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Education

- 2015 – 2020 **Ph.D. in Computer Science**
at Faculty of Science – Universiteit Antwerpen (UAntwerpen)
Thesis: *Towards Scalable End-to-End Programmable Industrial Internet of Things*
- 2013 – 2014 **M.Sc. in Networks and Computer Systems**
at School of Telecommunications Engineering (ETSIT), Universidad Rey Juan Carlos (URJC) - 60 ECTS
Thesis: *Heterogeneous wireless backhaul networks for rural 3G femtocells in developing countries.*
- 2009 – 2013 **University-specific degree in Development Cooperation**
at School of Agricultural Engineering (ETSIA), Universidad Politécnica de Madrid (UPM) - 41 ECTS
- 2010 – 2013 **M.Sc. in Telecommunications Engineering**
at School of Telecommunications Engineering (ETSIT), Universidad Politécnica de Madrid (UPM) - 120 ECTS
Thesis: *Study and implementation of routing protocols for wireless mesh networks in rural environments.*
Grade: *A with Honours* - Percentile: 99.9 %
- 2006 – 2010 **B.Sc. in Telecommunications Engineering**
at Technical University School (EUITT), Universidad Politécnica de Madrid (UPM) - Telematics - 240 ECTS

Other Courses:

Feb 2015 - “Introduction to 3GPP Small Cell Systems & NC200 Operation”, at *IP Access*. 96h. Cambridge (United Kingdom)
Mar 2009 - “Scientific Programming in C++”, at *Katholieke Universiteit Leuven* (KUL) 40h. Leuven (Belgium)
Sep 2008 - “Computational Steering in Science and Engineering” at *Technische Universität München* (TUM) 40h Munich (Germany)
Feb 2013 - “Cisco CCNA Certification” at *Av@anza*. 30h Madrid (Spain)

Experience

- Nov 2019 - ongoing **Postdoc Researcher** at IDLab Antwerp, *University of Antwerp – imec*
End-to-end programmable networks and Industrial IoT (Belgium)
- May 2015 - Nov 2019 **PhD Researcher** at IDLab Antwerp, *University of Antwerp – imec*
Scalable End-to-End Programmable Industrial Internet of Things (Belgium)
- Mar 2013 - May 2015 **Research Assistant** at TSC, *King Juan Carlos University*
In EU-FP7 TUCAN3G project: “Wireless technologies for isolated rural communities in developing countries based on cellular 3G/4G femtocell deployments” (Spain)
- Jun 2012 - Mar 2013 **Research internship** at INICTEL-UNI, *National University of Engineering*
Deployment of wireless mesh networks in a high-Andean rural ecosystem and teaching workshops at INICTEL-UNI (Peru)

SUMMARY

- Telecommunications Engineer and PhD in Computer Science specialized in programmable networks and Industrial IoT.
- In-depth knowledge on wired and wireless data networks, with focus on the PHY, MAC and IP layers.
- Hands-on experience in multi-domain testbeds and on-field network deployments.
- Wide background and research experience in ultra-reliable IoT networks and in end-to-end traffic engineering through, SDN, network orchestration, TSN and network slicing techniques.
- Experience in ICT4D and international development cooperation projects. Interested in connectivity provision in rural and isolated environments.

TEACHING

2016-2017: Lab Teaching Assistant “Computer and Network Security”, *Master of Computer Science, University of Antwerp* - (6 ECTS)
2017-2018: Lab Teaching Assistant “Computer and Network Security”, *Master of Computer Science, University of Antwerp* - (6 ECTS)
Oct 2012: Lab Teaching assistant “1st Workshop of rural Telecommunications”, INICTEL-UNI, National University of Engineering

TOP PUBLICATIONS

Municio, E., Cevik, M., Ruth, P., & Marquez-Barja, J. M. (2021, May). Achieving End-to-End Connectivity in Global Multi-Domain Networks. In *IEEE INFOCOM 2021-IEEE Conference on Computer Communications Workshops (INFOCOM WKSHPS)* (pp. 1-6) [IF: N/A]

Municio, E., Latre, S., & Marquez-Barja, J. M. (2020). “Extending Network Programmability to the Things Overlay using Distributed Industrial IoT Protocols”. *IEEE Transactions on Industrial Informatics*, 17(1), 251-259. [IF: 10.215]

Municio, E., Balemans, N., Latré, S., & Marquez-Barjal, J. (2020, January). “Leveraging distributed protocols for full End-to-End softwarization in IoT networks”. In *2020 Annual Consumer Communications & Networking Conference (CCNC)* (pp. 1-6). IEEE. [IF: N/A]

Slamnik-Kriještorac, N., de Britto e Silva, E., **Municio, E.**, Resende, H. C., Hadiwardoyo, S. A., & Marquez-Barja, J. M. (2020). “Network Service and Resource Orchestration: A Feature and Performance Analysis within the MEC-Enhanced Vehicular Network Context”. *Sensors*, 20(14), 3852 [IF: 3.576]

Municio, E., Daneels, G., De Brouwer, M., Ongenae, F., De Turck, F., Braem, B., Famaey, J. & Latré, S. (2019). “Continuous Athlete Monitoring in Challenging Cycling Environments Using IoT Technologies”. *IEEE Internet of Things Journal*, 6(6), 10875 [IF: 9.936]

Municio, E., Daneels, G., Vučinić, M., Latré, S., Famaey, J., Tanaka, Y., Brun, K., Muraoka, K., Vilajosana, X. & Watteyne, T. (2019). Simulating 6TiSCH networks. *Transactions on Emerging Telecommunications Technologies*, 30(3), e3494. [IF: 2.638]

Municio, E., Marquez-Barja, J., Latré, S., & Vissicchio, S. (2018). “Whisper: Programmable and flexible control on Industrial IoT networks” *Sensors*, 18(11), 4048. [IF: 3.576]

Municio, E., Spaey, K., & Latré, S. (2018). “A distributed density optimized scheduling function for IEEE 802.15. 4e TSCH networks”. *Transactions on Emerging Telecommunications Technologies*, 29(7), e3420. [IF: 2.638]

Daneels, G., **Municio, E.**, Van de Velde, B., Ergeerts, G., Weyn, M., Latré, S., & Famaey, J. (2018). “Accurate energy consumption modelling of IEEE 802.15. 4e TSCH using dual-band OpenMote hardware”. *Sensors*, 18(2), 437. [IF: 3.576]

Simo-Reigadas, J., **Municio, E.**, Morgado, E., Castro, E. M., Martinez, A., Solorzano, L. F., & Prieto-Egido, I. (2015). “Sharing low-cost wireless infrastructures with telecommunications operators to bring 3G services to rural communities”. *Computer Networks*, 93 [IF: 4.474]

For a full list of the publications please visit <https://emunicio.github.io/publications/>

RESEARCH PROJECTS

European Projects:

EU-FP7 [TUCAN3G](#) (2013-2015) - Research
Celtic+ [FlexNet](#) (2018-2021) - Research and management
H2020 [ProTego](#) (2019-2022) – Research and management
H2020 [DAEMON](#) (2021-2023) - Research and management
H2020 [Vital-5G](#) (2021-2023) - Research and management
H2020 [InterConnect](#) (2019-2023) – Research and management

National Projects (Belgium):

ICON [iFest](#) (2015-2017) - Research
ICON [CONAMO](#) (2016-2018) - Research
ICON [Smart Waterway](#) (2019-2021) – Research and management

SKILLS

Languages: Spanish: Native English: Fluent Dutch: B1 French: A2

“More” languages:

Strong skills: C, C++, Python, Unix Shell Scripting, Java, Matlab, and LaTeX
Rusted skills: Ruby, PHP, Objective-C, Assembly, Ada, Perl, TCL and VHDL

Management and Databases: Git, Jira, MySQL and PostgreSQL

Tools: J-Link, GNU Radio, 6TiSCH Simulator, ns-3, 5G-Empower, jFed, Jupyter, Ansible and Juju

Platforms: OpenWSN, Contiki, Grafana, OSM, OpenStack, Chamaleon Cloud, ONOS, Kubernetes and Docker