

# MDCWC 2020

## ONLINE WORKSHOP

### Machine Learning Deep Learning and Computational Intelligence for Wireless Communication

22<sup>nd</sup> October to 24<sup>th</sup> October 2020



#### PAPER PRESENTATION\* ON THE FOLLOWING TOPICS

- Machine Learning
- Deep Learning
- Computational Intelligence
- Optimization algorithms
- Mobile data applications
- Wireless communication

\*To be published in the Lecture Notes in Electrical Engineering, Springer publications.

#### KEYNOTE ADDRESS

#### INVITED TALKS

#### TUTORIAL ON ML, DL and CI

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Co-coordinators: Dr.B.Rebekka , Dr.G.Thavasi Raja, Assistant professors, Department of ECE,NIT Tiruchirappalli

### Registration details for Participants

Participants will be allowed to attend all the following sessions of the workshop. (a) **Guest lectures** (b) **Invited talks** (c) **Paper presentation by the authors** (d) **Machine learning, Deep learning and Computational intelligence Tutorial**.

Tutorial lectures will be based on the book titled "**Pattern Recognition and Computational Intelligence Techniques Using Matlab**" 2019, Transactions on computational Science and intelligence, Springer publications authored by the Co-ordinator for the event MDCWC 2020

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**Dr. Dush Nalin Jayakody** received the MSc degree in Electronics and Communications Engineering from the Eastern Mediterranean University, Turkey (under the University Graduate Scholarship) and ranked as the first merit position holder of the department. He received the Ph.D. degree in Electronics and Communications Engineering, from the University College Dublin, Ireland under the supervision of Prof. Mark Flanagan (under the Science Foundation Ireland Grant). From 2014- 2016, he has held a Postdoc position at the Coding & Information Transmission group, University of Tartu, Estonia and University of Bergen, Norway. From 2016, he is a Professor at the School of Computer Science and Robotics, National Research Tomsk Polytechnic University, Russia. Dr. Jayakody is a Senior Member of IEEE and he has served as session chair or technical program committee member for various international conferences, such as IEEE PIMRC 2014, IEEE WCNC 2014/2016, IEEE VTC 2015 etc.



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## Invited Talks



### **Title: Detection of GAN Generated Images and Deepfakes**

Dr. Lakshmanan Nataraj received his Ph.D. from the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering at the University of California, Santa Barbara in 2015. His research interests include multimedia security, malware detection and image forensics. He is currently employed as a Senior Research Staff Member at [Mayachitra Inc.](#), where he leads research projects on malware detection and media forensics



### **Title: Reliability analysis of Safety critical systems using Machine Learning**

Dr. Lalit Kumar Singh received his Ph.D. degree from Indian Institute of Technology (Banaras Hindu University). He is currently a Scientist in NPCIL-BARC, Department of Atomic Energy, Government of India, since 17 years, and has distinction of working on Pressurized Heavy Water Reactors (PHWR) and Light Water Reactors (LWR). He has an illustrious career and succeeded in several critical jobs assigned to him in his illustrious career, though, each of them was challenging. His assignments over the years range from design, development, testing, IV&V, related research and site validation of the safety critical computer based systems of Indian Nuclear Power Plants. He has published several research papers in journals of high impact factor like IEEE Transactions, IEEE Computer, ACM, Elsevier, Quality & Reliability International, etc. He has been invited for chief guest, keynote speeches, session chair and talks in many international conferences, short term courses, workshops & faculty development programs from many IITs, NITs & other institutes of national importance. He is recipient of many awards like publication award, group achievement award, etc. He is a reviewer of several SCI indexed journals of high impact factor. He is a life member of Indian Nuclear Society. He is a member of editorial board of many reputed journals and guest lead editor of many special issues. He is supervising many PhD students of different IITs, NITs and is PhD thesis examiner of IITs, NITs and other reputed institutes. He is an expert member of Industrial policy formation of IIT Ropar, BoS of many autonomous institutes and member on the advisory board of many institutes/universities. He is a reviewer and project collaborator of Research proposals of Board of Research in Nuclear Sciences (BRNS). He is also faculty of Nuclear Training Centre, Department of Atomic Energy, Government of India. He is interfacing with other countries, like Russia, USA, France, etc. for importing nuclear reactors that are based on new technologies. His research interests are in the Area of reliability, safety and security of safety critical computer based systems. So far he has completed 33 projects of Department of Atomic Energy, Government of India.



### **Title: Deep learning for IOT Applications**

Dr. Shyam Lal received Ph.D. degree in Digital Image Processing from Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering, Birla Institute of Technology, Mesra, Ranchi (Jharkhand), India in 2013. Currently, he is working as Assistant Professor in the department of Electronics & Communication Engineering, National Institute of Technology Karnataka, Surathkal, Mangalore (Karnataka), India since 18th December 2013. He has more than 17 years of Teaching & Research experience. He has supervised 05 Ph.D. students and currently 03 Ph.D. students are working under his supervision in the area of Medical and Remote sensing Image Processing and he has completed 01 R&D project funded by SERB-DST and currently executing 03 R&D projects funded by Govt. of India. He has published more than 70 research papers in the area of Digital Image Processing, Medical Image Processing and Remote Sensing at International/National Journals & Conferences. He has received Early Career Research Award (Young Scientist) in 2017 from Science Engineering and Research Board, Department of Science and Technology, Govt. of India and Young Faculty Research Fellowship Research Grant in 2019 under Visvesvaraya PhD Scheme for Electronics & IT, Digital India Innovation, MeitY, Govt of India. He has been Guest Editor of IJSISE, Inderscience Publishers, Editorial member of Open Access Journal of Biomedical Engineering and its Applications, Lupine Publishers, USA. He is Senior Member of IEEE, life member of ISTE, New Delhi, India, Life member of IAENG, Hong Kong and Life member of IACSIT, Singapore. His area of interest includes Digital Image Processing, Histopathology and Medical Image Processing, Remote Sensing Image Processing, Machine and Deep Learning with Applications, and Optimization Algorithms with application in Image Processing



**Dr. Gaurav Purohit**, Scientist (2016 – Present), CSIR-CEERI, Pilani, India  
Assistant Professor (Present), in Engineering Sciences, Academy of Scientific & Innovative Research (AcSIR), India

**Title of the Talk: Intelligent data analytics for prediction of AIR Quality on Pre and Post COVID Indian Dataset**

#### Other invited talks

Mr. Abhinav K Nair, Senior Engineer (R & D), Radisys India Pvt. Ltd.

**Title of the Talk: '6G- Why should we talk about it now?'**

Mr. Mahammad shaik, Qualcomm, Hyderabad

**Title of the Talk: Computational intelligence for Efficient transmission policy for Energy harvesting and Spectral sensing in Cognitive radio system**

#### Co-ordinator and the speaker for the Tutorial session



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**Dr. E. S. Gopi** is currently an Associate Professor in the Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering, National Institute of Technology Tiruchirappalli. He has two decades of teaching and research experience. He has authored seven books and nine book chapters. He has several papers in international journals and conferences to his credit. He is also the coordinator for the Pattern Recognition and Computational Intelligence Laboratory and the COMPSIG newsletter. His research interests include pattern recognition, signal processing, and computational intelligence. He is the series editor for the Signals and Communications Technology, Springer publications. He is also the Guest speaker for the IEEE Training School

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