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Dr. Tarek Elarabi



Objective

I have a multifaceted academic career with 8+ years of teaching graduate and undergraduate students and 7+years track record of research and development in Image and Video Processing. I am expert in designing, optimizing, testing, validating, and prototyping Video Codec systems with emphasize on the H.264/AVC and H.265/HEVC standard. I am looking for a challenging position that utilizes my knowledge, helps me to grow my teaching skills and research experiences

Education & Professional Training

- **PhD in Computer Engineering.** (GPA: 4.0/4.0) (Dec 2012)
The Center for Advanced Computer Studies (CACs), Lafayette, LA USA.
University of Louisiana at Lafayette (ULL).
Dissertation Title: “Real-Time Heterogeneous Video Transcoding for Mobile Applications”.
- **Master of Science in Computer Engineering.** (GPA: 4.0/4.0) (May 2010)
The Center for Advanced Computer Studies (CACs), Lafayette, LA USA.
University of Louisiana at Lafayette (ULL).
- **Bachelor of Science in Electrical and Computer Engineering.** (GPA: 4.0/4.0) (Dec 2008)
Arab Academy for Science, Technology and Maritime Transport (AAST).
College Of Engineering and Technology, Alexandria, ARE.
- **Technology Certification:**
 - **Cisco CCNA Certified.** (CSCO11790900)
Switches & Routers, VoIP and Video
 - **Microsoft Certified IT Professional (MCITP)**
 - Microsoft IT Professional:
 - Developer for Microsoft Dynamics NAV2009. [D677-6241]
 - Installation & Configuration for Microsoft Dynamics NAV2009. [D634-5147]

Work Experiences

- **California State University-Fresno** August 2014 – Present
Assistant Professor at Electrical and Computer Department [tenure-track]
- **Intel Mask Operation Data Center Infrastructure Senior Engineer** July 2013 – July 2015
Intel Corporation
Intel Mask Operation (IMO –SC2) Santa Clara, CA USA
- **Associate Faculty** December 2013 – Present
West Valley Mission Collage, Santa Clara, CA
- **Research Associate** December 2012 – Present
The Center for Advanced Computer Studies (CACs)
University of Louisiana at Lafayette (ULL), Lafayette LA
- **IT Professional/ ERP Technical Instructor & Consultant** September 2011 – August 2014
ALLCOM, Inc
- **Lecturer/ Academic Graduate Advisor** August 2009 – December 2012
The Center for Advanced Computer Studies (CACs)
University of Louisiana at Lafayette (ULL); Lafayette LA USA
- **RF Design Engineer (Intern)** May 2011 – August 2011
Forward Link, A Division of CBM of America, Inc
- **Graduate Teacher Assistant (GTA)** February 2008 - May2009 College
of Computer Science, Academy for Science &Technology; AAST

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Teaching Experience:

▪ Graduate Courses Taught

- High Performance Computer Architecture [ECE274]
- Advanced Computer Networking [ECE246] ([New Course I developed and taught Spring 2015](#))
- Advanced Computer Architecture [ECE174G]

▪ Undergraduate Courses Taught

- Digital Logic Design [ECE85]
- Digital Logic Design Laboratory [ECE85L]
- Switching Theory and Logical Design [ECE106]
- Computer Organization [ECE115]
- Microprocessor Arch and Programming [ECE 118]
- Microcontroller Laboratory [ECE 120L]
- Advanced Computer Architecture [ECE174]
- Mobile Applications - Lab [ECE122L] ([New Course I developed and taught Fall 2015](#))
- Engineering Computations Using C [ECE70]
- Mobile Apps Programming - iPhone [CIS060-Online] ([New Course I developed and taught since Fall 2014](#))
- Linux Essentials I [CIS045]

Selective Publications

Journals:

- T. Elarabi, Randa Ayoubi, Hanan Mahmud and M. Bayoumi,
"Efficient 45nm ASIC Architecture for Full-Search Free Intra Prediction for Real-Time H.264/AVC Decoder",
Springer Journal, SI: SiPS2012.
- J. McNeely, Y. Ismail, T. Elarabi and M. Bayoumi,
" 'Voodoo' Error Prediction System for Scalable Video Coding ",
Hindawi Publishing Corporation, 2011.

Conferences:

- Tarek Elarabi,
"Effectiveness of the Hybrid F2F/Online Model for Junior and Senior Engineering Courses", 2016 American Society for Engineering Education Pacific Southwest Conference ASEE-PSW
- Tarek Elarabi, Vishal Deep, Chashamdeep Rai
"Optimal Hardware Design of State-of-Art ZigBee Transmitter for IoT Wireless Devices ",
IEEE International Symposium on Signal Processing and Information Technology, ISSPIT- 2015
- Tarek Elarabi, Abhijit Suprem
"Orientation and Displacement Detection for Smartphone-Device Based Inertial Measurement Units ",
IEEE International Symposium on Signal Processing and Information Technology, ISSPIT- 2015
- T. Elarabi, A. Sammoud and M. Bayoumi
"Hybrid Wavelet/ DCT INTRA prediction For H.264/AVC Codec", IEEE ChinaSIP - July 2014, Xi'an China.
- T. Elarabi and M. Bayoumi
"Full-Search Free Intra Prediction Algorithm for Real-Time H.264/AVC Decoder",
Signal Processing, Image Processing and Pattern Recognition, SIP2012 Jeju, Korea.
- T. Elarabi, R. Ayoubi, H. Mahmud and M. Bayoumi,
"Hardware Architecture For Fast Intra Mode and Direction Prediction in Real-Time MPEG-2 to H.264/AVC Transcoder",
IEEE WoWMoM 2012 /VidEv, San Francisco CA [[Acceptance Rate %18](#)].
- T. Elarabi, H. Mahmoud, M. Bayoumi,
"High Speed Intra Mode And Direction Prediction for MPEG-2 TO H.264/AVC Real-Time Transcoder",
IEEE Workshop on Signal Processing Systems, SiPS 2011, Beirut Lebanon.

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Books:

- T. Elarabi, A. Abdelgawad and M. Bayoumi,
"High-Throughput MPEG-2 to H.264/AVC Transcoding for Real-Time Video Applications". ([Springer](#)) Spring 2014
- T. Elarabi and M. Bayoumi,
"Real-Time Heterogeneous Video Transcoding for Mobile Applications". ([Ph.D. Dissertation](#))
- T. Elarabi and S. Youssef,
"Wavelet Transformation for Image Compression and Information Hiding". ([S. G. Thesis](#))

Research Interests

- ⤴ Video Processing: Heterogeneous Video Transcoding, H.264/AVC, HEVC, Scalable Video for IoT applications.
- ⤴ Image Processing: Image Compression & Image Retrieval.
- ⤴ Computer Architecture: FPGA for IoT devices, VLSI Low Power Design & ASIC Implementations.
- ⤴ Networking: Cross-layer Designs, Congestion Control, Resource Management, Fog Computing & IoT applications.
- ⤴ Organic Computing: Biological Inspired Systems for Circuit Level Designs.
- ⤴ Data Storage and Data replication technologies: Asynchronous secured data replication.

Selective projects

- ⤴ PoC for Cloud Kiosk Project with California Development & Product Licensing (Fall 2015)
- ⤴ FPGA based Quad-copter (CSU-Fresno) (Spring 2015)
- ⤴ MySQL Hi-Availability cluster (Intel) (Spring 2014)
- ⤴ WAN Latency Linux Based Simulator (Intel) (Fall 2013)
- ⤴ EMC² Data Replication Solution for Data Center (Intel) (Fall 2013)
- ⤴ PBX in a Flash/ FreePBX VoIP Phone System For Allcom, Inc (Spring/ Fall 2013)
- ⤴ Microsoft ERP NAV 2009 Deployment for Oil Center Research International, Inc (Fall 2012)
- ⤴ Design and Develop iPhone App for Oil Center Research International, Inc (Spring 2012)
- ⤴ 45 nm ASIC implementation for a Full-Search Free Intra Prediction for H264/AVC Decoder (Simulated using C++ and HW implemented using VHDL and synthesizing Cadence tools). (Spring 2012)
- ⤴ RF Reader Application for Android mobile devices for on site RF signal strength recording. (Summer 2011)
- ⤴ Wear Leveling Controller for flash memory array to overcome the flash endurance problem. (Simulated using C++ and HW implemented using Verilog and synthesizing Cadence tools). (Spring 2011)
- ⤴ MPEG-2 to H.264/AVC Transcoder for real-time applications. (Simulated using C++ and HW implemented using VHDL and synthesizing Cadence tools). (2011/ 2012)
- ⤴ Multiphase Digital Ultra-wide-band Transmitter optimized for energy-efficiency. (HW implementation using VHDL, Verilog and synthesizing Cadence tools). (Full 2010)
- ⤴ Client Based Price Monitoring System. (Implemented using JAVA and HTML). (Spring 2010)

Professional Development, Organization & Awards

- ⤴ Academic Senator of the ECE department at CSU- Fresno senate
- ⤴ CSU- Fresno DISCOVERe Faculty Fellow
- ⤴ CSU- Fresno eScholars Faculty Fellow
- ⤴ ASEE Faculty Active Member
- ⤴ IEEE Faculty Active Member
- ⤴ Member and Web Master for IEEE Computer Society Chapter at ULL
- ⤴ Member of the honor society PHI KAPPA PHI
- ⤴ Member of the technical program committee TPC of MIC-SigProc International Conference
- ⤴ Organizing Member and Web Master in the UCSWSN Conference
- ⤴ Organizing Member and Web Master in the IEEE SiPS Conference
- ⤴ Awarded Certificate of Achievement for Academic Excellent by UL Lafayette, May 2012
- ⤴ Recognized as Honor Student [2010, 2011 and 2012] by the University of Louisiana at Lafayette
- ⤴ Awarded the University of Louisiana at Lafayette Assistantship [2009 – 2012]
- ⤴ Awarded the Academy for Science & Technology Substantial Student Scholarship [2004 – 2008]
- ⤴ Awarded The Academy for Science & Technology Distinguished Students' Award [2004 -2008]