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#### **EDUCATION**

## University of Tehran

2020 - present

B.Sc. in Computer Engineering (Software) University of Tehran

- Total GPA: 17.77/20 (3.8/4)
- Selected courses: Artificial Intelligence (4/4), Data structure and Algorithm (4/4), Design of Algorithm (4/4), Cryptocurrencies (Audit), Engineering Probability and Statistics (4/4), Advanced Programming (4/4), Operating systems (4/4)

## Allameh Tabataba'i high school

2018 - 2020

Diploma in Mathematics and Physics

• Total GPA: 19.56/20

#### RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Blockchain Technology and Cryptography / Decentralized Systems
- Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning
- Software Engineering

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

#### RPoA: Redefined Proof of Activity

S. kamali, S. Shabihi, T. Fakharian, A. Arbabi, P. Tajmehrabi, M. Saadati, B. Bahrak.

## RESEARCH/WORK EXPERIENCE

## Research Assistant on Blockchain

University of Victoria

Feb 2022 - Present Victoria, Canada

Under supervision of Ardeshir Shojaeinasab and Prof. Behnam Bahrak

Currently, we are working on fraud detection patterns in transaction graphs of the bitcoin network by using graph theory and social network techniques.

## Research Assistant on Blockchain

Data Analysis Lab, University of Tehran

Under supervision of Prof. Behnam Bahrak

Jul 2022 - Feb 2022 Tehran, Iran

We were working on an alternative consensus protocol based on Proof of Activity to combine the benefits of using both the PoS and PoA protocols and also reduce the power costs of the original PoA consensus. As a proof of concept, we implemented a cryptocurrency for storing files (Blockchain-based Decentralized file sharing system) called Crystalline. The research has been finished and is currently being finalized.

#### **SKILLS**

**Programming:** C/C++, Python, LATEX, JavaScript(Node JS), R, Verilog

Paradigms: Git(Version Control), Docker, NoSQL/SQL database systems, REST-API design, OOP, MakeFile

Operating Systems: Ubuntu Linux, Microsoft Windows

#### TEACHING ASSISTANT EXPERIENCE

## **Artificial Intelligence**

Spring 2023

Prof. Yadollah Yaghoobzadeh and Dr. Hakimeh Fadaei

## **Engineering Probability and Statistics**

Fall 2022

Prof. Behnam Bahrak

#### Data Structure and Algorithm

Fall 2022 - Spring 2023

Prof. Hesham Faili and Prof. Fathieh Faghih

## Introduction to computing systems and programming

Fall 2022

Prof. Hadi Moradi and Prof. Mahmoodreza Hashemi

## **PROJECTS**

## Crystalline

Crystalline is a cryptocurrency powered by Redefined proof of activity(RPoA), developed as a proof of concept on pure python. This project has been finished and is currently being finalized.

#### Node social media

This was a final project of the backend summer course at the University of Tehran, ACM chapter. In this course, I learned the fundamental of backend programming, NoSQL databases(MongoDB), Computer networks, and how to use documentation in projects. The project was coded with Node JS environment.

#### **MIPS Processor**

An implementation of MIPS processor with single/multi-cycle architecture based on Verilog-HDL programming language as a Final project of the Computer Architecture course. This processor has 16 different operations to perform Tasks.

## GoodEats Web

A simple web application powered by APHTTP as a final project of the Advanced Programming course. The back end of this project was written in C++, and the front end of this Project was coded with HTML/CSS. This Project was implemented with OOP, Polymorphism, and Inheritance paradigms.

## **Linear Regression Calculator**

This was the first project of the Computer Architecture course. In this project, we were asked to write a program with Verilog-HDL language which can find the best regression model that fits to the given binary inputs.

#### UTmessenger

This was the final project of the ICSP course. In this project, we implemented a local messenger in C language.

## Socket-Programming-Market

This project is a client-server model implementation of a MARKET using Socket Programming in C language, as a first project of the Operating Systems course.

#### HONORS AND AWARDS

- Being in (Top 0.6%) in Konkour, National Organization of Educational Testing (NOET)
- Received scholarship, Supporter Foundation of the University of Tehran

#### **LANGUAGES**

English Advanced
Persian Native
German Beginner