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### **PROFESSIONAL PROFILE:**

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- Member of Editorial Board in Journal of Entomological Society of Iran (2021 to date)
- Director of Educational Affairs in Shahid Chamran University (SCU) of Ahvaz (2017 to date)
- Associate Professor of Entomology in Shahid Chamran University (SCU) of Ahvaz (2015 to date)
- Assistant Professor of Entomology in Shahid Chamran University (SCU) of Ahvaz (2009 to 2015)
- Head of Department of Plant Protection in Shahid Chamran University (SCU) of Ahvaz (2010 to 2012)
- Coordinator of Entomological Society of Iran, Persian Gulf branch, (2015-2017)
- Lecturer of Entomology in Shahid Chamran University (SCU) of Ahvaz (2005 to 2009)
- Supervisor of the library of the agriculture college of Entomology in Shahid Chamran University (SCU) of Ahvaz (2005 to 2007)

### **EDUCATION BACKGROUND:**

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Ph.D: Systematic Entomology (2009), Shahid Chamran University (SCU) of Ahvaz, Ahvaz, Iran

Dissertation title:

Fauna of noctuid moths in sugarcane fields of Khuzestan province and morphometric studies on geographical and host-associated populations of *Sesamia nonagrioides* Lefèbvre (Lep.: Noctuidae) in southwestern Iran

MSc: Agricultural Entomology (2004), Shahid Chamran University (SCU) of Ahvaz, Ahvaz, Iran

BS: Plant Protection (2002), Shiraz, Iran

## **TEACHING AND TRAINING EXPERIENCE:**

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Undergraduate

- Invertebrate Zoology
- General & Advanced Entomology
- Principles of Insect Classification

Graduate & Postgraduate

- Insect Classification
- Principles of Taxonomy and Rules of Animal Nomenclature

## **HONOURS AND AWARDS:**

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- 2021 Teaching Award for elected professors of the year at Shahid Chamran University of Ahvaz
- 2017 Research Award for elected researchers of the year at Shahid Chamran University of Ahvaz
- 2016 Distinguished Assistant Professor at 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration of Shahid Chamran University of Ahvaz
- 2015 Travel Grant for attending 19th European Congress of Lepidopterology, Dresden, Awarded by Societas Europaea Lepidopterologica
- 2013 Travel Grant for attending 18th European Congress of Lepidopterology, Bulgaria, Awarded by Societas Europaea Lepidopterologica
- 2011 Distinguished Instructor Award – SCU (selected by students)
- 2010 Travel Grant for attending IX European Congress of Entomology, Hungary, Awarded by SCU
- 2008 Research fellowship to conduct part of PhD research at University of Helsinki-Finland (9 months) - Awarded by Ministry of science, research & technology of Iran
- 2008 Travel Grant for attending XXIII International Congress of Entomology, South Africa Awarded by SCU
- 2008 Travel Grant for attending 1<sup>st</sup> Biology conference for Iranian Scholars in Europe, Germany, Awarded by Ministry of science, research & technology of Iran
- 2007 Travel Grant for attending XXVII Nordic-Baltic Congress of Entomology, Sweden Awarded by Ministry of science, research & technology of Iran
- 2006 Travel Grant for attending a geometric morphometrics workshop at METU, Turkey Awarded by Middle East Technical University (METU), Turkey

- 2005 Active researcher award - SCU
- 2005-2008 Full PhD Scholarship, Awarded by Ministry of science, research & technology
- 2004 The first rank in PhD entrance exam - Shahid Chamran University
- 2004 Top MSc graduate

## INTERESTS AND RESEACH FIELDS:

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- Systematics of Noctuidae (Lepidoptera)
- Insect Morphometrics
- Biodiversity of Freshwater and Soil Insects
- Biology, Ecology and Biological Control of Scale Insects (Coccoidea)

## RESARCH ACTIVITIES:

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### PUBLICATIONS:

- Aghyl H., Mehrabi-Koushki M. and **Esfandiari M.** 2021. *Chaetomium iranicum* and *Collariella capillicompecta* spp. nov. and notes to new hosts of *Amesia* species in Iran. *Sydowia*, 73: 21-30.
- Bazazzadeh F. Shishehbor P. **Esfandiari M.**, Farahi S. 2020. Development, reproduction and life table parameters of *Tetranychus turkestanii* (Acari: Tetranychidae) on three different host plants. *Acarologia*, 60 (3): 643-655
- Shahreyari-Nejad S., **Esfandiari M.**, Rasekh A., Mossadegh M.S., Shirvani A. 2020. Faunistic records of Noctuidae from Iran, with two new records for the country (Insecta: Lepidoptera). *Shilap Revista de Lepidopterologia*, 48 (190): 239-252.
- Rajaei H., Shahreyari-Nejad S. and **Esfandiari, M.** 2019. Description of a new species of *Lithostege* Hübner, 1825 and of the male of *L. samandooki* (Rajaei, 2011) (Lepidoptera: Geometridae) from Iran. *Zoology in the Middle East*, 65 (4): 367-376.
- Farhadi Z. **Esfandiari, M.**, Mossadegh M.S., Shishehbor P. 2019. Life history and life table analysis of the predator *Hyperaspis polita* (Coccinellidae) on the mealybug *Nipaecoccus viridis* (Pseudococcidae), *Biologia*, 74 (9): 1139-1148.
- Sefollahi F., **Esfandiari M.**, Mossadegh M.S. and Rasekh A. 2019. Functional Response of *Hyperaspis polita* (Coleoptera, Coccinellidae) to the recently invaded mealybug *Phenacoccus solenopsis* (Hemiptera, Pseudococcidae), *Neotropical Entomology*, 48 (3): 484-495.
- Zerganipour A., **Esfandiari M.** and Rabieh M.M. 2019. Identification of the butterflies (Lepidoptera, Papilionoidea) in the IMCA (Insect and Mite Collection of Ahvaz) at Shahid Chamran University of Ahvaz, Khuzestan, Iran. *Phegea*, 47 (4): 129-139.

- Mohammadi Z., Rasekh A., **Esfandiari M.**, Michaud J.P. and Kocheili F. 2019. Foraging behavior of *Hippodamia variegata* (Coleoptera: Coccinellidae) and *Lysiphlebus fabarum* (Hymenoptera: Braconidae), as the natural enemies of *Aphis gossypii*, under light and dark conditions. *Journal of Entomological Society of Iran*, 39 (1): 93-109.
- Golestaneh S.R., Kocheili F., Rasekh A., **Esfandiari, M.** and Farashiani M.E. 2019. The influence of age and experience on foraging behavior of *Fopius carpomyiae*, a parasitoid of ber fruit fly, *Carpomyia vesuviana*. *Journal of Biocontrol in Plant Protection*, 6 (12): 67-79.
- Alavi S., **Esfandiari M.** and Rabieh M.M. 2019. *Catocala* Schrank species (Lepidoptera: Erebidae) in Iran with new distribution data. *Entomologist's Monthly Magazine*, 155 (3): 179-186.
- Mohammadi Z., Rasekh A., **Esfandiari M.**, Michaud J.P. and Kocheili F. 2019. Effects of single and simultaneous application of the parasitoid, *Lysiphlebus fabarum* and the ladybird beetle, *Hippodamia variegata* on control of *Aphis gossypii* on cucumber. *Plant Protection (Scientific Journal of Agriculture)*, 42 (1): 1-17.
- Shahreyari-Nejad S., **Esfandiari M.**, Rasekh A., Mossadegh M.S., Shirvani A. 2018. New records of Noctuidae for Iran with additional distribution data (Lepidoptera: Noctuidae). *Shilap Revista de Lepidopterologia*, 46 (181): 145-155.
- Najafpour, P., Rasekh, A. and **Esfandiari, M.** 2018. Maternal rearing condition and age affect progeny fitness in the parasitoid wasp *Lysiphlebus fabarum*. *Entomologia Experimentalis et Applicata*, 166 (1): 24-31.
- Almasi A. Rasekh A., **Esfandiari M.**, Askari Seyahooei M. and Ziaee M. 2018. The prospect of using sub-lethal imidacloprid or pirimicarb and a parasitoid wasp, *Lysiphlebus fabarum*, simultaneously, to control *Aphis gossypii* on cucumber plants. *Journal of Asia-Pacific Entomology*, 21(1): 161-167.
- Golestaneh S.R., Kocheili F., Rasekh A., **Esfandiari, M.** and Farashiani M.E. 2018. A survey on foraging behavior of *Fopius carpomyiae* (Hymenoptera: Braconidae), a parasitoid of ber fruit fly *Carpomyia vesuviana* (Diptera: Tephritidae). *Plant Protection (Scientific Journal of Agriculture)*, 41 (3): 73-85.
- **Esfandiari, M.** and Afsarian M. 2018. Correcting the record of *Miniphila miniago* (Freyer, 1840) (Lepidoptera, Noctuidae) from Iran with taxonomic notes. *Iranian Journal of Animal Biosystematics*, 14(1):65-68.
- Shahreyari-Nejad S., **Esfandiari M.**, Rasekh A., Mossadegh M.S., Shirvani A. 2018. First record of *Caradrina (Eremodrina) turcomana* Hacker, 2004 for Iran with a catalogue of the genus *Caradrina* Ochsenheimer, 1816 of Iran (Lepidoptera, Noctuidae). *Iranian Journal of Animal Biosystematics*, 13(2):137-158.
- Farhadi Z. **Esfandiari, M.**, Mossadegh M.S., Shishehbor P. 2018. Prey stage preference and functional response of the coccinellid *Hyperaspis polita*, feeding on the mealybug *Nipaeococcus viridis*. *Plant Pest Research*, 7 (4): 63-78.
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- Alizadeh M.S., Mossadegh M.S. and **Esfandiari M.** 2017. Biology of Pink Hibiscus Mealybug *Maconellicoccus hirsutus* (Green) on Chinese Hibiscus Shrubs in Khuzestan Province. ***Journal of Plant Protection (Agricultural Science and Technology)***, 31 (2): 232-241.
- Ahmadi M., Esfandiari M., Muilwijk J. and Ostovan H. 2017. First record of *Lebia syriaca* (Carabidae, Lebiini) for Iran and additional faunistic notes on Carabidae from south-west Iran. ***Linzer biologische Beiträge***, 49 (1): 265-273.
- Sefollahi F., **Esfandiari M.**, Mossadegh M.S. and Rasekh A. 2017. Field biology of the cotton mealybug, *Phenacoccus solenopsis* (Hem.: Pseudococcidae) on Chinese hibiscus shrubs in Ahvaz, Iran. ***Plant Pest Research***, 7 (1): 1-12.
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- china-rose at different temperatures. *Plant Protection (Scientific Journal of Agriculture)*, 39(2): 59-69. (In Persian with English abstract).
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  - **Esfandiari M.**, Rabieh M.M., Matov A. and Mossadegh M.S. 2015. A survey of Erebidae, Nolidae and Euteliidae (Lepidoptera) in southern and northeastern of Iran. *Redia-Journal of Zoology*, (98): 77-92.
  - Rabieh M.M., **Esfandiari M.**, Seraj A.A. and Bonduriansky R. 2015. Genital and body allometry in two species of noctuid moths (Lepidoptera: Noctuidae). *Biological Journal of the Linnean Society*, 116 (1): 183–196.
  - Hasanzadeh H., **Esfandiari M.**, Shishehbor P. and Rajabpour A. 2015. Functional response of different developmental stages of *Orius albidipennis* feeding on the strawberry spider mite, *Tetranychus turkestani*. *Plant Protection (Scientific Journal of Agriculture)*, 38(3): 63-74. (In Persian with English abstract).
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- Moghaddam M. and **Esfandiari M.** 2014. A new species of the genus *Paracoccus* (Hem.: Coccoomorpha, Pseudococcidae) from Iran. *Journal of Entomological Society of Iran*, 34 (3): 57-61.
- **Esfandiari M.**, Sadeghi S. and Khadempur M. 2014. First record of Odonata nymphs from Karun River, south-west Iran. *Iranian Journal of Animal Biosystematics*, 10 (2): 205-208.
- **Esfandiari M.** 2014. *Hadula vassilini* (Bang Haas, 1927) (Lepidoptera, Noctuidae) new to the fauna of Iran with description of its female. *Iranian Journal of Animal Biosystematics*, 10 (1): 73-76.
- Rabieh M.M., Seraj A.A. and **Esfandiari M.** 2014. Contribution to the noctuid fauna of NE Iran: Noctuinae, Hadeninae and Plusiinae, with additions to Iranian fauna. *Phegea*, 42 (1):14-21.
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- Shaverdo H.V., **Esfandiari M.**, Khadempur A., Nasserzadeh H. and Ghodrati A. 2013. Diving beetles of Ahvaz city, Khuzestan province, Iran (Coleoptera: Dytiscidae). *Koleopterologische Rundschau*, 83: 17-22.
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- **Esfandiari M.** and Motamedi H. 2013. Bacteria isolated from the stem borer *Sesamia nonagrioides* (Lepidoptera: Noctuidae) in Iran. *Munis Entomology and Zoology*, 8(1):180- 184.
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## PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS:

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- Entomological Society of Iran (ESI) - Sustaining Member, Since 1998
- Iranian Society of Biology (ISB) - Sustaining Member, Since 2005



- Societas Europaea Lepidopterologica (SEL) - Ordinary member, since 2007
- EURO Working Group on the Operational Research in Computational Biology, Bioinformatics and Medicine (EWG CBBM) – Member, Since 2006

**LANGUAGES:**

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Persian (native)

English (good)

Arabic (elementary)