Alireza Fadaei

Education

2022-2025 M.Sc. in Software Engineering

Location: Azad University, Najafabad Branch, Isfahan, Iran

Thesis Topic: An Optimized Federated Deep Learning Approach for Intrusion Detection in Dew Computing

Thesis Grade: 20/20 Supervisor: Dr. Barekatain

GPA: 16.93/20 (Top Student; direct Ph.D. admission)

2017–2022 B.Sc. in Computer Engineering

Location: University of Isfahan, Isfahan, Iran

Thesis Topic: Design and Implementation of an ADS-B-Based Aircraft Observation System

Thesis Grade:: 20/20 Supervisor: Dr. Bohlooli

GPA: 14.67/20 - 15.5/20 (Last Two Years)

Notable Selected Courses

Master O Advanced Computer Networks (17.5/20), Cloud Computing (17/20)

Advanced Network Security (18.85/20), Data Mining (17/20), Software Architecture (17.5/20)

Bachelor \circ Algorithm Design (16/20), Computer Architecture (17/20), Operating Systems (18.04/20)

O Computer Networks (16.25/20), Internet Engineering (17.24/20)

O Principles of Compiler Design (20/20), Computer Design of Digital Systems (18.15/20)

Fields of Interest

Machine Deep Learning, Federated Learning, Adversarial ML, Explainable AI, Privacy-Preserving Learning, LLM Learning & Security, Trustworthy AI

AI Security

Cybersecurity Intrusion Detection, Threat Intelligence, Adversarial Attacks, Ransomware, IoT & Cloud Security, Pri-

vacy & Data Protection

 ${\it Computer IoT, Dew/Cloud Computing, SDN, Network Virtualization, Digital Twins Networks}$

Publications & Research

2023–2025 M.Sc. Thesis Research, Azad University, Najafabad Branch, Isfahan, Iran

Optimized Federated Deep Learning for Intrusion Detection in Dew Computing

- O Developed CNN-based IDS optimized for resource-constrained edge nodes.
- \circ Reduced bandwidth via federated updates; cut training time by \sim 58%.
- \circ Achieved \sim 97% accuracy in 15-class classification.

Publication: A. Fadaei, B. Barekatain. *An Optimized Federated Deep Learning Approach for Intrusion Detection in Dew Computing.* Manuscript in preparation (2025).

Workshops & Seminars

2025 **2nd National Dana Cup Programming Competition** — Azad University, Najafabad Branch, Isfahan,

(Apr–May) Iran. Backend Programming Instructor and Referee. Trained participants in backend development and evaluated team projects in a national-level programming contest.

2024 **1st National Dana Cup Programming Competition** — Azad University, Najafabad Branch, Isfahan,

(Apr–May) Iran. Backend Programming Instructor. Delivered practical workshops on backend design and guided teams during the competition.

Work Experience

2024-Present **Programming Instructor**, *Iran TVTO*, Isfahan, Iran

Teaching programming fundamentals and software development practices to vocational students in official training programs.

2022–2024 Software Developer, Fardaad (ISTT), Isfahan, Iran

Built vulnerability and patch management tools deployed in municipal/government networks; Optimized backend algorithms, reducing patch deployment time by 40%.

2021–2022 Backend Developer, Meta Menu (Poytek), Isfahan, Iran

Contributed to the development of a cloud-based restaurant management system as part of an agile startup team.

2021–2022 Backend Developer, PCG Lab, Isfahan University of Technology, Isfahan, Iran

Built a biomedical information extraction system using academic research papers; integrated NLP techniques and database storage.

Teaching Experience

2020–2021 Teaching Assistant, University of Isfahan, Isfahan, Iran

- Compiler Design Fall 2021 (Supervisor: Dr. Asadi)
- Fundamentals of Programming Fall 2020 (Supervisor: Dr. Asadi)
- Computer Workshop Winter 2020 (Supervisor: Dr. Bohlooli)
- 2021 **Python Instructor**, Faculty of Agriculture, Isfahan University of Technology, Isfahan, Iran Delivered applied Python programming workshops to non-CS majors.

Honors & Awards

Summer 2025 Top Student, M.Sc. Software Engineering, Azad Univ. (direct Ph.D. admission).

Summer 2022 Best B.Sc. Thesis Award, Dept. of Computer Engineering, University of Isfahan.

Spring 2022 National M.Sc. Entrance Exam: Ranked 185/150,000 (top 0.12%).

Skills

Programming Python, C++, Java, TensorFlow, Scikit-learn, Pandas, NumPy

& ML

Systems & Docker, Nginx, Vulnerability Mgmt, CloudSim, Linux

Security

Databases & Django, Flask, DRF, REST APIs, MySQL, PostgreSQL, Redis, Celery

Web

Certification LPIC-1: Linux Professional Institute Certification

Test Scores

IELTS Overall: 7.5 (Reading: 8.5, Listening: 7.5, Writing: 7.0, Speaking: 6.5) (March 2025)

References

Dr. Behrang Barekatain, Associate Professor of Computer Engineering, Azad University, Najafabad Branch, Faculty of Computer Engineering

behrang_barekatain@iau.ac.ir

Dr. Ali Bohlooli, Associate Professor of Computer Engineering, University of Isfahan, Faculty of Computer Engineering

bohlooli@eng.ui.ac.ir

Dr. Shohre Ajoudanian, Assistant Professor of Computer Engineering, Azad University, Najafabad Branch, Faculty of Computer Engineering

shajoudanian@iau.ac.ir