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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Hardware acceleration, Machine Learning, Secure Architecture Design

## EDUCATION

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**Bachelor of Science** | *Major: Electrical Engineering, Minor: Electronics* Sep. 2014 – Sep 2019  
Shahid Bahonar University Kerman, Iran

Dissertation: Developing Dynamic Bayesian networks for SET analysis in digital circuits  
Supervisor: Prof. Ali Mahani

**Secondary school and High-school** Sep. 2008 – May 2014  
National Organization for Development of Exceptional Talents (NODET Special School) Sirjan, Iran

## PUBLICATIONS

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Rezaei, A., Mahani, A., (2020). Noise-based logic locking scheme against signal probability skew analysis. IET Computers & Digital Techniques. Accepted- in publication procedure. Article DOI: 10.1049/cdt2.12022

## ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

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**Researcher** January 2019 – present  
Reliable and Smart System Laboratory SBUK  

- Conducting research on secure digital circuits, and hardware design and implementation of machine learning models.

**Laboratory Assistant** September 2019 – January 2021  
Digital System Design II lab. SBUK  

- Instructing students on design, synthesis, and implementation of MIPS processors.
- Semesters: September 2019 – January 2020 and September 2020 – January 2021

**Teacher Assistant** September 2019 – January 2020  
Test and Testable Design Course SBUK  

- Atalanta software workshop

## RESEARCH

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**Hardware Implementation of Mauler ML network on Kintex-7 FPGA device** | C++, HLS Ongoing  
Reliable and Smart Systems Lab.

**Basecaller's Accuracy Enhancement using attention based LSTM network** | Tensorflow 2 Ongoing  
Reliable and Smart Systems Lab.

**Design and implementation of Piplined MIPS processor on Spartan-6 FPGA device** | Verilog, Assembly  
Computer Architecture Course, Digital System II lab.

**Test pattern generation using Synopsys TetraMAX software** April 2019  
Test and Testable Design course

**Reliability analysis of extra-stage butterfly network** | SHARPE September 2019  
Fault Diagnosis and Tolerance course

**Designing hardware for tanh/sinh activation function based on CORDIC algorithm** May 2018  
Digital System Design(FPGA, ASIC) course

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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<b>Proteus, Altium designer, PCB</b> Certification of 50 hours completion for Practical Electronics, Shahid Bahonar university of Kerman	February 2017
<b>C++ programming course</b> Certificate of successful completion in Beginning C++ Programming-From Beginner to Beyond course by Frank J. Mitropoulos	April 2020
<b>Xilinx Vivado HLS course</b> Certificate of successful completion in FPGA Design with High Level Synthesis Tool(Vivado HLS) course by Digitronix Nepal	February 2020
<b>Top 7 qualified for the second stage of Synopsys Olympiad</b> 13Th Synopsys Microelectronic annual Olympiad in Iran	September 2018
<b>PLC Design</b> Certification of completion for PLC, Shahid Bahonar university of Kerman	June 2017
<b>Tuition Waiver</b> Among top 5% of participants, Recieved full scholarship from SBUK	September 2014

## SKILLS

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**Languages:** English (IELTS 7.5 score), German (C1 - to be taken soon), Persian (Native)

**Programming:** Python(Tensorflow 1&2, NumPy, Scikit, Matplotlib, Pandas), C++/C, Verilog/VHDL, MATLAB, Assembly

**Digital Design:** Xilinx Vivado Design Suite and HLS, Design Compiler, Cadence SoC Encounter, Modelsim, ChipScope, Espresso Logic Minimizer, H-Spice, P-Spice

**Test and Verification:** Synopsys TetraMAX, ATALANTA

**Microprocessors and Microcontrollers:** IAR Embedded Workbench, Codevision, Atmel Studio, Arduino

## REFERENCES

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