

# ZAHRA SAFDARI



## EDUCATION

Pursuing a Bachelor of Science in Computer Science  
**University of Tabriz, Tabriz, Iran**  
GPA: 3.81/4, Ranked 4th

2020 - present

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Machine Learning
- Natural Language Processing
- Human Computer Interaction
- Data Mining

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant, Text Classification with Contrastive Learning      May 2023 - present  
*Supervisor: Dr. Habib Izadkhah, University of Tabriz*  
• Data Augmentation and Retraining Transformer-based Model(BERT) using Contrastive Learning.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant, Advanced Programming, <i>Dr. Behzad Pourmahmood</i>	Fall 2023
Teaching Assistant, Data Structures, <i>Dr. Rashid Behzadidoost</i>	Fall 2023
Teaching Assistant, Python Programming, <i>IPM institute</i>	June 2023 - present
Lecturer, <i>CS TALK, University of Tabriz</i>	2022 - present
Teaching Assistant, Technical Language, <i>Dr. Jaber Karimpour</i>	Winter 2023
Course Tutor, Python Programming Workshop, <i>Dr. Jaber Karimpour</i>	Winter 2023
Data Structures <i>Meshkat Holdings, Education Departmet</i>	Jun 2020 - Aug 2022
Teaching Assistant, Advanced programming, <i>Dr. Jaber Karimpour</i>	Winter 2020
Instructor, English, <i>Success Language Center, Iran</i>	Jun 2018 - Oct 2019

## HONORS AND AWARDS

Selected as a distinguished student in my university (ranked 4th)	Jun 2023
Top-3% in Iran's National University Entrance Exam(over 155,000 Participants)	Jul 2020
Ranked 1st among 140 students in IPM Entrance Exam for AI school	Jun 2023

## WORK EXPERIENCE

Web Developer <i>Meshkat Holdings– Programming Department</i>	Jun 2021 - Nov 2022
Developed websites using self-taught Django skills and led the team members.	

## SELECTED COURSES

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| • Advanced Programming: 4/4               | • Programming Challenges: 4/4 |
| • Design Principles: 4/4                  | • Data Structures: 4/4        |
| • Analysis and Design of Algorithms: 4/4  | • Database: 4/4               |
| • Foundations of Mathematics Science: 4/4 | • Probability1: 4/4           |

## SKILLS

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- **Programming:**  
Python, C, C++, SQL, HTML/CSS
- **Frameworks:**  
Pytorch, Tensorflow, Scikit-learn, Keras, Numpy, Pandas, Matplotlib, Django
- **Tools:**  
Git, MySQL, LaTeX
- **Methodologies:**  
Agile, Scrum
- **Languages:**  
English, Persian, Turkish, German, Azerbaijani
- **Softwares:**  
Anaconda, Colab, VS code, PopSQL, Postman, Visual Paradigm, Multisim.

## TRAININGS AND WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

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Summer School in Artificial Intelligence <i>IPM Institute For Research In Fundamental Sciences</i>	Jul 7th 2023 -present
Machine Learning Specialization (3 Courses) Certification <i>Stanford University and Deeplearning.ai</i>	May 2023 - Jul 2023
Retrieving, Processing, and Visualizing Data with Python Certification <i>University of Michigan</i>	Aug 2023
Natural Language Processing with Classification and Vector Spaces <i>Deeplearning.ai</i>	Aug 2023

## PROJECTS

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Hate Speech Detection using Transformers(Under Preparation) Currently working on Hate Speech Detection using Transformers, aiming for impressive accuracy across 7 languages.	May 2023 - present
<b>Labs 109! Efficient Python Problem Implementations</b> Addressed multiple problems by considering their complexity and limited execution time.	Jan 2023 - Jun 2023
<b>Online Restaurant System's Design Principles</b> Designed principles such as creating class diagrams, use cases, and sequence diagrams.	Jan 2023 - Jun 2023
<b>Assessment of a robot's position in a three-dimensional space.</b> Implemented Using methods such as the lexical analyzer and the syntax analyzer in Python.	Oct 2022 - Dec 2022
<b>Life Expectancy Prediction Project</b> A model to predict life expectancy using Linear Regression.	Oct 2022
<b>An e-commerce website created for selling various products</b> Independently built an e-commerce website, integrating Django and Python.	Jul 2022 - Sep 2022
<b>Online Examination Website for Educational Institutions</b> <i>Freelance Project</i> Built with Django and includes various features.	Jan 2021 - July 2021
<b>A database for language schools</b> Utilized SQL Server to organize data about teachers, students, and courses.	Jan 2022 - Jun 2019
<b>A Portfolio Design Website for Users</b> Created Models of a Portfolio Website for Users with ORM.	Jan 2021 - Jun 2021