

Department of Computer Science and Engineering and Information Technology School of Electrical and Computer Engineering

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To Whom It May Concern:

It is my pleasure to write this letter of recommendation on behalf of Miss **Mohaddeseh Nikseresht**, who is applying for the Ph.D. program at your department. I do know **Mohaddeseh** since fall 2012, as an undergraduate student and later as a graduate student admitted in our M.Sc. program. In her studies, she took several courses (three undergraduate and two graduate courses) with me and her performance in all courses were excellent, and always her rank was in the **top 10% of the class. Mohaddeseh** has also **ranked 1**st among the graduate students admitted in fall 2017 and has a pleasant personality and is very good at reading, writing, and speaking English.

Mohaddeseh defended her thesis in September 2019 under Dr. M. Raji's supervision. Her thesis title is "An Uncertainty-aware Multi-Objective Genetic Algorithm based Task Scheduling for Embedded Systems" which was evaluated as excellent (19.50/20) by the thesis committee.

Mohaddeseh also has been teaching assistant for following graduate and undergraduate computer science courses and her performance were excellent. Parallel Algorithms (fall 2018), Designing and Analyzing Algorithms (fall 2019), Operating Systems (spring 2018), Principles of Programming (fall 2017), Computer Architecture (fall 2017, spring 2017, fall 2018).

Mohaddaseh has gained a lot of professional and academic experiences in recent years. She is a hardworking and punctual student with research ability, professional work, teamwork and has so far has published 5 papers in major journals and conferences. She is also a dedicated and dependable student, and I do believe you can count on her.

In all, I do recommend **Mohaddaseh** for the Ph.D. program at your department without reservation and hope you give her application favorable consideration. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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