**What is your proudest achievement? It can be a personal project or something you have worked on professionally. Just a short paragraph is fine, but we would love to know why you are proud of it?**

It was back in 2012 when the company in which I was working with, was assigned a project by **Nokia**. The project was to deploy a Mobile Payment Solution in a bank based in Pakistan. The application which was being deployed was developed by Nokia and I was nominated by my company to deploy that project. I got interview by Nokia and eventually got selected as I was the only person in my company to have worked on Linux. At that time I was only a beginner in Linux System Administration with a very limited experience. We received a training of 3 days at Dubai by Nokia in which they explained how to deploy their application. I deployed the application on the bank’s servers with a little bit help from Nokia and Accenture consultants. I am proud of that achievement because at that time I was just a beginner and working with the giants like Nokia and Accenture was a big challenge. I successfully deployed the application and received appreciation from my CTO and Nokia team.

**Tell us about a technical book or article you read recently, why you liked it, and why we should read it as well.**

It was an article about “Biological Transistors that can command living cells”. I liked it because it fascinates me how the advancement in science and technology has led to control even the DNA. The scientists have claimed that they would be able to control and destroy the cancer cells as well.

Here is the link:

<https://www.theverge.com/2013/3/28/4157830/biological-transistor-inside-living-cells-DNA-made-by-stanford>