# 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 (16.6/20 in Iran system)
- Last two years GPA: 3.7/4.0 (17.8/20 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 • 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)
- Databases (20/20)
- Operating systems(20/20)

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant Jan 2023-Present Mashhad, Iran

Game Dojo 🔗

• 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, Technical Artist

Aug 2021 - present

Mashhad, Iran

- Working on several casual and hyper casual game titles with a team of talented developers
- Gaining experience and improving skills in programming, environmental design, and Unity engine development

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

Jan 2021 - Sep 2022 Mashhad, Iran

Islamic Azad University • 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 2021

Mashhad, Iran

Islamic Azad University

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

Hardware Technician Jun 2019 - Sep 2019

• Troubleshooting and repairing computer hardware

Mashhad, Iran

- Gained knowledge in computer architecture and hardware components
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**PROJECTS** Jan 2023-Present Sistan Legends Game Developer Google Play Link • A 3D Role play game • Contributed to the player controller and player event handler Created multiple editor windows, including Animation Event JSON Generator 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. Love'em Up Dec 2021 - Jan 2022Game Developer, Level Designer Google Play Link • A 3D FPS Hyper-Casual game for android mobile • Contributed to game core programming and developed previous used mechanics • Designed and built twelve unique levels. 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 • Designed level environments **Balloon Boomer!** Sep 2021 - Oct 2021 Level Designer Google Play Link • A 3D FPS Hyper-Casual game for android mobile • Designed three levels • Created visually appealing particle effects for balloons through scripting Cowboy Bepop Space Shooter Jan 2021GitHub 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 • Used C++ and Minimax algorithm • Included both PVP and PVN options. SKILLS **Programming languages:** C#, C++, Python, TypeScript ML/AI: ML-Agent, Tensorflow, Numpy Miscellaneous: MySQL, Latex, HTML, CSS Software: Unity, Visual Studio, Git, Matlab, Cocos Creator, Blender, Tiled, Asprite, Adobe Premiere, Proteus, CV-AVR Soft Skills: Communication, Teamwork, Time management Languages Persian: Native English: IELTS will be taken LICENSES & CERTIFICATIONS Supervised Machine Learning: Regression and Classification  $\mathrm{Feb}\ 2023$ Coursera Certificate Link Intro to Game AI and Reinforcement Learning Jun 2022 \* Certificate Link Kaggle **C**# Mar 2022 Certificate Link Sololearn C++Mar 2022 Sololearn Certificate Link **Python Core** Mar 2022 Sololearn Certificate Link

Oct 2016 - Oct 2021

# Certificate Link

International Computer Drivers License (ICDL)

Iran Technical & Vocational Training