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- CURRENT POSITION** **AgriLife Research Center at El Paso**
Texas A&M University
Post-Doctoral Research Associate (June 2018-Present)
- PAST POSITIONS** **Citi Group Inc.**
Vice President (April 2017- June 2018)
Econometric Modeling/ Risk Management
- EDUCATION** **University of Calgary**, Calgary, Alberta, Canada
Ph.D., Economics (2017)
Research interests: Agriculture, Environment, Natural Resources, Water Resource, Development, Public Policy
Committee: John R. Boyce (Supervisor), Lucija Muehlenbachs, Trevor Tombe
York University, Toronto, Ontario, Canada
M. A., Economics (2011)
University of Dhaka, Dhaka, Bangladesh
M. A., Economics (2010)
B. A., Economics(2009)
- PAPERS REQUESTED FOR REVISION** **Farah, N.** "[The Effects of Hydraulic Fracturing on Agricultural Productivity](#)" (*Revision requested from American Journal of Agricultural Economics*)
(*Won First Runner up Dennis J. O'Brien USAEE Best Student Paper Award 2016*)
Farah, N., and John R. Boyce. "[Elephants and Mammoths: The Effect of an Imperfect Legal Substitute on Illegal Activity.](#)" *Revision requested from Journal of Environment and Development Economics* (Featured in *Inside Science*, *Marginal Revolution*, and *Pacific Standard*)
- WORKING PAPERS** "[Defensive Investment in Municipal Water Hardness Reduction](#)" (with [Gregory Torell](#))
"How has the coal-to-gas transition impacted local residential prices?" (with [Andrew Boslett](#) and [Elaine Hill](#))
"Trade vs Clean Energy: The Effects of Trade on Coal Use"
- WORK-IN-PROGRESS** "The Trump Factor: Change in Administration and Individual's Willingness to Reduce Emission"
(with [Gregory Torell](#))
- CONFERENCE AND SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS** "Coal-to-Gas Transition"
United States Association for Energy Economics (USAEE) Annual Conference (Washington, DC, Sep 2018)
"Defensive Investment in Water hardness"
Heartland Environmental and Resource Economics Workshop (UIUC, Champaign, Sep 2018)

“The Effects of Hydraulic Fracturing on Agriculture”

Oberlin College (Oberlin, OH, February 2017), NYU School of Law- Institute for Policy Integrity (New York, NY, January 2017), Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting - AERE Session (Washington, DC, November 2016), United States Association for Energy Economics (USAEE) Annual Conference (Tulsa, OK, October 2016), International Water Resource Economics Consortium (IWREC) Annual Meeting (World Bank, Washington DC, September 2016), Western Economic Association International (WEAI) Annual Conference (Portland, Oregon, June 2016), Northeast Agricultural and Resource Economics Association (NAREEA) Annual Conference (Bar Harbor, Maine, June 2016)

“Elephants and Mammoths”

American Economic Association Annual Meeting (San Francisco, USA, January 2016), Southern Economic Association Annual Meeting (New Orleans, USA, November 2015), Canadian Economic Association Annual Conference (Toronto, Canada, May 2015), Durrell Institute of Conservation and Ecology (DICE)- International Trade Centre (ITC) Wildlife Trade Symposium (Canterbury, UK, June 2015), Canadian Resource and Environmental Economics Annual Conference (Saskatoon, Canada, October 2014)

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2016 First Runner up Dennis J. O’Brien USAEE/IAEE Best Student Paper Award, United States Association of Energy Economics, 2016 Annual Conference
- 2016 Northeastern Agricultural and Resource Economics Association Conference Scholarship
- 2016 Professional Development Grant, Graduate Student Association, University of Calgary
- 2015 International Trade Center (ITC) Conference Travel Grant
- 2015 University Research Grant Commission Graduate Travel Award

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Sessional Instructor, Fall 2015 Principles of Macroeconomics, Mount Royal University, Calgary, Canada
- Guest lecturer, Winter 2015 Natural Resource Economics, University of Calgary
- Guest lecturer, Winter 2016 Natural Resource Economics, University of Calgary

TEACHING ASSISTANT

- Graduate
 - Energy Economics, University of Calgary, 2016
 - International Trade, University of Calgary, 2015
- Undergraduate
 - Natural Resource Economics, University of Calgary, 2016
 - Principles of Macroeconomics, University of Calgary, 2013, 2016
 - Principles of Microeconomics, University of Calgary, 2012
 - Use Of Statistics In Economics, University of Calgary, 2011, 2012
 - World Oil Economics, University of Calgary, 2012
 - Empirical Energy Economics, University of Calgary, 2012
 - Introductory Mathematics for Economists I, York University, 2010
 - Introductory Mathematics for Economists II, York University, 2011

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT & EXPERIENCE

- Position: Research Associate
- Project: Economics of Adaptation to Extreme Hydrological Events (September 2013 - August 2015)
- Principal Investigator: **Dr. Ted Horbulyk**, University of Calgary
- Position: Research Associate
- Project: Hydraulic Fracturing Knowledge Integration- Subsurface Impacts of Hydraulic Fracturing (May 2014-April 2015)
- Principal Investigator: Dr. Cathryn Ryan, University of Calgary
- Project Investigator: **Dr. Lucija Muehlenbachs**, University of Calgary

AFFILIATED GROUPS American Economic Association (AEA) member
Canadian Economic Association (CEA) member
Association of Environmental and Resource Economics (AERE) member

REFEREE SERVICE *American Journal of Agricultural Economics*
Water, Economics, and Policy
International Water Resource Economics Consortium (IWREC)

SOFTWARE Stata, ArcGIS, SAS, EViews, LaTeX, Microsoft Office.

REFERENCES Available upon request