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#### **Research & Professional Profiles**

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### **Professional Summary**

PhD in Electrical Engineering with specialization in Soft Robotics. Accomplished educator and researcher with proven expertise in innovation, mentorship, and academic excellence. Skilled in quality assurance and institutional performance evaluation to enhance operational outcomes.

## **Educational Credentials**

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<b>Doctor of Philosophy</b> Electrical Engineering Universiti Teknologi Malaysia (UTM), Malaysia	2015 – 2020	
Master of Engineering Electronic Engineering NED University of Engineering & Technology, Karachi	2009 – 2012	
Bachelor of Engineering Industrial Electronics Engineering NED University of Engineering & Technology, Karachi	2005 – 2008	
Higher Secondary Certificate  Board of Intermediate Education Karachi	2002 – 2004	
Secondary School Certificate	2000 - 2002	

## **Professional Experience**

<b>Deputy Director</b> Quality Enhancement Cell (QEC) NED University of Engineering & Technology, Karachi	2023 — till date
Assistant Professor Department of Electronic Engineering NED University of Engineering & Technology, Karachi	2020 – till date
Lecturer Department of Electronic Engineering NED University of Engineering & Technology, Karachi	2009 – 2020

## **Research & Supervision**

- **Co-Principal Investigator:** Awarded PKR 1.8 million under Sindh HEC Research Support Programme for the project "Smart IoT-enabled Ground Bird Farming" (2022–2024).
- **PhD Co-Supervisor** (2024–ongoing): "Design and development of efficient 3D colored mapping system using low-cost laser scanning and sensor fusion technologies" (PhD funding: PKR 0.5 million).
- Master's Thesis Supervision:
  - 1. Developing an Architecture of SCADA/DCS for Process Industry (2023)
  - 2. Effect of Air Jet Assist Turbocharging on 1980 kW Islanded Gen-set under Stochastic Load (2023)
  - 3. Simulation-Based Optimization of Energy Management System for Industrial Facilities (2023)
  - 4. Development of Multilevel Inverter with MPPT Controller for Photovoltaic Systems (2023)
  - 5. Al-Based Energy Optimization Using Smart Camera (2023)
  - 6. Effect of Air-Jet Assist Turbocharging on 8.7 MW Islanded Gen-set under Stochastic Load (2022)
  - 7. SCADA/DCS Architecture Incorporating Industry 4.0 for Process Industry (2022)

## **Honors & Recognitions**

- **PhD Scholarship** (PKR 4.25 million), *Mega-M3 Scheme*-NED University of Engineering and Technology (NEDUET), for doctoral studies at Universiti Teknologi Malaysia (UTM).
- Best Paper Award Finalist, 17th Asia Simulation Conference, UTM & Malaysian Simulation Society.
- Peer Review Recognition, International Bhurban Conference on Applied Sciences & Technology.
- Organizer & Session Chair Memento, 2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Emerging Trends in Electronic and Telecommunication Engineering, NEDUET.
- Session Chair Mementos, 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> International Electrical Engineering Conferences, NEDUET.
- Participant, 1st Pak-German Workshop on Field Robotics, Lahore University of Management Sciences.
- **Certificate of Presentation**, 7<sup>th</sup> Electrical Engineering Research Colloquium, UTM.
- **Professional Development Certificate**, Professional Competency Enhancement Program for Teachers by Higher Education Commission (HEC).
- Workshop Participation, UTM: Student-Supervisor Relationship, Research Management, CAD & 3D Printing.
- Participant, 1st National Certified Reviewers (NCR) Training, Sindh-HEC.

#### **Academic & Administrative Roles**

- Contributed to institutional ranking enhancement through academic program evaluations and performance assessments.
- Led Internal Quality and HSE audits; supported external quality audit processes.
- Participated in academic boards including Board of Faculty, QEC Board of Review, and University Board of Review.
- Conducted faculty and staff training; handled additional tasks assigned by the Director QEC.
- Supervised M.Eng. research and B.Eng. Final Year Design Projects (FYDPs).
- Served as class advisor and PLC lab in-charge for B.Eng. students.

## **Courses Taught**

#### Undergraduate (B.Eng.) Courses

- Basic Electronics
- Digital Electronics
- Electronic Design and Workshop
- Electronic Devices and Circuits
- Instrumentation and Control
- Industrial Electronics
- Power Electronics

#### Postgraduate (M.Eng.) Courses

- Introduction to Mechatronics
- Introduction to MEMS
- Sensors and Systems
- Measurement & Calibration of Electronic Systems
- Data Acquisition and Microcontroller
- Industrial Control Systems
- Random Variables and Stochastic Process

## **Technical Skills**

#### Software:

- Computer Aided Design (Design SolidWorks®)
- Finite Element Analysis (MARC® Mentat)
- Layout Editor
- Plotting (Origin)
- Citation Manger (Mendeley, EndNote)
- Microsoft Office Suite (Excel, Word, PowerPoint)

#### Hardware:

- CNC Milling (Roland® MDX-40A)
- 3D Printer (Flashforge® Dreamer)
- Vacuum desiccator (PELCO® Mini Hot Vac)
- Ultrasonic Bath (Fisherbrand™)
- Spin Coater (Laurell® WS-650MZ)
- Laser Writer (Heidelberg® μPG-101)
- Mask Aligner (MIDAS® MDA-400M-6)

#### **Research Publications**

- [1] Sri Abinesh Pillal Murugesh, Ili Najaa Aimi Mohd Nordin, Ahmad Athif Mohd Faudzi, Nurulaqilla Khamis, Noraishikin Zulkarnain, and **Tariq Rehman**. "IoT-Enabled Instrumented Glove for Real-Time Monitoring of Finger Pinch Strength." *Journal of Advanced Research in Applied Sciences and Engineering Technology* 62, no. 2 (2024): 220–230. https://doi.org/10.37934/araset.62.2.220230
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- [3] Rizwan Aslam Butt, **Tariq Rehman**, and Muhammad Amir Qureshi. "A Smart Iot-Enabled Cage for the Farming of Ground Birds." *Engineering Proceedings* 46, no. 1 (2023): 26. https://doi.org/10.3390/engproc2023046026
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- [5] Farah Afiqa Mohd Ghazali, Md Nazibul Hasan, **Tariq Rehman**, Marwan Nafea, Mohamed Sultan Mohamed Ali, & Kenichi Takahata. "MEMS Actuators for Biomedical Applications: A Review." *Journal of Micromechanics and Microengineering* 30, no. 7 (2020): 073001. https://doi.org/10.1088/1361-6439/ab8832 (IF: 2.23)
- [6] Muhammad Rusydi Muhammad Razif, Go Ling Zhi, Ili Najaa Aimi Mohd Nordin, Hairulazwan Hashim, Amirul Syafiq Sadun, and **Tariq Rehman**. "Bellow Soft Gripper for Agriculture." *International Journal*

- of Advanced Trends in Computer Science and Engineering 9, no. 1.4 (2020). https://doi.org/10.30534/ijatcse/2020/0191.42020
- [7] Muhammad Rusydi Muhammad Razif, Ahmad Athif Faudzi, Ili Najaa Aimi Mohd Nordin, **Tariq Rehman**, and Dyah Ekashanti Octorina Dewi. "Two-Chambers Soft Actuator Bending and Rotational Properties for Underwater Application." *Indonesian Journal of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science* 16, no. 2 (2019): 669-77. <a href="https://doi.org/10.11591/ijeecs.v16.i2.pp669-677">https://doi.org/10.11591/ijeecs.v16.i2.pp669-677</a>
- [8] **Tariq Rehman**, Marwan Nafea, Ahmad Athif Faudzi, Tanveer Saleh, and Mohamed Sultan Mohamed Ali. "PDMS-Based Dual-Channel Pneumatic Micro-Actuator." *Smart Materials and Structures* 28, no. 11 (2019): 115044.https://doi.org/10.1088/1361-665X/ab4ac1 (IF: 3.453)
- [9] Marwan Nafea, Mohamed Sultan Mohamed Ali, **Tariq Rehman**, and Kamyar Mehranzamir. "Geometrical Analysis of Diffuser-Nozzle Elements for Valveless Micropumps." *IEEE International Conference on smart instrumentation, measurement and application (ICSIMA), 2019.* https://doi.org/10.1109/ICSIMA47653.2019.9057345
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## Memberships

Registered Engineer, Pakistan Engineering Council (PEC) - Electro/11069.

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