

# Azim Ibragimov

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## EDUCATION

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### University of Florida

Ph.D., Computer Science

Advisor: Ragan Eric

Gainesville, FL

Aug 2023-May 2028

### University of South Florida

B.S., Computer Science

Honors: *Magna cum laude*

Tampa, FL

Aug 2020 – May 2023

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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### University of Florida

Graduate Assistant, CISE

Gainesville, FL

Aug 2023 – Present

- Designed privacy preserving mechanisms for XR systems that reduce re-identification risk from behavioral tracking data, including gaze, body, and multimodal signals.
- Collaborated with *Meta Reality Labs* to design and evaluate these techniques, balancing privacy protection with interaction quality and usability in immersive environments.
- Published and presented three peer-reviewed works at top-tier venues including IEEE VR, IEEE TVCG, and IEEE TBIOM.

### University of South Florida

Undergraduate Assistant, CISE

Tampa, FL

Jan 2022 – Aug 2023

- Designed a survey on fingerprint pore detection techniques that significantly improve individual identification from fingerprint data.
- Conducted statistical evaluations of biometric gait recognition performance across genders, demonstrating higher recognition accuracy for female subjects.
- Published one peer-reviewed work at a top-tier venue: IEEE FG.

## PUBLICATIONS

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### Journals

- J1. E. Wilson, **A. Ibragimov**, M. J. Proulx, S. D. Tetali, K. Butler and E. Jain, "Privacy-Preserving Gaze Data Streaming in Immersive Interactive Virtual Reality: Robustness and User Experience," in *IEEE Transactions on Visualization and Computer Graphics*, vol. 30, no. 5, pp. 2257-2268, May 2024, doi: 10.1109/TVCG.2024.3372032.
- J2. **A. Ibragimov** and M. Pamplona Segundo, "Fingerprint Pore Detection: A Survey," in *IEEE Transactions on Biometrics, Behavior, and Identity Science*, vol. 7, no. 4, pp. 848-861, Oct. 2025, doi: 10.1109/TBIOM.2025.3560655.

- J3. **A. Ibragimov**, E. Wilson, K. Butler and E. Jain, "Toward Practical Privacy in XR: Empirical Analysis of Multimodal Anonymization Mechanisms". Accepted at *IEEE Transactions on Visualization and Computer Graphics* 2026.

## Conferences

- C1. **A. Ibragimov**, M. P. Segundo, S. Sarkar and K. Bowyer, "Unveiling Gender Effects in Gait Recognition Using Conditional-Matched Bootstrap Analysis," 2024 IEEE 18th *International Conference on Automatic Face and Gesture Recognition (FG)*, Istanbul, Turkiye, 2024, pp. 1-10, doi: 10.1109/FG59268.2024.10582036

## PRESENTATIONS

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### Conference Presentations

- **A. Ibragimov**, *Unveiling Gender Effects in Gait Recognition Using Conditional-Matched Bootstrap Analysis*, oral presentation at the 18th IEEE International Conference on Automatic Face and Gesture Recognition (FG), Istanbul, Türkiye, 2024.
- **A. Ibragimov**, "Toward Practical Privacy in XR: Empirical Analysis of Multimodal Anonymization Mechanisms" Oral presentation *scheduled* at *IEEE Virtual Reality and 3D User Interfaces* 2026.

### Lecture Presentations

- A. Ibragimov, Re-Identification Risk from Eye Movements in Virtual Reality, Frontiers of AI, University of Florida, 2025

## GRANTS & FELLOWSHIPS

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- Meta Reality Labs Unrestricted Research Gift, "Multimodal VR AR XR Privacy," PI: E. Jain, Role: Graduate Student Researcher, 2024–2025.
- National Science Foundation SaTC Frontiers, "Securing the Future of Computing for Marginalized and Vulnerable Populations," Co PI: E. Jain, Role: Graduate Student Researcher, 2022–2027.
- National Institute of Mental Health R01, "AVAIL: Anonymization of Videos using AI for Large Scale Data Sharing," PI: E. Jain, Role: Graduate Student Researcher, 2024–2029.

## ACADEMIC SERVICE

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- Conference reviewer, IEEE Virtual Reality and 3D User Interfaces (IEEE VR), 2024.
- Conference reviewer, ACM Symposium on Eye Tracking Research and Applications (ETRA), 2024–2025.

## LEADERSHIP & OUTREACH

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- Co-organizer of the Trust-XR 2025 Workshop, co-located with the IEEE International Symposium on Mixed and Augmented Reality (ISMAR), 2025

# Unofficial Transcript

## Personal Info

**Azim Ibragimov**

Basis of Admission  
Graduate Student

Residency Status  
Non-Res Internatnl Non-FL (A)

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## Graduate Record

### Programs Pursued

Herbert Wertheim College of Engineering  
Major - Computer Science  
**Doctor of Philosophy**

Herbert Wertheim College of Engineering  
Major - Computer Science  
**Master of Science**

Your transcript reflects your total hours. To see how many hours apply to your degree, please review [your degree audit](#).

UF Cumulative Graduate GPA	Total hours
3.63	54.00
UF Cumulative Grade Points	UF Cumulative Hours Earned
98.01	54.00
UF Cumulative Hours Carried	Transfer Hours
27.00	0.00

## Coursework

Fall 2023



University of Florida

College

Herbert Wertheim College of Engineering

Level

Graduate

Term GPA  
4.00

Hours Carried  
3.00

Hours Earned  
9.00

Grade Points Earned  
12.00

Course  
(Class)

Course Title

Grade

Credit  
Attempted

Credit Earned

Credit for GPA

**CIS6935**  
(28702)

Graduate Seminar

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**CIS7979**  
(11192)

Advanced Research

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**COP5615**  
(20901)

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Spring 2024



University of Florida

College

Herbert Wertheim College of Engineering

Level

Graduate

Term GPA  
3.77

Hours Carried  
9.00

Hours Earned  
9.00

Grade Points Earned  
33.99

Course  
(Class)

Course Title

Grade

Credit  
Attempted

Credit Earned

Credit for GPA

<b>CAI6108</b> (30153)	Machine Learning Engineering	A	3.00	3.00	3
<b>CIS6930</b> (30197)	Gen Exp Intel Agents & Avatars	B+	3.00	3.00	3
<b>COP5536</b> (27129)	Adv Data Structures	A	3.00	3.00	3

Summer 2024						^
University of Florida						
College Herbert Wertheim College of Engineering			Level Graduate			
Term GPA 0.00		Hours Carried 0.00		Hours Earned 6.00		Grade Points Earned 0.00
Course (Class)	Course Title	Grade	Credit Attempted	Credit Earned	Credit for GPA	
<b>CIS7979</b> (10608)	Advanced Research	S	6.00	6.00	-	

Fall 2024						^
University of Florida						
College Herbert Wertheim College of Engineering			Level Graduate			
Term GPA		Hours Carried		Hours Earned		Grade Points Earned

2.83	6.00	9.00	17.01		
Course (Class)	Course Title	Grade	Credit Attempted	Credit Earned	Credit for GPA
<b>CAP5100</b> (29225)	Human-Comp Interact	B	3.00	3.00	3
<b>CDA5155</b> (26447)	Compu Architect Prin	B-	3.00	3.00	3
<b>CIS7979</b> (11123)	Advanced Research	S	3.00	3.00	–

Spring 2025					
University of Florida					
College Herbert Wertheim College of Engineering		Level Graduate			
Term GPA 3.67	Hours Carried 3.00	Hours Earned 9.00	Grade Points Earned 11.01		
Course (Class)	Course Title	Grade	Credit Attempted	Credit Earned	Credit for GPA
<b>CAP5108</b> (19706)	Research Mthd for Hcc	A-	3.00	3.00	3
<b>CIS7979</b> (10753)	Advanced Research	S	6.00	6.00	–

Summer 2025



University of Florida

College

Herbert Wertheim College of Engineering

Level

Advanced Graduate

Term GPA  
0.00

Hours Carried  
0.00

Hours Earned  
6.00

Grade Points Earned  
0.00

Course  
(Class)

Course Title

Grade

Credit  
Attempted

Credit Earned

Credit for GPA

**CIS7979**  
(10441)

Advanced Research

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6.00

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Fall 2025



University of Florida

College

Herbert Wertheim College of Engineering

Level

Advanced Graduate

Term GPA  
4.00

Hours Carried  
6.00

Hours Earned  
6.00

Grade Points Earned  
24.00

Course  
(Class)

Course Title

Grade

Credit  
Attempted

Credit Earned

Credit for GPA

**CIS6261**  
(27032)

Trustworthy  
Machine Learning

A

3.00

3.00

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**CIS6930**  
(23468)

Intro to Virtual  
Reality

A

3.00

3.00

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<b>CIS7979</b> (10861)	Advanced Research	U	3.00	0.00	—
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Spring 2026

University of Florida

College	Level
Herbert Wertheim College of Engineering	Advanced Graduate

Term GPA	Hours Carried	Hours Earned	Grade Points Earned
0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Course (Class)	Course Title	Grade	Credit Attempted	Credit Earned	Credit for GPA
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<b>CIS6935</b> (10662)	Graduate Seminar	—	1.00	0.00	1
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<b>CIS7979</b> (10668)	Advanced Research	—	8.00	0.00	8
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