

# **Development Economics I**

#### **Intergenerational Mobility Project**

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- Please name your file like lastname1\_lastname2\_PovertyProject.zip.
- Email your work to ali.sani94@sharif.edu, mahlasabersh@yahoo.com and faezeheskandari3@gmail.com before the deadline.
- Provide the link to your maps in the report.
- Your documentation should be reproducible and contains your scripts, for instance, your do-files.
- Creative thoughts will be rewarded.

# 1 Mobility

- Calculate income, occupational, and educational mobility trends using the Iranian public dataset.
  Feel free to use co-residents and by what method you calculate them.
- 2. Create an interactive map at a provincial level in order to visualize mobility.
- 3. Discuss different pitfalls of your estimation. Do you have any solution to solve them?

## 2 Impact Assesment

1. In this part, you must select one of the following topics and find the impact of a phenomenon on mobility. Please let us know which one you choose because the topics of any group should not be alike. The topics are as follows:

- (a) The impact of credit access on intergenerational mobility.
- (b) The effect of 8 years war on intergenerational mobility.
- (c) The influence of the 1979 revolution on intergenerational mobility.
- (d) The effect of migration on intergenerational mobility.
- (e) The effect of urbanization on intergenerational mobility.
- 2. Besides lectures, as helpful resources, you can use the ideas in Ahsan and Chatterjee (2017) and Iversen et al. (2021).

# References

Ahsan, R. N. and Chatterjee, A. (2017). Trade liberalization and intergenerational occupational mobility in urban india. *Journal of International Economics*, 109:138–152.

Iversen, V., Krishna, A., and Sen, K. (2021). *Social Mobility in Developing Countries: Concepts, Methods, and Determinants*. Oxford University Press.