

# Yeganeh Kordi

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## EDUCATION

- **Bachelor of Science (Double degree)** 2016–2021  
Amirkabir University of Technology *Tehran-Iran*
  - Electrical Engineering 2016–2020
    - GPA: 3.84/4
  - Computer Engineering 2018–2021
    - GPA: 3.78/4

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

I am broadly interested in NLP and Computational Linguistics, particularly, I'm interested in aligning language models with human values, assisting humans through NLP, and NLP for the common good.

## PUBLICATIONS

- Self-Instruct: Aligning Language Model with Self Generated Instructions  
Yizhong Wang, **Yeganeh Kordi**, Swaroop Mishra, Alisa Liu, Noah A. Smith, Daniel Khashabi, Hannaneh Hajishirzi  
ACL, 2023
- Super-NaturalInstructions: Generalization via Declarative Instructions on 1600+ Tasks  
◇ Yizhong Wang, ◇ Swaroop Mishra, ♣ Pegah Alipoormolabashi, ♣ **Yeganeh Kordi**, ..., Chitta Baral, Yejin Choi, Hannaneh Hajishirzi, Noah A. Smith, Daniel Khashabi  
EMNLP, 2022  
◇ Co-first authors; ♣ Co-second authors, alphabetical order.
- UnifiedQA-v2: Stronger Generalization via Broader Cross-Format Training.  
Daniel Khashabi, **Yeganeh Kordi**, and Hannaneh Hajishirzi  
arXiv preprint arXiv:2202.12359.

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- *Allen Institute for AI and H2lab at University of Washington* July 2021–present  
Mentors: Daniel Khashabi, Yizhong Wang  
Research Collaborator
- *JHU Center for Language and Speech Processing* August 2022–present  
Mentor: Daniel Khashabi  
Research Collaborator
- *IT lab at university of Tehran* June 2019–July 2021  
Student Researcher

## INVITED TALKS

- *University of Tehran* May 2023  
Instruction Tuning of Large Language Models

## TEACHING EXPERIENCES

- Teaching Assistant (Amirkabir University of Technology)
  - Machine Learning Fall 2021 - Spring 2023
  - Data Mining Fall 2021
  - Algorithm Design Fall 2021 - Winter 2022
  - Cloud Computing Spring 2021
  - Digital Logic Circuits Fall 2020-Fall 2021

## HONORS

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- Ranked 148<sup>th</sup> in university entrance exam, among more than 70,000 participants.
- Ranked 19<sup>th</sup> in the university graduate entrance exam, among more than 5,000 participants.

## LANGUAGE SKILLS

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- Persian: Native
- TOEFL (2021): Internet-based Test, 99/120.  
Reading (28/30), Listening (26/30), Speaking (23/30), Writing (22/30)

**📌 References, Further information, and Proofs are available upon Request**