# FAISHAL ZHARFAN

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#### RESEARCH INTERESTS

Networked Systems, Edge Computing, Multimedia Systems, Computer Networks, Mobile Systems, Wireless Systems

#### **EDUCATION**

Bachelor of Science, Bandung Institute of Technology (ITB)

Bandung, Indonesia

#1 Science & Engineering school in Indonesia

Jul '19 - Jul '24

Telecommunication Engineering; CGPA: 3.73/4.0 (Cum Laude, Rank: Top 10%)

Erasmus+ Student Mobility Program, University of Zagreb

Zagreb, Croatia

Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing, Full-ride scholarship from the EU

Feb '22 - Jul '22

#### SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

## CONCIERGE: Towards Accuracy-Driven Bandwidth Allocation for Video Analytics Applications in Edge Network 2024

Yuyang Huang, Faishal Zharfan, Hendrawan Hendrawan, Haryadi S. Gunawi, Junchen Jiang 2024 IEEE International Conference on Edge Computing & Communications (EDGE '24)

# Modelling of Wireless OFDM System with Deep Learning-based Modulation Detection

2022

Rahmat Mulyawan, <u>Faishal Zharfan</u>, Muhamad Rizki Nur Rahman, Infall Syafalni, Nana Sutisna, Trio Adiono 2022 International Symposium on Electronics and Smart Devices (ISESD '22)

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

# International Undergraduate Research Collaboration on Video Analytics

Oct '22 - Jul '24

Undergraduate Research Assistant

- The research aimed to improve Video Analytics Applications' accuracy by implementing **Concierge**, an accuracy-driven resource allocator
- Collaborated with Prof. Junchen Jiang of the University of Chicago and Prof. Hendrawan of Bandung Institute of Technology
- Enabled self-adaptability on DDS & AWStream to automatically adjust its configuration in accordance to the available bandwidth and optimized its algorithm by utilizing RAMDisk for caching, switching FFmpeg to OpenCV for quicker decoding, and enabling batching to process multiple images at a time
- Optimized Concierge's allocation algorithm to reduce the overhead by 50%, implemented inferDiff, a metric used in Concierge to estimate accuracy, and wrote ~300 lines of shellscript to automate data measurement
- Successfully improved the average f1-score of DDS and AWStream by 7.5% over the state-of-the-art as well as cut DDS and AWStream processing latency by 50%

#### Undergraduate Research Collaboration on Mobile EEG

Jul '23 - Jun '24

Undergraduate Research Assistant

- The research aimed to design an E2E early seizure detection system and perform analysis on data transmission
- Collaborated with Wervyan Shalannanda of Bandung Institute of Technology
- Designed an early seizure detection system frontend utilizing **EEG electrode cap**, **Open BCI Cyton Board**, and **Raspberry PI**
- Analyzed the **E2E** data transmission delay of the system under 3 network conditions (LAN, 2 Subnets, Cloud)

# Undergraduate Research Collaboration on DL for 5G Communications

Apr '22 - Dec '22

Undergraduate Research Assistant

- The research aimed to address the low accuracy trend on FB-based AMC by employing CNN model as the classifier
- Collaborated with Prof. Trio Adiono and Rahmat Mulyawan of Bandung Institute of Technology
- Designed a smart wireless OFDM system with deep learning-based modulation detection
- Successfully achieved 91.375% of accuracy through experiments by utilizing Adalm Pluto

#### TEACHING

**Teaching Assistant** ET4047: Artificial Intelligence & Big Data Analysis for Telecommunication

**Teaching Assistant** ET2107: Programming

Lab. Assistant Coordinator ET2214: Telecommunication Laboratory Works IIB (Computer Networks I)
Lab. Assistant Coordinator ET2111: Telecommunication Laboratory Works I (Digital System Design)

#### INDUSTRY EXPERIENCES

#### Support Engineer, Mobileum

Nov '24 - Present

• Joined the team to support system maintenance and engage customers to ensure customer satisfaction

#### Technical Engineer Intern, ZTE Indonesia

Jul '24 - Nov '24

• Gained foundational knowledge in Networking technologies and protocols (VLAN, MPLS, VPN, BGP, OSPF)

#### COMPUTER SCIENCE SKILLS

**Programming Languages** Python, Go, C, C++, MATLAB

Systems Linux Kernel, Ubuntu, Shellscript, FFmpeg, gRPC

Internet of Things (IoT) Raspberry Pi, OpenBCI Cyton, Arduino UNO, ESP8266

Cloud Computing GCP, Chameleon Cloud, AWS, Huawei Cloud

Machine Learning & AI Tensorflow, Keras, Pytorch, OpenCV

Network SimulationeNSP, Packet TracerOrchestration SystemsDocker, KubernetesDatabaseMySQL, MongoDB

Other LaTeX, CST Studio, HFSS

#### ACTIVITIES

#### Huawei Seeds for The Future 2022

Aug '22

Indonesia Representative

- Participated in Tech4Good competition, proposed CanTing, an early stunting detection system
- Selected along 10 Indonesia delegations out of 200 applicants

# AWARDS

3<sup>rd</sup> Winner - Huawei ICT Competition on Computing Track at National Level 2023

- Successfully tackled OS & DB challenges and demonstrated strong problem-solving skills in Linux
- $\bullet$  Won  $3^{rd}$  Winner out of 15 teams from the top 15 universities in Indonesia

3<sup>rd</sup> Winner - Huawei ICT Competition on Network Track at Global Level 2023

- Successfully configured a complex real-world scenario network topology over an intensive 8-hour period
- Won  $3^{rd}$  Winner out of top 50 teams from 32 countries around the world

2<sup>nd</sup> Winner - Huawei ICT Competition on Network Track at Regional (Asia-Pacific) Level 2023

- Successfully configured a real-world scenario network topology utilizing networking technologies and protocols
- Successfully tackled computer networking challenges that are equivalent to the HCIE certification exams
- Won 2<sup>nd</sup> Winner out of 12 teams of Asia-Pacific countries representation

1<sup>st</sup> Winner - Huawei ICT Competition on Network Track at National Level 2022

- Participated in a prestigious and highly competitive international ICT Competition
- Successfully tackled computer networking challenges and demonstrated strong problem-solving skills in networking
- Won  $1^{st}$  Winner out of 30 teams from the top 30 universities in Indonesia

2<sup>nd</sup> Place - Most Outstanding Student of Telecommunication Engineering, ITB 2022

• Selected based on academic and non-academic performance

#### **HONORS**

Scholarship Awardee - Electrical Engineering Alumni Association	$2024,\ 2022$
Ganesha Award - Ganesha Karsa, ITB	2023
Fellowship Awardee - Summer of Reproducibility, UC Santa Cruz	2023
Scholarship Awardee - Erasmus+ International Credit Mobility	2022

### REFERENCES

Junchen Jiang	Hendrawan
Assistant Professor	Full Professor
University of Chicago	Bandung Institute of Technology
junchenj@uchicago.edu	hend@itb.ac.id

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