

# Saeid Akhavan

## Curriculum Vitae

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### Education

#### PhD

Graduated in 2018 **PhD of Computer Engineering-Network**, *University of Tehran*, Dept of Electrical and Computer Engineering, *GPA – 17.3/20*.

Relevant Course Work (All with grades A+ or A): Advanced Networks, Performance Analysis of Computer Networks, Bio Inspired Computation, Social Networks, Advanced E-Learning

#### Master of Science

2009–2011 **Master of Information Technology Engineering**, *Sharif University of Technology*, International Campus, *GPA – 17.3/20*.

Relevant Course Work (All with grades A+ or A): Modeling and Analysing of Computer Networks, Stochastic Processes, Advanced English course, Semantic Web, Network Security, Advanced Distributed Systems, Signals and Systems, Wireless Networks, Advanced Network Security, Interconnection Networks.

#### Bachelor of Science

2004–2009 **Bachelor of Software Engineering**, *University of Isfahan*, Dept of Computer Engineering, *Relevant Course work GPA – 17/20*.

Relevant Course Work: Algorithms Design (19.5/20), Data Structures (19/20), Software Engineering I (18.9/20), Design and Development of Programming Languages (19/20), Artificial Intelligence (17.5/20), Internship (19/20), English Language Course (18/20), Computer Architecture Lab (18/20).

### Sabbatical

Title *One year research associate at University of Colorado Boulder, USA.*  
Supervisor Dr. Behrouz Touri, University of California San Diego.  
Supervisor Dr. Jason Marden, University of California Santa Barbara.

### PhD Thesis

Title *Improving the Throughput of Vehicular Networks*  
Supervisor Dr. Ahmad Khonsari.

### Master Thesis

Title *An Intelligent Routing in Vehicular Ad Hoc Networks*  
Supervisor Dr. Faramarz Hendessi.

### Bachelor Thesis

Title *Map Generating Using Laser Sensor*  
Supervisor Dr. Amir Monadjemi.

## Awards and Honors

- 2011 Among **top 10** selected students of the PhD entrance exam in my country.
- 2015-2016 Awarded **Full Scholarship** for visiting the University of Colorado Boulder, USA, for one year as research associate.
- 2011-2017 Awarded **Full Scholarship** to study at University of Tehran for PhD program.
- 2007 **Ranked 4th**, International Robocup Competition, Member of "UI-AI" team, 3D Development Soccer Simulation League, Atlanta, USA.
- 2007 **Ranked 5th**, International Robocup Competition, Member of "UI-AI" team, 3D Soccer Simulation League, Atlanta, USA.
- 2008 **Ranked 7th**, Certificate of Achievement for the ACM Asia Programming, Among over 80 teams in Asia Regional Competition, Tehran Site.
- 2008 **Ranked First**, TAC-SCM, Local Contest at University of Isfahan, Iran.

## Research Interests

- Communication Networks
- Algorithm Design
- Mathematical Modeling & Algorithm Design
- Distributed Computation and Optimization
- Machine Learning

## Publications

- 2018 "Cooperative Caching for Content Dissemination in Vehicular Networks", Saeid Akhavan Bitaghsir., Dr. Ahmad Khonsari, Journal of Communication Systems.
- 2017 "Coded Multicasting for Content Dissemination in a Cellular Vehicular Network", Saeid Akhavan Bitaghsir., Dr. Ahmad Khonsari, IEEE Communication Letters.
- 2017 "Improving the Throughput of Vehicular Networks in Urban Environments via Cache Enabled RSUs", Saeid Akhavan Bitaghsir., Dr. Ahmad Khonsari, Journal of Telecommunication Systems.
- 2012 "VMH-DTN: A Vehicle Movements History based Routing Protocol for Delay Tolerant Networks", Saeid Akhavan Bitaghsir, Dr. Faramarz Hendessi.
- 2011 "An Intelligent Routing Protocol for Delay Tolerant Networks using Genetic Algorithm", LNCS Springer, Saeid Akhavan Bitaghsir, Dr. Faramarz Hendessi.
- 2008 "UI-AI3D 2008 Team Description", Saeid Akhavan Bitaghsir et. al., In the proceedings CD, RoboCup 2008, Suzhou, China.
- 2008 "UI-AI3D Development 2008 Team Description", Saeid Akhavan Bitaghsir et. al., In the proceedings CD, RoboCup 2008, Suzhou, China.
- 2008 "BamRescue 2008 Team Description", Arash Givchi, Nader Nikbakht, Saeid Akhavan, Dr.Zamanifar. In the proceedings CD, RoboCup 2008, Suzhou, China.

- 2007 "UI-AI3D 2007 Team Description", Saeid Akhavan Bitaghsir et. al., In the proceedings CD, RoboCup 2007, Atlanta, USA.
- 2007 "UI-AI3D Development 2007 Team Description", Saeid Akhavan Bitaghsir et. al., In the proceedings CD, RoboCup 2007, Atlanta, USA.

## Teaching Experiences

- Fall 2017 Computer Networks Lab, Lecturer, Department of Electrical & Computer Engineering, University of Tehran.
- Winter 2016 Computer Networks, Lecturer, Department of Computer Engineering, University of Ashrafi Isfahani.
- Winter 2016 Operating Systems Lab, Lecturer, Department of Computer Engineering, University of Ashrafi Isfahani.
- Winter 2009 Algorithms Design. Teaching Assistant, Department of Computer Engineering, University of Isfahan.
- Fall 2009 Theory of Languages and Automata. Teaching Assistant, Department of Computer Engineering, University of Isfahan.
- Winter 2009 Discrete Mathematics. Teaching Assistant, Department of Computer Engineering, University of Isfahan.

## Work Experiences

- 2013-2016 Team manager of " Security Research Center, National project, Library of Attacks, Threats and Vulnerabilities of Network Appliances", Iran Telecommunication Research Center (ITRC), Tehran, Iran.
- 2011-2014 Advisor of National Smart ID Card Project, Sharif University of Technology, Tehran, Iran.
- 2010-2011 Member of National Connected Vehicle Technology (CVT) Project, Sharif University of Technology, Tehran, Iran.
- 2009-2011 Member of National Security Operation Center (SOC) Project, Iran Systems and Automation Company (IRISA), Isfahan, Iran.
- 2012-now researcher of Institute of Physics and Mathematics (IPM), Tehran, Iran.
- 2009-2010 Member of REM (Revenue Evaluation Management) and KM (Knowledge Management) Project, Iran Systems and Automation Company (IRISA), Isfahan, Iran.
- 2008-2009 Member of "Isfahan Iron Company PCS Project" Team, Iran Systems and Automation Company (IRISA), Isfahan, Iran.

## Language Test Score

TOEFL score: 585 Paper-Based Test, 95 Internet-Based Test (10 Nov. 2010).  
Also I have been in USA for one year as a research associate in 2016.

## Research Experience

- 2012-2018 Research on Improving the Throughput of Vehicular Ad Hoc Networks, Advisor: Dr. A. Khonsari.
- 2011-2012 Research on Developing an Intelligent Routing Protocol for DTN Networks, Sharif University of Technology ,Advisor: Dr. F. Hendessi.
- 2010-2011 Research on Merging AI Planning and Semantic Web, SNLab, Sharif University of Technology, Advisor: Dr. M. Sadighi.
- 2010-2011 Research on Network Application Layer Threats and Countermeasures, Sharif University of Technology, Advisor: Dr. A. Nemaney Pour.
- 2009-2010 Research on Map Generating using Laser Sensor as a part of undergraduate thesis ,University of Isfahan. Advisors: Dr. Amir Hassan Monadjemi.
- 2008-2009 Research on Developing an Ontology-Based Recommender System, UI-AI Labs, University of Isfahan. Advisor: Dr. K. Zamanifar.
- 2007-2008 Research on Robot Motion and Trajectory Planning in 3D Soccer Simulation, UI-AI Team, UI-AI Lab, University of Isfahan. Advisor: Dr. M.R. Yazdchi.
- 2007-2008 Research on Cooperation and Collaboration Methods in 2D and 3D Soccer Simulation, Persis Team, UI-AI Lab, University of Isfahan. Advisor: Dr. K. Zamanifar.
- 2008-2009 Research on Developing an Expert TAC-SCM (Supply Chain Management) Agent, E-Commerce Lab, University of Isfahan. Advisor: Dr. Mohammad Ali Nematbakhsh.
- 2007-2008 Research on Designing Algorithms for ACM Programming, ACM-Lab, Department of Computer Engineering, University of Isfahan. Advisor: Dr. Ahmad Barani-Dastjerdi.
- 2008-2009 Research on Developing a Rescue Robot Agent for Robocup Virtual Rescue Simulation Competition, UI-AI Labs, University of Isfahan. Advisor: Dr. K. Zamanifar.

## Computer skills

Simulation Environment	NS-2, Castalia, Opnet, Omnet++, Matlab, SUMO, MOVE, VanetMobiSim, Veins.
Programming Languages	C#, C++, Java, python.
Operaing System	Linux (Ubuntu, Fedora), Windows.
Database	SQL Server, MySQL.

## References

1. Dr. Ahmad Khonsari, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Tehran, Tehran, Iran, E-Mail: ak@ipm.ir.
2. Dr. Behrouz Touri, Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of San Diego, California, USA, E-Mail: btouri@eng.ucsd.edu.
3. Dr. Jason Marden, Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Santa Barbara, California, USA, E-Mail: jrmarden@ece.ucsb.edu.
4. Dr. Amirali Baniasadi, Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Victoria, Canada, E-Mail: amirali@ece.uvic.ca.

5. Dr. Mohammad Khansari, Faculty of New Sciences and Technologies, University of Tehran, Tehran, Iran, E-Mail: m.khansari@ut.ac.ir.