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### Academic and Professional Qualifications

2007 – 2011	University College Cork (UCC) & Tyndall National Institute (TNI).		
	Degree	PhD in Physics and Optical Communication	
	Thesis Title	Data Retiming for Multi-Wavelength Regeneration	
2006 – 2007	University of Nottingham, United Kingdom.		
	Degree	MSc in Photonics Communication – Distinction	
	Thesis Title	Waveform Replicator for Optical Sampling	
1998 – 2002	University of Mo	University of Moratuwa, Sri Lanka.	
	Degree	BSc.Eng in Electronics and Telecommunication	
	Grade	Second class upper division –Overall GPA – 3.73/4.0	
2005 – 2005	University of Colombo, Sri Lanka.		
	Degree	Diploma in Linux/Unix System & Network administration	
	Grade	Pass	
1999 – 2000	Australian Computer Society, Australia.		
	Degree	Diploma in Information Technology	
	Grade	Pass	
1999 – 2000	London Business School, Sri Lanka Branch.		
	Degree	Diploma in computer hardware	
	Grade	pass	
1982 – 1996	St/Aloysius College, Galle, Sri Lanka		
	G.C.E.(A/L)-1996	2 Distinctions and 2 Credits (Aggregate – 292/400)	
	G.C.E.(A/L)-1992	4 Distinctions, 3 Credit and a simple pass	

#### **Research Experience & Projects**

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2021 -	Visible Light Communication – Investigation of applicability and performance of higher order
Ongoing	modulation schemes with scrambling techniques.
	VLC is generally known to be a communication between a transmitter and a receiver using the visible light spectrum by deployment of LEDs or Laser diodes as light sources and Photodiodes or image sensors as light sensors. Several application areas such as indoor, outdoor, vehicle-to-vehicle, underwater, medical, indoor positioning and navigation has been under research due to the fact that different performance metrics are import for different applications. As the typical modulation bandwidth of the commercially available LEDs ranges in few MHz, a fundamental limitation on achieving the required high data rates and spectral efficiency in VLC have been identified. This is the root cause for the researchers to come up with a vast range of modulation schemes classified under single carrier, multi-carrier and colour domain categories. This research is focusing on the application and investigation of about the capabilities of higher order modulation schemes in conduction with scrambling techniques for secure communication.

2018 -	Visible Light Communication architectures for data transfer and power transfer
Ongoing	Visible Light Communication architectures for data transfer and power transfer Visible Light Communication (VLC) is a neoteric technology and aroused great attention in the last decade due to the rapid developments in Light Emitting Diodes (LEDs) fabrication. Bandwidth, efficiency, availability, and security of VLC make them promise residential lighting equipment as well as an alternative cheap and fast data transfer equipment together with power harnessing. An interesting application of VLC is Simultaneous Lightwave Information and Power Transfer (SLIPT). Harvesting energy from the surrounding environment is important and practical solution for the Internet of Things (IoT) devices. The energy can be harvested while decoding the information carries in VLC. SLIPT and SWIPT technologies are used power splitting receiver architecture for harvest the energy. This research is envisaged to investigate the performance and efficiencies of the two receiver technologies.
2018 - 2021	Optical injection locking and characterization for direct modulation in optical communication.
	(Research grant provided by National Science Foundation, Sri Lanka (NSF))
	The project was basically investigated about the properties of injection locking, its
	locking range and bandwidth of the injection locked laser. Further research was
	carried to identify how an injection locked laser behaves under the amplitude and
2015 - 2019	phase noise with respect to the locking range and bandwidth.
2013 - 2017	<ul> <li>Polarization Insensitive Phase Sensitive Amplifier for Phase Regeneration         <ul> <li>(Research grant provided by National Research Council, Sri Lanka (NRC))</li> <li>The research project investigates about the options of designing a phase sensitive amplification scheme and options of making it polarization independent using various configurations. Further investigation was carried out on increasing the amplifier gain both in in-phase and quadratic regimes. Also, it investigated ways of mitigating the non-linear noise effects which limits the gain of the amplifier.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
2007 – 2010	Research work carried out in the European projects and Science foundation Ireland (SFI)
	<ul> <li>TRIUMPH – Design and implementation of 42.7 Gb/s dual-gate "Asynchronous digital optical regenerator (ADORE)". Collaborative works including field trials on WDM to OTDM converter and Transmultiplexing switch enabling OTDM mesh networking.</li> <li>Euro-fos – ADORE data interoperability and OTDM experiments with field trial.</li> <li>PHASORS – Design and implementation of simultaneous carrier recovery and synchronized pump generation scheme form a carrier-less BPSK data. Collaborative experiments with successful implementation of first black-box regenerative, dual-pump degenerate phase</li> </ul>
	sensitive amplifier (PSA) which regenerate phase and amplitude simultaneously in addition to
2006 – 2007	amplification of 42.7 Gb/s DPSK incoming data. Design and implementation of an "Optical waveform replicator" used for optical sampling, which will be used in optical monitoring systems in high speed optical/photonic networks.
2002 – 2006	NMS (Network Monitoring System) – Design and implementation of NMS for microwave transmission network equipment distributed in a mesh network running on different propriety communication protocols.
2001	Implementation of an in-house programme of retrieving customer details using the designated flags in the telecommunication switch during industrial training at SLT.
1998 – 2002	Second and final year project – "Grain detector" and "Programmable security alarm".

# Work Experience

2011- Now	Department of Electronic and Telecommunication Engineering, University of Moratuwa	
	Position/s held	Professor
	Nature of Duty	<ul> <li>Member of University Senate and other senior academic entities at University of Moratuwa</li> <li>Undergraduate Lecturing</li> <li>Postgraduate lecturing</li> <li>Research in Optical Communication (Photonic Systems)</li> <li>Postgraduate (MSc/MPhil/PhD) supervision</li> <li>Department/Faculty/University Administrative duties</li> <li>Student mentoring</li> </ul>

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		<ul> <li>CCTV system design and installation for Sri Lanka Railway (SLR)</li> <li>CCTV system design and installation for Outer Circular Highway (OCH)</li> <li>Resource person for evaluating the performance of the CCTV and toll collection network IN Colombo Katunayaka Expressway (CKE)</li> <li>Resource person for communication network redesign for Sri Lanka Police and lecturing in police officer academy on mobile and CCTV forensic analysis.</li> <li>Resource person for communication network design and implementation monitoring for Coconut cultivation board, Sri Lanka</li> <li>Resource person for Industrial Development board (TEC), Sri Lanka</li> <li>Resource person for Ministry of Mass Media and Information for Digital broadcasting systems, Sri Lanka</li> <li>Consultant for optical fibre network design activities telecom service providers and vendors specially for optical networks</li> <li>Consultant for communication solutions for the Disaster Management Centre, Sri Lanka</li> <li>Consultant for communication solutions for the Open University, Sri Lanka</li> </ul>
2007 – 2010	-	Physics, University College Cork, Ireland
	Position/s held	Visiting instructor
2002 2007	Nature of Duty	Demonstrating lab experiments to the undergraduates
2002 – 2006	<b>Dialog Telekom</b> Position/s held	Engineer (2002-2004), Specialist (2004-2006) –Transmission
	Nature of Duty	<ul> <li>Operations</li> <li>Maintenance and upgrading of the microwave transmission network (PDH &amp; SDH)</li> <li>Maintenance and upgrading of the Satellite Earth Station.</li> <li>New circuit planning for international transmission.</li> <li>Microwave network planning and new site acquisition.</li> <li>Participate in designing the island wide optical transport network and technical evaluation.</li> <li>Redesign the Optimum Transmission Paths and PCM (EI) Routing and Re- routing.</li> <li>Implementing the Network monitoring system (Project Leader) for the Island wide microwave network.</li> <li>Customer Complaint management.</li> <li>Management Information Systems.</li> <li>Business Planning,</li> <li>Budget planning activities.</li> <li>Cross functional activities with coordination of non-engineering departments.</li> </ul>
2002	Department of E	lectronics and Telecom., University of Moratuwa, Sri Lanka
	Position/s held	Visiting instructor (2001/Jan- 2001/Aug)
	Nature of Duty	<ul> <li>Demonstrating lab experiments to the undergraduates</li> <li>Carrying out tutorial classes for undergraduates.</li> </ul>
2001	Sri Lanka Teleco	om Ltd.
	Position/s held	Apprentice (Industrial training) - 2001
	Nature of Duty	<ul> <li>International &amp; local Transmission system</li> <li>International &amp; local Switching system</li> <li>Maritime Transmission Systems</li> <li>Power and Air Conditioning</li> </ul>

- Database design for identification of routing paths for EI between OSP/transmission and Switch.
- Customer database preparation.

#### 1996 – 1998 D. Samson Industries Ltd, Sri Lanka

Position/s held	Management trainee.
Nature of Duty	<ul> <li>Accounting, costing and management related activities.</li> <li>Coordinate with the factory production staff for increasing their daily productivity.</li> <li>Research on new methods to find out minimising the faults of rubber products.</li> </ul>

### **Training Courses**

2009	Finisar Israel Ltd – Fibre optic transmission systems and modules. (Israel)	
	<ul> <li>Agilent – Vector Network Analyser (VNA) training course (Ireland)</li> </ul>	
	UCC – Manual handling course and fire extinguishing (Ireland)	
2008	<ul> <li>Bioptica – Laser safety course, (Ireland)</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>National Instruments – NI LabVIEW one day course, (Ireland)</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Fujikura – Fusion splicer course, (Ireland)</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>Agilent – RF connector care course, (Ireland)</li> </ul>	
2004	Telekom Malaysia– Fibre optic & Satellite Transmission (Malaysia)	
2004	Harris Microwave Systems – Microwave Transmission & NMS (Canada)	
2003	Ericsson AB – Microwave transmission & NMS (Sweden)	
2003		

### Extra Curricular Activities

2008 – 2010	Vice president of the OSA, Cork Chapter, Ireland.
1988 – 1996	Member of rugby football team.
	Member of swimming team.
	Member of soccer team.
	Held senior ranks in School societies.
	Participated in track events at school sport meet and achieved colours.

### Special Achievements and Awards

Special Achievements and Awar as		
2011	Best Paper Prize Award of Tyndall National Institute for a publication in OFC 2009.	
	Awarded in 2011.	
2008 – 2010	European Union (EU) PhD Scholarship.	
	Science Foundation Ireland (SFI) PhD Scholarship.	
	Excellence Scholarships (PhD) from University College Cork (UCC)	
2006 – 2007	Developing Solutions Taught Masters Scholarship ,University of Nottingham	
1996-1998	Mahapola Higher Educational Scholarship (Merit)	

# Professional Memberships

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2021 - now	Senior Member of the Optical Society of America (OSA), USA	
2017 – now	Senior Member of the Institution of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (IEEE), USA	
2011-2017	Member of the Institution of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (IEEE), USA	
2016 – 2021	Member of the Optical Society of America (OSA), USA	
2008 - 2016	Student Member of the Optical Society of America (OSA), USA	
2003 – 2004	Member of the Institution of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (IEEE), USA	
2000 – 2008	Member of the Institution of Engineering and Technology (IET), UK	
2004 – 2006	Member of the Institution of Engineers, Sri Lanka (IESL)	

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Gender	Male		
Nationality	Sri Lankan		
Languages			
English	Good - Wide Knowledge		
Sinhala	Fluent - Full Knowledge		
	Optical/Photonics Communication Systems,		
Fields of Interest	Terrestrial and Satellite Communication,		
	Network Monitoring Systems, Data Networking		

## Referees

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Prof. Andrew D. Ellis	Dr. Ajith Asela Pasqual	Prof. Dileeka Dias
Professor of Optical	Head- Dept. of Electronic and	Dean- Faculty of Graduate
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Title:	"Multi-carrier System and Method for use in an Optical Network".

## **Publication and Research Grant Reviewing**

#### > Reviewer Journal of Applied Optics: An International Journal (Science Citation Indexed)

Manuscript IDs:

- 1. Design of Base Station for Sensor Node Localization in Optical Wireless Sensor Network
- 2. Line Width Analysis of a Tunable Optical Filter Based on Free-Space Optics
- Reviewer Optics Express Journal, An International Journal (Science Citation Indexed)

Manuscript IDs: 180492, 214408, 228609

#### > Reviewer – Journal of National Science Foundation, Sri Lanka.

Manuscript IDs: Ref: Article entitled " A location Based duplex scheme for cross time slot interference reduction in

IEEE 802.22 cognitive radio based wireless regional area networks"

#### > Reviewer – MERCon, Sri Lanka.

Reviewer for 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 and 2020

- > Reviewer ICIAFS, 2019 and 2021
- > Reviewer Competitive Grants, National Science Foundation, Sri Lanka
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## **Published Magazine Articles**

"**Vidurawa**", a Science Magazine Published by National Science foundation Sri Lanka, Volume 32, Special Issue, November 2015

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## **Supervised PG Students**

P.L.D.N.M. De Silva (218047B)
Thesis: DFT-s OFDM Modulation Technique for Visible Light Communication in Indoor Application.
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Thesis: Visible Light Communications for Downhole Monitoring.
Degree: MPhil (Ongoing)
D.R. Munasinghe (188033P)
Thesis: Modelling of Polarization Insensitive Phase Sensitive Amplifier for Phase Regeneration
Degree: MPhil (Ongoing)
S.E. Alahakoon (178046A)
Thesis: Design and Characterization of Optical Carrier recovery scheme
Degree: MPhil (Completed)
G.S. Samarakkody (168051B)
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Thesis: Performance Analysis between two 16-QAM star constellations (Regular and Modified Pattern) for a given Laser Phase noise profile.

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Thesis: Modelling of Optical Carrier Recovery using Four Wave Mixing Technique for Phase Shift Keying Systems.

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Thesis: An evaluation on Dengue surveillance system at national epidemiology unit of Sri Lanka.

Degree: MSc (Completed)

#### C.C.G. Rathnawibushana, (ID: MGIS/02/14/333)

Thesis: Nilwala Ganga Inbasin Development: Kiralakele Sector.

Degree: MSc (Completed)

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Thesis: Impact of Climate Change on Water Resources for Agriculture in Galle District.

Degree: MSc (Completed)

#### N.C.T. Perera, (ID: 2013/MISM/50)

Thesis: A study on evaluating Hyperion planning and budgetting tool in Sri Lanka.

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#### C.C.G. Godage, (ID: 2013/MISM/22)

Thesis: An evaluation of the e-learning pilot project: A case study in Sri Rahula Balika Vidyalaya, Battaramulla.

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Thesis: A st/udy on restructuring directives for and accurate transmission database: A case study on telecommunication company in Sri Lanka.

#### Degree: MSc (Completed)

#### T.M.G.D.B. Weligalla, (ID: 2013/MISM/72)

Thesis: A study on GPS fleet tracking system adaptation to road transport service providers in Sri Lanka. Degree: MSc (Completed)

## **Curriculum Development for Higher Education Institutes (HEI)**

#### Subject Specialist/Consultant for University of Ruhuna, Faculty of Engineering

Curriculum for the subject "Optical Communication" for the University of Ruhuna.

Subject Specialist/Consultant for University of Sri Jayawardanapura, Faculty of Engineering

Curriculum for the subject "Optical Communication" for the University of Ruhuna.

Subject Specialist/Consultant for Kotalawala Defence University, Faculty of Engineering

Curriculum for the subject "Microwave, Optical and Radar Engineering" for the University of KDU.

Subject Specialist for Faculty of Engineering Technology, Open University of Sri Lanka

Curriculum for Master of Science in Computer & Communication Engineering.

## **Module Curriculum Development for University of Moratuwa**

EN2052	Communication System (Old Curriculum) (UG)
EN2053	Communication Systems and Networks (OBE Curriculum) (UG)
EN2072	Communication I (Old Curriculum) (UG)
EN2073	Analog and Digital Communication (OBE Curriculum) (UG)
EN2852	Applied Electronics (Old Curriculum) (UG)
EN4322	Optical Fiber Communication (Old Curriculum) (UG)
EN4323	Optical Fiber Communication (OBE Curriculum) (UG)
EN4324	Photonic Communication Components (OBE Curriculum) (UG)
EN4670	Photonic Communication Networks (OBE Curriculum) (UG)
EN4530	Wireless and Mobile Communications (Old Curriculum) (UG)
EN2054	Communication Systems and Networks (UG)
EN4324	Photonic Communication Components (UG)
EN4670	Photonic Communication Networks (UG)
EN5680	Optical Communication and Networks (PG)
EN5650	Microwave Communications (PG)

## **Module Curriculum Development for Higher Education Institutes (HEI)**

- EE7211 Optical Fiber Communication (TE), Dept. of E&I, FoE, UoR
- ET9123 Microwave, Optical & Radar Engineering, FGS, KDU

## Lab Practical Development for University of Moratuwa

EN4323	UG	Study of optical fibers and their attenuation
EN4323	UG	Optical sources and their characteristics
EN4323	UG	Optical fiber splicing
EN4323	UG	Optical Time Domain Reflector (OTDR)
EN5680	PG	Hands on Experience for Optical fiber splicing
EN5680	PG	Measurement of Fiber loss, attenuation and connector cleanliness using Optical Time Domain Reflector (OTDR)
EN5680	PG	Familiarization to VPI transmission maker software
EN5680	PG	Effect of Multipath Interference (MPI) in a Multimode Fiber (MMF) Link

## **Inter University Teaching**

### Institution

Undergraduate Level, Dept. of Electronic & Information, Faculty of Engineering, University of Ruhuna Postgraduate Level, Faculty of Graduate

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#### Subject/s

- Optical Fiber Communication (2015,2016,2017,2018)
- Microwave, Optical & Radar Engineering (2016, 2017)

## **Other Contribution to Academic, Research and Industry**

- Co-chair: Telecommunication Systems Track, Moratuwa Engineering Research Conference (MERCon 2015)
- Tutorial & Workshop Chair and Co-chair: Telecommunication Systems Track, Moratuwa Engineering Research Conference (MERCon 2016)
- Tutorial & Workshop Chair and Co-chair: Machine Vision and Image Processing Track, Moratuwa Engineering Research Conference (MERCon 2017)
- Member & Convener- Engineering Research Unit (2014 -2017)
- Member & Convener- Faculty PG Board of Studies (2017)
- Member & Convener– Faculty Higher Degrees Committee (2017)
- Member Board of Graduate Studies
- Member of TEC- Establishing a Mobile Communication Solution for Field officers in Coconut Cultivation Board, Sri Lanka
- Member of TEC- Repair of Optical Emission Spectrometer for Industrial Development Board (IDB), Sri Lanka
- Member of TEC- Purchase and repair of radio equipment for Dept. of Fisheries & Aquatic Resources, Sri Lanka
- Chairman of TEC Design of a CCTV system for Buddhist and Pali University, Sri Lanka
- Technical Expertise for the Upgrade of the PABX system for National Institute of Education, Sri Lanka
- Member of TEC- New Communication Solution for Open University Sri Lanka
- Member of the Design and Implementation team of the CCTV system for Outer Circular Highway
   Phase I for Road Development Authority, Sri Lanka
- Member of the Design and Implementation team of the CCTV system to increase the security through surveillances in Kalutara City conducted by District Secretariat Kalutara, Sri Lanka
- Member of the Design and Implementation team of the CCTV system for Outer Circular Highway
   Phase II for Road Development Authority, Sri Lanka

- Member of TEC on Specifications Maintenance and Upgrading of the Emergency Warning Towers for Disaster Management Center, Sri Lanka
- Member of TEC on Bid Evaluation Multi-Hazzard Early Warning system for Disaster Management Center, Sri Lanka
- Technical Working Committee for the Police Information and Communication System (PICS) Project for Ministry of Law & Order and Southern Development, Sri Lanka
- Evaluation Committee on Digitalization of Terrestrial Television Broadcasting in Sri Lanka -Ministry of Mass Media and Information, Sri Lanka
- Panel of Experts to Advise on Installation and Commissioning of Digital Full Dome Projector System
   Ministry of Technology and Research, Sri Lanka
- Consultant for Communication Equipment Ministry of Law and Order, Sri Lanka
- Expert Advice on Upgrading Police 119 Service Police Communication Range Sri Lanka Police
- Member of TEC Fixed and Mobile Telephone System for Coconut Cultivation Board, Sri Lanka
- Member of TEC PA Sound System for the meeting room of the Faculty Administrative Building for Buddhist and Pali University, Sri Lanka
- Member of TEC CCTV Camera System for Minuwangoda Urban Council, Sri Lanka
- Specification Analysis of Communication Equipment Police Communication Range Sri Lanka Police
- Expert Advice on Upgrading Police Communication Network from Analog to Digital Police Communication Range Sri Lanka Police
- Expert Advice on preparing technical specifications for police communication equipment, Sri Lanka Police