

Contributors

Educator in Chief



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Technical Editors - IoT Communications



Igor Bisio got his Master Degree, in Telecommunication Engineering, at the University of Genoa, Italy in 2002 and his Ph.D. degree in Information and Communication Sciences and Technologies in the same University in 2006. He is currently Associate Professor and he is member of the Telecommunication Research Group and, in particular, he is co-responsible for the Digital Signal Processing (DSP) Laboratory at the University of Genoa. During his research activity, he is collaborating, in the framework of research projects, with several industries in the ICT field such as TIM S.p.A., Leonardo S.p.A., with several SMEs and he is also technical consultant of several private and public institutions.

He is an IEEE Communications Society (ComSoc) Member, he was Chair of the IEEE ComSoc Satellite and Space Communications Technical Committee. He is also an IEEE Signal Processing (SPS), IEEE Aerospace and Electronic Systems and IEEE Computers Societies member. He served as Treasurer of the IEEE SPS Italian Chapter and is member of the Special Interest Group about Internet of Things of the IEEE SPS.

He is the author of around 120 papers including journals, conferences and book chapters. He is recipient of several Awards. He is Associate Editor of the IEEE Internet of Things Journal, IEEE Transactions on Vehicular Technologies, IEEE Access, IEEE Network and Digital Communications and Networks Journals. He has also organized Special Issues of International Journals and Magazines (such as, among the others, IEEE Communications Magazine) and he has been Technical Committee Co-Chair of many international conferences including IEEE Globecom, IEEE ICC, and IEEE Vehicular Technology Conference.

His research concerns Signal Processing over Internet of Things, Context and Location Awareness, Adaptive Coding, Safety and e-health Applications, Satellite Communication systems. In more detail,

concerning the IoT related topics developed in his research activity, they deal, in general, with Ambient Intelligence in the IoT. In particular, my research concerns: intelligent and distributed signal processing and information fusion for context-awareness in the IoT; Cross-layer processing for IoT; Human-cyber-physical interaction; experimental prototypes and test-beds experiences on smart services and applications in field such as smart cities, smart buildings, assisted living and e-health.



Dr. Soumaya Cherkaoui is a Full Professor at Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering of Université de Sherbrooke, Canada which she joined as a faculty member in 1999. Her research and teaching interests are in wireless networks. Particularly, she works on next generation networks (5G and beyond), Edge computing/Network Intelligence, and communication networks for verticals such as Connected and Autonomous Cars, IoT, and Industrial IoT. Since 2005, she has been the Director of INTERLAB, a research group which conducts research funded both by government and industry. Before joining U. Sherbrooke, she worked for industry as a project leader on projects targeted at the Aerospace Industry. Pr. Cherkaoui has held

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Pr. Cherkaoui avails of a long research experience in wireless networking. Her work resulted in technology transfer to companies and to patented technology. She has delivered several keynote addresses and invited talks in the area. Pr. Cherkaoui has published over 200 research papers in reputed journals and conferences. She co-edited 7 books and collective works, has been an associate editor and guest editor of several IEEE, Wiley and Elsevier Journals. Her work was awarded with recognitions and best paper awards including a best paper award at the IEEE Communications Society Flagship conference IEEE ICC in 2017. She has chaired prestigious conferences such as IEEE LCN 2019, and has served as a symposium co-chair for flagship conferences including IEEE ICC 2018, IEEE Globecom 2018, IEEE Globecom 2015, IEEE ICC 2014, and IEEE PIMRC 2011. She is a Professional Engineer in Canada, a senior IEEE Member, and is serving as the Chair of the IEEE Communications Society IoT-Ad hoc and Sensor Networks Technical Committee since 2020.



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Having several years' experience in teaching and research in both the university and the industry sectors, he has maintained an active research programme and provided supervision and mentorship to several doctoral graduates, postdoctoral fellows, and senior researchers under the industry and government funding. He has also chaired doctoral thesis defenses and defense committee and has been appointed as assessment committee member for PhD theses in various universities and research institutions.

Dr. Malekian has been serving as an Associate Editor for IEEE Transaction on Intelligent Transportation Systems, and IEEE Internet of Things Journal (2016-2020) and has been involved in the organizing committee of the relevant IoT conferences including General co-Chair of IEEE 5G Summit Pretoria, TPC co-Chair of the IEEE International Conference on Industrial Internet (ICII) and IEEE Wireless Africa Conference, invited speaker co-Chair of the IEEE International Conference on Computing, Networking and Communications (ICNC) and Best Paper Award Committee of the International Conference on Neural Computing for Advanced Applications.

He was also a guest editor for IEEE Transactions on Network Science and Engineering, IEEE Transactions on Intelligent Transportation Systems, IEEE Intelligent Transportation Magazine, IEEE Sensors Journal, IEEE Transactions on Multimedia, and Elsevier Computer Networks.

His standing in this field is demonstrated by more than 180 publications including peer-reviewed articles, conference papers, book and book chapters and some of the papers he co-authored have received awards at IEEE conferences and are ranked as highly cited papers among the top 1% in the Web of Science based on the highly cited threshold for the academic field.



Rulei Ting has been with AT&T & Bell Labs in New Jersey USA for 20+ years, with responsibilities from Distinguished MTS to Senior Technical Director. He contributed to the successes of FT2000 that became an outstanding technology and industry success and delivered multi-billion dollars revenue. He pioneered AT&T's business development in Asia-Pacific region. He also served as Senior Director in telecommunication equipment start-ups. Most recently, Rulei has been a director and an architect of Software-Defined Networking and Network Function Virtualization at AT&T. Rulei is a recipient of the 2019 Asian American Engineer of the Year Award; AT&T Bell Labs President Award; IEEE Millennium Award; IEEE Region-1 Award. He holds

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Technical Editor - Al for IoT



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Technical Editor – IoT Computing Platforms



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Technical Editors – IoT Devices



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