

# Ali Khodagholi

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- RESEARCH INTERESTS
- ◇ Climate Change and Adaption Agriculture
  - ◇ Multi-Objective Optimization
  - ◇ Water Resources Planning and Management
  - ◇ Crop Simulation Model
- EDUCATION
- ◇ Iran University of Science and Technology, Tehran, Iran (2018 - 2021)  
Master of Science in Water Resources Management  
Overall GPA: 18.92/20 (3.88/4.00)  
**Thesis Topic:** Impacts of Climate Change on Irrigation Scheduling for Crops: Case Study Potato  
**Advisers:** Prof. Abbas Afshar, and Dr. Saeed Soufizadeh
    - Calibration of the SUBSTOR-Potato using GLUE model
    - Generating future climate data using LARS-WG
    - Simulation and optimization of crop growth using the DSSAT model
    - Finding an optimum trade-off between water and nitrogen resources using meta-heuristic algorithm
  - ◇ Iran University of Science and Technology, Tehran, Iran (2014 - 2018)  
Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering  
Overall GPA: 16.68/20 (3.41/4.00)  
**Thesis Topic:** Multi-objective optimization for sustainable groundwater management  
**Advisers:** Prof. Abbas Afshar
- HONORS & AWARDS
- ◇ Ranked within the Top 1% among approximately 250,000 participants in the National Entrance Exam for Iranian universities (2014)
  - ◇ Ranked within the top 20% among students of Civil Engineering at the end of Bachelor's degree, Iran University of Science and Technology. (2018)
  - ◇ Direct master of science at IUST accepted as a highly ranked student (2018)
  - ◇ Ranked **1st** in the M.Sc. Water Resources Management - Iran University of Science and Technology (2021)
- PUBLICATIONS
- ◇ Abbas Afshar, Mohamad Amin Tavakoli, and **Ali Khodagholi**. "Multi-Objective Hydro-Economic Modeling for Sustainable Groundwater Management", Water Resources Management, DOI: [10.1007/s11269-020-02533-4](https://doi.org/10.1007/s11269-020-02533-4) (Cited by: 18)
  - ◇ Ali Kaveh, Pouya Almasi, and **Ali Khodagholi**. "Optimum design of castellated beams using four recently developed meta-heuristic algorithms", Iranian Journal of Science and Technology, Transactions of Civil Engineering, DOI: [10.1007/s40996-022-00884-z](https://doi.org/10.1007/s40996-022-00884-z) (Cited by: 11)
  - ◇ **Ali Khodagholi**, Abbas Afshar, and Saeed Soufizadeh. "Optimization modeling of irrigation and nitrogen management under climate change for potato using SUBSTOR-Potato (DSSAT) model", under preparation.
  - ◇ Mohammadmahdi Arabbafrani, **Ali Khodagholi**, and Reza Kerachian. "A Framework for Seasonal Groundwater Banking: A Case Study", under submission.

ACADEMIC PROJECTS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◇ Soil-crop dynamic simulation based on FAO using MATLAB</li> <li>◇ Water allocation of reservoir and river system simulation using WEAP</li> <li>◇ Optimizing reservoir operation using Lingo</li> <li>◇ Prediction of flood hydrograph using HEC-HMS</li> <li>◇ Finding flood zones for flood management using HEC-RAS and ArcGIS</li> <li>◇ Calculation of soil erosion based on RUSLE model using ArcGIS and ENVI</li> </ul>
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◇ Teaching Assistant of Water Resources System Analysis and Management (2019) for Dr. Alizadeh.</li> <li>◇ Teaching Assistant of Engineering Hydrology (2018 - 2019) for Dr. Zahabiyoun.</li> <li>◇ Teaching Assistant of Mechanic of Material (2017 - 2018) for Dr. Ghaderi.</li> <li>◇ Teaching Assistant of Concrete Technology (2016) for Dr. Famili.</li> </ul>
SELECTED COURSES	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◇ Water Resources Systems Analysis and Management 20/20 Instructor: Dr. Alizadeh</li> <li>◇ Advanced Engineering Hydrology 19.25/20 Instructor: Dr. Zahabiyoun</li> <li>◇ Flood and Drought Management 19.2/20 Instructor: Prof. Afshar</li> <li>◇ Risk, Uncertainty and Reliability Analysis 20/20 Instructor: Dr. Alizadeh</li> <li>◇ Application of RS and GIS in Civil Engineering 18.5/20 Instructor: Dr. Mojaradi</li> </ul>
TECHNICAL SKILLS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◇ Expert in Programming with MATLAB, Python, C++, and Visual Basic.</li> <li>◇ Expert in Water Resources and Agriculture Software: WEAP, ArcGIS, HEC-HMS, Lingo, DSSAT, and LARS-WG.</li> <li>◇ Fully familiar with Soft Computing, Meta-heuristic Optimization, and Crop Simulation Models.</li> </ul>
LANGUAGE SKILLS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◇ <b>Persian:</b> Native</li> <li>◇ <b>TOEFL:</b> 99</li> <li>◇ <b>GRE:</b> General test will be taken on November 20th, 2023</li> </ul>
WORK EXPERIENCE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◇ Founder and Programmer of Online Game (2021 - up to now)</li> <li>◇ Designer in Mahab Ghods, Water Reservoir Projects in Tabriz and Zanjan (2017)</li> <li>◇ Head of the Scientific Society of Civil Engineering at Iran University of Science and Technology, Tehran, Iran (2016 - 2017)</li> <li>◇ Editor-in-chief in Cement and Concrete Journal at at Iran University of Science and Technology, Tehran, Iran (2015 - 2016)</li> </ul>