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Research Interest

Regarding fundamentals, I would like to work on one (in no particular order) from Complexity Theory, Algorithms Design, SMT Solvers, and ML. For doing so, my primary principle for the foreseeable future is prioritizing theory and using empirical studies to support it.

As for engineering, I'm excited to merge and apply state-of-the-art machine learning and automated reasoning to tackle software engineering and code-related tasks. While there haven't been many opportunities, I would also love to explore the use of cutting-edge machine learning and automated reasoning in areas like board games, sports, music, and more.

If you're curious about why I'm interested in certain things, I've actually explained it all on my website. You can find the link right here.

Education

M.Sc., Software Engineering, Tarbiat Modares University (TMU), Iran, GPA: 3.88/4.0, ranked 1st outstanding student 2019 - 2022 B.Sc., Software Engineering, Babol Noshirvani University of Technology (BNUT), Iran, GPA: 3.55/4.0 2014 - 2019 **Relevant Experience** Research Assistant, Safety-Critical Software & Systems lab, TMU (Sep 2020 - Oct 2022) • Did research under Dr. Jalili's supervision on applied machine learning for software testing (Jan 2021 - Mar 2021) Tutor, Faradars [link] • Created and taught a C# course on Consuming Web Services Web Developer Intern, Radman (Jul 2018 - Sep 2018) • Developed a website using C#, ASP.NET Core, and SQL Server (Feb 2017 - Jun 2017) Teaching Assistant, Advanced Programming course, BNUT • Designed and oversaw a project, and delegated tasks to students Software Developer Intern, Behineh System (Jul 2015 - Sep 2015) • Developed a management software using C#, and SQL server **Selected Academic Projects (see website for full list) Gross Domestic Product (GDP) Estimator** 2023

• Estimating GDP in absence of historical GDP data using SMT solvers and machine learning clustering algorithms

2021

• EEG-based emotion recognition using deep reinforcement learning

Harif - B.Sc Final Project [link]

Deep Emotion [link]

2018

A graph-based automatic course-selection software that recommends schedules based on students' preferences

2017 **Tati Studio**

• A compiler + IDE for TSLANG.

Computer Skills

- Highly skilled in Microsoft technologies, with 6+ years of expertise in C#, SQL Server, ASP.NET Core, ML.NET, SignalR, and more
- Highly experienced in data science tools, with 3+ years of experience in Python, PyTorch, TensorFlow, LightGBM, Optuna, and more
- Familiar with Z3, LLVM, Hugging Face, NLTK, PyG, Stable Baselines, PyGad, JavaScript, Java, C, R, Hadoop, Docker, Git, and more

Selected Courses

- Advanced Programming: 20/20 (read the whole Java: How to Program by Deitel)
- Data Structures: 20/20 (read CLRS in parts)
- Advanced Algorithms: 19.5/20 (read almost the whole CLRS)
- Introduction to Programming Contests: 19.3/20 (used available materials from Stanford's <u>CS 97SI</u>)
- Fundamentals of Compiler Design: 19.3/20 (read the whole Compiler Design by F. Shapouri)
- Data Analysis: 18.5/20 (read most parts of the Introduction to Machine Learning by E. Alpaydin)
- Discrete Mathematics: 18/20 (read the whole Discrete Mathematics by H. Yousefi)

Standard Data Structures, Algorithms, and Games Implemented From Scratch

- Machine Learning- Linear & Logistic Regression, Decision Tree, KNN, Random Forest, AdaBoost, Naïve Bayes, and KMeans in Python
- AI Monte Carlo Tree Search in Python
- Nature-Inspired Optimization Algorithms Genetic, Tribe Particle Swarm Optimization, and Discrete Grey Wolf in C# and Python
- Graph Algorithms DFS, BFS, Prim, and Kruskal in C#
- Sort Algorithms Bubble Sort, Merge Sort, Quick Sort, Insertion Sort, Heap Sort, and Counting Sort in C#
- Games Tic-Tac-Toe, Chess, Raichu, Poker Squares, Puzzle, Snake Game, and Typing Game in C#, Java, C and Python
- Signal Processing Algorithms Pan-Tompkins algorithm in MATLAB
- Data Structures singly, doubly, circular array based and pointer based linked list, stack, and queue; binary, binomial and Fibonacci heap; disjoint-set forests; binary search tree; adjacent matrix and adjacent link list graph in C#

Languages

- Persian Native
- English TOEFL iBT: Total 93, Reading 28, Listening 21, Speaking 22, Writing 22, April 01, 2023

Publications

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