

# Md Golam Sarwar Murshed

## Summary

I develop efficient and robust deep learning systems that bridge state-of-the-art AI performance with real-world deployment constraints. My research spans computer vision, biometrics, and cybersecurity, with contributions including CRFSEG (97.17% fingerprint matching accuracy, outperforming commercial solutions) and EdgeLite (92.37% accuracy on edge devices with 13% parameter reduction). My work has garnered 740+ citations and attracted funding from DHS, NSF-CITeR, Verizon, Badger Technologies, and WiSys. I bring 5 years of industrial experience from Samsung R&D, combining theoretical depth with practical implementation expertise in efficient and trustworthy AI systems.

## Academic Appointments

Aug 2023 – **Assistant Professor in Computer Science**, *University of Wisconsin-Green Bay*.  
Present

## Education

Aug 2018 – **Ph.D. in Electrical and Computer Engineering**, *Clarkson University, Potsdam, NY*.  
Aug 2023 Dissertation: [Efficient and Resource-Aware Deep Learning for Improved Object Detection](#)  
Advised by Faraz Hussain

Aug 2018 – **M.S. in Electrical Engineering**, *Clarkson University, Potsdam, NY*.  
Aug 2020 Thesis: Machine Learning at the network edge  
Advised by Faraz Hussain

Mar 2009 – **B.S. in Computer Science and Engineering**, *Chittagong University of Eng & Tech, Bangladesh*.

## Research Interests

My research focuses on developing efficient, robust, and explainable deep learning systems for real-world deployment. Core areas include: resource-aware deep learning and edge AI for computer vision applications; trustworthy AI systems for biometrics and cybersecurity with enhanced interpretability; and adaptation of foundation models (LLMs) for resource-constrained settings.

## Publications

- Citation Google Scholar statistics: total of 744 citations (as of 1-Jan-2026).
- IET Biometrics 2025 **Conditional Synthetic Live and Spoof Fingerprint Generation.**  
Syed Konain Abbas, Sandip Purnapatra, **M. G. Sarwar Murshed**, Conor Miller-Lynch, Lambert Igene, Soumyabrata Dey, Stephanie Schuckers, Faraz Hussain. *IET Biometrics (Institution of Engineering and Technology)*, 2025
- BIOSIG 2025 **Deep Learning-Based Approaches for Contactless Fingerprints Segmentation and Extraction.**  
**M. G. Sarwar Murshed**, Syed Konain Abbas, Sandip Purnapatra, Daqing Hou, and Faraz Hussain. *24th International Conference of the Biometrics Special Interest Group*, Darmstadt, Germany, 2025
- Electronics 2025 **Explainable Face Recognition via Improved Localization.**  
Rashik Shadman, Daqing Hou, Faraz Hussain, and **M. G. Sarwar Murshed**. *Electronics*, 2025, 14(14): 2745
- TBIOM 2024 **Deep Age-Invariant Fingerprint Segmentation System.**  
**M. G. Sarwar Murshed**, Keivan Bahmani, Stephanie Schuckers, and Faraz Hussain. *IEEE Transactions on Biometrics, Behavior, and Identity Science*, 2024
- CSCI 2023 **The Utility of Feature Reuse: Transfer Learning in Data-Starved Regimes.**  
Rashik Shadman; **M. G. Sarwar Murshed**, Edward Verenich, Alvaro Velasquez, and Faraz Hussain. *International Conference on Computational Science and Computational Intelligence*, 2023
- ASCE ICTD 2023 **A vision-based system for road crack detection using hybrid deep learning architectures.**  
**M. G. Sarwar Murshed**, S. M. Safayet Hossain, Aksel Seitllari, and Kibria K. Roman. *ASCE International Conference on Transportation & Development*, 2023
- ICCE-Asia 2021 **Deep Slap Fingerprint Segmentation for Juveniles and Adults.**  
**M. G. Sarwar Murshed**, R. Kline, K. Bahmani, F. Hussain, and S. Schuckers. *IEEE International Conference on Consumer Electronics-Asia*, 2021, pp. 1–4
- ACM Computing Surveys 2021 **Machine Learning at the Network Edge: A Survey.**  
**M. G. Sarwar Murshed**, C. Murphy, Daqing Hou, Nazar Khan, Ganesh Ananthanarayanan, and Faraz Hussain. *ACM Computing Surveys*, vol. 54, no. 8, 2021
- AISC 2021 **Efficient deployment of deep learning models on autonomous robots in the ROS environment.**  
**M. G. Sarwar Murshed**, James J. Carroll, Nazar Khan, and Faraz Hussain. Springer, *Advances in Intelligent Systems and Computing*, 2021

XAI DTCS 2021	<b>Mitigating the Class Overlap Problem in Discriminative Localization: COVID-19 and Pneumonia Case Study.</b> Edward Verenich, <b>M. G. Sarwar Murshed</b> , Nazar Khan, Alvaro Velasquez, and Faraz Hussain. Springer, <i>Explainable AI Within the Digital Transformation and Cyber-Physical Systems</i> , 2021
ICMLA 2020	<b>Resource-aware On-device Deep Learning for Supermarket Hazard Detection.</b> <b>M. G. Sarwar Murshed</b> , James J. Carroll, Nazar Khan, Faraz Hussain. <i>19th IEEE International Conference on Machine Learning and Applications</i> , 2020, pp. 871–876
ISVLSI 2020	<b>Fast Resilient-Aware Data Layout Organization for Resistive Computing Systems.</b> Baogang Zhang, <b>M. G. Sarwar Murshed</b> , Faraz Hussain, Rickard Ewetz. <i>IEEE Computer Society Annual Symposium on VLSI</i> , 2020, pp. 72–77
OpML 2020	<b>FlexServe: Deployment of PyTorch Models as Flexible REST Endpoints.</b> E. Verenich, A. Velasquez, <b>M. G. Sarwar Murshed</b> , and F. Hussain. <i>USENIX Conference on Operational Machine Learning</i> , 2020
HotEdge 2020	<b>Hazard Detection in Supermarkets using Deep Learning on the Edge.</b> <b>M. G. Sarwar Murshed</b> , E. Verenich, C. Gende, J. J. Carroll, N. Khan, and F. Hussain. <i>3rd USENIX Workshop on Hot Topics in Edge Computing</i> , 2020 [poster]

## Research Grants

2024 – 2025	<b>Artificial Intelligence (AI)-powered Pavement Distress Detection.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Role: PI</li> <li>○ Name of Funding Organization: <a href="#">WiSys</a></li> <li>○ Award Date: 30 May 2024</li> <li>○ Period of Grant Award: 1 Year</li> </ul>
2022 – 2023	<b>Robust Contactless Fingerprint Processing Tool.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ PI Name: Faraz Hussain, Daqing Hou</li> <li>○ Name of Funding Organization: <a href="#">CITeR</a></li> <li>○ Award Date: 15 May 2022</li> <li>○ Period of Grant Award: 1 Year</li> <li>○ Role on Project: Wrote the proposal and completed all milestones proposed in the proposal through collaboration with PIs.</li> </ul>
2021 – 2023	<b>Fingerprint image segmentation using deep learning.</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ PI Name: Faraz Hussain, Stephanie Schuckers</li> <li>○ Name of Funding Organization: <a href="#">CITeR</a></li> <li>○ Award Date: 15 January 2021</li> <li>○ Period of Grant Award: 2 Years</li> <li>○ Role on Project: Wrote the proposal and completed all milestones proposed in the proposal by collaborating with PIs and other students.</li> </ul>

2020 – 2022 **Fingerprint template security.**

- PI Name: Stephanie Schuckers, Faraz Hussain, Mahesh Banavar, Chen Liu
- Name of Funding Organization: [Verizon wireless](#)
- Award Date: 15 May 2020
- Period of Grant Award: 2 Year
- Role on Project: Wrote the proposal, completed all milestones proposed in the proposal through collaboration with PIs, and helped to write an extension of the proposal.

2020 – 2021 **Evaluate and test the Robot Operating System (ROS) of the Marty Robot.**

- PI Name: Faraz Hussain, James Carroll
- Name of Funding Organization: [Badger Technologies](#)
- Award Date: 1 March 2020
- Period of Grant Award: 1 Year
- Role on Project: Developed software to complete the preliminary experiments, generated preliminary results, and completed all milestones set for this project through collaboration with PIs and students.

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## Invited Talks and Presentations

### Invited Talks

2024 **Challenges and Opportunities of Generative AI in Higher Education – Practical Experience,** *AI in Higher Education Conference*, Lakeshore Technical College.

Presented with Dr. Tanim Ahsan on the integration of generative AI tools in academic settings, addressing practical implementation challenges and pedagogical opportunities.

2023 **Contactless Fingerprint Segmentation and Recognition,** *CITeR Webinar Series*.

Presented research findings on contactless fingerprint processing systems to government and industry stakeholders including DHS, Public Safety Canada, and Home Office UK.

2022 **Deep Learning-Based Fingerprint Segmentation Systems,** *CITeR Webinar Series*.

Demonstrated novel approaches for fingerprint segmentation using deep learning techniques, showcasing results from DHS-funded research.

### Research Proposal Presentations

2022 **Robust Contactless Fingerprint Processing Tool,** *CITeR Annual Meeting*.

Presented research proposal to funding organizations, including DHS, Public Safety Canada, Home Office UK, and Qualcomm.

2021, 2022 **Fingerprint Image Segmentation Using Deep Learning,** *CITeR Research Showcases*.

Presented project proposals and progress updates for contact-based and contactless fingerprint segmentation systems to federal and industry stakeholders.

### Conference Presentations

2021 Deep Slap Fingerprint Segmentation for Juveniles and Adults, *IEEE ICCE-Asia*

2020 Resource-aware On-device Deep Learning for Supermarket Hazard Detection, *IEEE ICMLA*

2020 Fast Resilient-Aware Data Layout Organization for Resistive Computing Systems, *IEEE ISVLSI*

2020 Hazard Detection in Supermarkets Using Deep Learning on the Edge, USENIX Hot-Edge

## Teaching Experience

### Assistant Professor, University of Wisconsin - Green Bay

†Course developed and introduced to the curriculum

Fall 2025 Artificial Intelligence, Advanced Object-Oriented Design, Discrete Mathematics, Web Programming

Summer 2025 Discrete Mathematics (Online)

Spring 2025 Advanced Object-Oriented Design, Cloud Computing†

Fall 2024 Advanced Object-Oriented Design, Discrete Mathematics, Introduction to Computing & Internet

Spring 2024 Advanced Object-Oriented Design, Cloud Computing†

Fall 2023 Advanced Object-Oriented Design, Discrete Mathematics, Introduction to Computing & Internet

### Teaching Assistant, Clarkson University

Fall 2019 Introduction to Object-Oriented Programming and Software Design

Spring 2019 Embedded Systems/Microprocessors

Fall 2018 Introduction to Object-Oriented Programming and Software Design

## Student Mentorship

- Ph.D. (Research mentor)**
- Syed Konain Abbas — Contactless fingerprint segmentation & spoof synthesis — (2023–Present) — 2 publications
  - Rashik Shadman — Explainable face recognition & transfer learning — (2021–2025) — 2 publications
  - Afzal Hossain — Biometric recognition & security — (2021–2023) — Completed MS 2023

- Undergraduate (Advisor)**
- Logan Dewick — Efficient object detection using AI — (2023–2025)
  - Bibesh Pyakurel — Pavement distress detection using AI — (2023–2025)
  - Kong Yang — Pavement distress detection using AI — (2023–2025)
  - Conrad Gende — Edge hazard detection / deployment — (2021–2022) — 1 publications

## Leadership and Voluntary Activities

2024– **Founder & Director, GBAI Lab (Green Bay AI Lab) University of Wisconsin–Green Bay.**

- 2013 – 2018 **Lead Engineer**, *Samsung R&D Institute of Bangladesh*, IoTivity Group.
- 2021 – 2022 **President**, *Bangladeshi Students' Association at Clarkson University*.
- 2011 – 2012 **Organizer**, *Inter-university Programming contest in CUET, 2012*.

## Academic Service

- 2025 – **Member**, *AI Policy & Guidelines Committee*, UW–Green Bay.
- 2024 – **Member**, *Computer Science Curriculum Review Committee*, UW–Green Bay.

## Other Professional Service

- Program Committee 24<sup>th</sup> IEEE International Conference on Machine Learning and Applications, 2025
- Journal Reviewer
  - 2025, 2024: Journal of Ambient Intelligence and Humanized Computing (Springer Nature)
  - 2025: Concurrency and Computation: Practice and Experience (Wiley)
  - 2023: Journal of Network and Computer Applications (Elsevier)
- Conference Reviewer
  - 2021 – 2025: IEEE ICMLA
  - 2022 – 2024: IEEE International Conference on Web Services (ICWS)
  - 2023 – 2024: IEEE World Congress on Services / IEEE SERVICES
  - 2023: Joint International Conference on Data Science & Management of Data

## Professional Memberships

- 2023–Present Member, IEEE (Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers)

## Industry Work Experience

- Sep 2013 – **Lead Engineer**, *Samsung R&D Institute*, Bangladesh.
- Jul 2018 Project: IoTivity ([www.IoTivity.org](http://www.IoTivity.org) - An open Linux Foundation Project for the IoTs)
  - Designed and developed the build systems for the IoTivity framework
  - Developed different APIs for the IoTivity and Samsung S Health framework
  - Evaluated the performance of Device-to-Device (D2D) Communication, Cloud Communication, and Security system of the IoTivity project
  - Designed and developed APIs for IoT automatic test software, different web applications, and robot automation test cases
  - Developed test app (C++, Java) based on IoTivity communication and security protocol
  - Designed and implemented an auto code coverage framework for quality assurance of the IoTivity project
  - Designed and implemented memory leak tools for the IoTivity project
- Aug 2020 – **Research Collaborator**, *Verizon wireless*.
- May 2023
  - Developing deep learning-based biometrics recognition and template protection systems for multiple modalities including face, finger, and iris.
  - Deploying Fully Homomorphic Encryption (FHE) on biometric template protection systems

## Technical Skills

- **Programming Languages:** Python, C, C++, Java, UNIX Shell Scripting
- **AI frameworks:** TensorFlow, PyTorch, Keras, Detectron2
- **Data analysis tools:** NumPy, Pandas, Matplotlib, Seaborn, Scikit-learn
- **Cloud platform:** AWS, Azure
- **Version control system:** Git
- **Project management:** JIRA, Agile Project Management System
- **Build automation tools:** SCons, Gradle, Maven, Ant
- **Database:** MongoDB, MySQL, Oracle 11g

## Internship Experience

Jul 2020 – **Research Ph.D. Intern**, *Badger Technologies*, Nicholasville, KY, USA.

Aug 2020 Project: Deep learning on autonomous robots in the ROS environment

Jan 2013 – **Undergraduate Intern**, *Semicon PVT. LTD*, Dhaka, Bangladesh.

Feb 2013 Project: Mobile App Development, IT system Management

## Awards and Honors

### Professional and Academic

2018 – 2023 Full-Tuition Merit Scholarship, TA and RA, Clarkson University, NY.

2016 Achieved Advanced Level in Software Capability Test in Samsung Electronics Co Ltd.

2014 – 2015 Achieved top 20% annual performance evaluation grade in 2 consecutive years 2014 & 2015 at Samsung. Electronics Co Ltd

2009 – 2013 University Merit Scholarship, Chittagong University of Eng and Tech, Bangladesh.

### Programming

2011 Inter-university programming contest(Chittagong Zone) – runner up

2010 Inter department programming contest (CUET), – runner up

## Work Authorization

- U.S. Permanent Resident (Green Card Holder)

## Language Skill

- English (Full professional proficiency), Bengali (Native)

## References

Available upon request