

Hamid Mansoor

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EDUCATION

PhD in Computer Science, Worcester Polytechnic Institute, MA USA

August 2022

Advisors: [Prof. Emmanuel Agu](#) and [Prof. Elke Rundensteiner](#)

MS in Computer Science, Tufts University, MA USA

May 2016

BS in Computer Science, Tufts University, MA USA

Dec 2014

SKILLS

Programming Languages: JavaScript, TypeScript, Java, Python, R, C++, C, C#, CSS, SQL

Web Frameworks and libraries: Node.js, D3.js, jQuery, Angular.js, React.js, Flask

Tools: Android Studio, Tableau, Git

WORK EXPERIENCE

University of Victoria, VIXI Lab, Victoria BC, Canada

Sep 2022 - Present

Postdoctoral Researcher under [Prof. Miguel Nacenta's](#) supervision

- Working on multiple projects to address the gaps between textual and graphical representations of ideas
- Designing and developing multiple tools and studies for understanding the effectiveness of graphically representing text

Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Dept of Computer Science, Worcester MA, USA

May 2019 - August 2022

Graduate Research Assistant

- Researcher for the US Department of Defense funded Warfighter Analytics using Smartphones for Health ([WASH](#)) project
- Developed interactive data visualization web applications using HTML, jQuery and D3.js to enhance analysis of complex, multivariate data gathered from smartphones
- Developed an Android app to gather smartphone sensor data for continuous health monitoring

Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Dept of Computer Science, Worcester MA, USA

Aug - May, 2016 - 2019

Graduate Teaching Assistant

- Courses: Data Visualization, Web Eng, Mobile and Ubiquitous Computing, HCI and Systems Programming
- Graded assignments and exams and held office hours to assist students with coursework

Pacific Northwest National Labs, Richland WA, USA

June 2018 - Aug 2018

National Security Program, PhD Intern

- Developed a biosurveillance application as part of a team for the US Department of Defense
- Worked with expert epidemiologists to design smartphone interfaces and display educational information like disease symptoms, properties, global distribution etc. for infectious diseases

Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Dept of Computer Science, Worcester MA, USA

May 2017 - Aug 2017

Graduate Research Assistant

- Worked on data visualization literacy and graphical perception projects using jQuery, D3.js and Node.js

Tufts University Center for Engineering Education Outreach (CEEO), Medford MA, USA

Sep 2015 - May 2016

Graduate Research Assistant

- Implemented interfaces for several collaborative web interfaces for teachers to monitor their students' progress using Meteor and D3.js

Imprivata, Inc. Lexington MA, USA

Jan 2015 - Aug 2015

Software Engineer

- Worked on a team to develop Cortext, a HIPAA (USA healthcare privacy laws) compliant messaging app for healthcare providers using Google Web Toolkit and Backbone.js

PUBLICATIONS

Refereed

2022

- Walter Gerych, Thomas Hartvigsen, Luke Buquicchio, Abdulaziz Alajaji, Kavin Chandrasekaran, **Hamid Mansoor**, Elke Rundensteiner, Emmanuel Agu. "[Positive Unlabeled Learning with a Sequential Selection Bias.](#)" *Proceedings of the 2022 SIAM International Conference on Data Mining (SDM). Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics.*

2021

- Walter Gerych, Harrison Kim, Joshua DeOliveira, MaryClare Martin, Luke Buquicchio, Kavin Chandrasekaran, Abdulaziz Alajaji, **Hamid Mansoor**, Elke Rundensteiner, Emmanuel Agu. "[GAN for Generating User-Specific Human Activity Data From An Incomplete Training Corpus.](#)" *IEEE International Conference on Big Data (Big Data)*, pp. 4705-4714, 2021.
- Luke Buquicchio, Walter Gerych, Abdulaziz Alajaji, Kavin Chandrasekaran, **Hamid Mansoor**, Thomas Hartvigsen, Elke Rundensteiner, Emmanuel Agu. "[Variational Open Set Recognition \(VOSR\).](#)" *IEEE International Conference on Big Data (Big Data)*, pp. 994-1001, 2021.
- Luke Buquicchio, Walter Gerych, Abdulaziz Alajaji, Kavin Chandrasekaran, **Hamid Mansoor**, Elke Rundensteiner, Emmanuel Agu. "[Few-Shot Classification for Human Context Recognition Using Smartphone Data Traces.](#)" *20th IEEE International Conference on Machine Learning and Applications (ICMLA)*, pp. 345-350, 2021.
- **Hamid Mansoor**, Walter Gerych, Abdulaziz Alajaji, Luke Buquicchio, Kavin Chandrasekaran, Emmanuel Agu, and Elke Rundensteiner. "[ARGUS: Interactive Visual Analysis of Disruptions in Smartphone-Detected Bio-Behavioral Rhythms.](#)" *Visual Informatics 5.3 (2021): 39-53.*
- **Hamid Mansoor**, Walter Gerych, Abdulaziz Alajaji, Luke Buquicchio, Kavin Chandrasekaran, Emmanuel Agu, and Elke Rundensteiner. "[Visual Analytics of Smartphone-Sensed Human Behavior and Health.](#)" *IEEE Computer Graphics and Applications (CG & A) 41, no. 3 (2021): 96-104.*
- Abdulaziz Alajaji, Walter Gerych, Luke Buquicchio, Kavin Chandrasekaran, **Hamid Mansoor**, Emmanuel Agu, and Elke A. Rundensteiner. "[Smartphone Health Biomarkers: Positive Unlabeled Learning of In-the-Wild Contexts.](#)" *IEEE Pervasive Computing 20, no. 1 (2021): 50-61.*
- **Hamid Mansoor**, Walter Gerych, Abdulaziz Alajaji, Luke Buquicchio, Kavin Chandrasekaran, Emmanuel Agu, and Elke Rundensteiner. "[PLEADES: Population Level Observation of Smartphone Sensed Symptoms for In-The-Wild Data Using Clustering.](#)" *16th International Joint Conference on Computer Vision, Imaging and Computer Graphics Theory and Applications, VISIGRAPP (3: IVAPP) 2021 (Submitted extended version to Springer CCIS for publication in 2022)*

2020

- **Hamid Mansoor**, Walter Gerych, Luke Buquicchio, Abdulaziz Alajaji, Kavin Chandrasekaran, Emmanuel Agu, and Elke Rundensteiner. "[INTOSIS: Interactive Observation of Smartphone Inferred Symptoms for In-The-Wild Data.](#)" *IEEE International Conference on Big Data (Big Data)*, pp. 4882-4891, 2020.
- Walter Gerych, Luke Buquicchio, Kavin Chandrasekaran, Abdulaziz Alajaji, **Hamid Mansoor**, Aidan Murphy, Elke Rundensteiner and Emmanuel Agu. "[BurstPU: Classification of Weakly Labeled Datasets with Sequential Bias.](#)" In *IEEE International Conference on Big Data (Big Data)*, pp. 147-154, 2020.
- **Hamid Mansoor**, Walter Gerych, Luke Buquicchio, Abdulaziz Alajaji, Kavin Chandrasekaran, Emmanuel Agu, and Elke Rundensteiner "[ARGUS: Interactive Visual Analytics Framework for the Discovery of Disruptions in Bio-Behavioral Rhythms.](#)" *EuroVis 2020 - Short Papers. The Eurographics Association, 2020. (Best short paper honorable mention award)*

2019

- **Hamid Mansoor**, Walter Gerych, Luke Buquicchio, Kavin Chandrasekaran, Emmanuel Agu and Elke Rundensteiner. "[DELFI: Mislabelled Human Context Detection Using Multi-Feature Similarity Linking.](#)" *IEEE Visualization in Data Science (VDS) symposium at IEEE VIS, 2019.*
- **Hamid Mansoor**, Walter Gerych, Luke Buquicchio, Kavin Chandrasekaran, Emmanuel Agu and Elke Rundensteiner. "[COMEX: Identifying Mislabelled Human Behavioral Context Data Using Visual Analytics.](#)" *IEEE 43rd Annual Computer Software and Applications Conference (COMPSAC). Vol. 2. IEEE, 2019.*
- Bonnie Gale, Lauren E. Charles, **Hamid Mansoor** and Chen-Yeou Yu "[PocketAID: The Pocket Atlas of Infectious Diseases Mobile Application.](#)" *Online Journal of Public Health Informatics 11.1, 2019.*

2018

- **Hamid Mansoor** and Lane Harrison. "[Data Visualization Literacy and Visualization Biases: Cases for Merging Parallel Threads.](#)" *Cognitive Biases in Visualizations*. Springer, Cham 2018

2017

- **Hamid Mansoor** , Kartik Vasu and Lane Harrison. "[Linking Performance on Graphical Perception tasks to Visualization Literacy.](#)" *IEEE VIS Poster Proceedings, 2017.*

In submission

- **Hamid Mansoor**, Walter Gerych, Abdulaziz Alajaji, Luke Buquicchio, Kavin Chandrasekaran, Emmanuel Agu, Elke Rundensteiner and Angela Incollingo Rodriguez. "INPHOVIS: Interactive Visual Analytics for Smartphone-Based Digital Phenotyping." *Submitted to Elsevier Visual Informatics Journal*

SERVICE

Web and Publicity Chair, Graphics International (**GI**)

2023

Conference Program Committee:

International Symposium on Visual Computing (**ISVC**)

2021, 2022

International Symposium on Visual Information Communication and Interaction (**VINCI**)

2022

AWARDS

WPI Graduate Research Innovation Exchange (GRIE) Symposium Finalist

2022

EuroVis Short Paper Honorable Mention Award

2020

WPI Graduate Travel Award

2017, 2019

The Alireza Family International Scholarship, Tufts University

2013, 2014