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Research Interests -

Keywords: Language Agents; Large Language Models (LLMs); Multimodal Agents; Information Retrieval (IR); Digital Mental Health; Modeling Human Behavior using LLMs; Machine Psychology; LLMs Safety and Alignment; Agents Interpretability and Explanations; Human–Agent Interaction; Agent-based Simulation; Cultural Studies and Biases in LLMs

My work sits at the intersection of language agents and psychology: (1) building clinically responsible mental-health assistants and multi-agent systems such as diagnostic or therapeutic assistants—with a focus on modeling human psychological traits, and (2) applying psychological and cognitive theory to analyze and improve agent behavior, safety, and human—AI interaction.

Education -

University of Tehran

Sep. 2023 - present

M.Sc. in IT Engineering – GPA: 19.14/20

• Thesis: Design and Implementation of an Intelligent Assistant for Clinical Assessment and Diagnosis of Mental Disorders Using Large Language Models

University of Isfahan Sep. 2018 – Jul. 2023

B.Sc. in Computer Engineering (IT Major) – Major GPA: 15.72/20

• Final Project: Design and Development of a Structured Feedback Collection and Evaluation System for University Teaching and Research Assistants to Enhance Instructional and Research Support Quality

Publications -

SchemaGraphSQL: Efficient Schema Linking with Pathfinding Graph Algorithms for Text-to-SQL on Large-Scale Databases, Under review at EMNLP 2025

Safdarian, A., Mohammadi, M., Jahanbakhsh, E., Naderi, M. S., & Faili, H.

PerMedCQA: Benchmarking Large Language Models on Medical Consumer Question Answering in Persian Language, *Under review at EMNLP 2025*

Jamali, N., Mohammadi, M., Baledi, D., Rezvani, Z., & Faili, H.

UT-NLP at SemEval-2025 Task 11: Evaluating Zero-Shot Capability of GPT-40 mini on Emotion Recognition via Role-Play and Contrastive Judging, SemEval 2025

Mohammadi, M.*, Safdarian, A.*, & Faili, H. (*Equal Contribution)

Research Experience -

NLP Lab, University of Tehran, Graduate Researcher (M.Sc.)

Jan. 2024 – present

- → Advisor Prof. Hesham Faili
- Contributed regularly to weekly lab research meetings (discussion, paper critique, project planning) and collaborative development led by the supervisor.
- Led language-agent projects on agent architecture, tool integration, and planning; mentored incoming lab M.Sc. students to scope research problems in language agents.

Computational Cognitive Psychology Lab, University of Tehran, Graduate Researcher (M.Sc.)

 \hookrightarrow Advisor Prof. Hadi Moradi

Jan. 2024 - present

• Initiated a lab track on LLMs for psychological applications—especially agentic modeling of mental states—complementing prior EEG and classical ML lines.

Work (Industry) Experience -

Adan AI AI Software Engineer (Part-time)

Aug. 2024 - Aug. 2025

- Led architecture and delivery of an agentic customer-service chatbot for a national bank: translated PM requirements into user stories; designed a ReAct/Reflexion workflow with >15 tool steps; implemented/reviewed LangGraph+OpenAI modules; defined and tracked evaluation metrics for production.
- Built an end-to-end PDF→chunking pipeline for Persian documents (table/chart-aware parsing, entity extraction); reduced processing cost by 50% and improved retrieval accuracy by 8% (measured on human annotated RAG eval set).
- Created an automatic FAQ-bot generator: ingests Excel FAQs, cleans, synthesizes data from seed, and deploys a ready-to-use chatbot—cutting onboarding from days to <1 hour with no manual coding.
- Engineered reusable agent-infrastructure modules (session-level user-token mgmt, conversation summarization, entity/metadata enrichment) adopted across LangGraph projects, eliminating duplicate code and accelerating new-bot delivery.
- Proposed and independently deployed *LangFuse* for observability in production—instrumented agent runs with tracing, latency/error monitoring, and evaluation dashboards—standardizing debugging and speeding iteration across teams.

Tizfekri Product Manager (Part-time)

Mar. 2023 – Sep. 2023

• Led product discovery and requirements analysis for a new LMS focused on teaching thinking skills (critical thinking, academic writing); translated pedagogical goals into user stories, specifications, and an MVP roadmap.

Teaching Experience

Large Language Models Graduate Teaching Assistant

→ Dr. Yadollah Yaghobzadeh; Dr. Mohammad Javad Dousti

Feb. 2025 – Jul. 2025 ECE @ University of Tehran

• Designed a multi-stage course assignment on *language agents*: from prompt-router baselines to ReAct-style agents solving text-to-SQL on the BIRD dataset; authored rubric and graded the assignment, midterm, and final. [GitHub]

• Led a hands-on workshop on building agents with LangGraph; recording available in Persian on YouTube. [YouTube]

Artificial Intelligence & Digital Transformation Workshop Instructor

Feb. 2025 – Jul. 2025

 \hookrightarrow Prof. Majid Nili Ahmadabadi

University of Tehran

• Delivered two large-venue lectures (500+ students) in the course's inaugural *university-wide* offering open to all fields—covering prompting, Language-Agent concepts, and building simple workflow agents in n8n, tailored for non-engineering cohorts.

Natural Language Processing Graduate Teaching Assistant

Sep. 2024 – Jan. 2025

 \hookrightarrow Prof. Hesham Faili

ECE @ University of Tehran

- Authored the final project *ChatFood*: an agentic food-ordering chatbot with RAG over a "food book," tool use for order/track/cancel, and a Reflexion-based recommender; provided runnable backend and DB starter code. [GitHub]
- Ran a 4-hour workshop on chatbots & agents with LangGraph, LanceDB, and Chainlit covering design patterns and evaluation. [YouTube]

Intelligent Information Retrieval Graduate Teaching Assistant

Sep. 2024 – Jan. 2025

 \hookrightarrow Dr. Azadeh Shakeri

ECE @ University of Tehran

- Designed NanoSparseRetriever: a from-scratch Python assignment covering indexing, query/document processing, and pluggable scoring—students implemented TF-IDF/BM25 and probed parameter effects. [GitHub]
- Taught a project workshop on *OpenAI API* and RAG pipelines using *LanceDB* and open-source dense retrievers. [YouTube]

Deep Learning & Neural Networks Graduate Teaching Assistant

Sep. 2024 – Jan. 2025

 \hookrightarrow Dr. Ahmad Kalhor

ECE @ University of Tehran

• Designed the course project on LLM fine-tuning: Gemma 2 for Persian chat via Prefix-Tuning, LoRA, and QLoRA; delivered a workshop on LLM architecture and fine-tuning with Hugging Face Transformers.

Digital Transformation Course Assistant

Jul. 2021 - Sep. 2021

 \hookrightarrow Dr. Fakhroddin Noorbehbahani

 $INSA\ Lyon \times\ University\ of\ Isfahan$

• Supported workshops and 1:1 technical sessions; coordinated with instructors across institutions.

Undergraduate Computer Engineering Courses TA at University of Isfahan

2019-2023

• Algorithm Design; Discrete Mathematics; Programming Foundations; IT Foundation; E-Commerce

Technical Skills -

Awards -

Software Engineering
LLMs Agents
Retrieval
Deep Learning
Machine Learning
Tools & DevOps

Python; FastAPI; Pydantic; SQLite; pytest LangGraph; OpenAI SDK; LangFuse; n8n; Chainlit LanceDB; Qdrant; Elasticsearch; evaluation (RAGAS) PyTorch; Hugging Face (Transformers, Datasets, PEFT)

NumPy; Pandas; scikit-learn; Matplotlib; NLTK Docker; Docker Compose; Git/GitHub; uv Ranked 1st nationwide in IT Engineering, Graduate Entrance Exam (Konkur) 2023

Iran national graduate admissions exam

Youth Award, TEDxKish 2015 Outstanding young innovator

Selected Projects –

Text-to-Insight Data Analyst Agent (Text2SQL & Data Visualization) LLMs course final project; Team of 3 [GitHub] End-to-end agent converting natural-language questions into SQL over a curated SQLite DB (from the BIRD dataset), then auto-generating Python analysis code for tables/plots and a written report; included an LLM-as-judge framework to evaluate component quality and end-to-end answers (report accuracy and SQL exact-match).

MedYar: Health Reservation Agent (Triage & Booking) 48-hour hackathon; Team of 3

[GitHub]

Doctor-visit assistant performing symptom intake and specialty routing, collecting user preferences (e.g., physician/time), checking availability, and booking on *Paziresh24*; implemented as a ReAct-style tool-use agent with web automation for a full booking flow (demo end-to-end success rate reported).

Volunteering Experience -

Algorithmic Creativity & Python Programming Course $Core\ Organizing\ Team\ &\ Mentor$

Jun. 2023 – Sep. 2023

Core organizer and mentor for a 10-week nationwide course instructed by Dr. Ali Sharifi-Zarchi, supporting 4,500+ high school students with a 110-member team and coordinating content/mentoring across sections.

ACM Student Chapter, University of Isfahan Committee Member

Oct. 2019 – Dec. 2022

Organized programming contests and taught algorithm design; participated in weekly ICPC trainings.

TEDxUniversityOfIsfahan Team Lead & Organizer

Feb. 2015 – Dec. 2020

Founded *TEDxUniversityOfIsfahan* (2019) and led end-to-end (planning, budgeting, sponsorship, marketing, speaker coaching); the series now runs annually via the student community, with talks reaching thousands of views.