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Patricia Mokhtarian has specialized in the application of quantitative methods to the study of travel behavior for more than 30 years.

Biography

Patricia Mokhtarian joined our School in Fall 2013 semester from University of California-Davis, where she was a professor of Civil and Environmental Engineering, associate director of the Institute of Transportation Studies, and founding chair of the interdisciplinary MS/PhD program in Transportation Technology and Policy. Prior to joining the UC Davis faculty in 1990, she worked for several years in regional planning and consulting in Southern California. Dr. Mokhtarian has specialized in the study of travel behavior for more than 30 years, and has authored or co-authored more than 200 refereed journal articles, technical reports, and other publications. She is a North American area editor of the journal *Transportation*, and is on the editorial boards of *Transportation Research Part A*, *Transport Policy*, *Transportation Letters*, the *International Journal of Sustainable Transportation*, the *European Journal of Transport and Infrastructure Research*, and *Travel Behaviour and Society*.

Areas of Expertise

Commuters' Responses to Congestion or to System Disruptions, The Need to Travel for Its Own Sake, Impacts of Land Use on Travel, Impacts of Telecommunication on Travel, Multitasking Attitudes and Behavior During Travel

Education

Northwestern University

Ph.D. Industrial Engineering/Management Sciences

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M.S. Industrial Engineering/Management Sciences

Florida State University

B.A. Mathematics

Selected Accomplishments

Sustained Research Award, School of Civil and Environmental Engineering, Georgia Institute of Technology
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