

# Javed Maqbool Shah

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## Education

- 2023 **Machine Learning Specialization**, Stanford University
- 2022 **Decentralized Finance** (audit), University of California, Berkeley  
*Solidity for smart contracts*
- 2014 **MBA**, Haas School of Business, University of California, Berkeley  
*GMAT: 740, Emphasis in Game Theory & Strategy*  
*Capstone - Designed eBay-like network game to increase sales throughput at Hewlett Packard*
- 2012 **Financial Modeling**, Training The Street (workshop), University of California, Berkeley
- 2001 **BS Computer Engineering**, University of Pune  
*Emphasis in Cryptography & Artificial Intelligence (Prolog, Lisp, Expert Systems)*  
*Final Project - Medical Diagnosis Expert System (Medi-Liza) in Common Lisp*

## Certifications and Workshops

- 2022 Crypto Economics Security Conference (CESC), University of California, Berkeley
- 2022 Zero Knowledge Proof (ZKP) Workshop, University of California, Berkeley
- 2017 Certified Information Security Manager Exam, ISACA
- 2016 Project Management Professional (PMP), Project Management Institute
- 2009 Certified Information Systems Security Professional(CISSP), (ISC)<sup>2</sup>
- 2008 Zachman Certified Enterprise Architect, Zachman Institute, Washington DC

## Affiliations and Volunteering

- 2017 ISACA, Member of the Sacramento Chapter
- 2016- Project Management Institute, Lifetime Member
- 2015- Association for Computing Machinery (ACM), Member
- 2014 Haas Consulting Club, University of California, Berkeley
- 2013 Asian Business Club, Leadership Team, University of California, Berkeley
- 2012 Gallup Strengths-based Leadership Workshop, University of California, Berkeley
- 2012 Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) for Children, Contra Costa County, California
- 2006 Down Syndrome Connection of the Bay Area, Sponsoring Volunteer, Walnut Creek

## Research and Teaching Interests

Intersection of user-facing cybersecurity and machine learning, decentralized identity and distributed ledgers.  
Humanitarian applications of artificial intelligence for children from conflict zones.

## Technical Skills

### Deployment Architecture

- Stateless token based architecture for authentication with OAuth2 RFC6749
- Global and fractional replication of data in the LDAPv2 specification
- Just In Time migration of on-premise software to cloud with shadow sessions

### Data Science and Software Engineering

- Agile SCRUM expert, JIRA & GitOps workflows
- Groovy, Advanced Java, C/C++ and C#
- TensorFlow, Keras, Pandas, NumPy, Jupyter Notebooks, Python, STATA and R

### Identity Management & Governance

- SSO, LDAP, Active Directory, Azure, Unix/Linux, SAML, OAuth 2.0, OpenID Connect

## DevOps & Cloud

- Hands-on experience with Docker and Kubernetes in GKE and AKS

## Consulting and Advisory

- UC Berkeley Haas School of Business internship program
  - Hewlett Packard Enterprise: Designed eBay-like network game to increase sales throughput

## Awards and Recognition

- 2014 First Place in the UC Berkeley Haas Innovation Gamification contest at Hewlett Packard Enterprise
- 1997 Qualifier, Regional Math Olympiad, Pune, India
- 1996 Qualifier, Regional Math Olympiad, Pune, India
- 1995 Qualifier, Regional Math Olympiad, Pune, India

## Manuscripts in Publication / Independent Research

*"Religious Hegemony and Political Regime: Examining the Inverted U Relationship with Conflict."*

- Journal Article with Shah, Tamanna M.
- Submission for American Sociological Review (ASR), 2024

How are religion, regime type, and conflict related across countries and time?

*"AI Intersections: Amplifying Children and Youth Voices in Conflict Zones"*

- Book Chapter accepted for *Children and Youth as 'Sites of Resistance' in Armed Conflict*, Volume I (Sponsored by American Sociological Association (ASA) Section on Children and Youth, Emerald Publishers), May 2024

I focus on how Artificial Intelligence can be applied to amplify the voices and experiences of children and youth in conflict zones, shedding light on their diverse forms of resistance, agency, and resilience.

*"AI-Enhanced Resilience: Empowering Youth Voices in Conflict Zones"*

- Book Chapter accepted for *Children and Youth as 'Sites of Resistance' in Armed Conflict*, Volume II (Sponsored by American Sociological Association (ASA) Section on Children and Youth, Emerald Publishers), May 2024

This chapter explores Generative AI and Natural Language Processing (NLP) strategies that can help children and youth from armed conflict zones to manage their emotional and psychological responses.

## Working Papers

*"Deescalating Psychological Distress and Behavior Challenges in Children and Young Adults with IDD"*

- Submitted abstract to The Maria Grzegorzewska University, Szczęśliwickiej, Poland, Warsaw (March 21-22, 2024)
- Conference submission with Shah, Tamanna M.

The paper explores combining different deescalation strategies to provide holistic support, fostering a more inclusive and supportive environment for young adults with IDD, emphasizing their social inclusion and overall development.

*"Delegated and Chained Authorization with OAuth2 and User Managed Access"*

- Adapted from proprietary technical note, 2018
- Submitted to Security of Information Networks SIN18, rejected with review comments

The paper explores "decentralized permissions" as a way to avoid caching pre-baked permission sets at the Authorization Server (AS). Ideas proposed include caching nested permissions to promote faster authorization decision times.

## Speaker

- 2023** "Secure Passwordless- Yes you can!", Executive Speaking Session, Gartner IAM, **Dallas, TX**
- 2022** "Decentralized Identity and Security of User data", TechVision Experts Panel, **Seattle**
- 2021** "Identity Based Authentication for Third-Party Access", Saviynt Converge Keynote, **San Diego**
- 2019** "Securing Authorization microservices", Gartner Identity Talk, **Las Vegas**
- 2018** "Token Exchange Microservices", ForgeRock Identity Summit, **London, UK**
- 2017** "Declarative authorization policies in Kubernetes clusters with Open Policy Agent", **Berlin, Germany**
- 2017** "Introducing Identity Microservices", Ping Identity Summit, **Singapore**
- 2016** "Identity Impersonation, Risks and Mitigation", Identity Risk Management workshop, **Austin, TX**
- 2013** Enterprise Risk Assessment & Enablement, 3-day workshop, BCBS NC, **Charlotte, NC**

## Public Media

- 2023** "Rainbow Table Attacks", LinkedIn
- 2023** "Adaptive Authentication", LinkedIn
- 2022** "Zero Trust: Best practices for implementation", LinkedIn
- 2022** "Behavioral biometrics authentication", LinkedIn
- 2022** "Synthetic identity and fraud", LinkedIn
- 2022** "The Identity Developer platform offered on a cloud-hosted Sandbox", 1Kosmos
- 2019** "Identity Workflow using Authentication Trees and Google Cloud Functions with Zeebe Cloud", ForgeRock
- 2018** "ForgeRock Identity Microservices with Consul on OpenShift", ForgeRock
- 2018** "Environment Runtime management identity microservices with Hashicorp Consul", ForgeRock
- 2018** "Token Exchange and Delegation using Identity Microservices", ForgeRock
- 2018** "Securing your (micro)services with ForgeRock Identity Microservices", ForgeRock
- 2016** "Client and server side scripting for authentication", ForgeRock
- 2016** "WS Federation support with simple modifications to a SAML Engine", ForgeRock
- 2015** "2FA predictive authentication using Phone-based risk signals", ForgeRock
- 2015** "Deploying social login risk profiles using social networking risk signals", ForgeRock
- 2015** "Impersonation techniques for Helpdesk management in modern access management products", ForgeRock
- 2013** "Strategy for Security: a pure bargaining model", theberkeleymba.org

## Work Experience

**July 2021 –** *1Kosmos Inc.*

**Global Head of Product (SVP), Blockchain based Identity and Access Assurance Platform**

Responsible for defining and executing the identity and access management vision and AI/AML roadmap for our blockchain based Know Your Customer (KYC) SaaS platform. Designed and built [developer.1kosmos.com](https://developer.1kosmos.com).

**Jan 2014 – July 2021** *ForgeRock*

**Sr. Director of Product, Identity Cloud**

Designed and built the global ForgeRock Identity Cloud service on Kubernetes in Google Cloud. Led North America pre-sales, responsible for \$41M P&L. Established the <https://github.com/forgerock/forgeops> devops project.

**Dec 2010 – Dec 2013** *Prolifics Inc.*

**Director of Professional Services, Americas**

Responsible for a shared \$11M P&L with other directors, managed a professional services team of security consultants in the US. Served as lead architect for identity and access management projects.

**Aug 2008 – Nov 2010** *University of California, San Francisco*

**Program Architect, Identity & Access Management for Campus, InCommon Federation**

Designed and operationalized the UCSF [myaccess.ucsf.edu](https://myaccess.ucsf.edu) portal that serves over 150,000 students and staff.

***Aug 2004 – Dec 2008***

*Kaiser Permanente (iRise)*

**Architect, Identity & Access Management Services**

Designed and built [healthy.kaiserpermanente.org](https://healthy.kaiserpermanente.org), a global service serving 500,000 users for Kaiser Permanente.

***May 2001 – Aug 2004***

*Persistent Systems, Inc.*

**Senior Staff Software Engineer, Identity**

Senior software developer on the IBM Tivoli Identity platform.