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EXPERIENCE

- **Postdoctoral Research Fellow**  October 2025 - Present
Advanced Infrastructure System (AIS) Lab, University of Tsukuba Tsukuba, Japan
- **Research Assistant**  November 2023 - September 2025
Advanced Infrastructure System (AIS) Lab, University of Tsukuba Tsukuba, Japan
- **Research Assistant**  April 2019 - September 2020
Earthquake Engineering Center, UET Peshawar Peshawar, Pakistan
- **Visiting Lecturer**  January 2020 - June 2020
Department of Civil Engineering, UET Peshawar Peshawar, Pakistan
- **Teaching Assistant**  October 2023 - September 2025
Department of Engineering Mechanics and Energy, University of Tsukuba Tsukuba, Japan
- **Teaching Assistant**  October 2018 - June 2020
Department of Civil Engineering, UET Peshawar Peshawar, Pakistan
- **Junior Design Engineer** March 2018 - August 2018
Structural Engineers Solution (SES) Consultant Peshawar, Pakistan

EDUCATION

- **University of Tsukuba** October 2022 - September 2025
Ph. D in Engineering Tsukuba, Japan
 - Degree Program in Engineering Mechanics and Energy
- **University of Tsukuba** October 2020 - September 2022
Masters in Engineering Tsukuba, Japan
 - Degree Program in Engineering Mechanics and Energy
- **University of Engineering and Technology, Peshawar** August 2014 - September 2018
Bachelor in Engineering Peshawar, Pakistan
 - Department of Civil Engineering

JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

- [10] Rashid, M., Nishio, M. (2025). **Energy-based fragility assessment of reinforced concrete bridges considering cumulative seismic demand under mainshock-aftershock sequences**. *Bulletin of Earthquake Engineering*, DOI: 10.1007/s10518-025-02300-z
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- [3] Khan, F. A., Rashid, M., Khan, S. W., Rizwan, M., Badrashi, Y. I., Fahim, M., Tanoli, M. A., Khaliq, W., Gul, A. (2021). **Comparative seismic performance assessment of RC and RC/ECC hybrid frame structures: a shake table study.** *Innovative Infrastructure Solutions*, Vol. 7 (1), 94, DOI: 10.1007/s41062-021-00692-w
- [2] Khan, F., Khan, S., Rashid, M., Rizwan, M., Fahim, M., Shahzada, K. (2021). **Evaluation of code-compliant / non-compliant ECC-RC IMRF structures.** *Structures*, Vol. 32, 1634-1645, DOI: 10.1016/j.istruc.2021.03.070
- [1] Ghani, A., Ali, Z., Khan, F. A., Shah, S. R., Khan, S. W., Rashid, M. (2020). **Experimental study on the behavior of waste marble powder as partial replacement of sand in concrete.** *SN Applied Sciences*, Vol. 2 (9) 1554, DOI: 10.1007/s42452-020-03349-y


CONFERENCE PAPERS

- [10] Rashid, M., Nishio, M. (2025). **Seismic energy dissipation and system fragility analysis of continuous reinforced concrete highway bridges.** In *14th International Conference on Structural Safety and Reliability - ICOSAR'25*, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, USA. DOI: 10.23967/icossar.2025.042
- [9] Rashid, M., Nishio, M. (2025). **Seismic Energy Distribution in Multi-span Reinforced Concrete Bridges.** In *IABSE Symposium, Tokyo: Environmentally Friendly Technologies and Structures: Focusing on Sustainable Approaches*, pp. 1485-1493. DOI: 10.2749/tokyo.2025.1485
- [8] Rashid, M., Nishio, M. (2025). **Seismic energy distribution and fragility assessment of reinforced concrete multi-span highway bridges.** *The 2nd International symposium on Urban Lifeline, ISUL 2025*, Saitama, Japan.
- [7] Rashid, M., Nishio, M. (2023). **System Fragility Analysis of a Horizontally Curved Multi-span Highway Bridge Structure.** In *Experimental Vibration Analysis for Civil Engineering Structures. Lecture Notes in Civil Engineering*, pp. 500-510. DOI: 10.1007/978-3-031-39117-0_51
- [6] Saida, T., Rashid, M., Nishio, M. (2023). **Gaussian Process Regression Surrogate Model for Seismic Vulnerability Assessment of Highway Bridge Structure System.** In *Experimental Vibration Analysis for Civil Engineering Structures. Lecture Notes in Civil Engineering*, pp. 520-529. DOI: 10.1007/978-3-031-39117-0_53
- [5] Rashid, M., Nishio, M. (2023). **Seismic Fragility Analyses of a Curved Bridge System Considering an Optimal Intensity Measure.** *JSCE-25th International Summer Symposium*, Hiroshima: Japan Society of Civil Engineers.
- [4] Rashid, M., Nishio, M. (2023). **Dynamic Response Evaluation of an Existing Bridge Structure Based on Finite Element Modeling.** In *Experimental Vibration Analysis for Civil Engineering Structures. Lecture Notes in Civil Engineering*, pp. 413-427. DOI: 10.1007/978-3-030-93236-7_35
- [3] Rashid, M., Nishio, M. (2022). **Seismic Vulnerability Assessment of Complex Highway Bridge Structure using System Fragility Curves.** *JSCE-24th International Summer Symposium*, Kyoto: Japan Society of Civil Engineers.
- [2] Rashid, M., Nishio, M. (2022). **System Fragility Analysis of a Geometrically Complex Bridge for Seismic Risk Evaluation of Existing Highway Bridge Network.** *The 8th World Conference on Structural Control & Monitoring (8WCSCM)*, Florida, USA.
- [1] Rashid, M., Nishio, M. (2021). **Finite Element Analysis of an Existing Seismically Isolated Bridge Structure.** *JSCE-The 23rd International Summer Symposium*, Tokyo: Japan Society of Civil Engineers.

HONORS AND AWARDS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Awardee of MEXT Scholarship (University Special Program) for Ph.D
Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT), Japan • Honorable mention
International Competition on Structural Health Monitoring (IC-SHM_2021) • Awardee of MEXT Scholarship (University Special Program) for Masters
Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology (MEXT), Japan • Gold Medal and Distinction Certificate
Board of Intermediate & Secondary Education (BISE) Malakand • Best Student Award
Government High School Adam Dheri, Chakdara | <p>September, 2022</p> <p>July, 2022</p> <p>September, 2020</p> <p>August, 2014</p> <p>March, 2011</p> |
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SUMMER SCHOOL

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • APESS, Kyoto University, Japan
13th Asia-Pacific-Euro Summer School on Smart Structures Technology | <p>July, 2024</p> <p></p> |
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PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIPS

- **Japan Society of Civil Engineers (JSCE):** Student member *October, 2020 - Present*
- **Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC):** Registered Engineer *August, 2018 - Present*

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Languages: English (Business level), Pashto & Urdu (Native), Japanese (N4)

Interests: Exploring Nature and Hiking

REFERENCES

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