



BOARD REPORT

3 Year Contract for Giant Aryani Professor of Economics

At COLLIN since 2011

• Education

Institution	Degree	Major
The University of Texas at Dallas	Ph.D.	Political Economy
The University of Texas at Dallas	M.S.	Applied Economics

• Prior Work Experience

Job Title	Organization Name	Date of Employment
Associate Professor of Economics	Collin College	2009-2011
General Manager	A&L Engineering & Consulting, Inc.	2005-2011

• Professional Development, Activities, and Awards

- Continued research in Economics of Crime and Law Enforcement Economics, Fall 2011 to present.
- Attended Faculty Development Day's presentations: "SOBI: There is more to Learn"; "How immutable Teacher Characteristics Influence Student Perceptions of Quality Teaching and Learning"; and "Student Behavior Concerns: Understanding Federal Compliance & Evolving Practices," Fall 2013.
- Attended Dual Credit Faculty Orientations, Fall 2013, Spring 2013, Fall 2012.
- Submitted a co-authored paper for publication titled "First Authorities, First Responders, and Active Shooters," Summer 2013.
- Published a revised and updated previously published co-authored Law and Order article titled "Setting a Campus Crime Stoppers Reward Schedule" on the Texas Crime Stoppers website, Spring 2013.
- Attended Texas Crime Stoppers training on "Issues & Answers for Board Members," Spring 2013.
- Attended Faculty Development Day's presentations: "How do we teach ... Critical Thinking?"; "Grading on the Curve"; and "How do we teach ... Social Responsibility?" Spring 2013.
- Completed online teaching faculty module training and received certification for online teaching, Fall 2012.
- Attended various electronic Learning Center faculty pedagogy training sessions, Fall 2012.
- Attended Faculty Development Day's presentations: "What can Faculty Council do for you?"; "SOBI: What happens behind those closed doors?"; "Collin College Rubrics for the Texas CORE Objectives"; and "Honors Courses: Outside the Box," Fall 2012.

- Attended Study Grant presentation on "The Globalization of Taste: History of the Economic & Social Impact of specific foods that changed the World through Trade," Spring 2012.
- Attended Collin College training seminars: "Campus Safety and Security"; "Managing Classroom Disturbances"; "Emergency Preparedness"; "Non-Verbal Communication"; and "Search Committee Employment Process," Spring 2012.
- Attended Faculty Development Day's presentations: "Investing for Income" and "Motivation Toolbox: Classroom Methods to Increase Student Retention," Spring 2012.
- Attended SOBI "At Risk" training, Fall 2011.
- Attended Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas lecture on "Globalization & Monetary Policy: From Virtue to Vice" given by European Central Bank, Fall 2011.
- Attended textbook publisher's workshop on the online teaching platform used by the Department of Economics, Fall 2011.

- **College Service / College-Related Community Service**

- Serve as chair of the Faculty Search Committee for Economics, Fall 2013 to present.
- Serve on the Strategies of Behavioral Intervention (SOBI) Board with participation in student training and SOBI case investigations, Fall 2011 to present.
- Serve (in support of research), as a long-time Director and current Secretary of the Board of Directors of Rockwall County Crime Stoppers providing expert advice and publishing cost-benefit articles on Crime Stoppers and Campus Crime Stoppers, Fall 2011 to present.
- Serve (in support of research), as a long-time Member of City of Rockwall Police Department Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association advising its Board of Directors as well as providing training to new police volunteers, Fall 2011 to present.
- Co-presented a workshop on dual-credit teaching experiences to Associate Faculty at the Economics Department Associate Faculty Meeting, Fall 2013.
- Assisted Economics Department and Department Chair by reviewing and evaluating textbooks and online teaching platforms, Spring 2013.
- Mentored two Associate Faculty, Spring 2013, Fall 2012, Summer 2012.
- Assisted Department Chair by evaluating three Associate Faculty members, Fall 2012 and Spring 2012.
- Participated in departmental "Economics Lunch Bunch" meetings between full-time and Associate Faculty in order to mentor Associate Faculty, Fall 2012 and Spring 2012.
- Attended Constitution Day Faculty Debates, Fall 2012 and Fall 2011.
- Served on Team #4 of Collin College's Strategic Plan committee "Vision: 2016", Summer 2012 and Spring 2012.
- Participated in faculty roundtable for non-traditional students, Summer 2012.
- Participated in discussion forum for faculty, administrators, and staff titled "Completion and Core Values: Where do we go from here?" organized by Faculty Council, Spring 2012.
- Served on the Faculty Search Committee of the Hospitality program, Spring 2012.