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EDUCATION

PhD program in Computer Science
University of Southern California (USC)
Degree conferral: December 2024 GPA - 3.85

M.Sc Degree in Computer Science
University of Southern California (USC) GPA :3.85

M.Sc Degree in Mechanical Engineering
University of Texas at Dallas (UTD) GPA :3.83

B.Sc Degree in Mechanical Engineering
Amirkabir University of Technology GPA :3.49

WORK EXPERIENCE

Research Scientist Intern at Toyota Research Institute (TRINA)
May 2022 - August 2022
Created the first deterministic formal verification framework for Signal Temporal Logics.

10 Semesters Research Assistantship in USC
January 2021-present
Worked in the intersection of Machine Learning, Formal Methods and Temporal Logics with application on Cyber-Physical Systems (CPS) and Reinforcement Learning.

2 Semesters Teaching Assistantship in USC
August 2023-May 2024
Taught programming with C++ to undergraduate students, I was also teaching Autonomous Cyber-Physical Systems to graduate students.

HONORS & AWARDS

- ANNENBERG FELLOWSHIP | for top 5% admitted students in USC.
- ANNENBERG FELLOWSHIP | for top researches on multi-agent systems.

PUBLICATIONS on NEURO-SYMBOLIC AI & its VERIFICATION

- Scaling Learning based Policy Optimization for Temporal Tasks via Dropout - (TCPS 2024)
- Learning based Statistical Reachability Analysis of Stochastic Cyber-Physical Systems under Distribution Shift - (TCAD 2024)
- A Neurosymbolic Approach to the Verification of Temporal Logic Properties of Learning enabled Control Systems- (ICCPs 2023)
- Certifying Incremental Quadratic Constraints for Neural Networks via Convex Optimization- (PMLR)
- LB4TL: Smooth Semantics for Temporal Logic for Scalable Training of Neural Feedback Controllers- (IFAC-PapersOnLine)
- Data-Driven Reachability Analysis of Stochastic Dynamical Systems with Conformal Inference- (CDC 2023)
- Risk-Awareness in Learning Neural Controllers for Temporal Logic Objectives- (ACC 2023)
- Performance Bounds for Neural Network Estimators: Applications in Fault Detection- (ACC 2021)
- I have 4 Journals and 15 Conference papers please see my [Google Scholar](#) profile for more detail.

SKILLS

Python

MATLAB

C++

Java

Latex

Microsoft Office

COURSEWORK

- Deep Learning and its Applications
- Theory of Machine Learning
- Advanced Natural Language Processing
- Big Data
- Introduction to Machine Learning
- Advanced Analysis of Algorithms
- Data Structure and Algorithm Analysis
- Discrete Structures
- Formal Language and Automata Theory
- Autonomous Cyber-Physical Systems
- Dynamics of Complex Networks
- Engineering Optimization
- Random Processes
- Linear Systems
- Optimal Control & Dynamic programming
- Optimal Estimation and Kalman Filtering
- Convex Optimization
- Stability & Bifurcations of Nonlinear systems

FIELD OF INTEREST

- Deep Learning and Machine Learning
- Robustness analysis of Deep Neural Networks
- Neurosymbolic-AI and Reinforcement Learning

PERSONAL TRAITS

- Highly motivated & eager to learn new things.
- Strong motivational and leadership skills.
- Ability to work individually & in a team.