## **Sharif University of Technology**

### **Department of Computer Engineering**

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To whom it may concern,

I am honored to write this letter of recommendation on behalf of Mr. Pouya Khani, who is applying for the Ph.D. program in your esteemed institution. I have known Pouya for the past two years, during which he attended courses in which I was the instructor, and I can confidently recommend him for admission to your program.

As his professor in the Machine Learning course, I have had the opportunity to interact with Pouya and observe his academic performance. I can attest that he is a hardworking and intelligent student who excels in both individual and team projects. He earned a brilliant grade of 19.1/20 in this course and consistently received high marks in all his projects.

In the Fall 2021 semester, Pouya served as my teaching assistant (TA) in the Privacy and Security in Machine Learning and Intelligent Analysis of Biomedical Images courses. As a member of my TA groups, he demonstrated exceptional knowledge, responsibility, and creativity, and devoted a significant amount of time to reviewing and supervising the design of questions and solutions for practical and theoretical assignments. His excellent performance in this role indicates that he possesses the necessary qualities to be an effective researcher and collaborator.

In summary, Pouya is an industrious, talented, and enthusiastic student who is capable of working effectively in a team with minimal guidance. His ability to face new challenges and find solutions in a timely manner is a testament to his commitment to academic excellence. Additionally, his strong social skills make him an excellent communicator who can easily adapt to different groups and environments.

Based on Pouya's outstanding academic record, research potential, and interpersonal skills, I highly recommend him for admission to your Ph.D. program. I am confident that he will make valuable contributions to your institution and excel in his research endeavors. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require any additional information.

Sincerely yours,

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