### Rafat Hasan Khan

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#### Education

#### **B.Sc. in Computer Science** | Curriculum

Independent University Bangladesh (IUB)

May '2017 - Dec '2021 Dhaka, Bangladesh

CGPA: 3.73/4.00 | Rank: 2<sup>nd</sup> in the class of 50

Thesis: Deep Focus Matting: Light-Weight Trimap-Free Portrait Image Matting

Advisor: Prof. Amin Ahsan Ali

#### Research Experience

#### Center for Computational & Data Sciences | CCDS.ai

Research Assistant (RA)

Feb'2023 - current Dhaka, Bangladesh

- Worked on Remote Sensing, & authentication system projects, collaborating with research professors from universities in the USA. Currently, leading projects on privacy & security and projects on computational biology.
- Supervisors: Prof. Amin Ahsan Ali, Dr. AKM Mahbubur Rahman, and Prof. Ashraful Amin

## ${\bf Artificial\ Intelligence\ and\ Cybernetics\ Lab}\mid AGenCy\ Lab$

Research Student

May '2022 - Jan '2023 Dhaka, Bangladesh

- Explored machine learning tools and libraries and participated in weekly literature review discussions that supported the completion of my thesis.
- Supervisor: Prof. Amin Ahsan Ali, Mentor: Fahim Faisal Niloy

#### Academic Experience

## **Coding for All Initiative** | Coding for All Initiative, IUB *Tutor*

Feb'2023 - Jun'2024 Dhaka, Bangladesh

• Tutored undergraduate students in the CIS101, CSC101 tutorial courses, covering topics about Python programming, application development, introduction to AI, Prompt Engineering, and others.

# **Department of Computer Science & Engineering** | Dept. of CSE, IUB *Student on Duty (SoD)*

May '2019 - Mar '2020 Dhaka, Bangladesh

Course Instructor: Mr. Subrata Kumar Dey [Letter from Instructor]

• Assisted undergraduate students in the CSE213 course, conducted review sessions on Java programming, object oriented concept, software development, and graded assignments.

#### Conducted Workshops

Interdisciplinary Computational Biology Workshop 2025	Webpage	Jan '2025
2nd CCDS Workshop on Deep Learning Code Management	Webpage	Dec '2024
Workshop On Hands-on Deep Learning Coding & Code Management	Webpage	Feb '2024
Publication		

#### Preprint:

M. Rahmun, **R. H. Khan**, T. T. Aurpa, S. Khan, Z. N. Nahiyan, M. S. B. Almas, R. H. Rajib, and S.S. Hassan, "Synthetic Speech Classification: IEEE Signal Processing Cup 2022 challenge," arXiv preprint arXiv:2412.13279.

#### In Preparation:

**Rafat Hasan Khan**, AKM Mahbubur Rahman, Amin Ahsan Ali, M Ashraful Amin, "ALIGN: Adaptive LearnIng for Geographic imagery with boundary attentioN loss"

#### Selected Projects

#### Face Liveness and Recognition System | CCDS.ai

2024

*Description*: Developed face recognition and liveness detection models for face biometric login, explored CNN methods on remote photoplethysmography and moiré patterns to prevent spoof attacks, and trained the model using data from over 100 individuals.

#### Semantic Segmentation of Satellite Imagery of Bangladesh | CCDS.ai

2023

Description: The project focused on solving the uncertainty between boundary labels in remote (Ongoing) sensing. We are developing an attention-based clustering CNN model for semantic segmentation of satellite imagery in Bangladesh, aiming to enhance accuracy through our newly developed boundary attention techniques.

#### Evaluation and Implementation of System of Linear Equation | Github | CSC470, IUB

2019

*Description*: Developed program tool as part of a Parallel Programming course, utilizing CUDA API, multithreading in Java, and C with OpenMPI, while assessing performance on public datasets. **Acknowledged as exceptional in the course.** 

Data Analysis & Representation System (DARS) | Github | CSC401, IUB

2018

Description: An interactive web-based data visualization and analysis tool that seamlessly integrates
real-time data management, leveraging ERD and BPMN for architecture planning, built using PHP,
JavaScript, MySQL, and Chart.js for rich graphical displays. Recognized as outstanding among
others in the course.

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Grants and Funding	
Received 24,00,000 BDT (~\$20,000)   PACS software (Industry project)   Telerad Bangladesh	Jun '2024
Received 18,00,000 BDT (~\$15,000)   Face Liveness and Recognition System   Penta Global Ltd.	Feb '2024
Competitions	
IEEE Signal Processing Cup 2022   Github   World Rank 14 <sup>th</sup> [50+ Teams worldwide] Mentor: Dr. Sakira Hassan Description: Explored state-of-the-art deep learning models, analyzed synthetic speech methods for data insights, and built CNNs using PyTorch, Lightning, and scikit-learn.	Jul'2022
<b>Intra IUB Hackathon</b>   <b>Champion</b> [80+ Teams] <i>Description</i> : Developed an Android app called "μClass" for visual class management, integrating students, teachers, and courses using the university's internal API, with Android Studio, Flutter, and Google Firebase.	Dec '2019
National Programming Contest, IEEE Day 2018   1st Runner-up [120+ Teams] Description: As a team of two, we competed against top universities and solved 4 out of 5 problems in a limited time using C++ in Code::Blocks IDE.	Nov'2018
Honors & Achievements	
Awarded Bangladesh Top Software Engineer (B-TopSE)   JICA-ICT Division Bangladesh	2024
Ranked 9th in Admission Test, MSc in CSE   University of Dhaka   QS 2025 Rank: 554th	2023
Received Cum Laude honors in the B.Sc. in CS program   IUB	2022
Completed coursework with 100% scholarship   IUB	2021
Received the Vice Chancellor's Award   Honor List   IUB	2021
Received the <b>Dean's Merit Award</b>   Honor List   IUB	2020
Selected for Merit Scholarship for B.Sc. program   IUB	2017
Press Coverage	
<ul> <li>Top Software Engineer (B-TopSE) program, a joint initiative by JICA and the ICT Division Bangladesh, October 2024. Notable coverage includes:</li> <li>The Daily Star: "JICA, ICT Division jointly launch B-TopSE Program"</li> <li>The Business Standard: "B-TopSE program launched to boost software engineering skills in Bangladesh"</li> </ul>	
Academic Service	
International Joint Conference on Neural Networks (IJCNN)  Assisted Review	2024
International Conference on Electrical Engineering and Information & Assisted Review Communication Technology (ICEEICT)	2024
Relevant Courseworks	
Linear Algebra (Grade: A, Above 90%), Image Processing (Grade: A, Above 90%), System An. Design (Grade: A, Above 90%), Object Oriented Programming (Grade: A, Above 90%), Programming (Grade: A, Above 90%), Web Application & Internet (Grade: A, Above 90%), Application Development (Grade: A, Above 90%), Numerical Methods (Grade: A-, Above 85%). Certificates and Workshops	, Parallel
Bangladesh Top Software Engineer (B-TopSE) program   JICA-ICT Division, Bangladesh	2024
Workshop on Statistical Inference Frequentist & Bayesian Estimation   ccds.ai	
Mathematics for Machine Learning Specialization   Imperial College London	2020
Open Source Software Development, Linux and Git Specialization   The Linux Foundation	2020
Google IT Automation with Python Specialization   Google	2020
Google Mobile Sites Certification   Google Skillshop	2019
Mobile Games & Apps Development   ICT Division, Bangladesh	2018
Extracurricular Activities & Memberships	
Bangladesh Computer Society (BCS)   Life-Time Member	Lifetime
IUB ACM Student Chapter   IUB   Student Member	2019

2018

Division of Student Affairs (DoSA) | IUB | Student Member

#### Technical Skills

**Programming**: Python, Java, Javascript, C++.

ML Libraries: Pytorch, Scikit-Learn, Pandas, Pytorch-lighting, Ray.

Softwares and Tools: React, Flutter, JavaFX, Git, RegEx. Clouds & Deployments: Docker, Azure, Alicloud. Platform: Github, Stackoverflow, Kaggle, Colab. Document Preparation: Latex, Markdown, MS Office.

Embedding Board: Arduino, Raspberry Pi, NodeMCU (ESP8266, ESP32-CAM), HackRF One.

Others: Linux, Vim, Bash Scripting, Open MPI, CUDA API.