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Research Interest

Algorithm Design and Optimization, Applied Machine Learning and Graph Neural Networks, UAS Path Planning, Wireless Ad Hoc Networks and Wireless Sensor Networks.

Education

Ph.D. in Computer Science, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, 2003

M.S. in Computer Science, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, 1999

M.S. in Computer Science, Politehnica University of Bucharest, Romania, 1996

B.S. in Computer Science, Politehnica University of Bucharest, Romania, 1995

Honors and Awards

- Faculty Service and Outreach Award, College of Engineering and Computer Science, Florida Atlantic University, February 2025.
- Outstanding STEM Educator Award, The Engineer's Council, February 2024.
- 2019 Excellent Paper Award of Tsinghua Science and Technology, Distributed Algorithms for Event Reporting in Mobile-Sink WSNs for Internet of Things, *Tsinghua Science and Technology*, Vol. 22, No. 4, Aug. 2017.
- Best paper award, The 35th IEEE International Performance Computing and Communications Conference (IEEE IPCCC), Dec. 2016.
- Best paper award, The 10th IEEE International Conference on Mobile Ad-hoc and Sensor Networks (IEEE MSN), Dec. 2014.
- Researcher of the Year Award, Florida Atlantic University, 2007.
- NSF CAREER Award, 2006.
- Best paper award, The 2nd IEEE International Conference on Mobile Ad-hoc and Sensor Systems (IEEE MASS), Nov. 2005.
- Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship, Graduate School, University of Minnesota, 2002.

- Academic Merit Award, Dept. Computer Science & Engineering, University of Minnesota, 1999.

Professional Experience

Professor, FAU, Electrical Engineering and Computer Science Department, Aug. 2014 – present
Associate Dean for Graduate Studies, FAU, College of Engineering and Computer Science, June 2018 – August 2024

Associate Professor, FAU, Computer Science & Engineering, Aug. 2008 – July 2014

Assistant Professor, FAU, Computer Science & Engineering, Aug. 2003 – July 2008

Intern, Honeywell Laboratories, Minneapolis, Apr. 1999 – Oct. 1999

Development Engineer, CoManage Corporation, Sep. 2000 – Jun. 2001

Grant Awards

- Equipment Grant: MSC-Mobile Switching Center, GSN-GPRS Support Node, GSM Base Station (1900 MHz) and OMCR, CDMA Base Station (850 MHz) and BSM Server, FAU NSF/IUCRC, co-PI, Jan 2012 – Dec 2014, \$965,000.
- Efficient Protocols and Algorithms for Wireless Networks, FAU NSF/IUCRC, co-PI, Feb 2012 – May 2014, \$17,359 (Total grant \$100,000).
- Design and Evaluation of Wireless Networks Protocols, FAU Foundation/Tecore Networks, co-PI, Jan 2012 – May 2014, \$15,156 (Total grant \$100,000).
- Data Link and Communication Protocols for Underwater Laser Sensor Networks, FAU Division of Research (Seed Grant), co-PI, 2012-2013, \$20,000.
- Campus-2020 project: Campus Driving and Directions Assistant, FAU NSF/IUCRC, investigator, 2012-2013, \$20,240 (Total grant \$300,000).
- **NSF CAREER Optimization Problems in Wireless Sensor Network Design and Applications, National Science Foundation (NSF), PI, 06/01/06-01/31/12, \$400,000.**
- NSF Research Experiences for Undergraduates (REU), National Science Foundation (NSF), 05/15/09 – 12/15/09 PI, \$15,750.
- NSF CISE Instrumentation: Wireless and Sensor Networking Laboratory, National Science Foundation (NSF) & Division of Research at FAU, PI, 09/01/04-09/01/07, \$85,851.
- Secure Telecommunication Networks, Secure Routing Protocols for Ad Hoc Wireless Networks, DoD Defense-wide RTDE grant, investigator, 09/01/04-08/31/06, \$37,000.
- New Project Development Program, Wireless Sensor Networks Design and Experimentation, FAU Division of Research, PI, 01/01/06-12/31/06, \$15,000.

- NSF MRI: Acquisition of a NUMA-based Supercluster for High Performance Computing, National Science Foundation (NSF), co-PI, 08/01/05-07/31/09, \$459,065.
- Secure Telecommunication Network, Global Information Grid Simulation, DoD Defense-wide RTDE grant, investigator, 01/09/08-01/09/09, \$35,000.

Teaching

Graduate Courses:

- COT 6930: Wireless Networks
- COT 6405: Analysis of Algorithms
- COT 6930: Algorithms for Bioinformatics
- COT 6930: Wireless Networks Design and Optimization
- COT 6930: Distributed Algorithms
- COT 6930: Wireless Sensor Networks

Undergraduate Courses:

- CDA 4500: Introduction to Data Communications
- COT 4400: Design and Analysis of Algorithms
- COT 4420: Introduction to Formal Languages and Automata
- STA 4821: Stochastic Models for CS

Student Supervision

Ph.D. Dissertations Supervised (12)

- Anca Muresan, Spring 2026, “Graph-Based and Uncertainty-Aware Machine Learning for Academic Performance Prediction” (advisor)
- Kimoy Williams, Spring 2026, “Unmanned Aerial Systems Path Planning with Dynamic Rerouting Using a Space-Time Graph” (advisor)
- Rafael Papa, Fall 2021, “Space-time graph path planning for UAS traffic management systems” (co-advisor)
- Andrew Steinberg, Spring 2021, “Path planning algorithms for unmanned aircraft systems with a space-time graph” (co-advisor)
- Catalina Aranzazu-Suescun, Spring 2019, “Distributed Algorithms for Energy-Efficient Data Gathering and Barrier Coverage in Wireless Sensor Networks” (advisor)
- Yueshi Wu, Fall 2016, “Channel Assignment in Cognitive Radio Wireless Networks” (advisor)
- Amalya Mihnea, Spring 2015, “Channel Assignment in Multi-Radio Networks” (advisor)
- Arny Ambrose, Fall 2011, “A Patient-centric Hurricane Evacuation Management System” (advisor)
- Mirela Marta, Fall 2010, “Mechanisms for Improving Energy Efficiency in Wireless Sensor Networks” (advisor)

- Yinying Yang, Spring 2010, “Mechanisms for Prolonging Network Lifetime in Wireless Sensor Networks” (advisor)
- Shuhui Yang, Summer 2007, “Connected Dominating Set in Wireless Ad Hoc Networks: Variations with Applications” (co-advisor)
- Ali Abu-el Humos, Summer 2005, “Low Latency and Energy Efficient MAC Protocols for Wireless Sensor Networks” (co-advisor)

Master’s Theses Supervised (9)

- Rafael Papa, Summer 2018, “Hummingbird: An UAV-aided Energy Efficient Algorithm for Data Gathering in Wireless Sensor Networks” (advisor)
- Andrew Steinberg, Fall 2017, “A Collision Free Drone Scheduling System” (advisor)
- Iana Zankina, Fall 2012, “Campus Driver Assistant on an Android Platform” (advisor)
- Pedro Heshike, Spring 2012, “Implementation of a Mobile Data Collector in Wireless Sensor Networks” (advisor)
- Anthony Marcus, Spring 2011, “Web-based Wireless Sensor Networks Monitoring using Smartphones” (advisor)
- Anupama Sahu, Fall 2010, “Patterns for Wireless Sensor Networks” (advisor; co-advisor Dr. E. Fernandez)
- Arny Ambrose, Fall 2008, “Scheduling for Composite Event Detection in Wireless Sensor Networks” (advisor)
- Mohammad Pervaiz, Summer 2006, “Range Assignment Problem and Security in Wireless Networks” (advisor)
- Wael Awada, Spring 2006, “Energy-efficient Target Coverage in Heterogeneous Wireless Sensor Networks” (advisor)

Professional Organizations

Senior Member, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE)

Professional Activities

- Editor for *High-Confidence Computing*, Elsevier and Shandong University, 2021 – present.
- Editor for *Ad Hoc & Sensor Wireless Networks* Journal, OCP Science, September 2009 – September 2012.
- Editor for *Computer Communications* Journal, Elsevier, February 2009 – February 2010.
- Panelist, Women in Computing Empowerment: Challenges and Opportunities in Academia and Industry Panel at the IEEE Intl. Conf. on Artificial Intelligence, Blockchain and Internet of Things (AIBThings) Sept. 2024.
- Panelist, FAU COECS - Women in Engineering and Computer Science (WIECS), Career paths and Graduate Programs, April 2023.
- Panelist, FAU WIECS Panel, April 2025.
- Panelist, National Science Foundation, 2003, 2005, 2008, 2012.

- Organizer of the *Wireless Networking Seminar* at the University of Minnesota, 2001-2003.
- One of the organizers of the *Doctoral Dissertation Fellows Seminar* (2002-2003), event conducted by the Graduate School at the University of Minnesota.
- Co-editor of *Theoretical and Algorithmic Aspects of Sensor, Ad Hoc Wireless, and Peer-to-Peer Networks*, special issue in the Journal of Parallel and Distributed Computing (JPDC), Vol 65, No 2, Feb. 2005.
- Local arrangement chair for *IEEE MASS'04*.
- Publicity co-chair and workshop co-chair for *The Second International Conference on Quality of Service in Heterogeneous Wired/Wireless Networks (QShine'05)*.
- Technical program co-chair for *The International Conference on Systems and Networks Communications (ICSNC)* 2006.
- Poster chair for *ACM MobiHoc* 2008.
- Session chair for *IEEE WoWMoM* 2008.
- Program Co-Chair *COCOA* 2019.
- Panel facilitator - FAU ADVANCE Women's Networking Event, March 2019
- Served regularly as TPC member, Session chair, and reviewer for conferences and journals.

Professional Development

- ACUE courses *Designing Learner-Centered Courses* (Spring 2025), *Promoting Active Learning* (Spring 2026).
- 2025 FAU Mentor and Leader in STEM. *Effective Mentorship and Negotiation Skills* Workshop, HFP Consulting. Sponsored by the NSF ADVANCE-EMPOWER grant at FAU.
- 2024 FAU Leader in STEM. *Leadership and Management Skills* Workshop, HFP Consulting. Sponsored by the NSF ADVANCE-EMPOWER grant at FAU.
- 2019 FAU Woman Leader in STEM. *Female Leaders in Science* Workshop, HFP Consulting. Sponsored by the NSF ADVANCE-EMPOWER grant at FAU.

Florida Atlantic University Services

Member of the EECS Graduate Programs Committee (Jan. 2025 – present)

Member of the UGPC and UGC (Oct. 2017 – Aug. 2024)

Member of the COECS Graduate Programs Committee (June 2018 – Aug. 2024) (ex officio)

Chair UGPC (AY 2022-2023)

Chair of the COECS Graduate Programs (Oct. 2017 – June 2018)

Director of CEECS Graduate Studies (Jan. 2013 – July 2014, Jan. 2015 – June 2018)

Member of FAU Graduate Associate Deans Council (GADC) (June 2018 – June 2022)

Member of the CoECS Graduate Programs (Jan. 2013 – July 2014, Jan. 2015 – Oct. 2017)

Member of the CEECS Executive Committee (Jan. 2013 – July 2014, Jan. 2015 – June 2018)

Member of the CEECS Personnel Committee (2010 – July 2014, Jan. 2015 – Aug. 2016)

Member of the CEECS Resource Committee (2013 – July 2014, Jan. 2015 – June 2018)

Member of the CEECS Graduate Programs Committee (2009 – July 2014, Jan. 2015 – June 2018)

Member of the CoECS CP&D Committee (Aug. 2012 – Jan. 2013)

CSE PhD QE Coordinator (Sept 2009 – Dec 2011)

Member of the CSE Dept. Graduate Programs and Research Committee (2007 – 2009)
Member of the CSE Dept. Executive Committee (2006 – 2007)
Member of the CSE Dept. TA/GA Committee (2005 – 2007)
Member of the FAU University Faculty Senate (2005 – 2006)
Member of the CSE Dept. Labs/Equipment Committee (2003 – 2005, 2008 – 2010)
Graduate Marshal FAU Commencement Ceremony Spring 2007, Spring 2016, Fall 2018
Faculty Advisor of the Alpha Omega Epsilon- Beta Delta Chapter at FAU (July 2012 – July 2014)
Advisor of the MS Information Technology & Management Program (Aug. 2009 – July 2014, Jan. 2015 – June 2018)

Publications

- **Over 9000 citations on Google Scholar**

Conference Papers

1. J. Cartmell, M. Cardei, and I. Cardei, Bloom Filter Encoding for Machine Learning, *22nd International Conference on Artificial Intelligence Applications and Innovations (AIAI 2026)*, July 2026.
2. A. Muresan, M. Cardei, and I. Cardei, Exploring Temporal Heterogeneous Graph Deep Learning and Machine Learning Models for Predicting Student Success, *IEEE International Conference on Artificial Intelligence for Learning and Optimization (ICoAILO 2025)*, Aug. 2025.
3. A. Muresan, M. Cardei, and I. Cardei, Predicting Student Success with Heterogeneous Graph Deep Learning and Machine Learning Models, *Conference on Educational Data Mining (EDM 2025)*, July 2025.
4. C. Mutlu, I. Cardei, and M. Cardei, Space-Time Graph Planner for Unsignalized Intersections with CAVs, *The 16th Annual International Conference on Combinatorial Optimization and Applications (COCOA 2023)*, Dec. 2023.
5. R. Papa, I. Cardei, and M. Cardei, Energy-constrained Drone Delivery Scheduling, *The 14th Annual International Conference on Combinatorial Optimization and Applications (COCOA 2020)*, Dec. 2020.
6. A. Steinberg, M. Cardei, and I. Cardei, UAS Path Planning using a Space-Time Graph, *The 14th Annual IEEE International Systems Conference (SysCon 2020)*, Aug. 24 – Sep. 20, 2020.
7. C. Aranzazu-Suescun and M. Cardei, UAV-aided Weak-Barrier Coverage with Adaptive Sensor Rotation, *The 13th Annual IEEE International Systems Conference (SysCon 2019)*, Apr. 2019.

8. I. Cardei, M. Cardei, and R. Papa, UAV-enabled Data Gathering in Wireless Sensor Networks, *37th IEEE International Performance Computing and Communications Conference*, Nov. 2018.
9. C. Aranzazu-Suescun and M. Cardei, Networking Protocols for Wireless Sensor Networks with Mobile Sink, *LACCEI International Multi-Conference for Engineering, Education, and Technology*, Jul. 2018.
10. C. Aranzazu-Suescun and M. Cardei, Weak-Barrier Coverage with Adaptive Sensor Rotation, *The 12th Annual International Conference on Combinatorial Optimization and Applications (COCOA 2018)*, Dec. 2018.
11. M. Cardei, I. Cardei, and A. Steinberg, UAS Trajectory Scheduling System, *IEEE Systems Conference*, Apr. 2018.
12. C. Aranzazu-Suescun and M. Cardei, Spatio-Temporal Event Detection and Reporting in Mobile-Sink Wireless Sensors Networks, *The 36th IEEE International Performance Computing and Communications Conference (IPCCC)*, Dec. 2017.
13. C. Aranzazu-Suescun and M. Cardei, Reactive Routing Protocol for Event Reporting in Mobile-Sink Wireless Sensor Networks, *The 13th ACM International Symposium on QoS and Security for Wireless and Mobile Networks*, Nov. 2017.
14. Y. Wu and M. Cardei, A Cognitive Radio Approach for Data Collection in Border Surveillance, *IEEE International Performance Computing and Communications Conference (IPCCC)*, Dec. 2016.
15. C. Aranzazu Suescun and M. Cardei, Event-based Clustering for Composite Event Detection in Wireless Sensor Networks, *IEEE International Performance Computing and Communications Conference (IPCCC)*, Dec. 2016 (**Best Paper Award**).
16. C. Aranzazu Suescun and M. Cardei, Unmanned Aerial Vehicle Networking Protocols, *LACCEI International Multi-Conference for Engineering, Education, and Technology*, Jul. 2016.
17. A. Mihnea and M. Cardei, Methods to Improve Capacity in Grid Networks, *The 29th International Conference on Computer Applications in Industry and Engineering (CAINE)*, Sept. 2016.
18. Y. Wu, D. Raviv, and M. Cardei, Campus Navigation System with Seamless Real-Time Information, *International Conference on Computers and Their Applications (CATA)*, Apr. 2016.
19. A. Mihnea and M. Cardei, Analysis of Interference for a Multi-Radio Channel Assignment Algorithm, *International Conference on Computers and Their Applications (CATA)*, Apr. 2016.

20. Y. Wu and M. Cardei, Distributed Algorithm for Mending Barrier Gaps via Sensor Rotation in Wireless Sensor Networks, *The 9th Annual International Conference on Combinatorial Optimization and Application (COCOA 2015)*, Dec. 2015.
21. Y. Wu and M. Cardei, Robust Topology using Reconfigurable Radios in Wireless Sensor Networks, *IEEE International Conference on Mobile Ad-hoc and Sensor Networks (MSN 2014)*, Dec. 2014 (**Best Paper Award**).
22. M. Cardei and Y. Wu, Using Reconfigurable Radios to Increase Throughput in Wireless Sensor Networks, *IEEE International Conference on Mobile Ad-hoc and Sensor Networks (MSN 2014)*, Dec. 2014.
23. A. Mihnea and M. Cardei, A Robust Channel Assignment Method for Multi-Radio Networks, Principles, *Systems and Applications of IP Telecommunications (IPTComm 2014)*, Sept. 2014.
24. A. Mihnea and M. Cardei, Bounds on Capacity in Multi-Channel Grid Networks, *Wireless Telecommunications Symposium (WTS 2014)*, Apr. 2014.
25. M. Cardei and A. Mihnea, Channel Assignment in Cognitive Wireless Sensor Networks, *International Conference on Computing, Networking and Communications (ICNC 2014)*, Feb. 2014.
26. M. Cardei and A. Mihnea, Distributed Protocol for Channel Assignment in Cognitive Wireless Sensor Networks, *IEEE International Performance Computing and Communications Conference (IPCCC 2013)*, Dec. 2013.
27. M. Cardei, B. Jones, and D. Raviv, A Pattern for Context-Aware Navigation, *Conference on Pattern Languages of Programs (PLoP 2013)*, Oct. 2013.
28. D. Rashkin, F. Dalgleish, I. Cardei, B. Ouyang, A. Vuorenkoski, and M. Cardei, Experimental Validation of an Undersea Free Space Laser Network Simulator in Turbid Costal Conditions, *Proc. SPIE 8724, Ocean Sensing and Monitoring V*, 872404 (June 3, 2013); doi:10.1117/12.2019192, Jun. 2013.
29. M. Cardei, I. Zankina, I. Cardei, D. Raviv, Campus Assistant Application on an Android Platform, *IEEE SoutheastCon 2013*, Apr. 2013.
30. B. Furht, V. Aalo, V. Aalo, A. Agarwal, I. Cardei, M. Cardei, N. Erdol, S. Huang, H. Kalva, T. Khoshgoftaar, I. Mahgoub, O. Marques, M. Petrie, D. Raviv, V. Ungvichian, H. Zhu, Creating Entrepreneurial University, *International Conference of Education, Research and Innovation (ICERI 2013)*, Nov. 2013.

31. D. Rashkin, I. Cardei, M. Cardei, F. Dalglish, and T. Giddings, Detector Noise Model Verification for Undersea Free Space Optical Data Links, *MTS/IEEE Oceans 2012*, Oct. 2012.
32. M. Cardei, A. Marcus, I. Cardei, and T. Tavtilov, Web-based Heterogeneous WSN Integration using Pervasive Communication, *IEEE International Performance Computing and Communications Conference (IPCCC 2011)*, Nov. 2011.
33. M. Cardei, E. B. Fernandez, A. Sahu, and I. Cardei, A Pattern for Sensor Network Architectures, *Asian Conference on Pattern Languages of Programs (AsianPLoP 2011)*, Oct. 2011.
34. A. Ambrose, M. Cardei, and I. Cardei, Patient-centric Hurricane Evacuation Management System, *IEEE International Performance Computing and Communications Conference (IPCCC 2010)*, Dec. 2010.
35. M. Fonoage, M. Cardei, and A. Ambrose, A QoS Based Routing Protocol for Wireless Sensor Networks, *IEEE International Performance Computing and Communications Conference (IPCCC 2010)*, Dec. 2010.
36. A. Sahu, E. B. Fernandez, M. Cardei, and M. VanHilst, A Pattern for a Sensor Node, *Conference on Pattern Languages of Programs (PLoP 2010)*, Oct. 2010.
37. M. Marta, Y. Yang, and M. Cardei, Energy-efficient Composite Event Detection in WSNs, *International Conference on Wireless Algorithms, Systems and Applications (WASA'09)*, Aug. 2009.
38. Y. Yang, A. Ambrose, and M. Cardei, Sensor Scheduling Mechanisms for Composite Event Detection in Wireless Sensor Networks, *INFOCOM 2009, Student Workshop*, Apr. 2009.
39. Y. Yang and M. Cardei, Sensor Deployment for Composite Event Detection in Mobile WSNs, *International Conference on Wireless Algorithms, Systems and Applications (WASA'08)*, Oct. 2008.
40. M. Marta and M. Cardei, Using Sink Mobility to Increase Wireless Sensor Networks Lifetime, *IEEE Intl. Symposium on a World of Wireless, Mobile and Multimedia Networks (WoWMoM'08)*, Jun. 2008.
41. M. Cardei, Y. Yang, and J. Wu, Non-Uniform Sensor Deployment in Mobile Wireless Sensor Networks, *IEEE Intl. Symposium on a World of Wireless, Mobile and Multimedia Networks (WoWMoM'08)*, Jun. 2008.
42. S. Yang, J. Wu, and M. Cardei, Efficient Broadcast in MANETs Using Network Coding and Directional Antennas, *IEEE INFOCOM 2008*, Apr. 2008.

43. J. Wu, S. Yang, and M. Cardei, On Maintaining Sensor-Actor Connectivity in Wireless Sensor and Actor Networks, *IEEE INFOCOM 2008*, Apr. 2008.
44. Y. Yang and M. Cardei, Movement-Assisted Sensor Redeployment Scheme for Network Lifetime Increase, *ACM/IEEE Intl. Symposium on Modeling, Analysis and Simulation of Wireless and Mobile Systems (MSWIM'07)*, Oct. 2007.
45. M. Cardei, J. Wu, and S. Yang, Fault-Tolerant Topology Control for Heterogeneous Wireless Sensor Networks, *IEEE Intl. Conf. on Mobile Ad-hoc and Sensor Systems (MASS'07)*, Oct. 2007.
46. M. Cardei, M. O. Pervaiz, and I. Cardei, Energy-Efficient Range Assignment in Heterogeneous Wireless Sensor Networks, *International Conference on Wireless and Mobile Communications (ICWMC'06)*, Jul. 2006.
47. W. Awada and M. Cardei, Energy-Efficient Data Gathering in Heterogeneous Wireless Sensor Networks, *IEEE Intl. Conf. on Wireless and Mobile Computing, Networking and Communications (WiMob'06)*, Jun. 2006.
48. S. Yang, F. Dai, M. Cardei, and J. Wu, On Multiple Point Coverage in Wireless Sensor Networks, *The 2nd IEEE Intl. Conf. on Mobile Ad-hoc and Sensor Systems (MASS'05)*, Nov. 2005 (**Best Paper Award**).
49. M. Lu, J. Wu, M. Cardei, and M. Li, Energy-Efficient Connected Coverage of Discrete Targets in Wireless Sensor Networks, *International Conference on Computer Networks and Mobile Computing (ICCNMC'05)*, Aug. 2005.
50. M. Cardei, J. Wu, M. Lu, and M. O. Pervaiz, Maximum Network Lifetime in Wireless Sensor Networks with Adjustable Sensing Ranges, *IEEE Intl. Conf. on Wireless and Mobile Computing, Networking and Communications (WiMob'05)*, Aug. 2005.
51. J. Wu, M. Cardei, F. Dai, and S. Yang, Extended Dominating Set in Ad Hoc Networks Using Cooperative Communication, *NETWORKING 2005*, May 2005.
52. M. Cardei, M. Thai, Y. Li, and W. Wu, Energy-Efficient Target Coverage in Wireless Sensor Networks, *IEEE INFOCOM 2005*, Mar. 2005, Miami, USA.
53. M. Cardei, J. Wu and S. Yang, Topology Control in Ad hoc Wireless Networks with Hitch-hiking, *The First IEEE International Conference on Sensor and Ad hoc Communications and Networks (SECON04)*, Oct. 2004, Santa Clara, USA.
54. M. Cardei, J. Wu and S. Yang, Low Power Hitch-hiking Broadcast in Ad Hoc Wireless Networks, *NSF International Workshop on Theoretical Aspects of Wireless Ad Hoc, Sensor and Peer-to-Peer Networks (TAWN04)*, Jun. 2004, Chicago, USA.

55. X. Cheng, M. Cardei, J. Sun, and D.-Z. Du, Energy Efficient Topology for Ad Hoc Wireless Networks, *NSF International Workshop on Theoretical and Algorithmic Aspects of Sensor, Ad Hoc Wireless and Peer-to-Peer Networks*, Feb. 2004, Florida, USA.
56. M. Cardei, X. Cheng, X. Cheng, and D.-Z. Du, Connected domination in ad hoc wireless networks, *Sixth International Conference on Computer Science and Informatics (CS&I 2002)*, Mar. 2002, North Carolina, USA.
57. M. Cardei, X. Cheng, X. Cheng, and D.-Z. Du, A Tale on Guillotine Cut, *Proceedings of Novel Approaches to Hard Discrete Optimization*, pp. 41-54, Apr. 2001, Ontario, Canada.
58. M. Cardei, I. Cardei, R. Jha, and A. Pavan, Hierarchical Feedback Adaptation for Real-Time Sensor-based Distributed Applications, *The 3rd IEEE International Symposium on Object-oriented Real-time distributed Computing (ISORC)*, Mar. 2000, California, USA.
59. I. Cardei, R. Jha, M. Cardei, and A. Pavan, Hierarchical Architecture For Real-Time Adaptive Resource Management, *The IFIP/ACM International Conference on Distributed Systems Platforms and Open Distributed Processing*, Apr. 2000, New York, USA.

Journal Articles

1. M. Cardei, K. Williams, and I. Cardei, UAS Path Planning with Dynamic Rerouting using a Space-Time Graph, *ACM Transactions on Spatial Algorithms and Systems*, <https://doi.org/10.1145/3798098>, 2026.
2. I. Cardei, C. Mutlu, M. Cardei, Space-time graph path planner for unsignalized intersection management with a V2V agent coordination architecture, *Theoretical Computer Science*, ISSN 0304-3975, Vol. 1020, Dec. 2024, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.tcs.2024.114871>.
3. R. Papa, I. Cardei, and M. Cardei, Generalized Path Planning for UTM Systems with a Space-Time Graph, *IEEE Open Journal of Intelligent Transportation Systems*, vol. 3, pp. 351-368, 2022, doi: 10.1109/OJITS.2022.3171502.
4. A. Steinberg, M. Cardei, and I. Cardei, UAS Batch Path Planning with a Space-Time Graph, *IEEE Open Journal of Intelligent Transportation Systems*, vol. 2, pp. 60-72, 2021, DOI: 10.1109/OJITS.2021.3070415.
5. C. Aranzazu-Suescun and M. Cardei, Energy-efficient Weak-Barrier Coverage with Adaptive Sensor Rotation, *Journal of Combinatorial Optimization*, DOI: 10.1007/s10878-019-00491-1.
6. C. Aranzazu-Suescun and M. Cardei, Anchor-based Routing Protocol with Dynamic Clustering for Internet of Things WSNs, *Eurasip Journal on Wireless Communications and Networking*, <https://doi.org/10.1186/s13638-019-1447-8>, <https://rdcu.be/bDXEb>, 2019.

7. C. Aranzazu-Suescun and M. Cardei, Distributed Algorithms for Event Reporting in Mobile-Sink WSNs for Internet of Things, *Tsinghua Science and Technology*, Vol. 22, No. 4, pp. 413 - 426, Aug. 2017. **(2019 Excellent Paper Award of Tsinghua Science and Technology)**
8. Y. Wu and M. Cardei, Distributed Algorithms for Barrier Coverage via Sensor Rotation in Wireless Sensor Networks, *Journal of Combinatorial Optimization*, DOI: 10.1007/s10878-016-0055-3, 2016.
9. Y. Wu and M. Cardei, Multi-Channel Approaches for Wireless Sensor Networks, *Computer Communications Journal (Elsevier)*, DOI: 10.1016/j.comcom.2016.08.010, Vol. 94, pp. 30 – 45, Nov. 2016.
10. Y. Wu and M. Cardei, Distributed Algorithms for a Robust Topology using Reconfigurable Radios Wireless Sensor Networks, *International Journal of Sensor Networks (IJSNet)*, DOI: 10.1504/IJSNET.2016.10001264, 2016.
11. A. Mihnea and M. Cardei, Efficient Wireless Communication in Grid Networks, *International Journal of Interdisciplinary Telecommunications and Networking (IJITN)*, Vol. 7(3), pp. 57-79, 2015.
12. A. Mihnea and M. Cardei, Robustness to Multiple Primary Users and Balanced Channel Assignment in Cognitive Radio Networks, *International Journal of Computer and Communication System Engineering (IJCCSE)*, Vol. 2(3), pp. 553-560, 2015.
13. F. Dalglish, J. Shirron, D. Rashkin, T. Giddings, A. Vuorenkoski, I. Cardei, B. Ouyang, F. Caimi, M. Cardei, A Physical Layer Simulator for Undersea Free Space Laser Communications, *Optical Engineering* 53(5), DOI: 10.1117/1.OE.53.5.051410, Apr. 2014.
14. A. Ambrose, M. Cardei, and I. Cardei, HEMS, a Hurricane Evacuation Management System, *Ad Hoc & Sensor Wireless Networks*, Old City Publishing, Vol. 17, No. 1-2, pp. 143 – 167, 2013.
15. A. Marcus, M. Cardei, I. Cardei, E. Fernandez, F. Frati, E. Damiani, A Pattern for Web-based WSN Monitoring, *Journal of Communications*, Vol. 6, No. 5, pp. 393-399, Aug. 2011.
16. Y. Yang, A. Ambrose, and M. Cardei, Coverage for Composite Event Detection in Wireless Sensor Networks, *Wireless Communications and Mobile Computing*, *Wireless Communications and Mobile Computing*, Wiley InterScience, Vol. 11, Issue 8, pp. 1168-1181, Aug. 2011.
17. Y. Yang and M. Cardei, Adaptive Energy Efficient Sensor Scheduling for Wireless Sensor Networks, *Optimization Letters*, Springer, ISSN 1862-4472, Vol. 4, No. 3, pp. 359-369, Aug. 2010.

18. Y. Yang and M. Cardei, Delay-Constrained Energy-Efficient Routing in Heterogeneous Wireless Sensor Networks, *International Journal of Sensor Networks*, Vol. 7, No. 4, pp. 236-247, 2010.
19. Y. Yang, M. Fonoage, and M. Cardei, Improving Network Lifetime with Mobile Wireless Sensor Networks, *Computer Communications Journal (Elsevier)*, Vol. 33, No. 4, pp. 409-419, Mar. 2010.
20. M. Marta and M. Cardei, Improved Sensor Network Lifetime with Multiple Mobile Sinks, *Elsevier Journal of Pervasive and Mobile Computing*, Vol. 5, No. 5, pp. 542-555, Oct. 2009.
21. M. Lu, J. Wu, M. Cardei, and M. Li, Energy-Efficient Connected Coverage of Discrete Targets in Wireless Sensor Networks, *International Journal of Ad Hoc and Ubiquitous Computing (IJAHUC)*, Vol. 4, No. 3/4 , pp. 137-147, 2009.
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