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## ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

**College of Business, Colorado State University**
Assistant Professor of Computer Information Systems                     08/2021 – Present


**College of Computing & Digital Media, DePaul University**
Assistant Professor of Information Systems                     01/2017 – 06/2021
SAP University Alliance Program Coordinator for DePaul University


**College of Business and Management, University of Illinois at Springfield**
Assistant Professor of Management Information Systems                     08/2014 – 12/2016


## EDUCATION

**DeGroote School of Business, McMaster University**
PhD, Business Administration, Concentration in Information Systems      09/2008 – 11/2014

**School of Engineering, Tarbiat Modares University**
Master of Science, Information Technology Engineering                     09/2003 – 08/2005

**Iran University of Science and Technology**
Bachelor of Science, Industrial Engineering                     09/1998 – 08/2003


## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Users Behaviors on Digital Platforms; Computer-Mediated Communication; User-Generated Contents; Online Review Platforms; Social Media Platforms.


## JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

1) **Qahri-Saremi, H.** and Turel, O. 2023. (equal contributions) "Situational Contingencies in Susceptibility of Social Media to Phishing: A Temptation and Restraint Model". *Journal of Management Information Systems* (forthcoming).

2) Turel, O. and **Qahri-Saremi, H.** 2023. (equal contributions) "Responses to Ambivalence toward Social Networking Sites: A Typological Perspective". *Information Systems Journal* (forthcoming), pp. 1-32.

3) **Qahri-Saremi, H.** and Montazemi A.R. 2022. "Negativity bias in the diagnosticity of online review content: the effects of consumers' prior experience and need for cognition". *European Journal of Information Systems* (forthcoming), pp. 1-18.
   - *Mentioned in a recent article published in CSU's SOURCE: https://biz.source.colostate.edu/negative-online-reviews-impact-study/*

4) **Qahri-Saremi, H.**, Vaghefi, I., and Turel, O. 2021. "Profiles of Responses to Social Networking Sites Addiction: Identification, Personality Predictors, and Outcomes". *The DATA BASE for Advances in Information Systems* (52:4), pp. 65-91.

5) Roberts, N., **Qahri-Saremi, H.**, & Vijayasarathy, L. 2021. "Understanding IT Value at the Managerial Level: Managerial Ambidexterity, Seizing Opportunities, and the Moderating Role of Information Systems Use", *The DATA BASE for Advances in Information Systems* (52:3), pp. 39-55.

6) Turel, O., **Qahri-Saremi, H.**, and Vaghefi, I. 2021. "Introduction to the Special Issue: Dark Sides of Digitalization," *International Journal of Electronic Commerce* 25(2), 127-135.

7) **Qahri-Saremi, H.** and Montazemi A.R. 2021. "How to Enhance the Effectiveness of Online Review Platforms," *Rutgers Business Review* 6(1), 71-78.

8) **Qahri-Saremi, H.**, and Turel, O. 2020. "Experience of Ambivalence and the Dual Nature of Coping Responses: A Multi-Method Investigation of Post-Adoptive Information Systems Use," *Journal of Management Information Systems* (27:3), pp. 820-848.

9) Vaghefi, I., **Qahri-Saremi, H.**, and Turel, O. 2020. "Dealing with social networking site addiction: a cognitive-affective model of discontinuance decisions," *Internet Research* (30:5), pp. 1427-1453.

10) **Qahri-Saremi, H.** and Montazemi A.R. 2019. "Factors Affecting the Adoption of an Electronic Word of Mouth Message: A Meta-Analysis," *Journal of Management Information Systems* (36:3), pp. 969-1001.

11) Turel, O., Matt, C., Trenz, M., Cheung, C. M. K., D'Arcy, J., **Qahri-Saremi, H.,** Tarafdar, M. 2019. "Panel Report: The Dark Side of the Digitization of the Individual," *Internet Research*, (29:2), pp. 274-288.
   - *This paper is based on discussions among three invited panelists — D'Arcy, J., **Qahri-Saremi, H.**, and Tarafdar, M. — in an expert panel on "The Dark Side of the Digitization of the Individual" as a part of a workshop held in the International Conference on Information Systems in December 2018 in San Francisco, CA (See http://doti.is-research.com/index.php/8-doti/13-expert-panel-dark-side-of-doti). The first four authors are the workshops organizers, and the last three authors are the expert panelists in an alphabetical order.*

12) Turel, O., and **Qahri-Saremi, H.** 2018. "Explaining Unplanned Online Media Behaviors: Dual-System Theory Models of Impulsive Use and Swearing on Social Networking Sites," *New Media & Society*, (20:8), pp. 3050–3067.
   - *New Media & Society was ranked 2 in the field of Communication by the Journal Citation Report 2018 and has been consistently ranked among top-tier Communication journals.*

13) Abedin, B., and **Qahri-Saremi, H.** 2018. (equal contributions) "Introduction to the Special Issue – Social Computing and Service Innovation: A Framework for Research," *Journal of Organizational Computing and Electronic Commerce* (28:1), pp. 1-8.

14) Turel, O., and **Qahri-Saremi, H.** 2016. (equal contributions) "Problematic Use of Social Networking Sites: Antecedents and Consequence from a Dual System Theory Perspective," *Journal of Management Information Systems* (33:4), pp. 1087-1116.
    - *Mentioned in several media outlets, placing it in the top 5% of research outputs by Altmetric and among the most "trending research" papers on Taylor and Francis publication.*
    - *Ranked #1 out of the 131 JMIS papers with Altmetric scores, so far (see: https://www.altmetric.com/details/17388342#score).*

15) **Qahri-Saremi, H.**, and Turel, O. 2016. (equal contributions) "School Engagement, Information Technology Use, and Educational Development: An Empirical Investigation of Adolescents," *Computers & Education* (102), pp. 65-78.

16) Montazemi, A.R., and **Qahri-Saremi, H.** 2015. (equal contributions) "Factors Affecting Adoption of Online Banking: A Meta-Analytic Structural Equation Modeling Study," *Information & Management* (52:2), pp. 210-226.
    - *Listed among the top 25 most downloaded papers from Information and Management for six months after its publication.*

17) Montazemi, A.R., and **Qahri Saremi, H.** 2014. (equal contributions) "Factors Affecting Adoption of Internet Banking," *The European Financial Review* (December 2013–January 2014), pp. 18-20.

18) Montazemi, A.R., Pittaway, J.J., & **Qahri Saremi, H.**, and Wei, Y. 2012. "Factors of Stickiness in Transfers of Know-How between MNC Units," *Journal of Strategic Information Systems* (21), pp. 31-57.

19) Montazer, G.A., **Qahri Saremi, H.**, & Khatibi, V. 2010. "A Neuro Fuzzy Inference Engine for Farsi Numeral Characters Recognition," *Expert Systems with Applications* (37:9), pp. 6327-6337.

20) Montazer, G.A., **Qahri Saremi, H.**, & Ramezani, M. 2009. "Design a New Mixed Expert Decision Aiding System Using Fuzzy ELECTRE III Method for Vendor Selection," *Expert Systems with Applications* (36:8), pp. 10837-10847.

21) **Qahri Saremi, H.**, Abedin, B., & Meimand Kermani, A. 2008. "Website Structure Improvement: Quadratic Assignment Problem Approach and Ant Colony Meta-Heuristic Technique," *Applied Mathematics and Computation* (195:1), pp. 285-298.

22) Albadvi, A., Sharifi, S. A. R. & **Qahri-Saremi, H.** 2007. "Application of "PROMETHEE" For Market Targeting: A Case Study on the TV Market in IRAN". *Scientia Iranica*, (14:3), pp. 221-229.


## CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND PROCEEDINGS

1) Ghori, M.F., Dehpanah, A., Gemmell, J., **Qahri-Saremi, H.**, and Mobasher, B. 2022. "Does the User Have A Theory of the Recommender? A Grounded Theory Study," *UMAP '22* Adjunct:

30th *ACM Conference on User Modeling, Adaptation and Personalization*. Copenhagen, Denmark.

2) **Qahri-Saremi, H.**, and Montazemi, A.R. 2020. "Negativity Bias in the Effects of EWoM Reviews: An Elaboration Likelihood Perspective in Online Service Adoption Context," to be presented at *European Conference on Information Systems (ECIS 2020)*. AIS Virtual Conference Series

3) Ghori, M.F., Dehpanah, A., Gemmell, J., **Qahri-Saremi, H.**, and Mobasher, B. 2019. "Does the User Have A Theory of the Recommender? A Pilot Study," Joint Workshop on Interfaces and Human Decision Making for Recommender Systems, *The ACM Conference Series on Recommender Systems*. Copenhagen, Denmark.

4) **Qahri-Saremi, H.**, and Vaghefi, I. 2018. "Responses to IT Addiction: A Person-Centered Analysis of Outcome and Personality Determinants," pre-conference workshop on Digitalization of the Individual (DOTI), *International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS 2018)*. San Francisco, CA.

5) **Qahri-Saremi, H.**, Mueller-Luckey, G., Robinson, R., Hadidi, R., and Sattovia, S. 2018. "Actualization of Electronic Health Records Affordances: An Empirical Investigation of Users' Personal and Behavioral Antecedents," *Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences (HICSS 2018)*. Big Island, HI. pp. 3029-3038.

6) Vaghefi, I., and **Qahri-Saremi, H.** 2018. (equal contributions) "Personality Predictors of IT Addiction," *Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences (HICSS 2018)*. Big Island, HI. pp. 5274-5283.
   - *Mentioned in the several media including the Washington Post (https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/inspired-life/wp/2018/04/10/the-personality-traits-that-put-you-at-risk-for-smartphone-addiction-according-to-science/).*

7) Pittaway, J., **Qahri-Saremi, H.,** and Montazemi, A.R. 2018. (equal contributions) "Motivating CIO Advice Networking to Improve Firm Performance," *Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences (HICSS 2018)*. Big Island, HI. pp. 4891-4900.

8) Vaghefi, I., and **Qahri-Saremi, H.** 2017. (equal contributions) "From IT Addiction to Discontinued Use: A Cognitive Dissonance Perspective," *Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences (HICSS 2017).* Big Island, HI. pp. 5650-5659.
   - *Nominated for the best paper award and mentioned in the several media outlets.*

9) **Qahri-Saremi, H.**, and Montazemi, A.R. 2016. (equal contributions) "On the Effectiveness of eWoM Communications: The Moderating Effect of Consumers' Prior Experience," *Americas' Conference on Information Systems (AMCIS 2016)*. San Diego, CA.

10) **Qahri-Saremi, H.**, Ebrahimi, S., Pittaway J., & Montazemi, A.R. 2015. (equal contributions) "Factors Affecting Firms' Crises on Online Social Media and the Effectiveness of the Remedial Actions: A Mixed-Methods Research Program", *Conference on Digital Experimentation (CODE) @ MIT, Cambridge, MA, USA*.

11) Montazemi, A.R., and **Qahri Saremi, H.** 2014. (equal contributions) "Effectiveness of Electronic Word-of-Mouth on the Consumers' Perceptions of Adopting Products/Services: A Literature

Review", *International Conference on Web Information Systems and Technologies*. Barcelona, Spain.

12) Montazemi, A.R., and **Qahri Saremi, H.** 2013. (equal contributions) "Factors Affecting Internet Banking Pre-Usage Expectation Formation", *Hawaii International Conference on Systems Sciences (HICSS 2013)*. Maui, HI.

13) Montazemi, A. R., Pittaway, J., & **Qahri Saremi, H.** 2010. (equal contributions) "Assessment of Ubiquitous Healthcare Information Systems Benefits". *Americas' Conference on Information Systems (AMCIS 2010)*, Lima, Peru.

14) Montazemi, A. R., Pittaway, J., & **Qahri Saremi, H.** 2010. "Significance of IT Governance in Transformational Government". *tGovernment workshop*, Business School, Brunel University, United Kingdom.

15) **Qahri Saremi, H.**, Montazer, G.A. & Haghighi Rad, F. 2007. "Ranking of Website Structures using Fuzzy TOPSIS Method with Type-2 Fuzzy Numbers". *International Conference on Fuzzy Systems (FS '07)*. Vancouver, Canada. pp. 186-191.

16) **Qahri Saremi, H.** and Montazer, G.A. 2007. "Website Structures Ranking: Applying Extended ELECTRE III Method Based on Fuzzy Notions". *International Conference on Fuzzy Systems (FS '07)*. Vancouver, Canada. pp. 120-125.

17) Albadvi, A. and **Qahri Saremi, H.** 2006. "Business Incubation Process Framework: The Case of Iranian High-Tech innovations". *IEEE International Conference on Management of Innovation and Technology (ICMIT 2006)*. Singapore. pp. 1053-1058.

18) Albadvi, A. & **Qahri Saremi, H.** 2006. "Models Presenting the Strategic Effects of E-marketplaces on Supply Chain Management Processes". *International Conference on e-Business 2006 (NCEB 2006)*. Bangkok, Thailand. pp. 111-119.

19) Albadvi, A. & **Qahri Saremi, H.** 2006. "Models Presenting the Transaction-Based Effects of E-marketplaces on Supply Chain Management Processes". *International Conference on e-Business 2006 (NCEB 2006)*. Bangkok, Thailand. pp. 45-49.

20) Albadvi, A. & **Qahri Saremi, H.** 2006. "Models Presenting the Transaction-Based Effects of E-marketplaces on Supply Chain Management Processes". *International Conference on e-Business 2006 (NCEB 2006)*. Bangkok, Thailand. pp. 45-49.


## TALKS, SEMINARS, AND DISCUSSIONS

1) **Qahri-Saremi, H.** 2022. "To "Like" or to "Dislike"? Explaining Online Risk Taking from an Integrative Risk Sensitivity and Prospect Theory Perspective", Coles College of Business, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, GA, USA (February 2022).

2) **Qahri-Saremi, H.** 2022. "Dark Sides of Social Media Platforms", Warwick Business School, Warwick University, England (February 2022).

3)  **Qahri-Saremi, H.** 2021. "To "Like" or to "Dislike"? Explaining Online Risk Taking from an Integrative Risk Sensitivity and Prospect Theory Perspective", Front Range Information Systems Research Seminar, Fort Collins, Colorado, USA (October 2021).

4)  **Qahri-Saremi, H.** 2019. "How Does Supplier Integration Improve Firm Performance?", ESSEC Business School. Paris, France (June 2019).

5)  **Qahri-Saremi, H.** 2019. "Factors Affecting the Adoption of an Electronic Word of Mouth Message", DeGroote School of Business, McMaster University, Hamilton, Canada (July 2019).

6)  D'Arcy, J., **Qahri-Saremi, H.,** Tarafdar, M. (alphabetical order) 2018. "Expert Panel on the Dark Side of the Digitization of the Individual," pre-conference workshop on Digitalization of the Individual (DOTI), *International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS 2018)*. San Francisco, CA. (see http://doti.is-research.com/index.php/datenschutzerklaerung/8-doti/13-expert-panel-dark-side-of-doti).

7)  **Qahri-Saremi, H.**, and Sharma, S. 2017. "Introduction to Meta-Analysis," *Americas' Conference on Information Systems (AMCIS 2017)*. Boston, MA (see Workshop tab: https://www.hamedsaremi.me/research.html).

8)  Sharma, S., and **Qahri-Saremi, H.** 2017. "Introduction to Meta-Analysis," *Midwest Conference on Information Systems (MWAIS 2017)*. Springfield, IL.

9)  **Qahri-Saremi, H.** 2017. "Who Will Drop IT Addiction? A Theoretical Integration and an Empirical Investigation," Colloquium, College of Computing and Digital Media, DePaul University.

10) **Qahri-Saremi, H.** 2015. "Identity and Motivation in Social Media Use," Academy of Management Annual Meeting. *(Session Chair & Discussant)*

11) **Qahri-Saremi, H.** "Data Science". 2014. College of Business and Management, University of Illinois at Springfield.

12) **Qahri-Saremi, H.** 2010. "Two-Stage Structural Equation Modeling: A SEM-based technique for Meta-Analysis". DeGroote School of Business, McMaster University.


## RESEARCH GRANTS, AWARDS, AND FELLOWSHIPS

**CIS Summer Research Grant** (Summer 2022)
CIS Department, College of Business, Colorado State University, ($5,000).

**Competitive Faculty Research Grant.** 2020-2021.
University Research Council, DePaul University ($5,000).

**OpEd Project Public Voices Fellow.** 2020-2021.
Public Voices Fellowship, The OpEd Project.

**Competitive Faculty Research Grant.** 2019-2020.
University Research Council, DePaul University ($7,500).

**CDM Research Graduate Grant.** 2018-2019.
College of Computing and Digital Media, DePaul University.

**Academic Initiative Program Research Grant.** 2017-2018.
University Research Council, DePaul University ($10,000).

**Caryl Towsley Moy Endowed Fund for Collaborative Research.** 2015-2016.
University of Illinois at Springfield and Southern Illinois University ($10,000).

**Summer Competitive Scholarly Research Grant.** 2015-2016.
University of Illinois at Springfield, ($8,000).

**Graduate Scholarship.** 2010-2012.
Government of Ontario, Canada ($45,000 Canadian Dollar).

**Graduate Scholarship for Doctoral Students.** 2008-2011.
DeGroote School of Business, McMaster University.

**Graduate Tuition Bursary.** 2008-2011.
McMaster University.

**The Norm Archer Endowed Prize.** 2010.
DeGroote School of Business, McMaster University.

**Robert C. Joyner Doctoral Student Publication Prize.** 2010.
DeGroote School of Business, McMaster University.

**Mutual Group Prestige Scholarship.** 2009.
McMaster University.

## TEACHING INTERESTS

Business Intelligence and Analytics; Business Process Mining; Business Process Management; Enterprise Systems; Behavioral and Computational Research Methods.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**Business Intelligence (CIS 570)**
CIS Graduate Course
College of Business, Colorado State University (Spring 2022; Summer 2022)

**Business Analytics (CIS 370)**
Undergraduate Business Core Course
College of Business, Colorado State University (2021-2022)

**Information Systems Research Methods**
Graduate Course for MS and Ph.D. Students.
College of Computing and Digital Media, DePaul University (Winter 2021)

**Fundamentals of Data Science**

Graduate and Undergraduate Students
College of Computing and Digital Media, DePaul University (2018-2019)

**Business Process Analysis and Mining**
Graduate Course
College of Computing and Digital Media, DePaul University (2017-2021)

**Systems Analysis and Design**
Graduate and Undergraduate Students
College of Computing and Digital Media, DePaul University (2017-2021)

**Business Process Management**
Graduate Course
College of Business and Management, University of Illinois Springfield (2014-2016)

**Data Warehousing**
Graduate Course
College of Business and Management, University of Illinois Springfield (2014-2016)

**Business Process Management**
Graduate Course
DeGroote School of Business, McMaster University (Fall 2013)

**Information Systems in Business**
Undergraduate Course
DeGroote School of Business, McMaster University (Spring 2013)

**SAP TERP10 and TS410 Certification Workshops**
Professional Certification Workshop
DeGroote School of Business, McMaster University (2013-2014)


# PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

**Service Awards and Recognitions**

1.  Association for Information Systems (AIS) Distinguished Member (June 2022).

2.  Outstanding Associate Editor (AE) Award, Internet Research, Emerald Publishing Limited, Inc. (July 2021).

**Journal Editorial Responsibilities**

1.  Associate Editor, *Internet Research*, 2020-2023.

2.  Guest Editor (with Ofir Turel and Isaac Vaghefi): Special issue on "Dark Sides of Digitalization". 2021. *International Journal of Electronic Commerce* (Volume 25, Issue 2).

3.  Guest Editor (with Babak Abedin): Special issue on "Social Computing and Service Innovation". 2018. *Journal of Organizational Computing and Electronic Commerce,* (Volume 28, Issue 1).

**Conference Editorial Responsibilities**

1. Co-chair (with Annette Mills and Christoph Weinert): "Adoption and Diffusion of Information Technology (SIGADIT)" Track. June 2023. *European Conference on Information Systems*. Kristiansand, Norway.

2. Co-chair (with Ofir Turel and Isaac Vaghefi): "The Dark Side of Information Technology Use" Mini track. January 2023. *Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences*. Virtual.

3. Program Co-Chair (with Saeed Akhlaghpour), *SIG-ADIT DIGIT Workshop, International Conference on Information Systems*, December 2022, Copenhagen, Denmark.

4. Co-chair (with Jennifer Claggett and Andreas Eckhardt): "Adoption and Diffusion of Information Technology (SIGADIT)" Track. August 2022. *Americas' Conference on Information Systems*. Minneapolis, Minnesota.

5. Co-chair (with Ofir Turel and Isaac Vaghefi): "The Dark Side of Information Technology Use" Mini track. January 2022. *Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences*. Virtual.

6. Associate Editor: "Conference Theme Track B: IS for Resilience". December 2021. *International Conference on Information Systems (ICIS 2021)*. Austin, Texas.

7. Co-chair (with Andreas Eckhardt and Jean-Gregoire Bernard): "Adoption and Diffusion of Information Technology (SIGADIT)" Track. August 2021. *Americas' Conference on Information Systems*. Montreal, Quebec.

8. Co-chair (with Ofir Turel and Isaac Vaghefi): "The Dark Side of Information Technology Use" Mini track. January 2021. *Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences*. Virtual.

9. Co-chair (with Ryan Wright and Andreas Eckhardt): "Adoption and Diffusion of Information Technology (SIGADIT)" Track. August 2020. *Americas' Conference on Information Systems*. Virtual.

10. Associate Editor: "IS in the Workplace and the Future of Work" Track. December 2020. *International Conference on Information Systems*. Virtual.

11. Associate Editor: "Social and Ethical Implications of ICT Use" Track. June 2020. *European Conference on Information Systems*. Virtual.

12. Program Committee Member*, International Conference on Social Media & Society*, July 2020, Virtual.

13. Co-chair (with Ofir Turel and Isaac Vaghefi): "The Dark Side of Information Technology Use" Mini track. January 2020. *Hawaii International Conference on System Sciences*. Maui, HI.

14. Co-chair (with Isaac Vaghefi and Shamel Addas): "Adoption and Use of Ambivalent Information Technologies" Mini track. August 2019. *Americas' Conference on Information Systems*. Cancun, Mexico.

15. Co-chair (with Isaac Vaghefi and Shamel Addas): "The Controversial Information Technologies" Mini track. August 2018. *Americas' Conference on Information Systems*. New Orleans, LA.

16. Program Committee Member, *Midwest Association for Information Systems Conference*. May 2017. Springfield, IL.

17. Program Committee Member, *International Multidisciplinary Conference on e-Technologies*. January 2017. Ottawa, Canada.

### Reviewer

*Journals: MIS Quarterly; Information Systems Research; Journal of Management Information Systems; Journal of the Association for Information Systems; Information Systems Journal; Journal of Strategic Information Systems; European Journal of Information Systems; Decision Sciences Journal; Information & Management; Research Synthesis Methods; Information Systems Frontier; Electronic Commerce Research and Applications; Internet Research; Computers and Education; New Media & Society; Information Systems Management; International Journal of Innovation Studies; Frontiers in Psychology; Australian Journal of Psychology.*

*Conferences: Academy of Management Annual Meeting; International Conference on Information Systems; Americas' Conference on Information Systems; European Conference on Information Systems; Hawaii International Conference on Systems Sciences.*

### Professional Memberships

The Association for Information Systems 2010 – Present.

## FACULTY DEVELOPMENT

### SAP Certified Associate

"Integration of Business Processes" in SAP ERP (TERP10). SAP-University Alliance Program. Ryerson University. 2011.