# Seyyed Soroush Mortazavi Moghaddam

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# Personal Statement

Motivated computer engineering student, seeking to conduct research and continue his studies in the field of **computer science**, with a passion for **artificial intelligence**. Especially interested in the applications of **machine/deep learning**.

## EDUCATION

# Amirkabir University of Technology

Tehran, IRAN

Bachelor of Science in computer engineering

Sep. 2016 - Jan. 2022 (Expected)

- Total GPA: 3.86/4 Last two year GPA: 4/4
- Thesis: Learning the game of Gobblet through reinforcement learning

# Shahid Beheshti High School of Exceptional Talents

Qayen, IRAN

Diploma of mathematics and physics

Sep. 2012 - Jun. 2016

#### EXPERIENCE

Computational Intelligence Teaching Assistant

Supervisor: Prof. Ebadzadeh (2 semesters) Sep. 2020 – Jun. 2021

**Data Mining Teaching Assistant** 

Supervisor: Dr. Nazerfard Feb. 2021 – Jun. 2021

Computer Architecture Teaching Assistant

Supervisor: Dr. Zarandi Sep. 2019 – Jan. 2020

Operating Systems Teaching Assistant

Supervisor: Dr. Zarandi Feb. 2020 – Jun. 2020

Principles of Cloud Computing Teaching Assistant

Supervisor: Dr. Javadi Feb. 2021 – Jun. 2021

As a teaching assistant in the courses mentioned above:

- Coordinated the teaching assistance team
- Designed and graded assignments, test-quizzes and course projects
- Created video tutorials for assignment solutions, course materials and extra resources
- Helped students with their questions and problems regarding the assignments and the projects

## Voluntary Research Assistant

Amirkabir University of Technology

under the supervision of Prof. Safabakhsh

Mar. 2020 - Jul. 2020

- Implemented RNN models for stock market prediction
- Gathered and preprocessed Iran's stock data, then experimented many different models on them
- Learned about time series data, various layer types and how to work with TensorFlow, TensorBoard and Keras; also to efficiently design and train DNNs

## Research and Development Intern

Tehran, IRAN

Jul. 2020 - Oct. 2020

Sobhe - AI knowledge enterprise

• Gathered a Persian text corpus by developing a web crawler application

- Used the mentioned corpus to create Persian word embeddings
- Cooperated in the data gathering and the design of a stock market predictor model

# SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python, MATLAB, Java, C, JavaScript, SQL-Server

Frameworks and Libraries: TensorFlow, PyTorch, Keras, TensorBoard, Numpy, Scikit-learn, Pandas, Matplotlib

Developer Tools: Git, Google Colab, Jupyter lab, VS Code, PyCharm, IntelliJ, Code::Blocks

Languages: English (Advanced) [TOEFL-ibt: 109, R:30, L:27, S:27, W:25], Persian (Native)

Ranked 19th/30K: In the national university entrance exam among 30 thousand students (2016)

Announced as an Outstanding Student: in Amirkabir University of Technology

## TOP WORK AND SELECTED COURSE PROJECTS

# Learning The Game of Gobblet (B.Sc Thesis) | Python

under the supervision of Prof. Safabakhsh

Sep. 2020 - Sep. 2021

- Implemented self-play with Monte-Carlo learning and used a combination of DNN value function, Monte-Carlo tree search and minimax search to act as close as possible to the optimum policy, i.e, the Nash equilibrium
- Implemented a user interface to play the game against the self-learned AI

# Artificial Intelligence Related Course Projects

Sep. 2019 - Jun. 2021

- Solved the Rubik's Cube by Implementing A\*, bi-directional and IDS algorithms | python
- Implemented MLP neural networks, evolutionary algorithms and fuzzy C-means clustering | python
- Implemented an image compressor (K-means) and a voice gender recognizer | MATLAB
- Solved CSP problems using AC-3 algorithm | python
- Implemented a text classification program using n-grams | python
- Implemented pairwise and multiple sequence alignment algorithms (Clustal, HMMs, PSSM, etc.) | python

## Portal CAPTCHA Solver | Python

Oct. 2019

- Implemented an application to solve university's portal CAPTCHA and sign into one's account
- Gathered the training data by a script and trained a CNN model on them

## Java Projects

Feb. 2017 - Jun. 2017

- Developed a download manager application for Windows
- Developed a multiplayer tank game (similar to NormalTanks)

## E-Shop | Pyton, JavaScript, HTML, CSS

Feb. 2021 - Jun. 2021

• Full stack development of an E-Shop website

## OTHER ACTIVITIES

#### Online Courses

- Machine learning, by Andrew Ng: Coursera (100/100)
- Reinforcement learning, by David Silver: Audited

# Curriculum advisor

(Remote) Tehran, IRAN

Iliyasteel - educational group

Sep. 2020 - Jun. 2021

• Guided and advised a group of high school students with their study plan and study method during the year

#### Volunteer member

Tehran and Qayen, IRAN

 $Sepehr\ NGO$  -  $cultural\ enrichment\ and\ empowerment\ foundation$ 

Jan. 2017 - Present

Abolmafakher NGO - student-operated foundation, for educational and cultural development Jul. 2017 - Sep. 2018

- Helped design and create graphical materials and advertisements (posters, banners, Brochures, id cards, etc.)
- Helped with the holding of several educational and cultural events, contests and meetings in Tehran and Qayen

## References

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