# **Md Yousuf Harun**

🗣 Rochester, NY 14623 🖂 mh1023@rit.edu 📞 (808) 692-3129 🌐 GitHub 💸 LinkedIn 🗢 Google Scholar **EDUCATION Rochester Institute of Technology** NY, USA PhD in Imaging Science Aug. 2020-May 2025 Adviser: Dr. Christopher Kanan ■ GPA: 3.84/4.0 University of Hawaii HI, USA MS (Thesis) in Electrical Engineering Aug. 2018-May 2020 Advisers: Dr. Aaron Ohta and Dr. Il Yong Chun ■ GPA: 3.95/4.0 Khulna University of Engineering & Technology Khulna, Bangladesh BS (Hons.) in Electrical & Electronic Engineering Feb. 2012-May 2016 Adviser: Dr. Mahbub Hasan ■ GPA: 3.57/4.0 **EXPERIENCES** ♦ Center for Imaging Science, Rochester Institute of Technology NY, USA **Graduate Research Assistant** May. 2021-Present Conduct research in continual learning for edge device applications **Research Trainee in NSF AWARE-AI** Jan. 2022-Present Develop online machine learning system for robotics **Graduate Teaching Assistant** Aug. 2020-May 2021 • Courses: Imaging Science Fundamentals, Fourier Method for Imaging ♦ Department of Electrical Engineering, University of Hawaii HI, USA **Graduate Research Assistant** Aug. 2019-May 2020 Conduct research in medical image segmentation and magnetic resonance image (MRI) reconstruction **Graduate Teaching Assistant** Aug. 2018-Dec. 2019 Courses: Communication Systems Lab, Basic Circuit Lab, Programming Language (C) ♦ Dutch-Bangla Bank Limited Dhaka, Bangladesh Jun. 2017-Nov. 2017 **Assistant Engineer** Supervise electrical substation installation, operation, and maintenance RESEARCH PROJECTS **PhD Research:** Efficient Continual Learning for Embedded Devices MS Research: Medical Image Segmentation of Cellular Images using Deep Learning CV as of June 15, 2023

#### TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Software:** MATLAB, AutoCAD, COMSOL
- Programming Languages: C, C++, Python Deep Learning Framework: PyTorch
- Scientific Computing Packages: Numpy, Scipy, Scikit-learn, Pandas
- OS & Applications: Linux, MS Office, Git, Bash Scripting, LaTeX, Typing Speed: 50 wpm

#### AWARDS

- Awards: 1) UHM Dept. of EE Research Excellence Award-2020, 2) UHM Dept. of EE Teaching Excellence Award-2019, 3) Bangladesh Government Merit Scholarship in Higher Secondary Certificate Examination-2011, 4) Bangladesh Government Merit Scholarship in Secondary School Certificate Examination-2009
- Travel Grants: 1) IEEE NANOMED Conference-2019, 2) Bangladesh Sweden Trust Fund-2018

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

# **Pre-Prints:**

- M.Y. Harun and C. Kanan. Overcoming the Stability Gap in Continual Learning. arXiv, 2023
- M.Y. Harun, J. Gallardo, T.L. Hayes, R. Kemker, and C. Kanan. SIESTA: Efficient Online Continual Learning with Sleep. *arXiv*, 2023

## Journal Paper:

• T.T. Huang, T. Kosasa, B. Walker, C. Arnett, C.T. Huang, C. Yin, **M.Y. Harun**, H.J. Ahn, and A. Ohta. Deep Learning Neural Network Analysis of Human Blastocyst Analysis from Time-lapse Image Files. *In: Reproductive BioMedicine Online*, 2021

## **Conference Papers:**

- M.Y. Harun, J. Gallardo, T.L. Hayes, and C. Kanan. How Efficient Are Today's Continual Learning Algorithms? *In: CVPR-W: CLVision*, 2023
- M.Y. Harun, M.A. Rahman, J. Mellinger, W. Chang, T. Huang, B. Walker, K. Hori, and A. Ohta. Image Segmentation of Zona-Ablated Human Blastocysts. *In: Proc. IEEE Intl. Conference on Nano/Molecular Medicine & Engineering*, 2019
- M.Y. Harun, T. Huang, and A. Ohta. Inner Cell Mass and Trophectoderm Segmentation in Human Blastocyst Images using Deep Neural Network. *In: Proc. IEEE Intl. Conference on Nano/Molecular Medicine & Engineering*, 2019

#### Poster:

T. Huang, B. Walker, M.Y. Harun, M.A. Rahman, J. Mellinger, W. Chang, and A. Ohta. Automated Computer Analysis of Human Blastocyst Expansion from Embryoscope Time-Lapse Image Files. *In: American Society for Reproductive Medicine*, 2019

#### **SOFTWARE**

• EmbryoSoft: Segments human embryo cells to assist doctors at Pacific IVF Institute, HI

# **SERVICES**

- Reviewer: IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA), 2021
- Mentor: Native Hawaiian Science and Engineering Mentorship Program, UHM, 2019

## REFERENCES

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