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**EDUCATION** 

M.Sc. in Computer Science 2018 – 2020

University of Alberta, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada

Supervisor: Dr. Greg Kondrak

B.Sc. in Computer Software Engineering

2013 - 2018

Dec. 2020

Amirkabir University of Technology (Tehran Polytechnic), Tehran, Iran

## PUBLICATIONS & SUBMITTED PAPERS

2020

Amir Ahmad Habibi | AliAkbar Badri | Saeedeh Momtazi

Types for Topics and Topics for Types: A Joint Question Type-Topic Classification in Community Question Answering

submitted

2020

Amir Ahmad Habibi | Bradley Hauer | Grzegorz Kondrak

Homonymy and Polysemy Detection with Multilingual Information

Global WordNet Conference (accepted)

2020

Amir Ahmad Habibi

Using Translations to Distinguish Between Homonymy and Polysemy [link]

M.Sc. Thesis.

2020

Bradley Hauer | Amir Ahmad Habibi | Yixing Luan | Arnob Mallik | Grzegorz Kondrak

UAlberta at SemEval-2020 Task 2: Using translations to predict cross-lingual entailment [link]

Proceedings of the Fourteenth Workshop on Semantic Evaluation, 263-269.

2020

Amir Ahmad Habibi | Charles Kemp | Yang Xu

Chaining and the Growth of Linguistic Categories [link]

Cognition, 202, p.104323.

2020

Bradley Hauer | Amir Ahmad Habibi | Yixing Luan | Arnob Mallik | Grzegorz Kondrak

Low-Resource G2P and P2G Conversion with Synthetic Training Data [link]

Proceedings of the 17th SIGMORPHON Workshop on Computational Research in Phonetics, Phonology, and Morphology.

2019

Bradley Hauer | Amir Ahmad Habibi | Yixing Luan | Rashed Rubby Riyadh | Grzegorz Kondrak Cognate Projection for Low-Resource Inflection Generation [link]

Proceedings of the 16th Workshop on Computational Research in Phonetics, Phonology, and Morphology, pages 6-11, Florence, Italy.

#### TEACHING ASSISTANTSHIP

Intro to Foundations of Computation II

CS dep., University of Alberta

Design of Algorithms Course

CS dep., Amirkabir University of Technology

Advanced Computer Programming Course

CEIT dep., Amirkabir University of Technology

Design of Programming Languages Course

CEIT dep., Amirkabir University of Technology

Operating Systems Design Course

CEIT dep., Amirkabir University of Technology

Fall 2018, Winter & Fall 2019, Winter 2020

Winter-Spring 2017

Winter-Spring 2017

Fall 2016

Fall 2016

### TOP ACADEMIC COURSE PROJECTS

Fall 2018 | Bilingual Lexicon Induction on Low-Resource Languages

Working with parallel corpora and word embeddings using Python, Natural Language Processing

Spring 2017 | Unsupervised Learning: Association Rule Mining

Regression, Classification etc. using Python and RapidMiner, Foundations of Data Mining

Fall 2016 | Design and implementation of a smart Pacman agent

Local search algorithms, Optimization algorithms like GA using Python, Artificial Intelligence

Spring 2016 | Design and implementation of a simple healthcare database system

Using MySQL and Python, Principles of Database Design

Fall 2015 | Process Migration on XV6, Process scheduling and Pipeline

Using C, Operating Systems

Fall 2015 | Implementation of the MIPS architecture

Using VHDL, Computer Architecture Lab

Spring 2015 | Design and implementation of a basic search engine

TF-IDF, Clustering and Searching in text using Java, Data Storage and Retrieval

Spring 2014 | Implementation of a 2D strategic game with multi-player support

Multi-threading using Java, Advanced Computer Programming

## OTHER EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

Dev Stack:

Python, Java, C/C++, Also familiar with MySQL and Microsoft SQL Server

Natural Language Processing & Data Analysis Tools and Frameworks:

NLTK, Scikit-learn, SciPy, NumPy, Pandas, NetworkX, Gensim, fast align, Weka, Meka, GENIA

Resources and Datasets worked with:

BabelNet, WordNet, Google Ngrams, MultiWordNet, MultiSemCor, EuroParl, OPUS

Reviewed for:

EMNLP 2019, ACL 2020, IJCAI 2020, SIGMORPHON 2020, \*SEM 2020