# Mahmoud Masih Tehrani

# Principal Software Engineer | Blockchain & FinTech Staff Technical Lead

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# **Professional Summary**

Highly accomplished **Technical Leader** with over 12 years of expertise in **Fintech**, **Blockchain**, **E-commerce**, **and GIS**. Proven success in architecting scalable **microservice systems**, leading **distributed engineering teams**, and driving technical excellence. Expert in aligning technical strategy with business goals, fostering innovation in **cryptocurrency**, **IoT**, **and distributed systems**, and consistently delivering high-impact solutions.

# **Core Competencies & Technical Skills**

Category	Skills
Technical Leadership	Team Leadership, Mentoring, Stakeholder Communication, Sprint Planning, System Design, Distributed Team Management
Programming	Golang, PHP, Python, C/C++, Solidity
Databases & Caching	PostgreSQL (PostGIS), MySQL (Percona), MariaDB, Redis, Elasticsearch, Azure Cosmos DB, LevelDB
Infrastructur e & Tools	RabbitMQ, gRPC, MQTT, OpenResty, ProxySQL, LDAP, SaltStack, Docker, MikroTik, Kubernetes
Architecture	Microservices, Distributed Systems, Clean Architecture, SOLID, Sharding, Caching, Event-Driven Architecture, Blockchain Architecture
Domains	Fintech, Cryptocurrency, Blockchain, E-commerce, GIS, AdTech, IoT, Real World Assets (RWA)

# Education

- M.S. in Information Technology (IT) | Islamic Azad University, Science and Research Branch (Ongoing)
- **B.S. in Information & Communication Technology (ICT)** | Isfahan University of Technology (2012)

# **Professional Experience**

# Pishtaz Simorgh (Cryptocurrency & Fintech) | Staff Technical Lead (Sep 2024 - Present)

Software development accelerator specializing in Fintech and Blockchain solutions.

- **Projects:** Bitbank (CEX/DEX Crypto Exchange), TALA (Gold Tokenization Platform), SimPay (Rial Payment Solution)
- Key Achievements:
  - Led cross-functional teams across Iran, Turkey, China, and England, delivering scalable platforms.
  - Architected automated trading bots (Pricing, Arbitrage, Rebalance) to enhance platform efficiency and profitability by 25%.
  - Designed and implemented KYC and Rial payment systems with Mehr Bank, ensuring compliance.
  - o Mentored 15+ engineers, fostering technical excellence and leadership growth.
- Key Responsibilities:
  - Defined technical roadmaps and oversaw agile sprint planning for three major projects.
  - Managed stakeholder negotiations, aligning technical deliverables with business objectives.
- Stack: Golang, PostgreSQL, Microservices, Team Leadership, Cryptocurrency

## Eways (B2B E-commerce) | Senior Software Engineer (Nov 2022 - Mar 2024)

Premier B2B e-commerce platform for electronics in the MENA region.

- **Projects:** Wholesale Platform, Warehouse Management System (WMS)
- Key Achievements:
  - Led backend development of a high-throughput wholesale platform, reducing transaction latency by 30%.
  - Engineered a WMS, automating inventory processes and cutting fulfillment times by 20%.
  - Mentored 10 engineers, establishing API best practices and code review processes.
- Key Responsibilities:
  - Architected scalable backend systems using Golang and PostgreSQL.
  - Coordinated with stakeholders to ensure platform reliability and performance.
- Stack: Golang, PostgreSQL, API, Swagger, Team Leadership

#### Digikala (E-commerce) | Senior Software Engineer (Jun 2022 - Nov 2022)

Largest e-commerce platform in the MENA region.

• **Projects:** User Administration Database, Service Automation (Redis, MySQL Percona, Elasticsearch)

## • Key Achievements:

 Built a centralized user administration database using Python and LDAP, managing 40+ servers.

#### Key Responsibilities:

- Designed secure database integrations with ProxySQL and LDAP.
- o Optimized service reliability through automated monitoring and replication.
- Stack: Python, MySQL (Percona), ProxySQL, LDAP, Redis, Elasticsearch

# ID-Pay (Fintech) | Head of Backend Engineering (Principal Level) (Sep 2019 – Mar 2022) Internet payment gateway with 500,000+ users.

- Projects: Microservices Transition, Electronic Wallet Development, Financial Super-App
- Key Achievements:
  - Led migration to Golang microservices, improving system performance by
     40%.
  - Developed an electronic wallet system.
  - Secured contracts with various entities, including Mashhad and Semnan Municipalities.
  - Designed and implemented a financial super-app offering electronic bill payment, card-to-card transfers with 38 different banks, and vehicle violation inquiry.

# • Key Responsibilities:

- Hired and scaled a 12-person Golang team, implementing agile workflows.
- Provided strategic technical guidance to align product roadmap with business goals.
- **Stack:** Golang, MariaDB, Postgres, Redis, Go-Kit, RabbitMQ, gRPC, Arduino, C/C++, MQTT, Fintech, Payment Systems, Microservices, Team Leadership

#### Map.ir (GIS Services) | Head of Backend Team (Aug 2017 – May 2018)

Startup specializing in GIS-based projects.

#### Key Achievements:

- Led development of comprehensive GIS services, enabling real-time geocoding for 1M+ queries daily.
- Delivered G-Naf code system for Iran Post, significantly improving address accuracy and nationwide postal efficiency based on advanced GIS principles.

#### • Key Responsibilities:

- **Hired and managed a 6-person backend team**, driving agile delivery for GIS-centric projects.
- o Advised leadership on technical strategy and feasibility within the GIS domain.
- Stack: PHP, Redis, Postgres, PostGIS, Elasticsearch, LUA, OpenResty, GIS, Geocoding

#### Click-Yab (AdTech) | Senior Staff Engineer / Technical Lead (Jun 2014 - Jul 2017)

Advertising system serving 60M+ ad impressions daily.

## Key Achievements:

- Optimized ad-serving efficiency by reducing database queries to zero using MapReduce, a critical improvement for high-volume advertising.
- Led migration to Golang, improving system scalability by 50% to handle increased ad impressions.

# • Key Responsibilities:

- Managed technical team and defined scalable architecture tailored for online advertising.
- o Advised on business-aligned technical strategies within the AdTech domain.
- **Stack:** PHP, MySQL, Golang, Redis, RabbitMQ, Map-Reduce, AdTech, Advertising Systems, and Scalability

## DABA IDP (Network & VoIP) | Software Programmer (Aug 2013 – Sep 2014)

Daba Center provides some services based on the network and VOIP.

# Key Achievements:

- Developed a network management portal, automating client access for a network and VoIP service provider. This included managing internet distribution for free zones and comprehensive management of MikroTik devices and user accounts.
- **Stack:** PHP, MySQL, MikroTik

# **Selected Freelance Engagements**

- BitBoneh (RWA Platform) | Blockchain Architect | 2025
  - Architected and developed a Real World Asset (RWA) tokenization platform on the Binance Smart Chain.
  - Led the implementation of versionable, DEX-compatible **Solidity** smart contracts for tokenizing agricultural assets (saffron, rice, meat).
- NexuRing (Health-Tech) | Backend Software Engineer | 2024
  - Architected and implemented a scalable Golang-based backend for real-time health data analysis.
- Blockchain from Scratch (R&D) | Lead Engineer | 2022
  - Headed R&D to build a proprietary, Ethereum-inspired blockchain using Golang.
  - Implemented core components, including P2P network, consensus mechanism, and minting logic, utilizing LevelDB.
- Contactless IoT Payment System | Lead Engineer | 2021
  - Led end-to-end design and development of a contactless IoT Payment System.
  - Engineered the solution using **embedded devices (Arduino) in C/C++** with

NFC/QR capabilities, communicating in real-time over a secure MQTT network.

- Fun Facts (Al Platform) | Full-Stack Software Engineer | 2019
  - Developed an Al-driven recommendation platform using Python, leveraging
     Azure Cosmos DB and the Gremlin API to query graph data
- Shop Making E-commerce Platform (Shop Making) | Lead Engineer | 2018
  - Designed the architecture for a scalable commerce platform.
  - Managed and built a technical team.
  - o Implemented database sharding and handled over 20,000 online shops.

## Certifications

- Certified Scrum Master (CSM) | Scrum.ir
- LPIC-1: Linux Professional Institute Certified
- Linux Essentials: Professional Development Certificate

## **Professional References**

- Ahmad Mansouri: CTO at DABA (Former Colleague). Contact: 09354206621
- Ali Jazayeri, CTO at ID-Pay (Former Colleague). Contact: 09356934187
- Iman Setayeshfar: Product Manager at Simorgh. Contact: 09358397327

# **Volunteer Experience**

- **Isfahan & Tehran LUG** (Linux Users Group), Organized and presented workshops on Linux system administration for new members.
- Golang release party: Co-organized a community event celebrating the release of Golang 1.8, fostering local developer engagement.

#### Interests

Blockchain Technology, IoT, Artificial Intelligence, Podcast, Hiking, Podcast, Anime