# **FARIA HUQ**

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## RESEARCH INTEREST

Collective Intelligence for LLM Agents

· Personalization for LLM systems

• Human-in-the-loop LLM agent

Autonomous Web/App Agent

#### **EDUCATION**

• Doctor of Philosophy August '22 - Present

🏛 : School of Computer Science, Carnegie Mellon University

PhD Supervisor: Prof. Hirokazu Shirado

• Bachelor of Science in Computer Science and Engineering

🏛 : Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology, Dhaka

血: MIT Geometric Data Processing group (acceptance rate: 5.58%)

(Academic Session Delay due to COVID-19 pandemic)

Thesis Dissertation: Review4Repair: Code Review Aided Automatic Program Repairing

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

• Student Researcher, Google Deepmind

June '24 - November '24

2016 - 2021

Supervisors : Dr. Will Bishop, Dr. Oriana Riva Project: Teaching UI Agents from Human Feedback

• Research Intern, CMU HCII

September '21 - December'21

Supervisor: Prof. David Lindlbauer

Summer Geometry Institute Fellow, MIT CSAIL

July '21 - August '21

2: Prof. Justin Solomon (MIT), Dr. Tal Shnitzer (MIT), Prof. Nina Miolane (UCSB), Prof. Tolga Birdal (Imperial College)

Project: 3D Shape Correspondence via Probabilistic Partial Synchronization of Functional Maps & Riemannian Geometry [Technical Report]

• Research Assistant, Tero Labs

October '20 - April '21

Supervisor: Dr. Nazmus Saquib Project: Embodied Mathematics

## **PUBLICATIONS & PREPRINTS**

1. When Humans Step In: Analyzing Intervention Patterns in Collaborative Task Execution with AI Agents.

**F Huq**, ZZ Wang, FF Xu, T Ou, S Zhou, G Neubig\*, JP Bigham\*. Under review at UIST, 2026.

2. CowPilot: A Framework for Autonomous and Human-Agent Collaborative Web Navigation.

F Huq, ZZ Wang, FF Xu, T Ou, S Zhou, JP Bigham\*, G Neubig\* (Website). Accepted at NAACL Demo Track, 2025. Media Coverage: WIRED (link)

3. NoTeeline: Supporting Real-Time Notetaking from Keypoints with Large Language Models.

F Huq, A Samee, DC Lin, XA Tang, JP Bigham. (ArXiv 2409.16493). Accepted at IUI 2025.

4. DreamStruct: Understanding Slides and UIs via Synthetic Data Generation.

YH Peng, **F Huq**, Y Jiang, J Wu, XY Li, JP Bigham, A Pavel. **Accepted** at ECCV 2024.

5. "This really lets us see the entire world:" Designing a conversational telepresence robot for homebound older adults.

Y Hu, L Stegner, Y Kotturi, C Zhang, YH Peng, F Huq, Y Zhao, JP Bigham, B Mutlu. Accepted at DIS 2024, (doi)

6. graphiti: Sketch-based Graph Analytics for Images and Videos.

N Saquib, F Huq, SA Haque. Accepted at CHI 2022 (direct accept, rate: 12.5%), (doi)

7. Review4Repair: Code Review Aided Automatic Program Repairing.

F Huq, M Hasan, MAH Haque, S Mahbub, A Iqbal, T Ahmed. Published in Information and Software Technology, 2021 (doi)

8. A Tale on Abuse and Its Detection over Online Platforms, Especially over Emails: From the Context of Bangladesh.

I Haque, R Adnin, S Afroz, F Huq, S Mahbub, ABM Islam. Published in NSysS 2021 (acceptance rate: 16.67%), (doi)

9. Riemannian Functional Map Synchronization for Probabilistic Partial Correspondence in Shape Networks.

F Huq, A Dey, S Yusuf, D Bazazian, T Birdal, N Miolane. (ArXiv 2111.14762), (blog)

10. Static and Animated 3D Scene Generation from Free-form Text Descriptions.

F Huq, N Ahmed, A Iqbal. (ArXiv 2010.01549)

# **WORKSHOPS & POSTERS**

- 1. What's important here?: Opportunities and Challenges of LLM in retrieving information from Web Interface. **F Huq**, JP Bigham, N Martelaro. Ro-FoMo: Robustness of Few-shot and Zero-shot Learning in Large Foundation Models NeurIPS 2023 (arxiv)
- 2. MemAgent: A cache-inspired framework for aligning LLM Web Agent with User Goal.

F Huq, N Sakib, P Barai, SI Parisa, A Bhattacharjee, A Iqbal. CMU Agent Workshop 2024, (pdf)

3. How well do LLM Web Agents work for non-English Language?.

A Muhtasim, A Bhattacharjee, A Bhattacharjee, F Huq and R Shahriyar. CMU Agent Workshop 2024, (pdf)

ONGOING WORKS 1. Designing Socially Aware Conversational Agent to facilitate Intergroup Cooperation February '25 - Present 🕽 : LLM, Social Agents, Conversational Agent 2. Evaluating Emergent Capabilities of LLM Agents to simulate Dynamic, Dyadic Relationship April '25 - Present : LLM, Social Agents, Conversational Agent **COMMUNITY SERVICES** 1. Editorial Board Member, ML@CMU Blog June '24 - Present 2. Workshop Organizer, CMU Agent Workshop February '25 - April '25

3. Mentor, CMU Paths to Al Research January '25 - April '25 4. Student Volunteer, CMU FLAME Seminar January '24 - May '24 5. Peer Reviewer

UIST '23, CHI LBW '22, Ro-FoMo Workshop @NeurIPS '23, ICBINB @NeurIPS '23, Instruction Workshop @NeurIPS '23, AI & HCI Workshop @ ICML '23, ICLR '25, CHI '25, IUI '25, UIST '26.

6. Student Volunteer, ISS 2023

7. Student Volunteer, CMU Accessibility Lunch

8. Student Volunteer at UIST 2021

I worked as a publicity SV and wrote a blog summarizing the conference.

9. Advising Board Member at BWCSE (Bangladeshi Women in Computer Science and Engineering)

10. Batch Representative at BWCSE

11. Student Ambassador at Grameenphone GameJam 2017

May '23 - August '23 October '21

January '21 - January '22 June '16 - December '20

March '17

November '23

#### **AWARDS**

November'21 Technica Hackathon (Research Track): Selected to participate in the largest hackathon for underrepresented genders in the US organized by the Department of Computer Science, University of Maryland at College Park, and The Maryland Center for Women in Computing [Demo]

BUET CSE Fest Hackathon: Champion in 'Cloud Computing' Category January'19

December'18 Banglalink SDG Hackathon: 1st Runners Up and was offered internship for building a solution to curb plastic pollution

May'18 BUET CSE Fest Inter-University Hackathon: Champion in 'Mental Health' Category

April'18 Anita's Moonshot Codeathon 2018: Special Mention for an Augmented Reality application to help women raise awareness against different kinds of vaginal infection (Top 8)

MobilPro 2018: I was selected for the 5th international competition organized by the Faculty of Electronics, Telecom-March'18 munications and Information Technology, Bucharest, Romania

March'18 Internationally Featured Project in "Learn It, Girl", Third Edition (Top 12 out of 106). I was the only participant selected from Bangladesh as well.

December'17 Banglalink Ennovators 2017: Finalist and was offered internship for building an application to support women empowerment (Top 20)

December'17 Hackathon for Environmental Migrants: I was selected to participate in this specialised hackathon organized by Dr. Ingrid Boas, Assistant Professor at the Environmental Policy Group, Wageningen University and BBC Media Action