

## Curriculum Vita

### Civil Engineer

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## Education

- September 2020 **Eastern Mediterranean University**, Famagusta, Cyprus  
Ph.D. Civil Engineering-Construction Management  
*BIM/Digital Twin-Based Construction Progress Monitoring through Reality Capture to Extended Reality (DRX).*
- August 2019 **Northwestern University**, Evanston, Illinois, USA  
MSc. Project Management (MPM)  
*Extended Reality Technologies in AEC Education Environment. A Case Study: MPM Program at Northwestern University.*
- July 2012 **Eastern Mediterranean University**, Famagusta, Cyprus  
MSc. Civil Engineering-Construction Management  
*Integration of Building Information Modeling and Laser Scanning in Construction Industry.*
- August 2008 **Azad Science and Research University**, Maragheh, Iran  
B.S. Civil Engineering

## Academic/ Teaching Experience

- 2022- Present **Northwestern University**, Project Management Program, Evanston, Illinois, USA  
Guest Lecturer  
*Course Name: Disruptive Technologies in Construction*
- 2020- Present Seminar Speaker  
*The impact of Extended Reality (XR) technologies on the design & construction industry*  
*The impact of emerging technologies & multidisciplinary innovations on AEC industry*
- 2019- Present Researcher  
*Collaborating with and contributing to the development of research projects to publish research articles, reports, and project proposals*
- 2018- 2019 Teaching Assistant  
*Assisted the department in running graduate courses (MSc) and facilitated the work of a VR/AR/MR laboratory including the setup and equipment management*

- 2021- Present **Jönköping University**, Department of Construction Engineering, Sweden  
Guest Lecturer  
*Course Name: Construction technologies-Knowledge intensive BIM*
- 2020- Present Seminar Speaker  
*BIM/Digital Twin-Based Construction Progress Monitoring  
BIM, XR, and Digital Twins in AEC industry*
- 2014- 2016 **Eastern Mediterranean University**, Civil Engineering Department, Turkey  
Instructor  
*Developed and taught Civil Engineering Drawing and Surveying courses to undergraduate students*
- 2011-2016 Virtual Reality Laboratory Director  
*Directed and run the Immersive Virtual Reality Laboratory in Technology Park to guide students with their projects*
- 2010- 2017 Teaching Assistant  
*Assisted in teaching and tutoring undergraduate and graduate courses including Building Information Modeling (BIM), Construction Management, Construction Technology, Project Management, Surveying, Safety Management, Architectural Design, and Construction Drawing*

## Professional Experience

- 2023- Present **SmithGroup**, Chicago, Illinois, USA  
Civil Engineer  
*Preparing civil drawings and permit applications for commercial, residential, and industrial land development projects*
- 2020- 2022 **Design Studio 24 (DS24)**, Chicago, Illinois, USA  
Civil Engineer  
*Designing site grading, utility systems, and erosion control plans; analyzing water, sanitary sewer, and storm water management; preparing construction documents, hydraulic and hydrologic calculations, plan sets, details, and specifications; responding to regulatory agencies' comments and concerns; and preparing permit applications for commercial, residential, and industrial land development projects*
- 2019- 2020 **HelixRE**, San Mateo, California / Chicago, Illinois, USA  
BIM Coordinator (Scan-to-BIM)  
*Delivered scan-to-BIM models and final submittal quality assurance control and coordination for the projects below:  
Skender-110 N. Wacker, Chicago, Illinois  
JLL-200 E Randolph, Chicago, Illinois  
Bank of America-110 N Wacker Drive, Chicago, Illinois  
Google Building GWC5-2375 Garcia Ave, Mountain View, CA  
Google Building 43-1600 Amphitheater PKWY, Mountain View, CA*
- 2007- 2010 **Niaresh Steel Structures**, Tehran, Iran  
Project Manager  
*Mehr Residential Buildings (3,330 residential units)*

*Kohenoor commercial complex (452,000 sq. ft.)*

- 2006-2007      Construction Manager  
*Ajodanieh residential complex (150,000 sq. ft.)*
- 2005-2006      Project Engineer  
*Saadatabad residential complex (84,400 sq. ft.)*

## Publications

### Peer-Reviewed Journal Papers

- Alizadehsalehi, S., Hadavi, A. (2023). Synergies of Lean, BIM, and Extended Reality (LBX) for Project Delivery Management. *Sustainability*. 15(6):4969.
- Kor, M., Yitmen, I., & Alizadehsalehi, S. (2022). “An investigation for integration of deep learning and digital twins towards Construction 4.0.” *Smart and Sustainable Built Environment*.
- Alizadehsalehi, S., & Yitmen, I. (2021). “Digital twin-based progress monitoring management model through reality capture to extended reality technologies (DRX).” *Smart and Sustainable Built Environment*.
- Alizadehsalehi, S., Hadavi, A., & Huang, J. C. (2021). “Assessment of AEC Students’ Performance Using BIM-into-VR”. *Applied Sciences*, 11(7), 3225.
- Yitmen, I., Alizadehsalehi, S., Akıner, İ., & Akıner, M. E. (2021). “An Adapted Model of Cognitive Digital Twins for Building Lifecycle Management.” *Applied Sciences*, 11(9), 4276.
- Alizadehsalehi, S., Hadavi, A., & Huang, J. C. (2020). “From BIM to extended reality in AEC industry.” *Automation in Construction*, 116, 103254.
- Muhammad, A. A., Yitmen, I., Alizadehsalehi, S., & Celik, T. (2019). “Adoption of Virtual Reality (VR) for site layout optimization of construction projects.” *Teknik Dergi*, 31(2), 9833-9850.
- Alizadehsalehi, S., Yitmen, I., Celik, T., & Arditi, D. (2020). “The effectiveness of an integrated BIM/UAV model in managing safety on construction sites.” *International journal of occupational safety and ergonomics*, 26(4), 829-844.
- Alizadehsalehi, S., & Yitmen, I. (2018). “Modeling and analysis of the impact of BIM-based field data capturing technologies on automated construction progress monitoring.” *International Journal of Civil Engineering*, 16(12), 1669-1685.
- Alizadehsalehi, S., & Yitmen, I. (2019). “A concept for automated construction progress monitoring: technologies adoption for benchmarking project performance control.” *Arabian Journal for Science and Engineering*, 44(5), 4993-5008.

## Peer-Reviewed Conference Proceedings

- Alizadehsalehi, S., Hadavi, A., & Huang, J. C. (2019, June). "BIM/MR-Lean construction project delivery management system." *In 2019 IEEE Technology & Engineering Management Conference (TEMSCON)* (pp. 1-6).
- Alizadehsalehi, S., Hadavi, A., & Huang, J. C. (2019). "Virtual reality for design and construction education environment." *In AEI 2019: Integrated Building Solutions—The National Agenda*. Reston, VA: American Society of Civil Engineers (pp. 193-203).
- Ebrahimi, P. R., Alizadehsalehi, S., & Mosaberpanah, M. A. (2019, November). "Interactions of Sustainability and BIM in Support of Existing Buildings." *In International Conference on Sustainable Infrastructure 2019: Leading Resilient Communities through the 21st Century*. Reston, VA: American Society of Civil Engineers (pp. 216-225).
- Alizadehsalehi, S., Asnafi, M., Yitmen, I., & Celik, T. (2017, June). "UAS-BIM based real-time hazard identification and safety monitoring of construction projects." *In 9th Nordic Conference on Construction Economics and Organization 13-14 June, 2017 at Chalmers University of Technology, Göteborg, SWEDEN* (Vol. 13, p. 22).
- Alizadehsalehi, S., & Yitmen, I. "Impact of the Virtual Collaboration on Project Progress Monitoring in the Construction Industry." *In AEI 2017, American Society of Civil Engineers* (pp. 964-982).
- Alizadehsalehi, S., & Yitmen, I. (2016). "The impact of field data capturing technologies on automated construction project progress monitoring." *Procedia engineering* (161, 97-103).
- Alizadehsalehi, S., Koseoglu, O., & Celikag, M. (2015). "Integration of building information modeling (BIM) and laser scanning in construction industry." *In AEI 2015, American Society of Civil Engineers* (pp. 163-174).

## Book Chapters

- Yitmen, I., & Alizadehsalehi, S. (2023). "Enabling Technologies for Cognitive Digital Twins towards Construction 4.0." *In Cognitive Digital Twins for Smart Lifecycle Management of Built Environment and Infrastructure: Challenges, Opportunities and Practices*. CRC Press.
- Yitmen, I., & Alizadehsalehi, S. (2023). "Synopsis of Construction 4.0-based Digital Twins to Cognitive Digital Twins." *In Cognitive Digital Twins for Smart Lifecycle Management of Built Environment and Infrastructure: Challenges, Opportunities and Practices*. CRC Press.
- Yitmen, I., Alizadehsalehi, S., Akiner, I., & Akiner, M.E., (2023). "Integration of Digital Twins, Blockchain and AI in Metaverse: Enabling Technologies and Challenges." *In Cognitive Digital Twins for Smart Lifecycle Management of Built Environment and Infrastructure: Challenges, Opportunities and Practices*. CRC Press.
- Yitmen, I., Alizadehsalehi, S., Akiner, I., & Akiner, M.E., (2023). "Knowledge graph-based approach for adopting Cognitive Digital Twins in Shop-floor of Modular Production." *In Cognitive Digital Twins for Smart Lifecycle Management of Built Environment and Infrastructure: Challenges, Opportunities and Practices*. CRC Press.

Yitmen, I., & Alizadehsalehi, S. (2021). "Overview of Cyber-Physical Systems and Enabling Technologies in Cognitive Computing for Smart Built Environment." *In BIM-enabled Cognitive Computing for Smart Built Environment (pp. 1-20)*. CRC Press.

Yitmen, I., & Alizadehsalehi, S. (2021). "Towards a Digital Twin-based Smart Built Environment." *In BIM-enabled Cognitive Computing for Smart Built Environment (pp. 21-44)*. CRC Press.

### **Manuscripts under Preparation/ Review**

Hadavi, A., Alizadehsalehi, S. "Metaverse in AEC." *Journal of Automation in Construction, Elsevier*

Hadavi, A., Alizadehsalehi, S., "Metaverse for AEC: A SWOT Analysis." *ASCE International Conference on Computing in Civil Engineering 2023*.

### **Academic service**

2022- Present	Editorial Review Board, <i>Smart and Sustainable Built Environment</i> , Emerald
2022- Present	Editorial Board, <i>Journal of Sustainability</i> , MDPI
2021- Present	Guest Editor, Special issue on future prospects of BIM management for sustainability in smart built environment, <i>Sustainability-Green Buildings</i> , MDPI
2021- Present	Guest Editor, Special issue on extended reality as a design research tool, <i>Virtual Reality in Industry</i> , Frontiers
2021- Present	Journal Paper Reviewer, <i>International Journal of Construction Management</i> , Taylor & Francis
2021- Present	Journal Paper Reviewer, <i>Architectural Engineering and Design Management</i> , Taylor & Francis
2020- Present	Journal Paper Reviewer, <i>Advanced Engineering Informatics</i> , Elsevier
2020- Present	Journal Paper Reviewer, <i>Civil Engineering Education</i> , ASCE
2020- Present	Journal Paper Reviewer, <i>Virtual Reality</i> , Springer
2020- Present	Journal Paper Reviewer, <i>Information Technology in Construction</i> , ITcon
2019- Present	Journal Paper Reviewer, <i>Management in Engineering</i> , ASCE
2019- Present	Journal Paper Reviewer, <i>Civil Engineering and Management</i> , Taylor & Francis
2018- Present	Journal Paper Reviewer, <i>Engineering, Construction and Architectural Management</i> , Emerald

### **Awards**

2018	Research Project Grant, Northwestern University, Project management Program
2012	Full Scholarship, Eastern Mediterranean University to pursue Ph.D. Degree
2010	Full Scholarship, Eastern Mediterranean University to pursue MSc. Degree

## Language Skills

English

Farsi/Persian

Turkish

Azerbaijani

## Membership to Professional Institutes/Societies

American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE)

Architectural Engineering Institute (AEI)

Technology & Engineering Management (IEEE)

National Society of Professional Engineers (NSPE)

Project Management Institute (PMI)

## Certifications/Licenses

2022	The Metaverse and the Future of Work
2021	Occupational Safety and Health Administration (30H-OSHA)
2021	Designated Erosion Control Inspector (DECI)
2020	Construction Management: Project Delivery Methods
2019	Revit: AR and VR Workflow
2019	BIM Manager: Managing CAD Standards
2019	BIM Foundation
(In progress -2023)	Principles and Practice of Engineering (PE) Civil: Construction (Registered)
(In progress -2023)	LEED Green Associate (Registered)
(In progress -2023)	Real Estate License (Registered)

## Volunteering

2016	<b>Danish Refugee Council (DRC)</b> , Thisted, Denmark Consultant and translator Center of children under 18 years old
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