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OBJECTIVE

To impart technical education which will be globally acceptable and to excel in the field of engineering & problem solving. Fields of interest include Software Defined Networking, Network Security, Computer Networks, Object Oriented Programming, Operating Systems and R & D.

EDUCATION

2023 Ph. D from National Institute of Technology, Srinagar

Topic of Research: Enhancing Reliability and Security in Software Defined Networks.

2011 Master of Technology degree in Communication and Information Technology, from National Institute of Technology, Srinagar with CGPA of 8.702 out of 10 and secured 2nd position overall.

> **Core courses**: Network Security, Computer Networks, Embedded systems, Computer Vision & Artificial Intelligence, DBMS, HTML and Java script, Advanced Computer Architectures, Digital Communications, Wireless Communication, Image Processing and Software Engineering.

> **Thesis work**: "Latency Evaluation of Extensible Authenticating Protocols in WLANs" and secured **A**+ in thesis work.

2008 Bachelor of Engineering degree in Computer Science & Engineering, from S.S.M College of Engineering and Technology, affiliated to University of Kashmir with an aggregate percentage of 79.7% and secured 1st position overall (Gold Medalist).

Project Work: "Design and Development of Real Estate website in ASP.NET (with back-end SQL server-2005)"

- **2003 Higher Secondary Schooling and Pre-University ('A' Levels)** from Iqbal Memorial Institute, Srinagar, J & K Board of School Education with an aggregate percentage of **75%**.
- 2001 High School ('O' Levels) from J & K Board of School Education with an

aggregate percentage of 65%.

ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

Qualified Graduate Aptitude Test in Engineering (GATE-2007) in Computer Science & Engineering with All India Rank = 596.

PUBLICATIONS

JOURNALS

- Suhail Ahmad and A.H Mir, "*Protection of centralized SDN control plane from high-rate Packet-In messages*", in the International Journal of Information Security, Springer, 2023, 22(5): 1-12.
- **Suhail Ahmad** and A.H Mir, *"Securing Centralized SDN Control with Distributed Blockchain Technology"*, in the International Journal of Computer Science, AGH University of Science and Technology, 2023, 24(1): 5-30
- **Suhail Ahmad** and A.H Mir, "*SDN Interfaces: Protocols, Taxonomy and Challenges*", in the International Journal of Wireless and Microwave Technologies, MECS Press, 2022, 12(2): 11-32.
- **Suhail Ahmad** and A.H Mir, "Scalability, Consistency, Reliability and Security in SDN Controllers: A Survey of Diverse SDN Controllers", in the International Journal of Network and System Management, Springer, 2020, 29(9): 1-59.
- Suhail Ahmad and A.H Mir, "*Performance Evaluation of Protocol Independent Multicast Routing Protocols in IP Networks*", in the International Journal of Computer Networks and Wireless Communication, IRCST, 2018, 8(3): 72-77.
- Suhail Ahmad, Wajid Ali Hamdani, Mohsin Hassan Magray, "*Performance evaluation of IPv4 and IPv6 over MPLS using OPNET*", in the International Journal of Computer Applications, Volume 125, No. 3, 2015 Published by Foundation of Computer Science (FCS), NY, USA.
- **Suhail Ahmad** and A.H. Mir, "*The Key Functions for Cognitive Radios in Next Generation Networks: A Survey*", in the International Journal of Innovative Research in Technology & Science (IJIRTS), volume 2, issue 2, 2013.
- **Suhail Ahmad,** A.H Mir and G.R Beigh, "*EAP-SAM: A Simple Authentication mechanism for mutual authentication in EAP enabled WLANs*", in the International Journal of Computer Science and Telecommunication (IJCST), issue 4, version 3, 2012.

CONFERENCES

• Aroof Aimen, Saalim Hamid, **Suhail Ahmad**, Mohammad Ahsan Chisti, Surinder Singh Khurana, Amandeep Kaur, *"Handover between Wi-Fi and WiMAX Technologies Using GRE Tunnel"*, in proceedings of Advances in Intelligent Systems and Computing (AISC) series of Springer, 2017 (2nd International Conference on Advanced Computing and Intelligent Engineering 23-25 November, 2017)

- Suhail Ahmad and A.H Mir, "Centralized Routing in Comparison with Legacy Distributed Routing", 13th Session of Jammu and Kashmir Science Congress, 2018
- Suhail Ahmad, A.H Mir and G.R Beigh, "*Latency Evaluation of Extensible Authentication Protocols in WLANs*", in the proceedings of 5th IEEE International Conference on Advanced Networks and Telecommunication Systems (ANTS), December 2011.

WORKSHOPS

• **Suhail Ahmad** and Aashish Siotra, "*Survey of WLAN Security Protocols*". Paper published in the proceedings of workshop on Recent Trends in Engineering and Technology, 16th November 2011.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

> TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Ten years teaching experience as Assistant Professor at Department of Computer Science & Engineering, North Campus, University of Kashmir. (9th Oct. 2012 to till date).
- One-year teaching experience as Assistant Professor (Contractual) at National Institute of Technology, Srinagar (August-2011 to October-2012).
- Seven months experience as Lecturer at KITE Polytechnic, Srinagar (March-2009 to September-2009).

> ADMINISTRATIVE EXPERIENCE

- 3 years as Coordinator of Computer Science & Engineering Department, North Campus, University of Kashmir.
- 1 year as Proctor of North Campus, University of Kashmir.
- 1 year as Jt. Warden Boys Hostel of North Campus, University of Kashmir.
- 2 years as Nodal Officer of IQAC/DIQA/AISHE/GATI, North Campus, University of Kashmir.

> SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT EXPERIENCE

- Designed and developed a real-estate website in ASP.Net (using C#, VB.Net), SQL Server 2005, CSS, Java script.
- Designed and developed a web-based Invoice System in ASP.Net (using C#, VB.Net), SQL Server 2005, CSS, Java script.
- Designed and developed a Job website in ASP, Java script, VB script, HTML and Ms. Access.

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING, WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

- Three weeks training on Network Administration in Linux, at NITTTR, Chandigarh, 2007.
- Three months training course in ASP.NET using C# and VB.NET, from DOEACC, Rangreth, Srinagar, 2008.
- Two-week ISTE WORKSHOP on Database Management Systems Conducted by Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay from 21st to 31st May, 2013
- Faculty Development Programme on Networking & Security at IUST, Awantipora on 23rd Nov., 2013
- Participated in 4-week UGC Sponsored 64th General Orientation Course organized by UGC-Academic Staff College, University of Kashmir, from 17th February 2014 to 17th March 2014.
- Participated in Workshop on "Telecommunication Networks with State-of-the-Art Hands-on Experiments", organized by Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur, from 01-07-2014 to 08-07-2014
- Participated in Workshop on "Open Source Technologies", organized by National Institute of Technology, Srinagar, from 25-05-2014 to 29-05-2014
- Attended a Two Week ISTE STTP Workshop on "Introduction to Design of Algorithms", organized by IIT Kharagpur, from 25-05-2015 to 30-05-2015
- Attended a Workshop on "WEB TECHNOLOGIES", organized by ELANCE Technologies with Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Govt. of India, from 09-12-2015 to 10-12-2015
- Attended 3-week Special Winter School on the theme "Towards Excellence in Higher Education" organized by UGC-HRDC, University of Kashmir, Srinagar from 15th February 2017 to 8th March 2017.
- Participated in Conference on Software Engineering and Data Sciences (CoSEDS) organized by Department of Computer Sciences, North Campus, University of Kashmir from 20th June to 21st June 2018.
- Attended 2 Weeks Winter School for Engineering Streams, organized by UGC-HRDC Sri Mata Vaishno Devi University, Katra, J&K from 16th Feb to 1st March 2019.
- Attended 1 Week Workshop on Recent Research Trends in Information Technology, organized by IUST Awantipora from 12th Sept. to 18th Sept. 2020.
- Attended 2 Weeks refresher course on Blockchain Technology, organized by UGC-HRDC, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University, Hyderabad, from 7th Dec. to 21st Dec. 2020.
- Attended 2 Weeks refresher course on Information Technology, organized by UGC-HRDC, University of Kashmir, from 23rd Feb. to 8th March 2022.
- One Day Training Workshop for DIQA Nodal Officers at University of Kashmir, on 22nd Sept. 2022

PROFICIENCY

Language	Compiler/Platform/Version
C (Structured)	Turbo
C++ (Structured & Object Oriented)	Turbo, Microsoft Visual C++ 6.0
C#	Visual Studio 2005 and 2008
Java, Javascript	Borland Jbuilder 3, and 5
Web server language: ASP, ASP.Net	Windows 2000/XP/07
Assembly Language	Intel 8085/8086
Web client languages: HTML, Javascript	Windows 2010/07
Databases: Microsoft Access, SQL-2005, ORACLE	Windows 2010/07
Very High-Speed Integrated Circuit Hardware Description Language (VHDL)	Unix/linux

Capable of installation & configuring of networking devices such as router, access point, server and Network Operating Systems.

Familiar with Microsoft Windows (9X/NT/2000/XP/Vista/7/10), Linux (Red Hat/Ubuntu/Fedora) and MAC. Installation of multiple boot machines and experience in general troubleshooting of applications in Windows/Linux/MAC.

Competent with hardware, experience in assembling & general troubleshooting of personal computers from major vendors like IBM, DELL, SONY and HP.

Well versed with software's such as:

- Mininet: SDN Networking Emulator
- Floodlight: SDN Controller and other Controllers
- ✤ Microsoft Office 2007/2010/2016, Microsoft FrontPage.
- Matlab
- ♦ Network Simulator (NS-2, NS-3), Linux & Windows Platform
- ✤ Dream Weaver, Filezilla

PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

- Fast Learner, Outgoing and pleasant.
- Highly organized and dedicated with a positive attitude.
- Able to work hard independently or in a team.
- Have good written, oral and interpersonal communication skills.

• Thrive on working in a challenging environment.

PERSONAL DETAILS

Date of Birth	: 6th December 1985
Gender	: Male
Nationality	: Indian
Marital Status	: Married
Languages	: English, Urdu, Hindi and Kashmiri.
Permanent Address	: New colony, Batamaloo, Srinagar, J & K, India, 190010.

I do hereby declare that the particulars of information and facts stated herein above are true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Place: Srinagar

Date: 31.07.2023

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