Ali Mehrabian

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Research Interests

- Network Science Learning-based Algorithm Design for Optimization Problems
- Graph Signal Processing Graph Machine Learning Time-series Analysis and Forecasting

Education

The University of British Columbia (UBC)

Vancouver, Canada

MASc in Electrical and Computer Engineering (GPA: 92/100)

Sept. 2021 - Oct. 2023

Thesis: Graph Neural Networks for Traffic Prediction and Resource Allocation in 6G Wireless Systems

Sharif University of Technology (SUT)

Tehran, Iran

BSc in Electrical Engineering (GPA: 17.62/20)

Sept. 2017 - Aug. 2021

Thesis: Network Monitoring and Estimating the Quality of Network Services

Publications

- Ali Mehrabian, Ehsan Hoseinzade, Mahdi Mazloum, and Xiaohong Chen, "Mamba Meets Financial Markets: A Graph-Mamba Approach for Stock Price Prediction," Submitted for Publication in IEEE International Conference on Acoustics, Speech and Signal Processing (ICASSP), Hyderabad, India, Apr. 2024.
- Ali Mehrabian, Moein Heidari, Parsa Mojarad, Ilker Hacihaliloglu, "Implicit Neural Representations with Fourier Kolmogorov-Arnold Networks," Submitted for Publication in IEEE International Conference on Acoustics, Speech and Signal Processing (ICASSP), Hyderabad, India, Apr. 2024.
- Ali Mehrabian and Vincent W.S. Wong, "Traffic Prediction in Wireless Cellular Networks: An Adaptive Graph-Mamba Approach," Submitted for Publication in IEEE Wireless Communications Letters.
- Ali Mehrabian and Vincent W.S. Wong, "Joint Spectrum, Precoding, and Phase Shifts Design for RIS-aided Multiuser MIMO THz Systems," in *Proceedings of IEEE Transactions on Communications (TCOM)*, vol. 72, no. 8, pp. 5087–5101, Aug. 2024.
- Ali Mehrabian and Vincent W.S. Wong, "Adaptive Bandwidth Allocation in Multiuser MIMO THz Systems with Graph-Transformer Networks," in *Proceedings of IEEE International Conference on Communications (ICC)*, Denver, CO, Jun. 2024.
- Ali Mehrabian, Shahab Bahrami, and Vincent W.S. Wong, "A Dynamic Bernstein Graph Recurrent Network for Wireless Cellular Traffic Prediction," in *Proceedings of IEEE International Conference on Communications (ICC)*, Rome, Italy, May 2023.

Professional Experiences

The University of British Columbia (UBC)

Vancouver, Canada

Reviewer Apr. 2024- Present

• IEEE Open Journal of the Communications Society (OJ-COMS), IEEE Transactions on Vehicular Technology (TVT), IEEE Transactions on Cognitive Communications and Networking (TCCN), IEEE Communications Letter.

Graduate Research Assistant (RA) at Communications Group

Sept. 2021- Mar. 2024

- Designed a heterogeneous graph-transformer network to solve resource allocation optimization problems in THz systems.
- Proposed a graph recurrent network for the traffic prediction problem in wireless cellular networks.
- Supervisor: Prof. Vincent Wong

Graduate Teaching Assistant

Sept. 2021 - Present

• "CPSC 540: Advanced Machine Learning" (Winter1 2024), "STAT 301: "Statistical Modelling for Data Science" (Winter1 2024), "STAT 203: Statistical Methods" (Winter1 2024), "CPSC 317: Introduction to Computer Networking" (Winter2 2023, Winter1 2023), "STAT 447C: Special Topics in Statistics" (Winter2 2023), "DSCI 100: Intro. to Data Science" (Winter2 2023, Winter1 2023, Winter1 2022, Winter1 2022), "PHYS 159: Introductory Physics Laboratory for Engineers" (Winter2 2023) "APSC 160: Intro. to Computation in Engineering Design" (Winter2 2021), "ELEC 203: Basic Circuit Analysis" (Winter1 2021)

SenseNet Inc. Vancouver, Canada

Part-time Machine Learning Researcher

Oct. 2023- Feb. 2024

- Working on graph neural networks for wildfire detection using the information of sensors.
- Manager: Dr. Shahab Bahrami

Sharif University of Technology (SUT)

Tehran, Iran

RA at Cloud-Native Telecommunication Networks Technical Office

Jun. 2020- Jun. 2021

- Conducted research on 5G network architecture and software-defined networks.
- Supervisor: Prof. Babak Khalaj

RA at Augmented Intelligence Research Lab

Jul. 2019- Jan. 2020

- Representation similarity analysis using FMRI Data and Brain computer interfaces.
- Worked on machine learning classification and EEG signals collected from patients with Alzheimer in order to diagnose the disease.
- Supervisor: Prof. Hamid Aghajan

Teaching Assistant

Sept. 2020- Apr. 2021

• "Signals & Systems" (Spring 2021), "Data Networks (Graduate)" (Fall 2020), "Computer Networks" (Fall 2020), "Introduction to Machine Learning" (Fall 2020), "AI & Biological Computation" (Fall 2020), "Communications Systems" (Fall 2020).

Skills

Programming Python (Pytorch, TensorFlow, PySpark, Multithreading), R, Julia, C/C++,

MATLAB & Simulink, Optimization solvers such as CVX, MOSEK.

Languages Farsi (Native), English (Proficient)

Coursework

Graduate courses at UBC

- EECE 571D: Detection, Estimation and Learning
- EECE 571F: Deep Learning with Structures
- CPSC 540: Advanced Machine Learning
- EECE 565: Communication Networks
- EECE 562: Statistical Signal Processing

Graduate courses at SUT

- Software-defined Mobile Networks
- Advanced Computer Networks
- Neuroscience of Learning, Memory and Cognition
- Distributed Systems
- Data Networks
- Foundations of Blockchain

Selected undergraduate courses

- CPSC 340: Machine Learning & Data Mining (UBC) Convex Optimization 1 (SUT)
- Data Structure and Algorithm (SUT)

- Digital Communication (SUT)