# Nima Etemad Golestani

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#### **EDUCATION**

#### **B.Sc.** in Computer Engineering

Sep 2018 - Jan 2023

Islamic Azad University, Mashhad Branch i

Department of Computer Engineering and Information Technology

• Overall GPA: 3.3/4.0 (16.58/20 in Iran system)

• Last two years GPA: 3.7/4.0 (18/20 in Iran system)

## **Publications**

Nima Etemad Golestani, "The Impact of Game-based learning on Student's achievements: A review" (Under Preparation) Abstract

### RESEARCH INTERESTS

• Game Development • Game AI • Reinforcement Learning • Imitation learning • NPC behaviour learning

#### Selected Courses

- Artificial intelligence (18.5/20)
- Fundamental of Computing intelligence (20/20)
- Fundamental of language processing (20/20)
- Fundamental of compiler design(20/20)
- Signals and Systems(20/20)

- Software Engineering (18/20)
- Internet Engineering(20/20)
- Computer Networks(19.25/20)
- Operating systems(20/20)
- Databases (20/20)

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant Jan 2023-Present Game Dojo 🔗 Mashhad, Iran

• Assist teachers in facilitating Game Dojo courses.

• Review and provide feedback on students' assignments

LinkedIn Instructor Dec 2021 Islamic Azad University Mashhad, Iran

• Conducted a successful webinar for graduates in partnership with the "Research Center for Animal Development Applied Biology" and the "Scientific Association of Computer Engineering Department."

• Trained participants on the usage of the LinkedIn platform.

#### Mentor for New Students

Nov 2021 Mashhad, Iran

Islamic Azad University

• Facilitated a webinar for new students, aimed at helping them identify and enhance their areas of interest.

## Work Experience

White Designers Studios &

## Game Developer, Unity Engine Specialist

Aug 2021 - present

Mashhad, Iran

• Working on several casual and hyper casual game titles with a team of talented developers and artists

• Gaining experience and improving skills in programming, environmental design, and Unity engine development

#### Main member of Scientific Association of the Computer Engineering Department Islamic Azad University

Jan 2021 - Sep 2022

Mashhad, Iran

• Organized and hosted events and webinars

- Assisted students in course selection and academic planning
- Provided career guidance to students

## Ordinary member of Scientific Association of the Computer Engineering Department

Sep 2020 - Jan 2021Mashhad, Iran

Islamic Azad University

- Supported professors in organizing conferences and webinars
- Build professional connections with undergraduate and graduate students and faculty members

#### Hardware Technician

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- Troubleshooting and repairing computer hardware
- Gained knowledge in computer architecture and hardware components

Jun 2019 - Sep 2019 Mashhad, Iran **PROJECTS** Runcell Feb 2023 - Present Game Developer and Designer Google Drive • A 3D endless Runner game based on WebGL in My Irancell app • Designed all stages of the game • Worked on parts of the code such as parts of Core, Shop, Setting, Missions and Profile Sistan Legends Jan 2023 - Present Game Developer Google Play Link • A 3D Role play game • Research and develop player and enemy AI • Contributed to the player controller, player event handler, and Animation Event JSON Generator (AEJG) Catch First! Dec 2022 Game Developer, Level Designer GitHub Link • A 3D Up-Down Zero-player game • Designed a 3D up-down zero-player game • Implemented reinforcement learning using ML-Agent with a neural network trained up to 3.5 million steps with an accuracy of 0.993. Mar 2021 - Sep 2022 Game Developer, Level Designer Google Drive • A dynamic mega-city Sport Open-World metaverse with captivating 16-bit graphics based on WebGL • Exclusively designed for Nounz NFT holders • Designed and Construct parts of the Map • Worked on parts of the code such as Core, Mission, Profile, etc. Nailer Mailer Oct 2021 - Dec 2021 Game Developer, Level Designer Google Play Link • A 3D FPS Hyper-Casual game for android mobile • Programmed the player and enemy movement system and designed level environments **Cowboy Bepop Space Shooter** Jan 2021 GitHub Link Game Developer and Designer • A simple 2D Pixel Art Space Shooter Game • Programmed with Python and Pygame Tic-Tac-Toe using Minimax Nov 2020 Game Developer and Designer GitHub Link • A simple Tic-Tac-Toe Game included both PVP and PVN options • Used C++ and Minimax algorithm SKILLS **Programming languages:** C#, C++, Python, TypeScript ML/AI: ML-Agent, Tensorflow, Numpy Software: Unity, Visual Studio, Git, Cocos Creator, Blender, Miscellaneous: MySQL, Latex, HTML, CSS Tiled, Asprite, Adobe Premiere, Matlab, Proteus, CV-AVR LANGUAGES Persian: Native English: Professional working proficiency LICENSES & CERTIFICATIONS **Advanced Learning Algorithms** Jun 2023 Coursera # Certificate Link Supervised Machine Learning: Regression and Classification Feb 2023 Coursera Certificate Link Intro to Game AI and Reinforcement Learning Jun 2022 Kaggle Certificate Link  $\mathbf{C} \#$ Mar 2022 Certificate Link Sololearn C++Mar 2022 Sololearn Certificate Link **Python Core** Mar 2022 Certificate Link Sololearn

Oct 2016 - Oct 2021

Certificate Link

International Computer Drivers License (ICDL)

Iran Technical & Vocational Training Organization