters How Consumers' Energy Drink Consumption Is Affected by Package Size Changes", with Pradeep Chintagunta, Lai Jiang, and Ting Zhu
- 3. "Does Soda Tax Affect Store Sales? Evidence From Berkeley"
- 4. "Tear Down This Wall! Firms' Differential Price Responses to a Switching Cost Reduction Policy" with Jiawei Chen, Lai Jiang, and Ting Zhu

# SOFTWARE AND TOOLS

Python, R, MATLAB, SQL, Stata

## OTHER CERTIFICATION

# University of California, Irvine

Data Analytics Boot Camp

December 2021

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant Assignment for Graduate Courses at UC Irvine:

BANA 201A: Statistics for Data Science

Teaching Assistant Assignments for Undergraduate Courses at UC Irvine:

Econ 15A/B: Probability and Statistics

Econ 105A: Intermediate Quantitative Economics

Econ 115 : Behavioral Economics Econ 134 : Corporate Finance

Econ 142 CW: Industrial Organization Econ 149: Options, Futures, and Derivatives

Econ 161B: International Money

## HONORS AND AWARDS

Merit Fellowship in Economics, UCI

Spring 2018, Winter 2022, Spring 2022

UC Irvine Program in Corporate Welfare Studies Grant

2019

Summer Research Fellowship in Economics, UCI

2020, 2021, 2022

## WORK EXPERIENCE

Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Bangladesh

June 2012 - July 2017

**Assistant Secretary** 

Bangladesh Institute of Development Studies

March 2011 - May 2012

Research Associate

#### OTHER PUBLICATION

"Poverty Impacts of Extended Old Age Allowance Programme in Bangladesh: A Micro-Simulation Exercise", with Bazlul H. Khondker, *Social Science Review*, [The Dhaka University Studies, Part-D], Vol. 30, No. 2, December 2013

#### **LANGUAGES**

English (fluent), Bengali (native), French (basic)

## REFERENCES

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