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Biography

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Doctorate, Recognition and Localization of Objects in Relative Scale for Robotic Applications, Nanyang Technological University, Computer Engineering, Computer Engineering, 2007

Research Areas

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Academic Titles / Tasks

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Associate Professor, King Saud University, College of Computer and Information Sciences , Computer Science, 2017 - 2023
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Assistant Professor, Dhaka University of Engineering and Technology, Faculty of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Department Of Computer Science And Engineering, 2006 - 2009
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