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#### Education

• Ph.D. in Computer Engineering, Louisiana State University

Sep. 2019 - Current

• M.Sc. in Artificial Intelligence and Robotics, Shahid Chamran University of Ahvaz

Apr. 2018

• Thesis: Designing a deep learning network for detection of face images

• B.Sc. in Computer Engineering, Shahid Chamran University of Ahvaz

Jul. 2015

• Thesis: Designing a recommender system for breast cancer patients

#### **Publications**

- 1. M. Rezayi, **E. Ravanbakhsh** et al. "Assessing the effect of image quality on SSD and Faster R-CNN networks for face detection," ICEE2019, 2019
- 2. **E. Ravanbakhsh** et al. "Comparison between EM and FCM algorithms in skin tone extraction," 1st International Conference on Advances Research on Electrical and Computer Engineering, 2016

## Experience

• Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA **Research Assistant** *Center for Computation and Technology (CCT)* 

Sep. 2019-2020

• Shahid Chamran University of Ahvaz, Iran **Teaching Assistant** *Deep Learning* 

Spring 2018

#### **Research Interests**

• Deep Learning

Computer Vision

Object Detection

• Image Analysis

• Person Re-identification

## **Selected Projects**

Deep Learning	Pose-driven deep learning models for Person re-identification, Enhancing a base Re-ID model using Instance Segmentation, Pose Estimation on Market-1501 dataset, Fall 2020
Deep Learning	Designing a CNN model for detecting potential pollinators of herbarium specimens. Exploring visualization techniques to identify floral traits that are discriminative in detection, Spring 2020
Deep Learning	Building a character-level LSTM network to generate names and classification, Fall 2019
Deep Learning	Exploring generation task by Implementing a convolutional variational auto encoder and CGAN, Spring 2019
Deep Learning	Designing a Joint face detection and gender recognition model using SSD network on the very challenging IMDB dataset, spring 2018
Machine Learning	Assessing accuracy of a Face Recognition model using Eigenface, Fisherface and Laplacianface, Fall 2016
Computer Architecture	Implementation of a simulator for an 8-stages pipeline, Spring 2020

# **Skills**

Programming Python, C/C++

Pythonn Libraries PyTorch, TensorFlow, Keras, Caffe, OpenCV, Pandas, Numpy, Scipy

GPU Programming CUDA, OpenGL, GLSL

Computer Vision Object detection, Object tracking, Image Enhancement, Image Reconstruction,

Image filtering

Miscellaneous Git, LATEX, MATLAB, X86 and MIPS Assembly

## **Selected Courses**

• Machine Learning

Visual Image Analysis
Statistical Pattern Recognition

Deep Learning
Artificial Neural Networks

GPU Programming

• GPU Micro-architecture

• Adv. Computer Architecture

• Autonomous Mobile Robots

## References

Available upon request