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Curriculum Vitae

Civil and Environmental Engineering
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EDUCATIONAL HISTORY

University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT, USA
PhD Environmental Engineering,
August 2004
Dissertation: Investigating Error Propagation in Flood Prediction Based on Remotely Sensed Rainfall

National University of Singapore, Singapore
M. Eng, Civil Engineering,
May, 1999
Thesis: System-specific Statistical Modeling of SBR Bulking

Indian Institute of Technology, BHU, Varanasi, India
B.Tech, Civil Engineering,
May, 1996

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

University of Washington, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering
Seattle, WA, USA
Professor (2017 June –present)

University of Washington, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering
Seattle, WA, USA
Associate Professor (2014 February –2017 June)

Tennessee Technological University, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering
Cookeville, TN, USA
Associate Professor (2009-2014 January) Assistant Professor (2004-2009)

AWARDS AND HONORS

Science/Research/Education Awards

NASA Early Adopter Award, 2024
UW Excellence in Global Engagement Award, 2023
Fellow, American Meteorological Society, 2022
Fellow, Environmental and Water Resources Institute, ASCE, 2022
John R. Kiely Endowed Professorship, 2021-2025
ASCE 2021 Editor's Choice Award in Journal of Hydrologic Engineering, 2021
ASCE EWRI 2020 Best Case Study Award in Journal of Hydrologic Engineering, 2021
AGU International Award, 2020

ASCE EWRI 2018 Outstanding Achievement Award, 2018
Outstanding Reviewer, Environmental Research Letters, 2016
ASCE Walter L. Huber Award, 2015
American Meteorological Society Editor's Award, 2015
AGU Charles Falkenberg Award (A Union Award), 2012
Graduate of the Last Decade (G.O.L.D) Award – University of Connecticut, 2012
US Fulbright Faculty Award, 2012
Caplenor Award (Tennessee Tech University Highest Award), 2012
ASCE Outstanding Reviewer Award, Journal of Hydrologic Engineering, 2011
Education Excellence Award, National Association of Environmental Professionals, 2010
Outstanding New Faculty Research Award, American Society of Engineering Education, 2009
NASA New Investigator Program Award, 2008
Outstanding PhD Thesis Award, School of Engineering, University of Connecticut, 2005
NASA Earth System Science Fellowship, 2002

Media/Outreach Awards

Total 66 awards/selections for “The Silent Route” (<https://www.animatick.com/the-silent-route>)
11 Best Film awards; 17 as finalists/semi-finalists/quarter-finalists; @ BAFTA/Oscar
qualifying festivals
Seattle Tech-Doc Film Selection for Short Documentary “Cotton Fields,” 2018
AGU Cinema Selection for Short Documentary “Cotton Fields,” 2017
11th Eco-Film Festival Selection for Short Documentary “Cotton Fields,” Malaysia, 2017
Tasveer South Asian Film Festival for Short Documentary “Cotton Fields” Seattle, 2017
Best Film “Cotton Fields” – University of Washington Makers Summit, Seattle, USA, 2017
9th Eco-Film Festival Selection for Short Documentary “Bay of Hope” Malaysia, 2015

AFFILIATIONS AND OTHER APPOINTMENTS

Member, NASA Drought Working Group (2026- present)
Site Reviewer, National Science Foundation, 2024
Reviewer, National Academy of Science, Engineering and Medicine, 2024
Co-chair, US-Iraq Science and Technology Dialogues, US State Department, 2022-2024
Deputy Program Associate, NASA Surface Water and Ocean Topography (SWOT) Mission,
2020-2022
Member, Physical Oceanography DAAC User Working Group, Jet Propulsion Lab/NASA, 2018-
2021
Member, New Voices in Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine, National Academies of Science,
Engineering and Medicine, 2018-2019
Vice-President of Academic Affairs, American Institute of Hydrology, 2017-2019
Member, Steering Committee, Earthlab, University of Washington, 2015-2018
Associate Professor, Interdisciplinary Arts and Sciences, University of Washington Tacoma,
2014-2016 [33% appointment at Tacoma with 67% appointment in Seattle]
Chair, Task Committee on Infrastructure Impacts of Landscape-driven Weather Change, ASCE,
2014-2017
Visiting Professor, Department of Infrastructure Engineering, University of Melbourne, Australia,
December 1- December 31 2016

PUBLICATIONS

Refereed archival journal publications

[IF=Impact Factor (most recent); H-Index=55 (GS); 34 (WoS). Citations=9400 (GS; as of 09/2025); Footnote: 1- graduate student advised as major advisor; 2- students advised for independent study or non-degree projects; 3-post-doctoral associate; 4-corresponding author]

In press/accepted/revision/review

191. Minocha¹, S and F. **Hossain**⁴ (2025) Declining Global Reservoir Capacity: How Much Remains and Which Reservoirs Are Most at Risk? *Nature* (in preparation)

190. Minocha¹, S and F. **Hossain**⁴ (2025) RECLAIM: Reservoir Estimation of Capacity Loss using AI Method, *Environmental Modeling Software* (In review).

189. Suresh¹, S., F. **Hossain**, V Mishra, Z. Hossain (2025) [GRAIN – A Global Registry of Agricultural Irrigation Networks](#), *Earth System Science Data* (In review).

188. Khan¹, S, F. **Hossain**⁴, M. Ahamed (2024) Satellite Data Rendered Irrigation using Penman and SEBAL (sD.R.I.P.S) for Surface Water Irrigation Optimization, *Hydrology Earth System Science* (In review)

Published

187. Darkwah¹, G and F. **Hossain**⁴ (2025) Exploring the Potential of Remote sensing-based River Temperature Tool for Improving Columbia River Reservoir Management Towards Fish Abundance Outcomes, *Water Resources Research*, Vol. 61(9), <https://doi.org/10.1029/2024WR039639>

186. Minocha¹, S, and F. **Hossain**⁴ (2025) GRILSS: Opening the Gateway to Global Reservoir Sedimentation Data Curation, *Earth System Science Data*, <https://doi.org/10.5194/essd-2024-470>.

185. Suresh¹, S and F. **Hossain**⁴ (2025) Has Hydropower made the World more Flood-prone? *Earth's Future*, Vol. 13(9), <https://doi.org/10.1029/2025EF006648>

184. Minocha¹, S. P. Das¹ and F. **Hossain**⁴ (2025) Reservoir Assessment Tool (RAT): A Python Package for monitoring the dynamic state of reservoirs and analyzing dam operations, *Digital Water*. Vol. 3(1), <https://doi.org/10.1080/28375807.2025.2487762>

183. Das¹, P. and F. **Hossain**⁴ (2025) Multi-satellite Tracking of Surface Water Storage Change in the SWOT Era, *Earth and Space Science*, Vol. 2(6), <https://doi.org/10.1029/2024EA004178>

182. Vinogradova, N., T. M. Pavelsky, T. J. Farrar, F. **Hossain**, and Lee-Leung Fu (2025), A new look at Earth's water, energy, and climate with SWOT, *Nature Water*, DOI: 10.1038/s44221-024-00372-w, <https://www.nature.com/articles/s44221-024-00372-w184>

181. Ross, N., A. Rostami, H. Lee.....F. **Hossain**,...P. Towashiraporn (2024), Monitoring reservoir water elevation changes using Jason-2/3 altimetry satellite missions: exploring the capabilities of JASTER (Jason-2/3 Altimetry Stand-Alone Tool for Enhanced Research), *Journal of Digital Earth*, Vol. 17(1), DOI10.1080/17538947.2024.2406387.

180. Das¹, P., S. Suresh¹, F. **Hossain**⁴, V. Balakrishnan, Jainet P J, H. Lee, M. Laverde, K. Hosen, C. Meechaiya, P. Towashiraporn. (2024) Forecast Informed Reservoir Operations using a Satellite Based Framework for Mountainous and High Precipitation Regions: The case of the 2018 Kerala floods, *ASCE Journal of Hydrologic Engineering*, vol. 30(2)
<https://doi.org/10.1061/JHYEFF.HEENG-627>

179. Minocha¹, S., Pei-Hsin Pei, S. Khan, and F. **Hossain**⁴ (2024), Factors influencing Lake Surface Temperature for reservoirs of the Columbia River Basin, *Northwest Science*, vol. 97(4),
<https://doi.org/10.3955/046.097.0403>

178. Darkwah¹, G, F. **Hossain**, G. Holtgrieve, C. Seaton, D. Graves, S. Minocha¹, P. Das¹, S, Khan¹ S. Suresh¹ (2024) Reconstruction of the Hydro-Thermal History of Regulated River Networks Using Satellite Remote Sensing and Data-driven Techniques, *Earth's Future*, vol 12(10), <https://doi.org/10.1029/2024EF004815>

177. Suresh¹, S. F. **Hossain**⁴, S. Minocha¹, P. Das¹, S. Khan¹, H. Lee, K. Andreadis and Perry Oddo (2023). Satellite-based Tracking of Reservoir Operations for Flood Management during the 2018 Extreme Weather Event in Kerala, India, *Remote Sensing of Environment*, vol. 307,
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.rse.2024.114149>.

176. Khan¹, S, F. **Hossain**⁴, T. Pavelsky, A. Gomez, S. Ghafoor, M. Lane, S. Minocha, Md. A. Bhuyan, T. A. Al Fayyaz, M. N. Haque, P. K. Sarker, P. P. Borua (2024), A Network Design Approach for Citizen Science-Satellite Monitoring of Surface Water Volume Changes in Bangladesh, *Environmental Modeling and Software*, vol. 172,
<https://doi.org/10.1016/j.envsoft.2023.105919>

175. Minocha¹, S. F. **Hossain**⁴, P. Das¹, S. Suresh¹, S. Khan¹, G. Darkwah¹, K. Andreadis, H. Lee, G. Holt, S. Galelli (2023). Reservoir Assessment Tool: A scalable and easy-to-apply python based software architecture to empower the global water community, *Geosci. Model Development*, <https://doi.org/10.5194/gmd-2023-130>.

174. Das¹, P., F. **Hossain**⁴, S. Minocha¹, S. Suresh¹, G. Darkwah¹, K. Andreadis, H. Lee, M. Laverde, P. Oddo (2023) ResORR: A Globally Scalable and Satellite Data-driven Algorithm for River Flow Regulation due to Reservoir Operations, *Environmental Modeling and Software*, vol. 176, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.envsoft.2024.106026>

173. Nguyen, N.T. T.L.T. Du, H. Lee, F. **Hossain**, et al. (2023) Estimating the impacts of ungauged reservoirs using publicly available streamflow simulations and satellite remote sensing, *Remote Sensing*, 15(18), 4563; <https://doi.org/10.3390/rs15184563>

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170. Chi-Hung Chang, H. Lee, S. K. Do, T. L.T. Du, K. Markert, F. **Hossain**, S. K. Ahmad, T. Piman, C. Meechaiya, D. D. Bui, J. D. Bolten, E. Hwang, H. C. Jung (2023). Operational

forecasting inundation extents using REOF analysis (FIER) over lower Mekong and its potential economic impact on agriculture, *Environmental Modelling & Software*, vol. 162, 105643, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.envsoft.2023.105643>.

169. Khan¹, S. F. **Hossain**⁴, et al. (2023) Understanding Volume Estimation Uncertainty of Lakes and Wetlands Using Satellites and Citizen Science, *IEEE J STARS*, vol. 16, pp. 2386 - 2401

168. **Hossain**⁴, F. et al. (2022) Building User-Readiness For Planned Satellite Earth Observing Missions: The Case of The Surface Water Ocean Topography Mission, Commentary, *AGU Advances*, vol. 3(6), <https://doi.org/10.1029/2022AV000680>

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166. Vu, D. T. Thanh Duc Dang, S. Galelli, and F. **Hossain** (2022). Satellite observations reveal thirteen years of reservoir filling strategies, operating rules, and hydrological alterations in the Upper Mekong River Basin, *Hydrology and Earth System Science*, <https://doi.org/10.5194/hess-2021-360>

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164. Eldardiry, H., F. **Hossain**⁴, M. Srinivasan and V. Tsontos (2022) Success Stories of Satellite Altimeter Applications, *Bulletin of American Meteorological Society*, vol. 103(1), E33-E53.

163. Biswas¹, N. and F. **Hossain**⁴ (2022). A Multi-decadal Analysis of Impact on Water availability due to Reservoir Operation in Ungauged Regions, *J. Hydrometeorology*, vol. 23(1), pp. 75-81, doi.org/10.1175/JHM-D-21-0053.1.

162. Pielke Sr., R.A., J. Adegoke, F. **Hossain**, D. Niyogi (2021) Environmental and Social Risks to Biodiversity and Ecosystem Health – A Bottom-Up, Resource-Focused Assessment Framework, *Earth*, vol. 2(3), 440-456, <https://doi.org/10.3390/earth2030026>

161. Bose¹, I., F. **Hossain**⁴, S. Jayasinghe and C. Meechaiya (2021) Case Study: Developing a baseline characterization of river bathymetry and time-varying height for Chindwin River in Myanmar using SRTM and Landsat data, *ASCE J. Hydrologic Engineering*, vol. 26(11). [Selected for EDITOR'S CHOICE SECTION]

160. Ahmad¹, S., F. **Hossain**⁴, G. Holt, S. Galleli, and T. Pavelsky (2021) Predicting the likely thermal impact of current and future dams around the world, *Earth's Future*, <https://doi.org/10.1029/2020EF001916>.

159. Manuel Marcaida, Y. Farhat, E-Nieng Muth, C. Cheythyrih, L. Hok, G. Holtgrieve, F. **Hossain**, R. Neumann, Soo-Hyung Kim (2021), A spatio-temporal analysis of rice production in Tonle Sap floodplains in response to changing hydrology and climate, *Agricultural Water Management*, vol 258, 107183, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.agwat.2021.107183>

158. Eldardiry¹, H. and F. **Hossain**⁴ (2021) The Value of Long-term Streamflow Forecasts in Adaptive Reservoir Operation: The Case of High Aswan Dam in the Transboundary Nile River Basin, *J. Hydrometeorology*, <https://doi.org/10.1175/JHM-D-20-0241.1>
157. Little, Sarina B. Tamlin M. Pavelsky, F. **Hossain**⁴, Sheikh Ghafoor, Grant M. Parkins, Sarah K. Yelton, Megan Rodgers, Xiao Yang, Jean-Francois Cretaux, Catherine Hein, Mohammad Arman Ullah, Debolina Halder Lina, Hanne Thiede, Darren Kelly, Donald Wilson, Simon N. Topp (2021), Monitoring variations in lake water storage with satellite imagery and citizen science, *Water*, 13(7), 949; <https://doi.org/10.3390/w13070949>.
156. Biswas, N¹., F. **Hossain**⁴, M. Bonnema, H. Lee, F. Chishtie (2021). Towards a Global Reservoir Assessment Tool for Predicting Hydrologic Impacts and Operating Patterns of Existing and Planned Reservoirs, *Environmental Modeling and Software*, vol. 140, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.envsoft.2021.105043>
155. Bose¹, I, F. **Hossain**, H. Eldardiry¹, S. Ahmad¹, N. K. Biswas¹, H. Lee, M. Aziz and M.S. Kamal (2021) Integrating Gravimetry Data with Thermal Infra-red Data from Satellites to Improve Efficiency of Operational Irrigation Advisory in South Asia, *Water Resources Research*, doi:10.1029/2020WR028654.
154. Eldardiry¹, H. and F. **Hossain**⁴ (2021) Can Grand Ethiopian Renaissance Dam Live up to its Promise of Hydropower? *J of Renewable and Sustainable Energy*, vol. 13(2), doi: 10.1063/5.0028037.
153. Ahmad, S¹, F. **Hossain**⁴, T. Pavelsky, G. Parkins, S. Yelton, M. Rodgers, S. Basile, S. Ghafoor, D. Haldar, R. Khan, N. Shawn, A. Haque and R. Biswas (2020). Estimating Volumetric Water Storage in Seasonal and Transboundary Runoff-Dominated Wetlands Using Citizen Science and Satellite Remote Sensing Data, *Water Resources Research*, vol. 56, doi.org/10.1029/2020WR027989.
152. Eldardiry¹, H. and F. **Hossain**⁴ (2020) A Blueprint for Adapting High Aswan Dam Operation in Egypt to Challenges of Filling and Operation of the Grand Ethiopian Renaissance Dam, *Journal of Hydrology*, doi.org/10.1016/j.jhydrol.2020.125708
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150. **Hossain**, F., N. Elmer, M. Srinivasan and A. Andral (2020) Accelerating Applications for Planned NASA Satellite Missions: A New Paradigm of Virtual Hackathons during Pandemic and Post-Pandemic Era, *Bulletin of American Meteorological Society (BAMS)*, vol. 101 (9), pp. E1544–E1554, doi.org/10.1175/BAMS-D-20-0167.1.
149. Elmer, N.E, C. Hain, F. **Hossain**, D. Desroches, C. Pottier (2020) Generating Proxy SWOT Water Surface Elevations Using WRF-Hydro and the CNES SWOT Hydrology Simulator, *Water Resources Research* <https://doi.org/10.1029/2020WR027464>.
148. Ahmad, S¹., F. **Hossain**⁴ (2020) Realizing Ecosystem-safe Hydropower from Dams, *Renewables: Wind, Water, and Solar*, vol. 7(2), doi.org/10.1186/s40807-020-00060-9

147. Beveridge¹, C., M. Bonnema and F. **Hossain**⁴ (2019) Impacts of dam development and landscape changes on suspended sediment concentrations in the Mekong River Basin's '3S' tributaries: a satellite remote sensing perspective, *Journal of Hydrologic Engineering (ASCE)*, doi:10.1061/(ASCE)HE.1943-5584.0001949.
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145. Kim, D, H. Lee, Hahn Chul Jung, Euiho Hwang, F. **Hossain**⁴, Matthew Bonnema, Do-Hyuk Kang and Augusto Getirana (2020) Monitoring River Basin Development and Variation in Water Resources in Transboundary Imjin River in North and South Korea Using Remote Sensing, *Remote Sensing*, vol. 2(1), 195, <https://doi.org/10.3390/rs12010195>.
144. Bonnema¹, M., F. **Hossain**⁴, B. Nijssen and G. Holtgrieve (2020) Hydropower's Hidden Transformation of Rivers in the Mekong, *Environmental Research Letters*, vol. 15(4), <https://doi.org/10.1088/1748-9326/ab763d>.
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142. Daly¹, K., S. Ahmad¹, M. Bonnema¹, C. Beveridge¹, F. **Hossain**⁴, B. Nijssen, G. Holtgrieve (2020). Recent Warming of the Tonle Sap Lake, Cambodia: Implications for one of the World's Most Productive Inland Fisheries, *Lakes and Reservoir*, doi:1111/lre.12317.
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OTHER SCHOLARLY ACTIVITY

Invited lectures and seminars

1. A Long Research Journey on Dams and Reservoirs, *University of Washington*, CEE Fall Seminar, Oct 2, 2025, Seattle.

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3. Towards Water-efficient and Low-carbon Irrigation for the World, *National University of Singapore*, April 26, 2024, Singapore.

4. Improving Agricultural Water Productivity in Coastal regions of Bangladesh, session talk at *Harvard Radcliffe Institute workshop* April 1-2, 2024, Cambridge, MA, USA

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6. Use of Satellite Technology in Bangladesh Agriculture: Entry To The Space Age, *Bangladesh Agricultural Research Council* July 29, 2023. Organized by Department of Agricultural Extension (DAE) of *Bangladesh Ministry of Agriculture* to celebrate the launch of Integrated Rice Advisory System.

7. Satellite-based Reservoir Assessment Tool for Tigris-Euphrates River System, *U.S.-Iraqi Research Engagement and Agenda Setting Meeting, Amman, Jordan, Jan 15-18, 2023*
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15. Producing More with Less using Sensing, Information Technology and Machine Learning, Keynote Speaker, *2022 International Conference on Innovations in Science, Engineering and Technology, Chittagong, Bangladesh Feb 26, 2022.*
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18. Story telling in Science, Engineering and Medicine, *CSBC/PS-ON Education and Outreach Program (Cancer Society), November 10, 2020.*
19. AAAS Lecture -The Future of Water and Human Decision-making, *Meeting Food and Water Security Challenges in the Developing World with Models, Data and Stakeholder Engagement, Feb 15 2020.*
20. USAID invited Global Online Webinar for Agrilinks – Sustainable Food Systems. *Growing More with Less: Smart Technology Solutions to Feed the World, Jan 29, 2020.*
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22. Asian Development Bank, Manila – Asia Water Forum-2018, *Mainstreaming Satellite Earth Observations and Smart Technology for Addressing Water-Food Security Challenges of Asia, October 3, 2018.*
23. USAID HQ, DC, *The Wonderful Experience of Serving On USAID PEER Projects: Lessons Learned for The Future, March 14, 2018.*
24. World Bank HQ, DC, *Feeding Asia: An Operational Irrigation Advisory System Using Earth Observations And Smart Technology, March 14, 2018.*
25. AAAS Annual Meeting – Invited Panel Talk, Austin, Texas, *Bringing the Societal Benefits of Satellite Remote Sensing in the Developing World: The Case for Water Security and GRACE, February 15, 2018. (Jay Famiglietti presented on behalf of speaker).*

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27. Program for Climate Change (PCC) – Invited Talk, *Management Challenges of World's Water Resources: A Developing World Perspective*, Friday Harbor, San Juan Islands, September 15, 2017.
28. World Bank HQ, DC, *Building Solutions for the Water Sector using Remote Sensing: A Developing World Perspective*, March 15, 2017.
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30. University of Melbourne, Department of Infrastructure Engineering, Melbourne, Australia. *Management challenges of the world's water resources: a developing world perspective*. May 18, 2016.
31. Environmental Defense Fund (EDF)-San Francisco, Science Day Invited Speaker, *What must be done to best use satellites for social good?* February 10, 2016.
32. American Meteorological Society (AMS) 96th Annual Meeting - New Orleans, Invited Presentation on “*Perspective and plans for future observing systems in earth system science*”, January 11, 2016.
33. University of Washington, School of Forestry Sciences, *Management challenges of the world's water resources: a developing world perspective*, March 11, 2015.
34. NASA E2 Workshop Tacoma, Inaugural Speaker, *Globalizing societal application of scientific research and observations from remote sensing: The path forward*, June 23, 2015.
35. San Diego, NASA-CNES Surface Water Ocean Topography (SWOT) Mission Science Meeting – Keynote Lecture, *SWOT contributions to improved understanding of human impacts on hydrology*, January 2015.
36. University of Washington, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, *Advancing river modeling in ungauged basins: The case of Ganges Brahmaputra Meghna basins*, January, 2015.
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39. WellSprings-2014 at Tacoma (WA), *Big Data, Little Water*, October 14, 2014.
40. Microsoft Research Faculty Summit for Latin America, Vina del Mar, Chile, *Delivering hydrological information for community empowerment: Opportunities and challenges for the semi-skilled consumer*, May 8, 2014.
41. University of Washington, Global Change Program, Department of Computer Science and Engineering, *Delivering hydrological information for community empowerment: opportunities and challenges for the semi-skilled consumer...and some after-thoughts on global health*, April 29, 2014.
42. University of Washington, Tacoma, *Empowering sovereign management of water resources: application of remote sensing to developing world problems*, February 24, 2014.
43. University of Washington, Freshwater Colloquium, *Empowering sovereign management of water resources: application of remote sensing to developing world problems*, Seattle, October 22, 2013.
44. Nanyang Technological University, *Understanding infrastructure resilience of dam-reliant cities under changing patterns of extreme weather*, Singapore, December 10, 2012.

45. University of Connecticut, Alumni Association G.O.L.D Award ceremony, *crossing the valley of death: promoting environmental research for societal applications*, Storrs, October 12, 2012.
46. Western Kentucky University, *Promoting the value of water cycle remote sensing and climate studies to non-traditional consumers*, Western Kentucky University, March 16, 2012.
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49. International Geosphere-Biosphere Program (IGBP), 3rd International iLEAPS Conference, Garmisch Partenkirchen, Germany, *A Bottom-up vulnerability approach to adaptation to climate and other threats*, September 22, 2011
50. NASA Goddard Space Flight Center, Greenbelt, *Impact of artificial reservoirs on local climate*, Terrestrial Water Cycle Seminar, May 26, 2011.
51. University of Mississippi, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, *The 21st century civil engineering program*, April 25, 2011.
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54. University of South Carolina, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering, *Of dams, transboundary water and their lesser known impacts*, April 2, 2010.
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60. Regional Symposium on Climate Change, Food Security, Sea Level Rise and Environment in South Asia, Dhaka, Bangladesh, *Understanding surface water flow and storage changes using satellites*. August 24, 2008.
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66. University of Mississippi, Oxford, *The challenges of flood monitoring across political boundaries: taking stock of emerging opportunities and moving ahead*, November, 17, 2006.
67. University of Connecticut, *The challenges of flood monitoring across political boundaries: taking stock of emerging opportunities and moving ahead*, May 11, 2006.
68. Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur, India, *Assessment of remotely-sensed rainfall for monitoring of floods in the 21st century*, July 19, 2005.
69. Center for Environmental and Geographic Information System, Dhaka, Bangladesh, *Satellites for monitoring surface and sub-surface hydrologic calamities in Bangladesh: an assessment of opportunities and challenges*, May 11, 2005.
70. Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Environmental Sciences Division, *Assessment of remotely-sensed rainfall for monitoring of floods in the 21st century*, May 6, 2005.
71. NASA Goddard Space Flight Center, Hydrological Sciences Branch, Greenbelt, *Assessment of satellite rainfall for flood forecasting in international river basins*, February 11, 2005.
72. Sigma Xi Tennessee Tech. Chapter, *Assessment of satellite rainfall for flood forecasting in international river basins*, January, 20, 2005.
73. Tennessee Technological University, *Satellite-based flood prediction*, May 10, 2004.
74. University of Connecticut, Environmental Scholars Colloquium, Storrs, CT, *Assessment of current passive microwave and infra-red based satellite rainfall remote sensing for flood prediction of ungauged watersheds*, March 28, 2003.

Professional society memberships.

Professional Hydrologist. American Institute of Hydrology (License 14-H-6012; now expired)

Full Member, American Society of Civil Engineers (ID No. 434334)

Member, American Geophysical Union.

Member, American Meteorological Society.

GRADUATE STUDENTS

Doctoral Students (only chaired ones shown)

Student Name	Dissertation Topic	Current Position/Employer	Graduation Date
Pritam Das	Regulated Surface Water: How Much and Where is it Flowing?	Asst Professor, Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay	March 2025
Sanchit Minocha	Global Reservoir Sedimentation Monitoring from Space	UW	March 2026
Shahzaib Khan	Leveraging Satellite Remote Sensing for Surface Water Management	UW	December 2025
George Darkwah	Reservoir Water Quality Management from Space	HDR. Inc	March 2026
Sarath Suresh	De-mystifying the role of Hydropower Dams for Flood Mitigation and Agriculture	UW	March 2026
Claire Beveridge	Application-oriented approaches to modeling and satellite-based monitoring of watershed sediment dynamics	Catholic Relief Services	June 2020
Xiaodong Chen	Probable Maximum Precipitation in a Changing Climate	Asst. Professor, University of Oklahoma	October 2017
Matthew Bonnema	Understanding the impact of Dams in Developing Regions using Satellite Remote Sensing	Research Scientist, NASA-JPL	Fall 2019
Hisham Eldardiry	Adaptive Reservoir Operation in the	Research Scientist,	March 2021

	Transboundary Nile River Basin: Towards Win-Win Solutions	Cornell University	
Nishan Biswas	Mainstreaming multi-mission satellite observations in operational water resources management	NASA Goddard Space Flight Center	March 2021
Shahryar Ahmad	Towards Forecast-informed Sustainable Hydropower Operations	NASA Goddard Space Flight Center	March 2021
Wondmagegn Yigzaw	Water sustainability of cities and dams	University of Houston	February 2016
Abel Woldemichael	Modification Of Regional Hydroclimatology In Impounded River Basins	N/A	June 2015
Abebe Gebregiorgis	Hydrologically-Relevant Merging Of High Resolution Satellite Precipitation Products for Hydrologic Application	Harris County Flood Control District, Houston, TX	June 2013
Ahmed Mohamed	A Comprehensive Observational Study On The Impact Of Artificial Reservoirs On Local Hydroclimatology	Mekelle University, Ethiopia	August 2013
Ling Tang	Transfer Of Uncertainty Of Space-Borne High Resolution Rainfall Products At Ungauged Regions	ESRI Inc.	August 2011

Masters Degrees (only chaired ones shown)

Student Name	Level of Supervision	Thesis/Paper Title	Completed (Year)	Current Employer
Mridul Sharma	Thesis	Developing SWOT-based Reservoir Storage Reanalysis Records	TBD	UW
Sanchit Minocha	Thesis	Reservoir Assessment Tool 3.0: An open source and user-friendly modeling platform to Mobilize the Global Water Community	Fall 2023	UW
Pritam Das	Thesis	Reservoir Assessment Tool 2.0: Stakeholder driven improvements to Satellite Remote Sensing based Reservoir Monitoring	Fall 2022	UW
Shahzaib Khan	Thesis	Using Citizen Science and Satellites for Lake Volume Estimation	Fall 2022	UW
Indira Bose	Thesis	Making Smart Irrigation Smarter with GRACE/GRACE-FO Gravimetric Data	Winter 2021	Wolf Water Resources – Portland, OR
Nishan Biswas	Thesis	A scalable open-source web-analytic framework to improve satellite -based operational water management in developing countries	Spring 2017	NASA
Shahryar K. Ahmad	Thesis	Optimizing Hydropower Dam Operations	Autumn 2017	NASA

Mehedi Maswood	Thesis	Advancing River Modeling Using Satellites	2014	Woolacotts Consulting, Australia
Adam Stratz	Thesis	PMP in a Changing Climate: Implications for Dam Design	2014	Department of Energy
Travis Hamby	Coursework only	Flood risk assessment of lakes and reservoirs within Cumberland river basin	2011	CTI Engineers Inc.
Caitlin Moffit	Thesis	Validation of NASA Global Flood Detection System in Bangladesh	2010	Tennessee Valley Authority
A H M. Siddique-E-Akbor	Thesis	The Surface Water and Ocean Topography Mission for Water Management in Bangladesh	2010	Institute of Water Modeling, Bangladesh (2010-2012)
Matthew Boynton	Thesis	Improving Engineering Education Outreach in Rural Counties through Risk Analysis and Hands-on Activities	2009	Engineering Coordinator, Virginia Tech.
Mohammed Chowdhury	Thesis	Improving spatial mapping of arsenic contamination in Groundwater	2009	British Petroleum
Nitin Katiyar	Thesis	Development of an Open-Book Watershed Modeling Framework for Flood Forecasting Systems in International River Basins	2007	Hydro-QUAL – New York
Amanda Harris	Thesis	Investigating Optimal Configuration of Hydrologic Models during Data Denial Situations Using Satellite Data	2007	US Army Corps of Engineers – Nashville District
Preethi Raj	Thesis	Error Budget Analyses of Hydrologic Models: Understanding Applications for Satellite Rainfall Data	2007	Returned to India

RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

Funded Research (Total ~ 15+ million USD; My Amount ~8 million USD)

Funding Agency	Title	Total Amount	University Matching, if any	My Amount	Role	Dates
USC and NSF	Impact and Scalability of a Satellite-Sensor Irrigation Advisory System	\$50,000	\$0	\$50,000	PI	2026-2027
NASA	Quantifying the net impact of the SWOT mission in improving our understanding of human regulation of surface water	\$824,500	\$0	\$824,500	PI	2024-2028

	around the world					
UAE Crown Farms	Satellite-based Irrigation Tracking System	\$30,000	\$0	\$30,000	PI	2024-2025
NASA	Open Science Development of Reservoir Assessment Tool (RAT) Software for Enabling Global Water Science and Management Breakthroughs with the SWOT Mission	\$54,414	\$0	\$54,414	PI	2024-2025
Yet2.com (via NASA)	Women's Aquaboost	\$28,000	\$0	\$28,000	PI	2024-2025
NSF (via USC)	Piloting a Precision Landscape Irrigation Advisory System Using Soil Sensors, Satellites and A Low-Powered Wide Area Network	\$50,000	\$0	\$50,000	PI	2024-2025
NASA	Strengthening Regional and National Capacity for Operational Flood and Drought Management Services for Lower Mekong Nations via Mekong River Commission and SERVIR-Mekong	\$700,000	\$0	\$344,212	PI	12/22-12/25
NASA	Improved Reservoir Management with Simultaneous Monitoring of Water Quantity and Quality using Multiple Satellites, SWOT and RAT-WQ ²	\$1,029,182	\$0	\$1,029,182	PI	06/22-05/26
NASA	Lake Observations from Citizen Scientists and Satellites: Validation of Satellite Altimetry to Support Hydrologic Science	\$423,621	\$0	\$423,621	PI	06/21-12/25
NASA	Exploring SWOT nadir altimeter synergy with SWOT wide-swath interferometry (KaRIn) for improving hydrologic investigations of surface water dynamics	\$105,000	\$0	\$105,000	PI	06/22-05/23
JPL	SWOT Application Activities	\$60,000	\$0	\$60,000	PI	11/21-09/22

JPL	Jason-3 Altimeter Activities	\$40,000	\$0	\$40,000	PI	11/20-11/21
JPL	SWOT Application Activities	\$60,000	\$0	\$60,000	PI	11/20-11/21
NASA	Operational Services for Water, Disaster and Hydropower Applications for Lower Mekong Populations Using NASA Earth Observations and Models	\$661,000 (PI from University of Houston)	\$0	\$333,000	Co-I	01/20-12/22
NSF	NSF Research and Training (NRT) - Training a Scientifically Innovative, Communication Savvy STEM Workforce for Sustaining Food-Energy-Water Services in Large and Transboundary River Ecosystems	\$2.99 million	\$0	\$60,000	Co-PI	10/2019-09/2024
NASA	Tracking Water Storage in Lakes: Citizens and Satellites	\$1.5 million (PI – from UNC)	\$0	\$300,000	Co-I	04/18 - 03/21
NSF	Linking Current and Future Hydrologic Change to Hydropower, Human Nutrition, and Livelihoods in the Lower Mekong Basin”	\$1.24 million (PI from UW Fisheries)	\$0	\$280,000	Co-I	07/17-06/20
JPL	NASA Jason-2, Jason-3 Altimetry Missions Applications Activities	\$50,000	\$0	\$50,000	PI	03/18-08/19
JPL	NASA Jason-2, Jason-3 Altimetry Missions Applications Activities	\$50,000	\$0	\$50,000	PI	03/17-08/18
NASA	Building Lasting Capacity for Water Management in Vulnerable Deltas of Indo-China	\$510,000 (PI from University of Houston)	\$0	\$280,000	Co-PI	07/16-06/19
NASA	Towards Operational Water Resources Management in South Asia Exploiting Satellite Geodetic and Remote Sensing Technologies	\$ 1.48 million	\$0	\$914,000	PI	11/14-10/18
DoD	Effects of Global Change on Extreme Precipitation and Flooding	\$850,110 (PI from UCLA)	\$0	\$40,000	Co-I	5/15-4/18
USAID-	Satellite-based Flood	\$175,000	\$25,000	\$150,000	PI	10/15-

DIV Stage 1	Inundation Warning on Affordable Mobile Platforms to Empower Farmers	(5 million & 15 million for Stage 2 and 3, respectively)				09/17
NASA	Globalizing Societal Application of Scientific Research and Observations from Remote Sensing: The Path Forward	\$93,437	\$0	\$93,437	PI	05/15-04/16
NASA	SWOT Science Team Preparations for Ground-truthing, Discharge Product Development and Water Management Applications in Asian River Systems	\$428,437	\$0	\$428,437	PI	06/16-12/20
NASA	Operational Flood Forecasting in Flood-prone River Deltas of the Developing World: Setting the Path forward for Current and Future Satellite Water Missions	\$90,000	\$0	\$90,000	PI	09/16-08/19
NASA	Improving the Accuracy and Reliability of Space-Borne Discharge Estimation from SWOT for Low-lying Humid Tropical Regions of the World	\$215,740	\$0	\$215,740	PI	12/12-3/16
NASA	A Satellite-based Early Warning, Mapping and Post-Disaster Visualization System for Water Resources of Low-lying Deltas of the Hindu Kush-Himalayan Region	\$780,000	\$0	\$660,000	PI	8/14-7/16
NASA	Toolbox Development for River Height Extraction from Radar Altimeters: Facilitating Global Applications using JASON-2	\$59,500	\$0	\$29,500	PI	08/14-07/15
NSF	Bangladesh Delta: Assessment of the Causes Of Sea-Level Rise Hazards And Integrated Development Of Predictive Modeling Towards Mitigation	\$138,733	\$0	\$138,733	PI	04/14-03/17

	And Adaptation (BAND-AID)					
NASA	The Future of Our Cities and Ageing Dams: Using NASA Satellites to Understand Changing Patterns of Infrastructure Safety for Resource-Hungry US Cities	\$82,800	\$0	\$82,800	PI	08/13-07/16
NASA	Understanding Atmospheric Rivers, Terrain and Anthropogenic Land Cover Changes on Storm Modification around Large Dams using Multi-sensor Satellite Data, Cloud Tracking and Numerical Modeling	\$82,800	\$0	\$82,800	PI	08/12-07/15
NASA	Modeling the hydrologically-relevant features of uncertainty of NASA's high resolution precipitation products for advancing global applications over ungauged regions.	\$82,800	\$0	\$82,800	PI	08/08-07/11
US Dept. of State	Strengthening Institutional Resilience of Bangladesh to Recurrent Flooding By Improving Operational Capacity For Early Detection Using Satellites	\$24,000	\$0	\$24,000	PI	07/12-06/13
NASA	Advancing the Hydrologic potential of NASA's TRMM-based Satellite Rainfall Estimation System for Global Flood Monitoring in Anticipation of GPM	\$310,000 (NASA New Investigator Program)	\$0	\$310,000	PI	07/08-06/12
NASA	Defining Optimality Criteria for the Effective Use of Satellite Precipitation Datasets in Land Surface Hydrology and Water Cycle Studies	\$425,000 (PI from Univ. Connecticut)	\$0	\$156,000	Co-PI	05/07-04/11
NASA	Validating Prototype GPM Data for SERVIR System in	\$30,000	\$0	\$30,000	PI	05/07-04/08

	MesoAmerica					
NASA	GPM Data Integration in HEC-HMS	\$64,655	\$0	\$64,655	PI	05/07-04/08

DOCUMENTATION OF TEACHING EFFECTIVENESS

Courses Taught & Student Evaluations

Course	Title	Qtr	Cr. Hrs	Enroll-ment	Evaluation Response	Item 1	Item 3	Item 4	Avg (1-4)
CEWA 566	Satellite Remote Sensing for Water Resources	Fall 2205	3	13	9	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.9
CEE 444	Capstone-Hydraulics and Environment	Spring 2025	5	12	10	4.5	4.7	4.5	4.5
CEWA 579	Quant. Water Management	Winter 2025	3	5	2	3.5	3.5	3.5	3.5
CEWA 566	Satellite Remote Sensing for Water Resources	Fall 2024	3	5	5	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9
CEE 444	Capstone-Hydraulics and Environment	Spring 2024	5	14	10	3.8	3.5	3.5	3.7
CEE 478/CE WA 578	Water Systems Management & Operations	Winter 2024	3	43	27	4.9	4.8	4.8	4.8
CEWA 566	Satellite Remote Sensing for Water Resources	Fall 2023	3	8	6	4.5	4.2	4.8	4.1
CEE 444	Capstone – Hydraulics and Environment	Spring 2023	5	22		4.2	4.2	4.1	4.2
CEWA 579	Quantitative Water Management	Winter 2023	3	22	9	4.1	4.4	3.8	4.1
CEWA 566	Satellite Remote Sensing for Water Resources	Fall 2022	3	7	7	4.2	4.9	4.9	4.7
CEE 444	Capstone – Hydraulics and Environment	Spring 2022	5	23	20	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.4
CEWA 578/CEE 478	Water Systems Management & Operations	Winter 2022	3	46	29/46	4.6	4.5	4.7	4.6
CEWA 566	Satellite Remote Sensing for Water Resources	Fall 2021	3	13	13/13	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9
CEWA 566	Satellite Remote Sensing	Fall 2020	3	14	9/14	4.2	4.8	4.7	4.5

	for Water Resources								
CEE 444/445	Capstone-Hydraulics and Environment	Spring 2020	5	12	8/12	4.3	4.3	4.6	4.5
CEWA 578	Water Management	Winter 2020	3	19	19/19	3.9	4.3	4.3	4.1
CEWA 566	Satellite Remote Sensing for Water Resources	Autumn 2019	3	14	12/13	4.5	4.7	4.6	4.5
CEE 444	Capstone-Hydraulics and Environment	Spring 2019	5	15	15/15	4.3	4.0	4.0	4.1
CEWA 578	Water Management	Winter 2019	3	32	32/32	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5
CEWA 566	Satellite Remote Sensing for Water Resources	Autumn 2018	3	14	14/14	4.6	4.4	4.5	4.5
CEE 444	Capstone-Hydraulics and Environment	Spring 2018	5	12	12/12	3.3	4.5	3.8	3.7
CEWA 579	Quantitative Water Management	Winter 2018	3	22	19/22	4.2	4.4	4.2	4.1
CEE 444	Capstone – Hydraulics and Environment	Spring 2017	5	20	19/20	3.7	3.5	3.4	3.5
CEWA 579	Quantitative Water Management	Winter 2017	3	9	9/9	3.9	4.6	4.1	4.0
CEWA 566	Satellite Remote Sensing for Water Resources	Autum 2016	3	14	14/14	3.5	4.3	4.1	3.9
CEWA 579	Quantitative Water Management	Winter 2016	3	15	15/15	3.6	4.1	4.3	3.7
CEWA 566	Satellite Remote Sensing for Water Resources	Spring 2015	3	7	7/7	4.4	4.5	4.4	4.3
CEWA 566	Satellite Remote Sensing for Water Resources	Spring 2014	3	17	12/17	3.2	3.2	3.3	3.3

PEER TEACHING EVALUATION

Course	Quarter	Reviewer
CEE 444	Spring 2025	Prof. Erkan Istanbuluoglu
CEWA 578/CEE478	Winter 2022	Prof. Rebecca Neumann
CEWA 579	Winter 2016	Prof. Jim Thomson
CEWA 566	Spring 2015	Prof. Andy Jessup

SERVICE

Departmental service

Task leader for Increasing Enrollment in CEE (under UG committee), 2022-2024
Education Committee (Grad Affairs), 2023-2024
EWP Area Co-Rep, 2022-2024
Beautification of CEE Wall space with CEE Mission Visuals, Plants 2023-2024
Area Rep for Hydrology and Hydrodynamics, 2021-2024
Faculty advisor, *American Water Resources Association* UW Chapter, 2023-2024
Promotion and Tenure Committee, 2018-2019 (Chair in 2019)
Undergraduate Affairs member, 2014-2021
Mentor Committee for CEE faculty
Established a 0.5 million dollar Endowment for Graduate Fellowships for Ivanhoe Foundation in 2020

College service

College P&T Council, 2024-present
Selection Committee, Global Engagement Award, Office of Global Affairs, UW, 2025
Selection Committee, Diamond Award, 2023-2024
Executive Committee, Future Rivers, NSF Research and Training, 2019-2024
Faculty advisor (with Becca Neumann), *Engineers without Borders* UW Chapter, 2016-2019
EarthLab, Steering Committee, 2017-2018

University service

Fulbright review panel, 2020
Faculty senate, 2015-2019
Royalty Research Fund Panel – 2018-2019

Professional society service

Co-Chair, US-Iraq Science and Technology Dialogues, US State Department, 2022-2024
Deputy Program Associate, NASA Surface Water and Ocean Topography (SWOT) Mission, 2020-2023.
Member, New Voices in Science, Engineering and Medicine, National Academies, 2018-2020
Vice President of Academic Affairs, American Institute of Hydrology, 2017-2019
Member, Scientific Advisory Group for A-CCP, NASA, 2018-2019
Member, PO.DAAC User Working Group, 2018-2022
Editor, *Journal of Hydrometeorology* 2015-2020
Associate Editor, *Journal of Hydrometeorology*, 2014-2015
Chair of ASCE Task Committee (under Environment and Water Resource Institute of ASCE) on “*Infrastructure Impacts of Landscape-driven Weather Change*” 2014-2017
Voting Member, ASCE Watershed Management Technical Council, 2014-present
Award Reviewer, American Society of Engineering Education, 2014-2015
Falkenberg Award Committee, American Geophysical Union, 2015-2017
Science Team member and Applications Lead, NASA-CNES SWOT mission, 2016-present
Associate Editor, *Journal of Hydrometeorology*, 2012-2013
Science Definition Team member, NASA-CNES SWOT mission, 2012-2014
Associate Editor, *Journal of American Water Resources Association* JAWRA. 2006-2010
Working Group Co-Chair, *Hydrologically Relevant Error Metrics for Satellite Rainfall Data*, International Precipitation Working Group (IPWG) – PEHRPP Workshop, World Meteorological Organization, Geneva, Switzerland, December 3-5, 2007.

Session Chair, *Hydrological Sciences for Managing Water Resources of the Asian Developing World*, Guangzhou, China, June 9, 2006.

All other service

International, national or governmental service

Reviewer for NSF for site visit, 2024

NASA Commercial Satellite Proposal Review Team, 2024

Reviewer *National Academies of Science, Engineering and Medicine, Board on Atmospheric Sciences and Climate (BASC), Water Science and Technology Board (WSTB)*, 2024

NASA Satellite Mission Proposal Review Team, 2023

US Fulbright Program Review Panel (South and Central Asia) – 2014

US PI support (unfunded) for NASA-USAID PEER project *Scaling up of satellite-assisted flood forecasting systems in south and southeast Asian nations*; 2015-2017.

US-PI support (unfunded) for NASA-USAID PEER project *Application of geodetic, satellite remote sensing and physical modeling tools for management of operational groundwater resource in the Red river delta, Vietnam*; 2015-2018.

US PI support (unfunded) for NSF-USAID PEER project *Improving adaptation against coastal vulnerability and enhancing flood forecasting skill in Bangladesh through a satellite data integrative modeling framework in a changing climate*, 2014-2017.

Point of Contact and Instigator of MOUs for UW Civil Engineering with International Center for Integrated Mountain Development (ICIMOD), Pakistan Council of Research in Water Resources (PCRWR), Nanyang Technological University- Singapore (NTU) and Institute of Water Modeling (IWM), 2014-2018.

Coordinator for curriculum development of the undergraduate civil engineering program for the Kurdistan Regional Government (Iraq). 2009-2010.

Hosted visiting faculty from Koya University (Iraq) on curriculum development. 2009-2010.

Proposal review panelist, *National Science Foundation (NSF) Graduate Fellowship Program*, 2005-2007.

Proposal review panelist for NSF *TUES Program* 2012-2014.

NASA ROSES proposal review panelist on Earth Science and Applied Sciences 2010-2013.

Proposal Reviewer for *NASA-ROSES*, 2006-201present

Proposal Review for *NSF*, 2007-present

Proposal Reviewer for *Hong Kong Research Grants Council*, 2007

Proposal Reviewer for *Swiss National Science Foundation*, 2007

Proposal Reviewer for *Mathematics of Information Technology and Complex Systems Network of Centers of Excellence (MITACS-NCE)* 2004-2012.

All other service

Lead Organizer, *NASA SWOT User Workshop for Bangladesh Water Development Board*, December 18-20, 2023

Lead Organizer, NASA SWOT User Workshop titled “3rd *SWOT Virtual Early Adopter Hackathon*,” University of Washington, from April 25-28, 2022.

Lead Organizer, NASA SWOT User Workshop titled “2nd *SWOT Virtual Early Adopter Hackathon*,” University of Washington, from March 8- March 11, 2021

Lead Organizer, NASA SWOT User Workshop titled “1st *SWOT Virtual Early Adopter Hackathon*,” University of Washington, from May 26-May 29, 2020

STEM Education and Outreach for Diversity, Equity and Inclusion for National Academies **NEW VOICES**.

Project lead for Children’s Book “The Secret Lives of Scientists, Engineers and Doctors” series (spin-off from **NEW VOICES**)

Lead Organizer, NASA SWOT User Workshop titled “*2nd SWOT Early Adopters Training Workshop*” held in CNES HQ, Paris, May 20-21, 2019.

Lead Organizer, NASA SWOT User Workshop titled “*Engaging the User Community for Advancing Societal Application of Surface Water Ocean Topography (SWOT) mission*” held in USGS HQ, Reston (VA), from April 5-6, 2017.

Lead Organizer, NASA Decadal Survey E2 Workshop titled “*Globalizing Societal Application of Scientific Research and Observations from Remote Sensing: The Path Forward*” held in Tacoma Holiday Inn from June 22-25, 2015.

External Promotion Evaluator – Aalto University, Finland, 2024

External PhD Thesis Examiner – University of Melbourne, Australia, 2018, 2019

External PhD Dissertation Committee member– University of Sherbrooke, Canada, 2016

NASA ROSES review panelist for Interdisciplinary Sciences and Water program, 2015-2016.

Lead Organizer, UW Student Film Contest, Spring 2017-present

Director of Student Recruitment Video for Hydrology and Hydrodynamics group of Civil and Environmental Engineering at UW. [watch online at: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-Kz-1M8mIzw>], 2014.

Book review on “*Water Diplomacy: A Negotiated Approach to Managing Complex Water Networks*” by S. Islam and L.E. Susskind (RFF Press) – Review appeared in *EOS* (American Geophysical Union), 2013.

Lead and invited author in 2009 of chapter titled ‘*Reservoirs, Transboundary Issues and Human Impacts*’ for Mission Science Document of the proposed NASA-CNES Surface Water and Ocean Topography (SWOT) Mission (launch date 2021).

Coordinator and lead organizer of CEE 1020 Student Film Contest, 2007-2009.