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#### **COURSES TAUGHT:**

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- Digital Logic Design

- · Data Security and Encryption
- Information Security and Assurance
- Network Security
- Information Security
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- Communication and Embedded System

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# **EDUCATION:**

## Hamad Bin Khalifa University, Doha, Qatar

Post-Doctoral Fellow at the College of Science & Engineering, Doha, Qatar May. 2022 - Present

# Korea University, Anam-dong, Seongbuk-gu, Seoul, South Korea

Research Professor at Mobile Network and Communications Lab in the School of Electrical Engineering, Korea University, Anam-dong, Seoul, South Korea Sept. 2018 - March 2019

#### Inha University, Incheon, South Korea

Post-Doctoral Fellow at UWB Wireless Communications Research Center in the Department of Information and Communication Engineering Feb. 2018 - August 2018

## Kyung Hee University, Suwon, South Korea

Ph.D. in Electronics and Radio Engineering, June. 2015 March 2012 - June 2015 (CGPA: 3.842/4.3)

# COMSATS Institute of Information Technology, Lahore, Pakistan

M.S. in Computer Science, June 2008 Sept. 2006 - Sept. 2008 (CGPA: 3.80/4.0)

# COMSATS Institute of Information Technology, Lahore, Pakistan

B.S. in Computer Science, Sept. 2006 March 2002 - Sept. 2006 (CGPA: 3.13/4.0)

#### **EXPERIENCE:**

**Post-Doctoral Fellow**, College of Science & Engineering, Hamad Bin Khalifa University, Doha, Qatar, **May 2022-to-date** 

Division of Computer Science and Engineering

**Assistant Professor**, COMSATS University Islamabad, Lahore Campus, Pakistan, **July 2015** - **May 2022**Division of Computer Science

Research Professor, Mobile Network and Communications Lab at the School of Electrical Engineering Korea University, Anam-dong, Seongbuk-gu, Seoul, South Korea, Sept. 2018 - March 2019

Division of Electrical Engineering

Post-Doctoral Fellow, UWB Wireless Communications Research Center at Department of Information and Communication Engineering, Inha University, Incheon, South Korea, Feb. 2018 - Aug. 2018

Division of Information and Communication Engineering

Lecturer, University of Gujrat, Pakistan, Nov. 2010 - June 2015

Division of Information Technology & Computer Science

Research Assistant, Cognet lab, SEECS, NUST, Islamabad, Pakistan, May 2009 - May 2010

Division of Information Technology

Responsibilities: teacher assistant and conducting research in the area of cognitive radio networks and vehicular networks

Software Engineer, Rolustech, Lahore, Pakistan, Sept. 2008 - April 2009

Responsibilities: SugerCRM optimization, Web development.

System Software Engineer, 4M Wireless, Lahore, Pakistan, June 2007 - Oct. 2007

Responsibilities: System Programming in Real Time Kernel for portability of LTE-based mobile Software.

## RESEARCH INTEREST:

- Cognitive Radio Networks (Multimedia transmissions, interference modeling, dynamic spectrum access, power and admission control, spectrum management, spectrum trading, cognitive MAC protocols, performance modeling, and optimization)
- Metaverse
- 6G and Beyond Cellular Communication Networks
- Internet of Things
- Blockchain
- Haptic Communications & Tactile Internet
- Wireless Ad-Hoc & Sensor Networks
- Device-to-device, Machine learning, Deep Learning, and its applications
- Smart Cities & Cloud Computing
- Image/video Processing
- Cyber Security/Network & Information Security

# **FUNDED PROJECTS (PARTICIPATED AS CO-PI AND ADVISOR):**

- ATSC3.0: Intelligent Content Distribution/Device platform Research Center funded by Institute for Information & Communications Technology Planning & Evaluation under ICT R&D, South Korea under the registration no. IITP-2020-2021-1-00729, project budget, Rs/- 50,00000.
- Intelligent Blockchain-Enabled Activity Recognition for Smart IoT Healthcare System funded by Ministry of Education, Jouf University, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, under the registration no. 40/359, project budget, Rs/- 42,71,502.
- Level set-based Active Contours for Human Body Segmentation with Application on Activity Recognition funded by Jouf University, Sakaka, Aljouf, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, registration no. 40/341, project budget, Rs/- 14,44,800.
- Efficient Resource Allocation Framework for Cloud-enabled Multimedia Vehicular Networks funded by Jouf University, Sakaka, Aljouf, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, under the registration no. 40/359, project budget, Rs/- 10,24,800.

# RESEARCH PROJECTS (PARTICIPATED AS RESEARCH ASSISTANT):

- Frequency Domain Equalization and Interference Cancellation for Time Variant Component in Time Varying Channels, Funded by Qualcomm.
- CLO technology study for improving mobile video QoS, Funded by Korea Electronics and Telecommunications Research Institute (ETRI).
- Improvement of multimedia service through CLO, Funded by Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd.
- IITP-ezbaro: Spectrum and radio technology for smart frequency usage Funded by MSIT (Ministry of Science, ICT) under the ITRC (Information Technology Research Center) support program (IITP-2018-2014-1-00729) South Korea.

#### **SCHOLARSHIPS AND HONORS:**

#### **Excellent Research Award 2019**

By Korea University, Seoul, South Korea.

## **Excellent Research Award 2018**

By Inha University, Incheon, South Korea.

### **Post-Doctoral Fellowship**

Fully Funded Post-Doctoral Fellowship, by Qatar Foundation at HBKU, Doha Qatar

#### **Post-Doctoral Fellowship**

Fully Funded Post-Doctoral Fellowship, by Korea University, Seoul, South Korea

#### **Post-Doctoral Fellowship**

Fully Funded Post-Doctoral Fellowship, by Inha University, Incheon, South Korea

#### **Doctoral Study Abroad Scholarship**

Fully Funded President Scholarship for PhD Study, by Kyung Hee University, South Korea

## **University Merit Scholarship**

Merit Scholarship Award for M.S. Study from COMSATS, Lahore, Pakistan

## **University Merit Scholarship**

Fully Funded Ministry of Science and Technology, Pakistan Scholarship Award for B.S. Study from COMSATS, Lahore, Pakistan.

## **Extra and Co-curricular Activities**

Won many Awards in Different Events of Athletic, Marathon, Hiking and Cricket at University and College level

#### **PUBLICATIONS:**

**Ph.D. Thesis:** Efficient Multimedia Transmissions Over Cellular Cognitive Radio Networks and MAC Layer Protocol for Enabling Future Technology, Kyung Hee University, South Korea, 2015.

#### **JOURNAL PAPERS:**

- 1. A. Mateen, M. Wasim, A. Ahad, T. Ashfaq, M. Iqbal, A. Ali, "Smart Energy Management System for Minimizing Electricity Cost and Peak to Average Ratio in Residential Areas with Hybrid Genetic Flower Pollination Algorithm," Alexandria Engineering Journal, IF: 6.626, June 2023.
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- 3. A. Tehseen, T. Ehsan, H.B. Liaqat, A. Ali and A. Al-Fuqaha, "Neural POS Tagging of Shahmukhi by using Contextualized Word Representations," Journal of King Saud University-Computer and Information Sciences, IF: 8.839, 2022.
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- 6. S. A. Qureshi, L. Hussain, Q.U.A. Chaudhary, S. R. Abbas, R. J. Khan, A. Ali, and A. Al-Fuqaha, "Kalman Filtering and Bipartite Matching Based Super-Chained Tracker Model for Online Multi Object Tracking in Video Sequences," Applied Sciences, IF: 2.838, vol. 12, no. 19, pp. 1-19, 2022.
- 7. A. Alsirhani, M.A. Khan, A. Alomari, S. Maryam, A. Younas, M. Iqbal, M.H. Siqqidi, and A. Ali, "Securing Low-Power Blockchain-Enabled IoT Devices Against Energy Depletion Attack," ACM Transactions on Internet Technology, IF: 3.989, https://doi.org/10.1145/3511903, January 2022.
- 8. U. Draz, A. Ali, M. Bilal, T. Ali, M.A. Iftikhar, A. Jolfaei, and D.Y. Suh, "Energy Efficient Proactive Routing Scheme for Enabling Reliable Communication in Underwater Internet of Things," IEEE Transactions on Network Science and Engineering, IF: 5.033, vol. 8, no. 4, pp. 2934-2945, 2021.
- 9. M.H. Siddiqi, U. Draz, A. Ali, M. Iqbal, M. Alruwaili, Y. Alhwaiti, and S. Alanazi, "FANET: Gets Smart City Mobility Off to a Flying Start with Self-Organized Drone-based Networks," IET Communications, IF: 1.345, https://doi.org/10.1049/cmu2.12291, Oct. 2021.
- 10. U. Draz, S. Yasin, T. Ali, A. Ali, Z.B. Faheem, N. Zhang, M.H. Jamal, D.Y. Suh, "ROBINA: Rotational Orbit Based Inter-Node Adjustment for Acoustic Routing Path in Internet of Underwater Things (IoUTs)," MDPI Sensors, vol. 21, no. 17, pp. 59-68, IF: 3.847, 2021.
- 11. U. Draz, T. Ali, S. Yasin, A. Hussain, S. Bukhari, A. Nawaz, A. Ali, M.A. Khan, and L.T. Jung, "A Novel Layer by Layer Energy Efficient Watchman Algorithm for Wireless Sensors and Actor Networks, "Romanian Journal of Information Science and Technology, vol. 24, no. 3, pp. 284-298, IF: 0.852, 2021.
- 12. T. Ali, U. Draz, S. Yasin, S. Bukhari, M.S. Khan, M. Hamdi, S. Rahman, L.T. Jung, A. Ali, "An Optimal Scheme for UWSAN of Hotspots Issue Based on Energy-Efficient Novel Watchman Nodes," Wireless Personal Communications, vol. 121, no. 01, pp. 69-94, IF: 2.017, May 2021.
- 13. M.H. Siddiqi, N. Almashfi, A. Ali, M. Alruwaili, Y. Alhwaiti, S. Alanazi, M.M. Kamruzzaman, "A Unified Approach for Patient Activity Recognition in Healthcare using Depth Camera," IEEE Access, vol. 9, pp. 92300-92317, IF: 3.476, June 2021.
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- 34. M. H. Siddiqi, M. Alruwaili, A. Ali, S. Alanazi, and F. Zeshan, "Human Activity Recognition using Gaussian Mixture Hidden Conditional Random Fields," Computational Intelligence and Neuroscience, vol. 2019, pp. 1-14, IF: 2.284, Aug. 2019.

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- 36. F. Ali, D. Kwak, P. Khan, S. El-Sappagh, A. Ali, S. Ullah, K. H. Kim, K-S. Kwak, "Transportation Sentiment Analysis Using Word Embedding and Ontology-based Topic Modeling," Knowledge-Based Systems, vol. 174, pp. 27–42, IF: 5.912, June 2019.
- 37. L. Feng, A. Ali, M. Iqbal, A. K. Bashir, S. A. Hussain, and S. Pack, "Optimal Haptic Communications over Nanonetworks for E-Health Systems," IEEE Transactions on Industrial Informatics, vol. 15, no. 5, pp. 3016–3027, IF: 9.112, May 2019.
- 38. M. Shafiq, P. Singh, I. Ashraf, M. Ahmad, A. Ali, A. Irshad, M. K. Afzal, and J-G. Choi, "Ranked Sense Multiple Access Control Protocol for Multichannel Cognitive Radio-Based IoT Networks," MDPI Sensors, vol. 19, no. 7, pp. 1–22, IF: 3.275, April 2019.
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- 45. A. Ali, H. Liu, A. K. Bashir, S. El-Sappagh, F. Ali, A. Baig, D. Park, and K. S. Kwak, "Priority-Based Cloud Computing Architecture for Multimedia-Enabled Heterogeneous Vehicular Users," Journal of Advanced Transportation, vol. 2018, pp. 1–12, IF: 1.983, Sept. 2018.
- 46. S. El-Sappagh, F. Ali, A. Ali, A. Hendawi, F. A. Badria, and D. Y. Suh, "Clinical Decision Support System for Liver Fibrosis Prediction in Hepatitis Patients: A Case Comparison of Two Soft Computing Techniques," IEEE Access, vol. 6, pp. 52911–52929, IF: 4.098, Sept. 2018.
- 47. A. Ali, K. S. Kwak, N. H. Tran, Z. Han, D. Niyato, F. Zeshan, M. T. Gul, and D. Y. Suh, "RaptorQ-Based Efficient Multimedia Transmission Over Cooperative Cellular Cognitive Radio Networks," IEEE Transactions on Vehicular Technology, vol. 67, no. 8, pp. 7275–7289, IF: 5.339, Aug. 2018.
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