



# BAŞAR YILMAZ

## Computer Engineering Student

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### Hard Skill

- Python
- C/C++
- REST API
- MySQL
- Django

### Related Courses

- Operating Systems
- Embedded System Development
- Algorithms
- Database Management Systems and File Structures

### Education Background

- Middle East Technical University, Ankara  
*Computer Engineering*  
2022 - Present | CGPA: 3.47
- Bilkent University, Ankara  
*Computer Science*  
2020 - 2022 | CGPA: 3.56
- Trabzon Science High School  
2016 - 2020

### About Me

I am a hardworking computer engineering student actively pursuing opportunities for part-time employment or an internship. I excel at solving software-related challenges and am motivated by a strong desire to expand my knowledge in AI, machine learning, and web applications. I am currently enhancing my skills through certification courses in machine learning while concurrently working as an undergraduate researcher, focusing on recommendation systems.

### Work Experience

#### Siu Digital Production and Technology | Software Intern

July 2023 – Sep 2023

Key responsibilities:

- Observed and participated in end-to-end project development, from ideation to deployment.
- Acquired practical experience in machine learning, including research and model implementation for project requirements.
- Developed a comprehensive understanding of the backend architecture and web components, contributing to a holistic view of real-world software development.
- Assisted in testing client-server network components.

#### Middle East Technical University | Undergraduate Researcher

Nov 2023 – Present

**Advisors:** Prof. İsmail Sengör Altingövde, Prof. Pinar Karagöz, Prof. İsmail Hakkı Toroslu

**Research Topic:** Recommendation systems (Funded by TUBITAK)

Key responsibilities:

- Researching and implementing embedding models to enhance the performance of recommendation systems.
- Developing improved solutions for processing user interaction data.
- Identifying and preprocessing widely recognized datasets for evaluation with open-source models.
- Contributing to the enhancement of recommendation system capabilities through innovative approaches and model evaluation.

## Language

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- English (C1)
- Turkish (Native)

## References

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- Available upon request

## Activities

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| 2022 – 2023 | Key roles in a Java OOP project: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Utilized PostgreSQL for data processing</li><li>• Designed project-wide inheritance structure</li><li>• Contributed to all stages of programming</li></ul> |
| 2012 – 2018 | Achieved success in numerous local chess tournaments.   |

## Certifications

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- Supervised Machine Learning: Regression and Classification
  - *DeepLearningAI | September 2023*
- Advanced Learning Algorithms
  - *DeepLearningAI | November 2023*