# **ASHKAN ARABI**

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#### **EDUCATION**

# **B.S. Computer Science, Mathematics Minor**

the University of Texas at El Paso, El Paso, TX

Graduating May 2026 GPA: 3.91

Major GPA: 4.00

Honors & Activities: Dean's List since Fall '22 , Houston Endowment Scholarship Recipient

Relevant coursework: Discrete Structures, Data Structures, Matrix Algebra, Computer Architecture

#### **SKILLS**

Programming / Markup Languages: Python, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, Java, Bash, LaTeX, C++

Frameworks & Software: Linux, TensorFlow, git, ReactJS, Conda, Singularity

Certifications: Coursera Neural Networks & Deep Learning - July 2023

#### **EXPERIENCE**

## Temple University, Philadelphia, PA: Undergraduate Researcher

June - July 2023

- Conducted original research in team of 2 on using Wi-Fi CSI for hand gesture recognition on smartphones (LaTeX)
- Developed CNN architecture to classify 5 gestures from 4 people in 6 scenarios (TensorFlow, Python, Bash)
- Obtained >90% classification accuracy by using techniques such as LR Scheduling (TensorFlow, Keras)

### **UTEP, El Paso, TX: Computer Lab Assistant**

January - May 2023

- Provided top-tier hardware & software tech support for 10+ students, staff, and faculty daily
- Maintained and updated hardware & software of 500+ computers through regular checkups

#### **ACADEMIC & GROUP PROJECTS**

## **Music Genre Classification**

Spring 2023

Developed convolutional model to classify music genres based on their mel spectrogram

- Led team of 3 to meet project deadlines by dividing tasks based on skill level (Project Management)
- Designed, tested, and implemented CNN model for classification (TensorFlow, Numpy, Conda)

### Blabber - a CLI Twitter replica

Fall 2022

Made CLI app that allows users to create an account, post, follow others, see a timeline, and delete their account

Used scanners and writers to save, update, and delete user information and posts (Java)

### **Contribution to Monkeytype**

Spring 2021

Added 3 levels of Persian tests to open source typing test website

- Developed script to extract and check words from large text bodies using Vajehyab.com dictionary API (Python)
- Uploaded more than 21,000 most used Persian words to site database (git, GitHub)

## **PERSONAL PROJECTS**

### **Tweet Sentiment Classification**

Summer 2023

Built almost perfect model to classify positive and negative Tweets

Achieved 99% accuracy using standard NLP preprocessing and along with Embedding and LSTM layers. (Keras)

To Do List Webapp Fall 2022

Developed interactive to-do list webapp with local save function through vanilla HTML, CSS & JS

- Used Chrome's local storage API for saving user data (JavaScript)
- Used typical git/GitHub workflow during implementation (git, GitHub)

# **LEADERSHIP**

#### **Association for Computing Machinery**

Fall 2022 - Present

Multiple leadership roles, including publicity officer & treasurer

Presented multiple interactive workshops attended by org members on topics such as Node.JS.