



# Syed Muhammad Asad

## Curriculum Vitae

### Education

- 2006–2009 **Master of Science**, *King Fahd University of Petroleum & Minerals*, Dhahran, Saudi Arabia.  
Major Electrical Engineering
- 1997–2001 **Bachelor of Science**, *Sir Syed University of Engineering & Technology*, Karachi, Pakistan.  
Major Electronics Engineering

### Experience

- January 2016–current **Coordinator**, *Hafr Al Batin Community College, University of Hafr Al Batin*, Electrical and Electronics Technology Unit, Hafr Al Batin, Saudi Arabia
- Description I took over the responsibility as Coordinator of EEET Unit at HBCC overlooking all the academic and administrative aspects of the unit.
- September 2009–current **Lecturer**, *Affiliated Colleges at Hafr Al Batin/University of Hafr Al Batin*, Department of Electrical Engineering, Hafr Al Batin, Saudi Arabia
- Description Taught courses on *Signal and Systems, Programmable Logic Controllers, Circuits II, Electronics II, Control Systems, Probability and Random Variables* and *Engineering Design*. Advised COOP students in their mandatory industrial training.
- Contribution
- Developed detailed lecture notes, revised/updated lab manuals, incorporating innovative tools in education in all courses taught.
  - Developed detailed course handout, formulated homework assignments, quizzes and term projects for *EE 311 (Fundamentals of Engineering Design in EE)*. I was the first one to teach the course in its first offering in 151 and was able to achieve the course outcomes to a large extent.
  - I have been an examiner for the Senior Design Project in various semesters (142, 151)

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- Member *Standing Committee on Planning (2012-2014)* responsible with *formulating strategic plan* and various other planning aspects for the college.
- Member *Standing Committee on Student Affairs (2014-2015)*.
- Member of various adhoc committees at departmental level (*ABET, Scheduling*) and at university level (*Coop Coordinators, 7th Students Conference*).

Oct 2001–Oct 2005 **Service Support Engineer**, *Saudi International Trading & Marketing Co. Ltd.*, Jeddah, Saudi Arabia.

Description Responsible for Service Support of Leica Geosystems Surveying Equipment like Total Station and level.  
Inventory control of service center.

## Funded Projects

Title *Adaptive Decision Feedback Equalization for Wideband MIMO Systems Using Constrained Optimization Techniques.*

Description Sabic funded project (SB111012) undertaken to investigate receivers based on adaptive decision feedback equalization for MIMO-CDMA systems. The main aim is to develop algorithms based on constrained optimization where the main constrained proposed is the variance of multiple-access-interference. The project was successfully completed and published.

## Research Interests

Adaptive filtering and its application to communication systems, statistical signal processing, blind equalization, MIMO communication systems.

## Honors

Scholarship Recipient of graduate scholarship from King Fahd University of Petroleum & Minerals, Dhahran, Saudi Arabia.

## Technical Highlights

Simulation Matlab, Mathematica  
 Typography  $\LaTeX$ , LyX  
 Analytical Adaptive Filter Design & Analysis, CDMA System Analysis, MIMO Systems  
 OS Windows  
 Desktop MS Office, Desktop essentials

## Languages

English Near-native *Primary education to graduate degree obtained in English*  
 Urdu Native  
 Arabic Intermediate

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## Publications

### Book

- [16] S. M. Asad, *Variable Step-Size Least Mean Fourth Adaptive Algorithm: Basics, Concepts and Analysis*. VDM Verlag, 2010.

### Journals

- [1] K. Mahmood, S. M. Asad, M. Moinuddin, and W. Imtiaz, "A robust mai constrained adaptive algorithm for decision feedback equalizer for mimo communication systems," *International Journal of Advanced Computer Science and Applications(IJACSA)*, vol. 7, pp. 596–600, 2016.
- [2] —, "Mai and noise constrained lms algorithm for mimo cdma linear equalizer," *International Journal of Advanced Computer Science and Applications(IJACSA )*, vol. 7, no. 1, pp. 702–711, 2016.
- [3] K. Mahmood, S. M. Asad, M. Moinuddin, A. Zerguine, and L. Cheded, "Multiple access interference in mimo-cdma systems under rayleigh fading: Statistical characterization and applications," *EURASIP Journal on Advances in Signal Processing*, vol. 2016, no. 1, pp. 1–18, 2016.
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- [7] U. Bin Mansoor, S. Asad, and A. Zerguine, "Stochastic gradient algorithm based on an improved higher order exponentiated error cost function," in *Signals, Systems and Computers, 2014 48th Asilomar Conference on*, 2014, pp. 900–903. DOI: 10.1109/ACSSC.2014.7094582.
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- [11] K. Mahmood, S. Asad, M. Moinuddin, A. Zerguine, and S. Paul, "Statistical analysis of multiple access interference in rayleigh fading environment for mimo cdma systems," in *Statistical Signal Processing (SSP), 2014 IEEE Workshop on*, 2014, pp. 412–415. DOI: 10.1109/SSP.2014.6884663.
- [12] S. Asad and A. Zerguine, "Convergence analysis of a modified armijo rule step-size lmf algorithm," in *Information Science, Signal Processing and their Applications (ISSPA), 2012 11th International Conference on*, IEEE, 2012, pp. 343–347.
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