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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science in Electrical Engineering (Communications)

Sep. 2017 – Present

*University of Tehran*¹

Tehran, Iran

- Expected Graduation Date: February 2022
- Last two years' GPA: 18.45/20 (4/4) – Total GPA: 17.4/20 (3.74/4) ²
- Bachelor Project: "Extracting Singer Vocal From Music Using Blind Source Separation" (Ongoing)
- Supervisor: Dr. Saeed Akhavan Behabadi

Diploma in Mathematics and Physics

Sep. 2013 – Aug. 2017

Allameh Helli High School

Tehran, Iran

- Affiliated with the National Organization for the Development of Exceptional Talents (NODET)
- GPA: 19.79/20 (4/4)

RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Wireless Communications Systems
- Coding and Information Theory
- Signal Processing (mostly in biomedical applications)
- Blind Source Separation

EXPERIENCES

Research Assistant

Apr. 2021 – Present

University of Tehran

- Devised a new approach to improve the performance of dictionary learning algorithms when there is hidden Markov model (HMM) dependency among the training signals; Resulted to a paper mentioned in publications.

Teaching Assistant

Sep 2019 – Present

University of Tehran

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| • Discrete-Time Signal Processing | Fall 2021 | • Electronics II | Fall 2020 |
| Instructor: Dr. Majid Badiestorami | | Instructor: Dr. Shahin Jafarabadi Ashtiani | |
| • Electrical Circuits I | Fall 2021 | • Electronics I | Spring 2020 |
| Instructor: Prof. Jalil Rashed-Mohassel | | Instructor: Dr. Zeinab Sanaee | |
| • Signals and Systems | Spring 2021 | • Physics II | Spring 2020 |
| Instructor: Dr. Saeed Akhavan Behabadi | | Instructor: Dr. Zahra Shaterzadeh Yazdi | |
| • Introduction to Communications Systems | | • Introduction to Electrical Engineering | |
| Instructor: Dr. Sadaf Salehkalaibar | Spring 2021 | Instructor: Prof. Mahmoud Shahabadi | Fall 2019 |
| • Linear Control Systems | Fall 2020 | • Electrical Circuits Lab | Spring 2019 |
| Instructor: Dr. Fariba Bahrami | | Instructor: Dr. Hossein Iman-Eini | |

SELECTED COURSES³

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| • Discrete-Time Signal Processing | 19.83/20 | • Antenna I | 19.25/20 |
| • Blind Source Separation (Graduate) | 18/20 | • Microwave I | 18.7/20 |
| • Wireless Communications | 16.7/20 | • Electromagnetic Fields and Waves | 17.1/20 |
| • Digital Communications Systems | 16.5/20 | • Communication Circuits | 17/20 |
| • Linear Control Systems | 19.15/20 | • Filter and Circuit Synthesis | 20/20 |

¹Ranked 151-200 in electrical engineering according to QS World University Ranking in 2021.

²University and department average GPA are 15.58 and 15.1 respectively.

³All grades above are equivalent to A or A⁺.

SELECTED COURSE PROJECTS

Blind Source Separation | *MATLAB*

Spring 2021

- Retrieved source signals from a set of noisy observations using different ICA algorithms(minimizing Kullback–Leibler divergence based on estimating score function, deflation approach, and equivariant algorithm and maximizing kurtosis function based on deflation approach, fixed-point approach, and FastICA).
- Implemented single-channel and multi-channel blind source deconvolution in both time domain and frequency domain.
- Implemented dictionary learning algorithms(MOD and K-SVD) for sparse representation of signals.
- Generated an LDA classifier for an EEG dataset based on the Common Spatial Pattern(CSP) approach.
- Performed CCA approach in stimulation frequency detection of SSVEP-based BCI.
- Obtained transmitted signals from mixed signals received by a vertical uniform array using MUSIC and beamforming.

Digital Communications Systems Lab | *MATLAB*

Fall 2020

- Simulated digital modulation techniques such as PAM, QAM, PSK, DBPSK, and FSK(coherent and non-coherent detection) with various detailed considerations (Implemented Gray coding, pulse shaping, symbol to bit converting and vice versa, channel phase offset and delay effect; Designed correlator, matched filter, and minimum-distance detector; Calculated bit error rate).

Wireless Communications | *MATLAB*

Spring 2021

- Simulated receiver and transmitter blocks of an OFDM system and calculated bit error rate for AWGN and Rayleigh channels with and without equalizer.

Communications Circuits | *ADS*

Fall 2020

- Designed and simulated an LNA using Source Inductive Degenerated structure.

Microwave Engineering I | *HFSS*

Fall 2020

- Simulated a Faraday ferrite phase shifter; Represented a review report of its operation, structure, and applications.

PUBLICATIONS

S. Akhavan, F. Baghestani, **P. Kazemi**, A. Karami, and H. Soltanian-zadeh, "Dictionary Learning for Sparse Representation of Signals With Hidden Markov Model Dependency," 2021. Manuscript submitted for publication.

WORKSHOPS

EEG Signal Recording and Signal Processing

August 2021

National Brain Mapping Lab(NBML)

Tehran, Iran

- Completed 24-hour online workshop on recording and processing EEG signals.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, C, Verilog HDL

Simulation Software: MATLAB(highly skilled) and Simulink, ADS, Ansys HFSS, AutoCAD, NI Multisim

LANGUAGES

- English: Fluent (TOEFL will be taken on Nov. 28th)
- Farsi: Native

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Ranked among top 15% out of 130 undergraduate students, School of Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Tehran
- Received scholarship from the Supporter Foundation of University of Tehran as an exceptional talent, 2017-2018 and 2020-2021
- Ranked 291th(top 0.2 %) among almost 138,000 participants in the Nationwide Iranian University Entrance Exam in Mathematics and Physics, June 2017
- Member of the National Organization for Development of Exceptional Talents (NODET), Sep. 2010 - Aug. 2017

REFERENCES

Available upon request.