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## **EDUCATION**

## Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne (EPFL), Switzerland

2018-now

PhD in Electrical Engineering

- Thesis: Vehicle behavior prediction for self-driving cars
- · Advisor: Alexandre Alahi

#### Sharif University of Technology, Iran

2016-2018

M.S in Electrical Engineering, GPA: 19.24/20

- Thesis: simulation and implementation of baseband processing blocks of a Massive-MIMO system based on 5G standard
- Advisor: Mahdi Shabany

# Sharif University of Technology, Iran

2012-2016

B.S in Electrical Engineering, GPA: 17.56/20

• Thesis: Booting an embedded linux OS on a ZYNQ Board

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- "Injecting Knowledge in Data-driven Vehicle Trajectory Predictors", **MH.Bahari**, I.Nejjar, A.Alahi, *Transportation Research part C (TRC)*, 2021, link.
- "Are socially-aware trajectory prediction models really socially-aware?", **MH.Bahari**, S.Saadatnejad, P.Khorsandi, M.Saneian, S. Dezfooli, A.Alahi, *arXiv*, 2021, link.
- "SVG-Net: An SVG-based Trajectory Prediction Model", **MH.Bahari**, V.Zehtab, S.Ayromlou, MS.Khorasani, S.Saadatnejad, A.Alahi, *arXiv*, *2021*, link.
- "Modified Joint Channel-and-Data Estimation for One-Bit Massive MIMO", **MH.Bahari**, SR.Rasoulinezhad, M.Amiri, M.Shabany, SA.Nezamalhosseini, *IEEE International Symposium on Circuits and Systems (ISCAS) 2021.*
- "Feed-forwards meet recurrent networks in vehicle trajectory prediction", **MH.Bahari**, A.Alahi, *Swiss Transport Research Conference*, 2019

Under review works that are not published yet: (Drafts can be made available upon request)

- Modified title: "Causal imitation learning for self-driving cars", M.Samsami, MH.Bahari, S.Kaleybar, A.Alahi
- Modified title: "Do vehicle trajectory prediction models really reason over the scene? An adversarial attack evaluation", **MH.Bahari**, S.Saadatnejad, A.Rahimi, M.Shaverdi, S.Dezfooli, A.Alahi

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Vita lab, EPFL 2018-Now

We study vehicle behavior prediction for self-driving cars using deep learning. More specifically, we are interested in generalizable solutions achieved by building causal models, adding knowledge to them, and assess them by adversarial attack.

## Massive MIMO group, Sharif university

2016-2018

Studied efficient design and hardware implementation of joint channel-and-data estimation in massive-MIMO systems with one-bit ADCs.

SARVNET Co. Summer 2014

Modified the NetFPGA project for a 10GB router.

#### **HONORS AND AWARDS**

- Awarded Marie Skłodowska-Curie Fellowship by the European Union for the doctoral degree, 2018-2022
- Achieving highest GPA among Electrical engineering master students, 2018
- Ranking 5th among almost 25,000 applicants in the nation-wide Entrance Exam for MSc degree, Iran, 2015
- Ranking 54th among almost 300,000 applicants in the nation-wide Entrance Exam for BSc degree, Iran, 2011

# TALKS.

• Workshop on "Vehicle Behavior Prediction in Self-driving Cars from an Industrial Perspective", Winter Webinar Series (WSS), Iran, Dec 2020

#### RESEARCH MENTORING \_

**Internships** 

Summers 2020 & 2021

- Ahmad Rahimi, Mohammad shaverdi, adversarial scene generation for vehicle trajectory prediction
- Ahmad Salimi, Sepehr Ilami, Unbiased causal trajectory prediction
- Mohammadreza Samsami, Causal learning for autonomous planning
- Pedram Khorsandi, Mohammad Saneian, adversarial examples in prediction models
- · Vahid Zehtab, Sana Ayramlou, Mohammad Khorasani, Vector-based representations for trajectory prediction models
- · Hossein Zakernia, Mahdi Nikdan, Out-of-Distribution Generalization for prediction models

Master projects 2019-2021

- Zhecho Mitev, Continual learning trajectory prediction
- Mohammadreza Ebrahimi, Constrained-learning for trajectory prediction
- Ismail Nejjar, knowledge-aware safe trajectory prediction
- Frank Dessimoz, Overcoming imitation learning challenges in Carla Simulator

#### SKILLS \_

PROGRAMMING Python | Pytorch | Matlab | C++ | CUDA | Verilog/VHDL | Git

LANGUAGES Native: Persian Fluent: English Beginner: Arabic, French

#### OTHER ACTIVITIES \_

• Hiking, Reading, Traveling