

Saeed Fathollahzadeh

Curriculum Vitae

I received master degree in computer engineering specially software engineering from [Iran University of Science and Technology](#)¹ in 2014. I'm a Research Staff Member with Distributed Systems Lab at [Computer Engineering Department](#)², Iran University of Science and Technology. I'm currently working as a J2EE architect, and database designer. Also, I'm working on a novel distributed multi-steps stream processing approach that utilizes message passing and event processing engines deployed on Event Processing Network.

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EDUCATION

M.Sc. in Software Engineering, [Iran University of Science and Technology](#)

Tehran, Iran

Thesis: *A Middleware for Distributed Processing of Complex Events*

2012–2014

- **Major:** Operations research — **Supervisor:** Prof. [Mohsen Sharifi](#)

Gpa: 16.5/20

B.Sc. in Software Engineering, [University College of Daneshvaran](#)

Tabriz, Iran

Project: *Design and Implementation a Hospital Software with BPM Approach*

2007–2009

- **Major:** Operations research — **Advisors:** Prof. [Ayaz Isazadeh](#) and Dr. [Javad Mehri](#)

Gpa: 17.66/20

A.Sc. in Software Engineering, [Islamic Azad University of Malekan](#)

Malekan, Iran

Project: *Design and Implementation an Agency Software with BPM Approach*

2005–2007

- **Major:** Operations research — **Advisor:** Dr. Babak Nariman Jahan

Gpa: 18.95/20

WORK EXPERIENCE

- **Bimito (<https://bimito.com>)**

Tehran, Iran

Director of Web Applications

August 2017–Present

- Working with my team on making the Web Applications of Bimito faster, smaller, smarter, and more powerful!

- **Bimito (<https://bimito.com>)**

Tehran Iran

Lead Software Engineer

2016–2017

- Led a team of up to 8 developers in Web Enviroment (JAVA back-end, JSP, HTML, and CSS) and Growth (Full Stack) teams and managed to build tens of features at Bimito.
- Designed and implemented a system to reduce the load of Web client on back-end by 40+ % via implement a special Cache through a server side processing.

¹<http://iust.ac.ir>

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- Ran planning, scheduling, resourcing, and deploying codes for 20+ Agile sprints of 2 weeks each.
- Delivered tens of new features, technical projects, and winning improvements with the team, and collectively worked with the management to refine our processes and systems.
- As the hiring manager conducted more than 20 phone and onsite interviews to grow the team to double and shrink when required.

- **Informatics Services Corporation (<http://en.isc.co.ir>)** Tehran, Iran
Software Engineer Intern 2015–2016
 - Industrial research in affiliation with central banking of Iran, where I started to research on the state-of-the-art solution for online fraud detection and integrated **Complex Event Processing** with Debit card transactions over different monitoring software systems produced by different vendors and distributed over the network.
 - Worked on “Esper event processing language”. Implemented a CEP engine to collect and process fraud detection patterns on financial debit card transactions.
- **Ministry of Economy and Affair Finance (<http://mefa.ir>)** Tehran, Iran
Project Manager 2014–2015
 - Managed government finances(immovable) resource, and utilized process mining techniques for finding control flow.
- **Ministry of Economy and Affair Finance (<http://mefa.ir>)** Tehran, Iran
Software Engineer 2013–2014
 - As a member of Web team worked on a huge codebase of C#.Net, Asp.Net, HTML, and CSS integrated with MS SQL Server.
- **Ministry of Education (<http://www.medu.ir>)** East Azarbijan, Iran
Teacher of Computer Courses 2012–2013
 - Teach some fundamental courses include C, C++, Pascal, and Computer Networks.

PROJECTS

- **Masters Project:** Development of a *”Middleware for Distributed Processing of Complex Events”*. The main focus of this project is to provide a middleware that can get use of complex event processing nodes so that the order of events in them is the same as the order of events in central systems and the time delay between CEP engines is minimum. In addition, it provides approaches to perform event processing related operations in distributed systems. The results indicate that our middleware is able to operate in distributed systems to increase the high processing throughput in CEP engines. Moreover, our middleware can use the maximum amount of system resource.
- **Analysis of Taxi Location Data:** Development of a *”Parallel Event Processing on Unbound Streams”*. In this project I describe an approach for a custom complex event processing engine using Message Passing Interface (MPI) in C++ programming language. Our approach utilizes a multi-processor infrastructure and distributes its load on multiple processes, expecting each process to run on one processor. A dispatching process receives events and distributes them on several query processes which are responsible for updating the actual queries. Query processes forwards any updates to a presentation process that output the results in an appropriate format. The distribution of roles among processes allows better scalability since further query processes can be added dynamically to handle more queries. In our evaluation we measured event processing up to a throughput of 12k events/sec using 4 processor cores.
- **Analysis Metrics for a Dynamic (Evolving) Social-Network Graph:** Development of a *”Stateful Complex Event Detection on Event Streams”*. Detection of stateful complex event patterns using parallel programming features is a challenging task because of statefulness of event detection operators. Parallelization of event detection tasks needs to be implemented in a way that keeps track of state changes by new arriving events. In this paper, we describe our implementation for a customized complex event detection engine by using Open Multi-Processing (OpenMP), a shared memory programming model. In our system event detection is implemented using Deterministic Finite Automata (DFAs). We implemented a data stream aggregator that merges 4 given event streams into a sequence of C++ objects in a buffer used as source event stream for event detection in a next processing step. We describe implementation details and 3 architectural variations for stream aggregation and parallelized of event processing. We conducted performance experiments with each of the variations and report some of our experimental results. A comparison of our performance results shows that for event processing on single machine with multi cores and limited memory, using multi-threads with shared buffer has better stream processing performance than an implementation with multi-processes and shared memory.

HONORS AND AWARDS

- **2nd Rank**, Nationwide M.Sc. entrance exam in Computer Engineering of Iranian Universities (Islamic Azad University of Qazvin), (2012).
- **1st Rank**, Achieving the highest GPA among all university Computer Engineering Bachelor students, (2009).
- **1st Rank**, Achieving the highest GPA among all university Computer Engineering Associate students, (2007).

PATENTS

1. **Saeed Fathollahzadeh**, Habib Vahidi. "*Phones Positioning Systems*," Islamic Republic of Iran Patent 85761, 2014.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Distributed Systems, Large Scale Data Processing, Data Stream Processing, Data Analytics, Database Systems, Event-based Systems

SKILLS

- **Programming Languages**: JAVA(Java Core, Java EE(Servlets, JavaBeans, JSP, Spring Framework, Hibernate ORM, RMI Distribution)), C/C++, familiar with Python, Apache Storm, Apache Spark
- **Database Systems**: mySql, MS SQL Server, familiar with Oracle database
- **Operating Systems**: Linux(Ubuntu, CentOS), MS Windows
- **Tools**: SVN, Git

REFERENCES

- Professor **Mohsen Sharifi**, Supervisor of my master study, [School of Computer Engineering, Iran University of Science and Technology](#), Tehran, Iran. *Home*: <http://webpages.iust.ac.ir/msharifi/>, *Email*: msharifi@iust.ac.ir
- Dr. **Kia Teymourian**, Research Cooperator, [Department of Computer Science, Metropolitan College, Boston University \(BU\)](#), Boston, USA. *Home*: <http://www.teymourian.de/>, *Email*: kiat@bu.edu
- Professor **Ayaz Isazadeh**, Adviser of my bachelor study, [Department of Computer Science, Tabriz University](#), Tabriz, Iran, *Home*: <http://isazadeh.net>, *Email*: isazadeh@tabrizu.ac.ir

PUBLICATIONS

- **Saeed Fathollahzadeh**, Kia Teymourian, and Mohsen Sharifi. 2016. *Stateful complex event detection on event streams using parallelization of event stream aggregations and detection tasks*. In [Proceedings of the 10th ACM International Conference on Distributed and Event-based Systems \(DEBS '16\)](#). ACM, New York, NY, USA, 390-393. DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1145/2933267.2933518>
- **Saeed Fathollahzadeh**, Reza Karimi, Mohsen Sharifi, Kia Teymourian, Ahmad Hasan, and Adrian Paschke. 2015. *Parallel event processing on unbound streams with multi-step windowing*. In [Proceedings of the 9th ACM International Conference on Distributed Event-Based Systems \(DEBS '15\)](#). ACM, New York, NY, USA, 328-329. DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1145/2675743.2776764>