# Niloofar Azad

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### **EDUCATION**

Sept. 2018 – Feb. 2023

#### **Bachelor of Science, Computer Engineering**

Islamic Azad University, North Tehran Branch, Tehran, Iran

GPA: 17.27/20.00 – 3.49/4.00
 GPA Last 2 Years: 3.73/4.00

• Research Project: Multiclass Semantic Segmentation on Unbalanced Aerial Imagery Using

U-Net (Github Link)

• **Supervisor**: Prof. Maryam Abedi

### **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Machine Learning

• Computer Vision

• Video Analysis

Deep Learning

• Medical Image Processing and Analysis

### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- Specialized Areas: Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Computer Vision:
  - o Image Segmentation (CNN, U-net)
  - o Video Classification (RNN, LSTM)
  - Object Detection and Tracking (YOLO, Mask-RCNN)
- **Programming Languages:** Python (TensorFlow (Keras), PyTorch,, OpenCV, sci-kit-learn, Pandas, NumPy), C/C++, MATLAB, JavaScript
- Languages: Proficiency in English, Native in Persian
  - o **IELTS** (08/30/2023): Overall 7 (Speaking: 6.5, Writing: 7, Reading: 7, Listening: 7)

### **EXPERIENCES**

#### **Research Experiences**

- Research Assistant (September 2023 )
  - o Institution: Islamic Azad University, North Tehran Branch
  - o **Research Project:** A GAN-based Data Augmentation Approach for Increased CNN Performance in Alzheimer's Disease Classification Using Blood Plasma Images. (In preparation)
  - o Responsibilities:
    - EDA on medical images
    - Classification with CNN, SVM
    - Image classification with transfer learning (EfficientNet)

#### **Working Experiences**

• Front-end web development intern at <u>Balvin</u> Start-up – Iran (Nov. 2019 – Apr. 2020)

Responsibilities: Developing and designing web applications using JavaScript and React.js

### SELECTED PROJECTS

- ➤ Human Pose Estimation and Action Recognition Using Mediapipe and LSTM (Sept. 2023)

  Real-time video classification for human action recognition using RNN architecture. (Github Link)
- ➤ Vehicle Detection & Tracking using Yolov8 & a Custom Object Tracker (Apr. 2023) (Github Link)
- ➤ Real-time Face Emotions and Gender Recognition Using CNN and ResNet50 model (Mar. 2022)

  A real-time vision system for face detection, gender and facial expression classification using CNN architecture. (Github Link)
- Breast Cancer Classification Using Supervised Machine Learning Algorithms and Artificial Neural Network (Jun. 2022)

Comparative analysis of performance of machine learning algorithms in breast cancer classification. (Github Link)

### SELECTED WORKSHOPS/COURSE CERTIFICATIONS

- Machine Learning Specialization Coursera (2023)
- Neural Networks and Deep Learning Coursera (2023)
- Improving Deep Neural Networks: Hyperparameter Tuning, Regularization and Optimization Coursera (2023)
- Machine Learning Infinite Modern Technology (2022)
- Python Basic University of Michigan Coursera (2022)
- **Programming** C++ Tehran Institute of Technology (2019)

## **CORE COURSES**

- Computer Fundamentals and Programming: 19.5 (4/4)
- Advanced Computer Programming: 16.5 (4/4)
- Engineering Mathematics: 17.5/20 (4/4)
- Fundamentals of Computational Intelligence: 17.75/20 (4/4)
- **Discrete Mathematics:** 17.25/20 (4/4)
- Programming Languages Design and Implementation: 20/20 (4/4)

### HONORS AND AWARDS

#### National University Entrance Exam, 2018

Ranked within the top 2% of the Iranian University Entrance Exam for Bachelor's degree among 642,228 students.

# **REFERENCES**

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