Ahsan Bilal

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EDUCATION

University of Oklahoma

Oklahoma, USA

MS/ Ph.D in Computer Science

Sep. 2024 - Present

- CGPA -3.8/4.0
- Advisor: Dr. Dean Hougen | Research includes machine learning, deep learning, LLMs & Explainable AI

National University of Sciences & Technology (NUST - SEECS)

Islamabad, Pakistan

Bachelors of Engineering in Electrical Engineering

Aug. 2020 - June 2024

- CGPA 3.66/4.0 | Specialization GPA 4.0/4.0 | Merit Scholarship 2020
- Person identification using gait with fused graph and 3D-convolutional architectures | Presentation |

Publications | Google Scholar

Neural Gaussian Radio Fields for Channel Estimation

Neurips'25 | Submitted

M. Umer, MA. Mohsin, A. Bilal, J.M. Cioffi

ItDPDM: Information-Theoretic Discrete Poisson Diffusion Model

Neurips'25 | Submitted

S. Bhattacharya, AR. Gorle, A. Bilal, C. Ding, AK. Singh Yadav, T. Weissman

Continual Learning for Wireless Channel Prediction

ICML'25 | Accepted

MA. Mohsin, M. Umer, A. Bilal, MA Jamshed, J.M. Cioffi

Task Aware Distributed Source Coding for Correlated Audio Signals Using Perceptual Loss

AAAI'25 | Accepted

S. Bhattacharya, MA. Mohsin, <u>A. Bilal</u>, J.M. Cioffi

Retrieval Augmented Generation with Multi-Modal LLM Framework for Wireless Environments

ICC 2025 | Accepted

MA. Mohsin, A. Bilal, S. Bhattacharya, J.M. Cioffi

Hierarchical Deep Reinforcement Learning for Spectrum Resource Optimization in Integrated Terrestrial and Non-Terrestrial Networks

AAAI'25 | Accepted

MA. Mohsin, H. Rizwan, M. Umer, S. Bhattacharya, A. Bilal, J.M. Cioffi

Abstract - LLM for Explainable AI

IEEE DSAA'24 | Accepted

A. Bilal, B. Lin

Meta-Thinking in LLMs via Multi-Agent Reinforcement Learning: A Survey

IEEE TAI | Submitted

A. Bilal, MA. Mohsin, M Umer, MAK Bangash, MA Jamshed

On Shadow Removal With Boosted Attention in a Vision Transformer

Springer Machine Learning | Submitted

A. Bilal, A. Salman, S.S. Naveed, M.U. Safder, K. Khurshid, M.U. Ilyas

Person Identification using Gait with Fused Graph and 3D-Convolutional Architectures

International Journal of Multimedia Information Retrieval | Submitted

A. Bilal, A. Subhan, H. Ali, A. Salman

Industry Experience

Machine Learning Engineer

Islamabad, PK

Cowlar Design Studio (Y Combinator 21) - Based in USA

Feb 2024 - August 2024

• Developed an Action Recognition system for Smart Carts with 95% accuracy, built dual inference deployment for Android NPU and NVIDIA clusters. Automated fiber cable alignment using computer vision and machine learning with 96% success, improving precision to 5 micrometers and scaling production 40x.

UI Developer

Dubai, UAE

SJCurve-Remote

March 2023 - August 2024

• Created responsive web applications using WordPress and React.js, customized themes, integrated frontend with backend, and collaborated with teams to implement modern UI trends.

Wah Cantt, Pakistan Nov 2022 – Mar 2023

Meraki-IT - Remote

• Led UI/UX design for multiple projects, analyzing problem statements, designing intuitive interfaces, and developing wireframes and prototypes for the technology sector.

Talks and Presentations

 Delivered a presentation titled "AI in Healthcare" at Norman Regional Hospital under the supervision of Dr. Lubna Mirza

Honors and Awards

- * Best Student Presentation Runner-up Award at IEEE DSAA'24 Student Forum.
- * Recipient of the Gallogly College of Engineering Graduate Fellowship 2025
- * Awarded the Student Travel Grant for IEEE DSAA 2024.
- * My Final Year Project received the 1st Best Adjudged Industrial Project Award at the NUST Open House 2024.
- * Selected as an Undergraduate Research Intern for the First Cohort of UGRIP by MBZUAI.
- * Winner of Prime Minister Laptop Scheme.

CERTIFICATIONS

- * Google UX Professional Certificate.
- $\ast\,$ Deep Learning Specialization Certificate.
- * The Advanced Communication Skills Course.

SKILLS

Programming & Deep Learning: PyTorch, Tensorflow (Keras), OpenCV, Docker, Mlflow,EC2 Instance

Languages: Python, C/C++, Embedded C, Javascript (React.js), HTML/CSS, Next.js Tools: MATLAB, VS Code, Git, AutoCad, Figma, PyCharm, Raspberry Pi OS, NginX

Design: Figma, AdobeXD, Adobe Illustrator, Adobe Photoshop, Sketch, WordPress Theme Design