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## Summary/Objective

Passionate about Data science and engineering, specializing in machine learning, computer vision, and data visualization. Focused on developing algorithms to enhance high-dimensional Data analysis and optimize data-driven decision-making in complex visual data.

- Software/Web Development
- Data Science/Visualization
- Computer Vision
- Machine Learning

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## Skills

### Programming Languages:

Python, C++, MATLAB, JavaScript, TypeScript, PowerShell, SQL

### Frameworks and Libraries:

PyTorch, TensorFlow, Keras, OpenCV, Pillow

Pandas, NumPy, SciPy, scikit-learn, Dask

Seaborn, Matplotlib, Plotly

### Developer Tools:

IDE (Visual Studio, PyCharm), Virtualization (Docker, Kubernetes)

WebDev (Flask, D3.js, Three.js, React, Next.js, Node.js, Observable)

### Game Development and version control:

Unity, Unreal Engine

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## Experience

Summer 2025  
Researcher

### University of Illinois Chicago (EVL)-Argonne National Laboratory

Chicago, IL

SAGE Project (Prof. Michael E. Papka)

**Contribution:** Contributed to the NSF-funded SAGE project in collaboration with Argonne National Laboratory. Developed AI pipelines for sensor data using NVIDIA Jetson edge devices. Focused on real-time data integration and deployment of ML models.

Jan. 2024 - Jun. 2025  
(Research Assistant)

### University of Illinois Chicago - Graduate Research Assistant

Chicago, IL

#### • BI-LAVA: A Visual Analytics and Active Learning System for Biomedical Image Taxonomies.

**Contribution:** Developed a Computer vision caption finding and Frontend upgrading.

**Tools:** Web development, Database, Machine Learning.

#### • Camera Best View Positioning for Multidimensional Biomedical Imaging.

**Contribution:** Propose and conduct new Algorithm based on 3D Gaussian splatting.

**Tools:** MATLAB, Python, Deep-Learning, MongoDB.

#### • Early stage Axillary Lymph node detection in mammography image.

**Contribution:** Leveraging radiomics extraction instead of only segmentation for improving machine learning efficiency .

**Tools:** MATLAB, Python, Deep Learning, data labeling.

Jan. 2024 - Present  
(Teaching Assistant)

### University of Illinois, Chicago- Graduate Teaching Assistant

Chicago, IL

CS211: Computer Programming practicum (Prof. Scott Reckinger)

CS141: C++ programming (Prof. Mark Hodges)

**Duties:** Led lab sessions, provided coding assistance, held office hours, graded assignments and exams, and facilitated discussions to reinforce programming concepts and support student learning.

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## Education

Jan 2024- Expected Sep 2028 GPA=4.0	<b>PhD. in Computer Science:</b> <b>(Visual Computing - Computer Vision - AI/ML)</b> University of Illinois Chicago (UIC) Advised by Professor Georgeta-Elisabeta Marai <b>Research area:</b> My research explores visual computing and AI, leveraging deep learning to analyze complex data. I focus on medical diagnostics, predictive modelling, and biomarker discovery to enhance healthcare innovation.	Chicago, IL, USA
Graduated GPA=3.8/4.0	<b>MSc. in Telecommunication Engineering:</b> <b>(Digital Image and Video Processing)</b> Shahid Beheshti University of Tehran (SBU) Advised by Professor Farah Torkamani-Azar <b>Thesis title:</b> Video Compression and Quality Assessment Using Singular Value Decomposition (SVD) for Applications in Computer Vision.	Tehran, Iran
2023-2025	<b>Relevant Coursework:</b> Algorithm, Data Structure Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, Advanced Natural Language Processing Advanced Computer Vision, Visual Data Science, Computer Graphics, Human-Computer Interaction(HCI)	

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## Selected Projects

Fall 2024	<b>Deep Learning-Based Denoising of Medical Chest X-Rays web application</b> Developed a web app with deep learning (U-Net, GAN, Autoencoder) to denoise and visualize chest X-rays.
Fall 2024	<b>Interactive 3D Visualization of U.S. Crime Rates Web Application</b> Developed a 3D web app to visualize U.S. crime data using JavaScript, React, D3.js, and Three.js.
Spring 2024	<b>3D MAZE (Video Game - Unity 3D)</b> 3D Unity game where players navigate a dynamic maze across six cube sides using movement and memory.

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## Awards & Honours

2022	<b>R&amp;D leadership at MENIC Co</b> Awarded for innovation in company productions and outstanding contributions.
2021	<b>Telecoms Systems Design at MENIC Co</b> Recognized and Awarded for leadership and contributions to innovative system designs.

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## Publications

	J: journal, C: conference/symposium, W: workshop , IP: In Progress
[IP] 2025	"Leveraging Large Language Models for Enhanced Interpretation of Data Visualizations" <b>Hossein Fathollahian</b> , G. Elisabeta Marai,
[IP] 2025	"Optimizing Camera Positioning for 3D Microscopy Imaging and Multidimensional Data Rendering: An Advanced Computer Vision Approach", <b>Hossein Fathollahian</b> , G. Elisabeta Marai,
[J] 2015	"Video quality measurement based on 3-D Singular value decomposition". <i>Journal of Visual Communication and Image Representation</i> . Farah Torkamani-Azar, Hassan Imani, <b>Hossein Fathollahian</b> (Volume 27, February 2015, Pages 1-6)