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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Statistics
- Cognitive Science
- Data Science & Big Data
- Biostatistics
- Deep Neural Networks
- Natural Language Processing

## EDUCATION

### Arizona State University

#### M.Sc. in Psychology

ARIZONA, USA  
*Spring 2024 – Present*

- GPA: 4 out of 4
- Relevant Coursework: Behavioral Data Science, Quantitative Analysis, Professional Issues in Psychology, Cognitive Science, Research Methods

### University of Tehran

#### B.Sc. in Statistics

TEHRAN, IRAN  
*2017 – 2022*

**GPA (Last 2 Years): 17.57/20** (4 out of 4) - Last 79 Credits

- Faculty Average GPA is 13.22
- Relevant Coursework: Regression, Continuous Multivariate Methods, Computational Statistics, Discrete Multivariate Methods, Time Series, Design of Experiment, Sampling Methods, Probability, Fundamentals of Numerical Analysis, Mathematical Statistics, Strategic Games, Fundamentals of Computer Science and Programming, Advanced Programming, Mathematics Analysis, Differential Equation.

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

### Research Assistant, Arizona State University

Advisor: Dr. Nicholas Duran

ARIZONA, USA  
*Spring 2024 - present*

- **Thesis:** Analyzing Linguistic Interactions With Generalizable Techniques—A Python Library (using ALIGN library integrating with LLMs: GPT, RoBERTa, LLaMA).

### Research Assistant, Arizona State University

Advisor: Dr. Nicholas Duran, Co-Advisor: Dr. Nicole Roberts

ARIZONA, USA  
*Summer 2024*

- **Project:** Enhancing Stress Detection Systems Using Real-World Data and Deep Neural Networks
- Designed and implemented a stress detection system using wearable device data and deep learning, focusing on real-world data processing, noise reduction, and robust machine learning models.

### Research Assistant, Arizona State University

Related Behavioral Data Science

ARIZONA, USA  
*Spring 2024*

- **Thesis:** Speech-based PTSD Prediction
- Utilized NLP preprocessing methods including stopwords, lemmatization, tokenization, and sentiment analysis via transfer learning to process textual data.
- Applied Naive Bayes, Logistic Regression, Random Forest, and Neural Networks to classify discussions on PTSD.

### Research Assistant, University of Tehran

Adviseor: Dr. Hedieh Sajedi

TEHRAN, IRAN  
*Fall 2021 – Spring 2022*

- **Thesis:** Applications of Artificial Intelligence in Ophthalmology
- Explored the impact of Artificial Intelligence on Medical Education.
- Examined ethical considerations of Artificial Intelligence in Medicine and Ophthalmology.
- Developed AI systems for diagnosing Anterior Segment Diseases.

## ACADEMIC TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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Teaching Assistant, University of Tehran <b>Mathematical Analysis 1</b>	TEHRAN, IRAN <i>Spring 2021</i>
Teaching Assistant, University of Tehran <b>Continuous Multivariate Methods 1</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Supervised students in project research and development</li></ul>	TEHRAN, IRAN <i>Spring 2021</i>
Teaching Assistant, University of Tehran <b>Differential Equations</b>	TEHRAN, IRAN <i>Spring 2022</i>
Teaching (over 2 years experience), Pre-University Level <b>Mathematics and Statistics</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Taught over 20 private classes in Mathematics and Statistics.</li></ul>	TEHRAN, IRAN <i>Fall 2017 – Fall 2019</i>

## SKILLS

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- **Programming Languages:** Python (Proficient), R Program (Proficient), MATLAB (Proficient), MINITAB (Proficient), SAS (Statistical Software), STATA.
- **Tools/Packages:** Scikit-Learn, Numpy, Pandas, Matplotlib, PyTorch, TensorFlow, Jupyter Notebooks, Optimization Toolbox (MATLAB), SPSS.
- **Typesetting:** L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, T<sub>E</sub>X, Microsoft Office, Google Docs.
- **Operating Systems:** Windows, Ubuntu.

## SELECTED COURSE PROJECTS

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<b>Predicting Parolee Recidivism</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Using Logistic Regression, Feature Engineering, Visualization.</li><li>Analysis and interpretation of the dynamics of criminal behavior and rehabilitation.</li><li>Tested on the Georgia Parolee Recidivism Dataset.</li></ul>	SPRING 2024
<b>Predicting Toxic Comment Classification Analysis</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Using Logistic Regression, K-Nearest Neighbors, and Naive Bayes.</li><li>Enhanced analysis with cross-validation and tf-idf embeddings.</li><li>Distinguished toxic from healthy comments using the Wikipedia Talk Page Comments Dataset.</li></ul>	SPRING 2024
<b>Market Segmentation Clustering Analysis</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>via Elbow Method and Silhouette Scores.</li><li>Employed k-means and hierarchical clustering techniques on mall customer data.</li></ul>	SPRING 2024
<b>The Performance of Knowledge-based Enterprises in Covid-19 Pandemic</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Analyzed the strategic performance of knowledge-based enterprises during the pandemic.</li></ul>	FALL 2021
<b>Randomized Blocks, Latin Squares, and Complete Block Designs</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Applied experimental design techniques to solve complex design problems.</li></ul>	FALL 2021
<b>Application of Neural Networks in Game Theory</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Developed and analyzed neural network models to optimize game theory strategies.</li></ul>	FALL 2021
<b>The Performance of PCA, CNN, LDA, and QDA</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Evaluated the performance of different machine learning algorithms on the Indian Pines Dataset.</li></ul>	SPRING 2021

## PRESENTATIONS AND CERTIFICATES

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### **Brown Bag Colloquium**

*Fall 2024, ASU*

- Presented an ongoing project on stress detection using Fitbit and textual data.

### **RCR - Graduate Student Researcher Responsible Conduct of Research**

*Spring 2024, ASU*

- Responsible Conduct of Research from CITI Program

### **Conflicts of Interest**

*Spring 2024, ASU*

- CITI Conflicts of Interest from CITI Program

### **IRB – Social Behavioral Research (Group 2)**

*Spring 2024, ASU*

- Human Research from CITI Program

### **Leadership of the Open-Door Event**

*Spring 2024, ASU*

- Led the organization and execution of a lie detection event, directing setup and coordination across three lab areas. Managed equipment preparation, ensured operational readiness, and supervised lab members in assisting participants.

### **Principles of Economics Microeconomics**

*Spring 2020, ASU*

- Learned about the fundamental principles to make predictions about how individuals behave in certain situations involving economic or financial transactions.

### **Advanced Python**

*Fall 2021, ASU*

- Learned about data visualization using matplotlib and Pandas.

### **Data Manipulation using Pandas**

*Fall 2021, ASU*

- Learned about data visualization using matplotlib and Pandas.

### **Python for Economics**

*Spring 2020, ASU*

- Learned essential packages for economics and data analysis.
- Used Numpy library for numerical computing and data structure.
- Used Matplotlib and Seaborn libraries to visualize data.

## HONORS AND AWARDS

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- Ranked among Top 5% for two consecutive years, Department of Statistics for Graduate Study, *University of Tehran, Iran, Spring 2020 - Spring 2022.*
- Recipient of Admission for Bachelor's in Statistics at *University of Tehran*, the Oldest, Largest, and most Prestigious University in Iran, *Spring 2022.*
- Ranked among Top 2% Contestants of the Nationwide University Entrance Qualification Exam (Konkour) among more than 140,000 participants, *Iran, Fall 2017.*
- Recipient of Full Bachelor's and Master's Tuition Waiver Fellowship.

## REFERENCES

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- **Dr. Nicholas Duran**, School of Social and Behavioral Sciences, Arizona State University  
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- **Dr. Nicole Roberts**, School of Social and Behavioral Sciences, Arizona State University  
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