

# Mohsen Taleb

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## OBJECTIVE:

Utilizing, expanding and exploring my creative design and programming skills to build simple, yet attractive websites that people enjoy working with them! I might work for you as a Freelancer / Contractor.

## SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

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- Creative, self-motivated **Web Designer, Information Architect** and **Usability** expert with **9 years** of extensive and diverse experience in a number of large-scale and interactive projects
- Expert **XHTML & Hand-Code CSS** developer, highly experienced in **Standard Web Design** and table-less layouts
- Expert **JavaScript** developer, strong familiarity with majority of JS frameworks (**Mootools**, Prototype, jQuery, etc)
- Expert **PHP/MySQL** developer, experienced in several open-source projects, **Drupal, Magento**, etc.
- Comprehensive knowledge in **OOP**
- Qualified in **Web2.0** technologies (**AJAX**, etc)
- **SEO** engineering knowledge
- Skilled in **XML**-based languages, **XSLT**, etc
- Vast knowledge in network infrastructure, **LANs**, **WANs**.
- Hands on experience in **Database** schema design
- Highly qualified in most webpage and graphics editing softwares, including **Adobe Dreamweaver**, **Adobe Photoshop** and **Adobe Illustrator**.

## PERSONAL STRENGTHS

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- Enthusiast for continuous researching, staying abreast of industry-wide changes, new tools and technologies
- Able to work effectively in diverse and dynamic environments as a team player or team manager
- Strong attention to details
- Suggesting innovations
- Ability to plan workload to meet deadlines
- Communicating with people effectively, tactfully and efficiently
- Ability to think from the consumer's point of view

## RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

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- **2011, May – Hamkaran System (aka. SystemGroup)**  
[www.systemgroup.net](http://www.systemgroup.net)  
**Built with:** PHP, MySQL, JavaScript, CSS  
**My Roles:** *Graphic Designer, Photographer, Client-side Developer, PHP Developer*  
*The leading and the biggest software company in Iran, with 8 active subsidiaries each specialized in different IT fields.*  
*This website is based on Drupal. A highly maintainable javascript resource manager is developed for this project, along with 1 module for drupal.*
- **2011, January – Hostiran**  
[www.hostiran.net](http://www.hostiran.net)  
**Built with:** PHP, MySQL, JavaScript, XHTML, CSS  
**My Roles:** *Project Manager, PHP Developer*  
*A Redesign.*
- **2010, August – Ketabe Avval (Official Tehran Yellow Pages)**  
[www.avval.ir](http://www.avval.ir)  
**Built with:** ASP.Net, SQL Server, JavaScript, XHTML, CSS  
**My Roles:** *Project Manager, Javascript Developer*  
*Under Development.*
- **2009, October – Atieh Dadeh Pardaz (Adp Digital)**  
[www.adpdigital.com](http://www.adpdigital.com)  
**Built with:** PHP, MySQL, JavaScript, XHTML, CSS  
**My Roles:** *PHP Developer, Graphic Designer*  
*ADP delivers innovative mobile messaging services in Iran, since 2002. The vast majority of banks within the country use it's mobile banking solutions for years.*  
*The website is based on Drupal CMS.*
- **2008, August – Tvonics**

[www.tvonics.com](http://www.tvonics.com)

**Built with:** PHP, MySQL, JavaScript, XHTML, CSS

**My Roles:** *PHP Developer*

*Tvonics is a london based company, specialised in designing and manufacturing FREEVIEW™ boxes and FREEVIEW+™ digital television recorders. This website is actually an online shop based on Magento.*

- **2008, July –Sam Service**

[www.samservice.com](http://www.samservice.com)

**Built with:** ASP.Net 2.0, SQL Server 2005, JavaScript, XHTML, CSS

**My Roles:** *Client-Side Developer (JavaScript), Graphic Designer*

*Sam Service, with over 550 service centres within the country, supports, offers and provides warranty services of SAMSUNG products. This site features some outstanding facilities for finding products and comparing between them.*

*It's a completely web standards compliant.*

*Browser Compatibility: IE6+, Firefox1.5+, Opera, Safari*

- **2008, January – iHome real estates database ("Khaane-ye-man" in Persian)**

[www.ihome.ir](http://www.ihome.ir)

**Built with:** ASP.Net 2.0, SQL Server 2005, JavaScript, XHTML, CSS

**My Roles:** *Client-Side Developer (JavaScript), Graphic Designer*

*The most comprehensive online real estates database in Tehran. With its user-friendly interface, one can easily find his ideal home for rental or purchase, view it on the map, and compare with similar sales.*

*Simplicity on providing information for target users of this website who want to painlessly choose only one, out of this messy data was the key principle in mind in designing iHome.*

*It's a completely web standards compliant.*

*Browser Compatibility: IE6+, Firefox1.5+, Opera, Safari*

- **2007, November – Hostiran, Web hosting service provider**

[www.hostiran.net](http://www.hostiran.net)

**Built with:** PHP, MySQL, JavaScript, XHTML, CSS

**My Roles:** *Client-Side Developer (JavaScript), Graphic Designer*

*Browser Compatibility: IE6+, Firefox1.5+, Opera, Safari*

- **2007, September –Taliya (Iran's 2<sup>nd</sup> mobile network operator)**

[www.taliya.ir](http://www.taliya.ir)

**Built with:** PHP, MySQL, JavaScript, XHTML, CSS

**My Roles:** *Client-Side Developer (JavaScript), Graphic Designer*

*Designed in two different layouts, English and Farsi, it benefits from exclusive pictures I shot for the company. This is actually the first website where my photography skills meet my web designing stuff. Custom navigation menu and homepage snapshot rotator written based on "mootools" framework makes this website pretty cool and unique.*

*It's a completely web standards compliant.*

Browser Compatibility: IE6+, Firefox1.5+, Opera, Safari

- **2007, July –Tehran Map Service, Ketabe Avval (Official Tehran Yellow Pages company)**  
[map.ketabeavval.ir](http://map.ketabeavval.ir)  
**Built with:** ASP.Net, SQL Server 2000, JavaScript, XHTML, CSS  
**My Roles:** *Project Manager, Client-Side Developer (JavaScript), Graphic Designer*  
*This is the first and the leading web-based map service in the whole country.*  
*It features searching through Tehran's streets with a neat, yet cross-browser graphical UI.*  
*Completely Web standards compliant.*  
*Browser Compatibility: IE6+, Firefox1.5+, Opera, Safari*
- **2007, June –Parnian Pasargad Investment Consulting Company**  
[www.pimco.ir](http://www.pimco.ir)  
**Built with:** PHP, AJAX, XHTML, CSS  
**My Roles:** *PHP Developer, Graphic Designer*  
*A very tiny Web standards compliant website.*  
*Browser Compatibility: IE6+, Firefox1.5+, Opera, Safari*
- **2007, May – Ketabe Avval (Official Tehran Yellow Pages) map-based software**  
[www.ketabeavval.ir/ebook](http://www.ketabeavval.ir/ebook)  
**Built with:** Flash, Delphi, Microsoft Access, Socket Servers  
**My Roles:** *Project Manager, Art Director and Graphic Designer*  
*The very first Yellow Pages desktop software ever!*  
*Written in Delphi as core engine and Adobe Flash as the graphical UI. With a completely user friendly interface, It features searching through Tehran's streets and more than 180,000 existing jobs in the city. Introduces over than 11,000 common places you'll surely need to know about, when you visit Tehran, including Restaurants, Cinemas, Museums, Banks, and more...*  
*A few Screenshots of the software are available in the vendor's website.*
- **2007, April – Iranian Virtual Society (Clob.com)**  
[www.clob.com](http://www.clob.com)  
**My Roles:** *Graphics Consultant*  
*The biggest Iranian friendship network with 350,000+ users.*
- **2007, January – Sakht-Afzar Farayand, Consulting Engineers Company (SAFCO)**  
[www.safengco.com](http://www.safengco.com)  
**Built with:** XHTML, CSS  
**My Roles:** *Graphic Designer*  
*A fully Web standards compliant design, Strict XHTML*  
*Browser Compatibility: IE6+, Firefox1.5+, Opera, Safari*
- **2006, August – Official Enterprise Content Managent system (ECM) for Islamic Azad University of Iran**  
**Built with:** PHP, MySQL, AJAX, XHTML, CSS

**My Roles:** *Data Analyser, Graphic Designer*

*The first Official and fully working ECM for Islamic Azad University. This Web-Based application works seamlessly – through a data center - with its desktop version installed on every branch of IAU all over the country.*

- **2006, November – Ketabe Avval (Official Tehran Yellow Pages) customer-care web application**  
**Built with:** PHP, MySQL, XHTML, CSS  
**My Roles:** *PHP Developer, Database Designer (MySQL), Graphics Designer*  
*Includes an online survey, and a report generator*
- **2006, September – Ketabe Avval (Official Tehran Yellow Pages) Persian websites directory**  
[dir.ketabeavval.ir](http://dir.ketabeavval.ir)  
**Built with:** ASP.Net, SQL Server 2000, JavaScript, XHTML, CSS  
**My Roles:** *Project Manager, Client-Side Developer (JavaScript), Graphic Designer*  
*The first Iranian Websites directory implemented with Web2.0 concepts.*
- **2006, January – Ketabe Avval (Official Tehran Yellow Pages) official weblog**  
[weblog.ketabeavval.ir](http://weblog.ketabeavval.ir)  
**Built with:** PHP, MySQL, XHTML, CSS  
**My Roles:** *PHP Developer, Graphic Designer*  
*Based on WordPress 1.5, fully customized for the company.*  
*Completely Web standards compliant.*
- **2005, January – Isar Gostaraan Fajr official website**  
[www.ifcoc.com](http://www.ifcoc.com)  
**Built with:** PHP, MySQL, JavaScript, XHTML, CSS  
**My Roles:** *PHP Developer, Database Designer, Graphic Designer*
- **2005, July – Ketabe Avval (Official Tehran Yellow Pages) official website**  
[www.ketabeavval.ir](http://www.ketabeavval.ir)  
**Built with:** ASP.Net, SQL Server, JavaScript, XHTML, CSS  
**My Roles:** *Systems Analyser, Art Director, Graphic Designer*  
*Actually it was a fully redesigned version of the company's previous website, with completely different ideas and concepts, After that, it became a Light, user friendly, cross-browser website. Its visitors are still increasing!*  
*Web standard compliant.*
- **2004, September – Parsiphone Inc. official website**  
[www.parsiphone.com](http://www.parsiphone.com)  
**Built with:** XHTML, JavaScript, CSS  
**My Roles:** *Graphic Designer*
- **2004, October – Ketabe Avval (Official Tehran Yellow Pages) Tehran map service (beta version)**

[map.ketabeavval.ir](http://map.ketabeavval.ir)

**Built with:** ASP.Net, SQL Server, JavaScript, HTML, CSS

**My Roles:** *Graphic Designer*

- **2004, May – Implementing a Database Management System (DBMS) using plain-text files**

**Built with:** PHP, MySQL, HTML, CSS

**My Roles:** *PHP Developer*

*Actually it was a project for a university course. It includes the basic operations of a DBMS, Adding/Editing/Deleting Rows and Columns, Ability to define multiple data types for storage, searching, sorting, and much more!*

- **2003, December – My own official weblog**

[weblog.mohsentaleb.com](http://weblog.mohsentaleb.com)

**Built with:** PHP, MySQL, JavaScript, HTML, CSS

**My Roles:** *PHP Developer, Graphic Designer*

- **2003, December – Pratique online shopping store**

[www.pratique.ws](http://www.pratique.ws)

**Built with:** PHP, MySQL, HTML, CSS

**My Roles:** *PHP Developer, Database Designer*

- **2003, November – Official Website for Iranian bloggers attending at the 1<sup>st</sup> Tehran International Web, Wap and e-Publications Festival**

[www.intwebfest.com](http://www.intwebfest.com)

**Built with:** PHP, MySQL, JavaScript, HTML, CSS

**My Roles:** *Graphic Designer*

- **2003, October – Message-Center application for graduated telecommunication students of Iran**

**Built with:** PHP, MySQL, HTML, CSS

**My Roles:** *PHP Developer, Database Designer*

- **2002, December – 1<sup>st</sup> young directors awards festival (featuring Sony Electronics)**

[www.youngdirectorsawards.com](http://www.youngdirectorsawards.com)

**Built with:** ASP, HTML

**My Roles:** *Graphic Designer*

- **2002, November – Technology law studies center (a branch of ITAN when I used to work then)**

[www.techlaw.com](http://www.techlaw.com)

**Built with:** ASP, HTML, CSS

**My Roles:** *Graphic Designer*

- **2002, August – IT studies committee**

**Built with:** ASP, HTML, CSS

**My Roles:** *Graphic Designer*

- **2001, May – Razi Vaccine and Serum Research Institute official website**

**Built with:** HTML

**My Roles:** *Graphic Designer*

*The very first years of touching the Web!*

**Note:** *As some of these works may not be online at the time you read this (due to hosting expiration or discontinuing of the business, etc), I might send you their latest screenshots upon request.*

## EMPLOYMENT

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- **2010-Present – Freelancer**
- **2008-2009 – Leftfield-Digital – Tehran, Iran.**  
*Programmer*
- **2004-2007 – Ketabe Avval (Official Tehran Yellow Pages) – Tehran, Iran.**  
*Webmaster, Lead Project Manager*
- **2002-2003 - Iran Technology Analysis Network (ITAN) – Tehran, Iran.**  
*Graphics Designer, Programmer*  
ITAN is governmental IT department

## EDUCATION

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- Master of IT Management (Islamic Azad University – Science & Research Campus, Tehran, Iran, 2008-Present)
- B.Sc in computer software engineering (Islamic Azad University of Karaj, Iran, 2001-2005)  
**Thesis: Building an e-Commerce website from scratch**

## OTHER SKILLS

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Professional photography ([Check out my photostream on Flickr](#)) or see my online gallery

## INTERESTS

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- Photography
- Aviation
- Swimming
- Hanging out

## REFERENCES

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Available upon request.

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