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RESEARCH INTERESTS **Molecular Communications**
Communications Theory

EDUCATION **University of Southern California, Ph.D.**, Los Angeles, USA *August 2019 - Present*
Ph.D. in Electrical Engineering, *Current CGPA: -/4.0*
Advised by Prof. Urbashi Mitra.

Bogazici University, Ph.D., Istanbul, Turkey *January 2018 - August 2019*
Ph.D. in Electrical and Electronics Engineering, *CGPA: 4.0/4.0*
Advised by Assoc. Prof. Ali Emre Pusane.

Bogazici University, M.Sc., Istanbul, Turkey *September 2015 - January 2018*
M.Sc. in Electrical and Electronics Engineering, *CGPA: 3.69/4.0*
Advised by Assoc. Prof. Ali Emre Pusane.
Thesis Topic: *Multiple User and Channel Interference Reduction Methods for Molecular Communication via Diffusion Systems*

Bogazici University, B.Sc., Istanbul, Turkey *2011 - 2015*
B.Sc. in Electrical and Electronics Engineering, *CGPA: 3.47/4.00*
Project Topic: *Introducing a Realistic Simulation Tool for Molecular Communication via Diffusion Systems*

Isikkent Anatolian High School, Izmir, Turkey *June 2011*
High School Diploma, Valedictorian *CGPA: 5.00/5.00 (94.56/100)*

PUBLICATIONS AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE **Journal Papers**

1. **M. C. Gursoy**, E. Basar, A. E. Pusane, and T. Tugcu, "Pulse Position-Based Spatial Modulation for Molecular Communications," *IEEE Communications Letters*, vol. 23, no. 4, pp. 596-599, Apr. 2019.
2. **M. C. Gursoy**, E. Basar, A. E. Pusane, and T. Tugcu, "Index Modulation for Molecular Communication via Diffusion Systems," *IEEE Transactions on Communications*, vol. 67, no. 5, pp. 3337-3350, May 2019.
3. **M. C. Gursoy**, A. E. Pusane, and T. Tugcu, "Molecule-as-a-Frame: A frame based communication approach for nanonetworks," *Elsevier Nano Communications Networks*, vol. 16, pp. 45-59, June 2018.

Conference Papers

1. A. Celik, **M. C. Gursoy**, E. Basar, A. E. Pusane, and T. Tugcu, "A Low-Complexity Solution to Angular Misalignments in Molecular Index Modulation," *in Proc. Personal, Indoor and Mobile Radio Communications (PIMRC)*, Istanbul, Turkey, Sept. 2019.

2. **M. C. Gursoy**, E. Basar, A. E. Pusane, and T. Tugcu, "An ILI Mitigating Modulation Scheme for Molecular MIMO Communications," in *Proc. International Conference on Telecommunications and Signal Processing (TSP)*, Budapest, Hungary, July 2019.
3. **M. C. Gursoy**, H. B. Yilmaz, A. E. Pusane, and T. Tugcu, "Performance Enhancement of Diffusive Molecular Communications with an Apertured Plane," in *Workshop on Molecular Communications*, Linz, Austria, Apr. 2019.
4. **M. C. Gursoy**, B. C. Akdeniz, A. E. Pusane, and T. Tugcu, "Error Probability Calculation with Reduced Complexity for Molecular Communications," in *Proc. International Conference on Telecommunications and Signal Processing (TSP)*, Athens, Greece, July 2018.
5. **M. C. Gursoy**, A. E. Pusane, and T. Tugcu, "Superposition Based Molecular Communications in Nanomachine Swarms," in *Proc. IEEE Signal Processing and Communications Applications Conference*, Izmir, Turkey, May 2018.
6. B. C. Akdeniz, **M. C. Gursoy**, A. E. Pusane, and T. Tugcu, "On the performance of the modulation Methods in time-varying molecular communication channels," in *Proc. International Conference on Telecommunications and Signal Processing (TSP)*, Barcelona, Spain, July 2017.
7. **M. C. Gursoy**, A. E. Pusane, and T. Tugcu, "Throughput optimization for molecule-as-a-frame communications," in *Proc. IEEE Intl. Black Sea Conference on Communications and Networking*, Istanbul, Turkey, June 2017.
8. **M. C. Gursoy**, B. C. Akdeniz, A. E. Pusane, and T. Tugcu, "On the effects of mobile transmitter and receiver on the performance of molecular communications system," in *Proc. IEEE Signal Processing and Communications Applications Conference*, Antalya, Turkey, May 2017.

Other Research Interests

Member of the Bogazici Uni. Nanonetworking Research Group (NRG) since 2014.

MIMO approaches in molecular communications

Code Design for diffusion-based molecular channels

Multi-User Nanonetworks

PEER-
REVIEWING

Journals

IEEE Communications Letters

IEEE Transactions on Communications

IEEE Transactions on Molecular, Biological, and Multi-Scale Communications

IEEE Transactions on Vehicular Technology

IEEE Wireless Communications Letters

Conferences

IEEE ICC

IEEE Globecom

Intl. Conf. on Next Generation Wired/Wireless Advanced Networks and Systems

WORK EXPERIENCE	<p>Research and Teaching Assistant, Bogazici University, Istanbul, Turkey Department of Electrical and Electronics Engineering. December 2015 - August 2019 Assisted courses include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EE201 Electrical Circuits I <i>Spring 2016-2019</i> • EE241 Computer Tools for EE (MATLAB programming.) <i>Fall 2016</i> • EE242 Numerical Methods for EE (C++ programming.) <i>Spring 2016-2019</i> • EE437 Op Amps and Applications <i>Fall 2016</i> • EE473 Introduction to Digital Signal Processing <i>Fall 2017</i> • EE479 Communications Laboratory <i>Fall 2017, 2018</i> • EE577 Statistical Signal Analysis <i>Fall 2018</i> <p>Summer Intern, ELDOR Electronics, Izmir, Turkey Worked on PLC programmable automation systems. July 2014 - August 2014</p> <p>Summer Intern, Schneider Electric, Manisa, Turkey Worked on medium voltage cubicle design engineering. June 2013 - August 2013</p>
ACHIEVEMENTS & HONORS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Boğaziçi University Honor student. <i>2011 - 2015</i> • Turkish Educational Foundation (TEV), Outstanding Success Scholarship. <i>2011 - 2015</i> • University Entrance Exam - Ranked 132nd out of 1.8 million candidates. <i>June 2011</i> • World 2nd place in the annual worldwide math competition World Maths Day. <i>2009</i>
COMPUTER SKILLS	MATLAB, C, C++, LabView, VHDL, Xilinx ISE, SPICE, L ^A T _E X.
LANGUAGE SKILLS	Turkish (<i>Native</i>) English (<i>Full Professional Proficiency - TOEFL iBT Score: 112</i>)
REFERENCES	<p>Assoc. Prof. Ali Emre Pusane, Bogazici Uni. Electrical & Electronics Eng. Department <i>Contact mail: ali.pusane@boun.edu.tr</i></p> <p>Prof. Tuna Tugcu, Bogazici University Computer Eng. Department <i>Contact mail: tugcu@boun.edu.tr</i></p> <p>Assoc. Prof. Ertugrul Basar, Koc University Electrical & Electronics Eng. Department <i>Contact mail: ebasar@ku.edu.tr</i></p>