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RESEARCH SUMMARY

Machine learning-augmented computational fluid dynamics, physics-informed ML, and turbulence/SGS modeling for multiscale geophysical flows (hurricanes, wind energy). Expertise includes neural operators, PINNs, and GPU-accelerated PDE solvers, with applications spanning atmospheric modeling, nonlinear dynamics, and scientific machine learning.

EDUCATION

University Of Maryland, Baltimore County (UMBC) *January, 2019 - Present*

Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering

Department of Mechanical Engineering

University Of Maryland, Baltimore County (UMBC) *December, 2022*

M.S. in Mechanical Engineering

Department of Mechanical Engineering

Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology (BUET) *2013 - 2017*

B.Sc. in Mechanical Engineering

Department of Mechanical Engineering

WORK EXPERIENCE

Computational Mechanics Laboratory, UMBC *January, 2020 - Present*

Graduate Research Assistant

- Conducting *a posteriori* evaluations of invariance-embedded machine learning models for meso-scale hurricane boundary layer flows, integrating ML closures into WRF for in-line hurricane simulations. (UMBC 2025 COEIT Interdisciplinary Proposal Award)
- Developing machine-learning-based models of backscatter-admitting sub-grid-scale (SGS) processes to improve hurricane boundary layer simulations.
- Advancing methods for detecting stealthy, long-term cyber-attacks on wind energy assets using physics-informed neural networks. (UMBC 2024 Cybersecurity Leadership Exploratory Grant)

Joint Centre for Earth Systems Technology (JCET), UMBC *January, 2020 - June, 2022*

Graduate Research Assistant

- Compared the numerical dissipation of different weather prediction models like WRF and NUMA with Dr. Stephen Guimond supported by the National Science Foundation (NSF) under grant AGS-2121366.
- Visualized and Compared the remote sensing radar data from Imaging Wind and Rain Airborne Profiler (IWRAP) with Dr. Stephen Guimond for NOAA/AOML/HRD Hurricane Field Program.

University Of Maryland, Baltimore County (UMBC) *January, 2019 - May, 2024*

Graduate Teaching Assistant

- Conducted the lab demonstrations and grading on ENME-432L, Fluids/Energy Lab with Dr. Meilin Yu.
- Assisted Dr. James Baughan on teaching and grading on the ENME-423, HVAC Design.

PUBLICATIONS

Journals

- **Hasan, M. B.**, Guimond, S. R., Yu, M., Reddy, S., & Giraldo, F. X. (2022). The Effects of Numerical Dissipation on Hurricane Rapid Intensification with Observational Heating. *Journal of Advances in Modeling Earth Systems*, 14, e2021MS002897. [DOI]
- **Hasan, M. B.**, Yu, M., & Oates, T. (2025), Invariance-embedded Machine Learning Sub-grid-scale Stress Models for Meso-scale Hurricane Boundary Layer Flow Simulation I: Model Development and *a priori* Studies. (2025) [DOI]. (*Under Review*)

Conference Proceedings

- **Hasan, M. B.**, Yu, M., Xiao, H. (2023). Sub-grid Scale Modeling of Meso-scale Hurricane Boundary Layer Flows using Machine Learning. In *AIAA SciTech 2023 Forum*, p. 2487. [DOI]
Presented at AIAA SciTech 2023, National Harbor, MD.
- **Hasan, M. B.**, Yu, M., Oates, T. (2025). Comparison of Several Machine-Learning-Enhanced Sub-grid Scale Stress Models for Meso-scale Hurricane Boundary Layer Flow Simulation. In *AIAA SciTech 2025 Forum*, p. 2212. [DOI]
Presented at AIAA SciTech 2025, Orlando, FL.
- **Hasan, M. B.**, Yu, M., Oates, T. (2025). Evaluating Machine Learning-Enhanced Sub-Grid Scale Stress Models With Invariance Embedding for Meso-Scale Hurricane Boundary Layer Flows. In *ASME Fluids Engineering Division Summer Meeting (FEDSM)*, 2025. [DOI]
Presented at ASME FEDSM 2025, Philadelphia, PA.
- Kalwani, S., **Hasan, M. B.**, Chen, Z., Yu, M. (2025). Physics-Informed Machine Learning for Detecting Stealthy Long-Term Cyber Attacks on Wind Energy Systems. In *8th Workshop on Big Data for CyberSecurity (BigCyber-2025)*, 2025 IEEE International Conference on Big Data, 8-11 December, 2025, Macau SAR, China (Accepted).
- **Hasan, M. B.**, Yu, M., Oates, T. (2026). Semi-A Priori Evaluation of Backscatter-Admitting Machine Learning Sub-Grid Scale Models in WRF Hurricane Simulations. In *AIAA Aviation 2026 Forum*. (*Under Review*)
- **Hasan, M. B.**, Yu, M., Oates, T. (2026). A Baseline A Posteriori Evaluation of Machine-Learning-Predicted Eddy Viscosity Fields in Mesoscale Hurricane Boundary Layer Simulations. In *ASME Fluids Engineering Division Summer Meeting (FEDSM)*, 2026. (*Under Review*)

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS & SEMINARS

- Invariance-Embedded Machine Learning Sub-Grid-Scale Stress Models for Meso-Scale Hurricane Boundary Layer Simulations, *2025 Research Symposium on Environmental and Applied Fluid Dynamics*, The George Washington University, Washington, DC, May 2025. [Oral]
- Assessment of Invariance-Embedded Machine Learning Models for Sub-Grid Scale Stress in Meso-Scale Hurricane Boundary Layer Flows, *COEIT Research Day*, UMBC, Baltimore, MD, April 2025. [Oral]
- Sub-grid Scale Modeling of Meso-Scale Hurricane Boundary Layer Flows using Machine Learning, *COEIT Research Day*, UMBC, Baltimore, MD, April 2024. [Oral]
- The Effects of Numerical Dissipation on Hurricane Rapid Intensification with Observational Heating, *AGU Fall Meeting*, New Orleans, LA, Dec 2021. [Poster]
- The Effects of Numerical Dissipation on Simulating Hurricane Intensification in a Realistic Regime, *AGU Fall Meeting*, San Francisco, CA, Dec 2020. [Poster]

- The Effects of Numerical Dissipation on Simulating Hurricane Intensification in a Realistic Regime, *Seminar Series*, Department of Mechanical Engineering, UMBC, Baltimore, MD, Nov 2020. [Oral]

AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

2025 AIAA Professor Kirti “Karman” Ghia Memorial Award

Inaugural recipient for best student paper, Comparison of Several Neural Network-Enhanced Sub-grid Scale Stress Models for Meso-scale Hurricane Boundary Layer Flow Simulation, awarded by the Fluid Dynamics Technical Committee (FDTC) at AIAA SciTech 2025.

Graduate Student Association (GSA) Professional Development Grant, UMBC

Recipient in **May, 2025** and **December, 2024**; provided support for professional development and thesis-related research expenses.

University Technical Scholarship (2013–2017)

Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology (BUET), Dhaka, Bangladesh

TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

Scientific ML	PINNs, neural operators, neural ODEs
Deep Learning	PyTorch, CUDA
CFD/PDE models	WRF, NUMA, OpenFAST, COMSOL
HPC	Slurm, OpenMPI, GPU clusters
Programming	Python, MATLAB, Fortran

WORKSHOPS & TRAINING

Structure-Preserving Scientific Computing and Machine Learning: Summer School & Hackathon, University of Washington, Seattle

June, 2025

Participant

- Selected as one of **40 graduate students** from across the U.S. and Canada; program supported in part by **NSF** and **PIMS**.
- Hackathon **Project D: Neural ODEs Exploring Time Integration Methods and Training Strategies**; relevant to *weather forecasting* and *nonlinear dynamical systems*.
- Activities included lectures, hands-on computational labs, and collaborative mini-projects at the intersection of scientific computing and machine learning.

LEADERSHIP & INVOLVEMENT

Bangladesh Student Association, UMBC

September, 2019 -August, 2020

Treasurer

- Managed funds and coordinated events for Bangladeshi graduate students at UMBC, fostering community engagement.

MEDIA COVERAGE & ONLINE FEATURES

UMBC News Feature

- **Modeling Hurricanes with Machine Learning**
Research featured in UMBC News highlighting ML-based hurricane modeling. (January 2025)