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### Dr. Hussain Al-Shammasi Assistant Professor - Economics

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#### **Executive Summary:**

Dr. Hussain Al-Shammasi, a faculty member in the Department of Accounting and Finance, has recently completed his PhD in Environmental Policy (with economics concentration) from Duke University. Dr. Hussain's dissertation was entitled, "Essays in Environmental Economics and Policy" and received the Aleane Webb Dissertation Research Award. His research interest is in environmental policy, energy, and resource economics. He currently uses quasi-experimental econometric methods to study the impacts of air pollution in his research. His research experience includes designing and implementing field experiments in energy and labor economics. While at Duke University, he was a Doctoral Student Fellow at the Duke Energy Initiative, and a Duke Environmental Impacts Fellow at the Nicholas Institute for Environmental Policy Solutions.

#### **Education:**

- □ PhD Environmental Policy [Duke University, USA, 2020]
- □ MA Economics [Duke University, USA, 2015]
- BS Finance King Fahd University of Petroleum & Minerals, Saudi Arabia, 2012]

### **Projects**

- *Working paper title* "Defensive Expenditures, Salience, and Limited Attention."
- *Working paper title* "Air Pollution and Averting Behavior Disparities: Evidence from NYC Transportation."

### **Research Summary**

- Number of Published Papers: 0
- Citations : 0
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- Number of Patents : 0
- Book Chapters: 0
- Article Reviewed (Elsevier, Springer, MDPI):

# Award and Recognitions

> Aleane Webb Dissertation Research Award.

## **Skills and Expertise**

- Field Experiments (RCTs) and quasi-experimental econometric methods;
- Policy evaluation and causal inference;
- Non-market valuation;
- Environmental and Resource Economics;
- Energy Economics;
- Behavioral Economics;
- Development Economics.