

Air, Water and Economy for Iran

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Increasingly all over the world we are faced with problems of air pollution and harms to public health, water shortage, loss of agriculture, loss of livelihoods and forced migrations, in addition to climate effects of global warming, floods, hurricane and wildfires. These environmental and social problems are similar or intertwined across regions and continents, while in the Global South consequences are often more widespread and urgent. What is missing the most is people, and not only experts and activists or politicians, learning about the problems and solutions and finding ways to cooperate.

Iran has been among the worst in the world in problems of air pollution, water bankruptcy and desertification resulting in unnecessary illnesses and deaths in cities, and mass poverty in rural areas and millions of forced migrations to shanty towns. "Air, Water and Economy for Iran" is the only citizen-made international campaign in the world aiming to raise public awareness and engagement about problems and solutions in this country, making use of translations from native language media and expert sources. We publish information and insight often not seen internationally before, and connect people without language barriers, with emphasis on making our discussions two-way with our global audiences. This effort can also lead to doing more for other countries of the world in future.

Our campaign has received support and collaboration of Simon Fraser Public Interest Research Group (SFPIRG) and coverage in respected English and Persian language media. Our Facebook Page now contains a full picture of the situations of air and water and economy in Iran. It has reached more than 30,000 followers from around the world in a short period, and is expected to grow as rapidly in the near future. You can find it in Facebook with a search of the title "Air, Water and Economy for Iran". You can also stay in touch on Instagram and YouTube.

We will have simultaneous live presentations on these social media platforms soon. Please consider giving some of your time to this effort, and please share.

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