

PDF/PhD/MSc/Visiting Positions at the University of Calgary



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Position Overview

Dr. Qiang (John) Ye currently has **PDF/PhD/MSc/Visiting Positions for Spring or Fall 2026**. Areas of research include **5G/6G communication and networking, network slicing, edge intelligence for IoT, AI/GAI and DT assisted wireless networking, autonomous vehicular networks, and MAC/networking protocols**. Highly self-motivated students are welcome to apply. If interested, please send me via email your **CV, transcripts, sample publications (if any), and TOFEL/IELTS scores**, with the email subject "**Prospective [PDF/PhD/MSc/Visiting] Student - [Your Name]**". Admitted PhD/MSc will be provided with full financial support. Admissions to the **[PhD]** and **[MSc]** programs are mainly granted for the **Fall/Winter** intakes, and **Spring** intakes are also considered. Application deadline: **Jan. 31, 2026**. Information about **[PDF]** and **[Visiting Students]** is in the respective links.

Brief Bio

Dr. Qiang (John) Ye (IEEE Senior Member) received the Ph.D. degree in electrical and computer engineering from the University of Waterloo, ON, Canada, in 2016. Since September 2023, he has been an Assistant Professor with the Department of Electrical and Software Engineering, Schulich School of Engineering, University of Calgary, AB, Canada. Before joining UCalgary, he worked as an Assistant Professor with the Memorial University of Newfoundland, NL, Canada (2021-2023) and with the Minnesota State University, Mankato, USA (2019-2021). He was with the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Waterloo, as a Post-Doctoral Fellow and then a Research Associate (2016-2019). He has published over 85 research papers in top-ranked journals and conference proceedings. He is/was a general, publication, publicity, TPC, or symposium co-chair for different reputable international conferences and workshops (e.g., IEEE INFOCOM, GLOBECOM, VTC, ICC, ICCT, WISEE, SWC). Dr. Ye serves as an Associate Editor for prestigious international journals, including IEEE IoT-J, TVT, TCCN, OJ-COMS, and PPNA. He received the Best Paper Award in the IEEE/CIC ICC in 2024 and the IEEE TCCN Exemplary Editor Award in 2023. Dr. Ye received the Early Career Research Excellence Award, Schulich School of Engineering, University of Calgary, in 2024. He has been selected as an IEEE ComSoc Distinguished Lecturer (DL) for 2025-2026.

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The University of Calgary is among **Top 10 universities in Canada** and among **Top 200 universities worldwide (182, QS 2024; 198, QS 2025; 211, QS 2026)**. It is ranked in the **5th place** according to the **2026 Maclean's Best Medical Doctoral Canadian Universities**. The UCalgary is located at the City of Calgary, the largest city in the Canadian province of Alberta. Calgary is the 3rd largest city and the 4th largest metro area in Canada. Calgary is ranked the 1st most liveable city in North America and the 5th in the world (2024 Global Liveability Ranking, Economist Intelligence Unit).