2018 Annual report for the Department of Civil & Architectural Engineering, College of Engineering, Qatar University

Department Executive Summary

This document reports about progress and activities of the Department of Civil & Architectural Engineering for the calendar year 2018. During the year, the Department continued its effort to deliver the undergraduate and postgraduate courses to the highest standards. The Department also continued its effort to improve the communications with the students and collecting feedback, besides supporting the students at risk through a coaching system. The Department worked on a number of proposals regarding curricula including a proposal to deliver a project management minor, and an updated proposal for postgraduate certificate on transportation engineering. To further improve quality and procedures of laboratories, the Department developed an initial plan for certification of lab testing with advice from Ashghal. During the calendar year 2018, the Department organized a number of activities for its own students including the egg protection competition in collaboration with Ashghal and the American Concrete Institute, and the Dome Building competition in collaboration with Engineers Australia and the Green Building Council. The Department, through the effort of its faculty, continued its research effort, including application for new research grants, management of existing research grants, and publications of high quality journal and conference papers, which resulted in 9 new research grants, 60 journal publications, and 37 conference publications. The department continued its strong ties and collaboration with the key industrial partners such as Qatar Rail through a joint project, and Ashghal through joint organization of students' competition, organization of a workshop for the industry, and consultation regarding development of the Department's labs. The Department takes leadership in key discussion related to the industry and community including the effort in responding to political and market changes. This is exemplified by the Department organization of workshop on the impact of blockade on the construction industry in Qatar. The Department also hosted other events such as the one by the Supreme Committee for delivery and legacy under the College of Engineering umbrella and invited a number of speakers to speak for the undergraduate students as well as on industrial and research topics for the academics. On the outreach activities, the department visited 13 schools and delivered presentations to promote Engineering overall and Civil Engineering in particular for the high school students. It also took active parts in the Engineering week and in supporting the college on school visits to the university. The main highlights related to faculty in the Department is the promotion of one faculty to full professor, the large success in publications of high quality journal and conference papers and the award received by one of the academics for best paper. The report shows good level of details along with the dates of the activities and achievements during the calendar year 2018.

Department Profile Table 1: Executive Summary of Civil & Architectural Engineering Department

Description	
Academic and Support Staff	2018
Faculty	16
Teaching Assistant	7
Graduate Assistant	3
Technical and Administrative Staff	3
On-Study Leave	3
Total	32
Undergraduate Program	2018
Enrollment (Fall 2018)	285
Registered (Fall 2018)	260
Graduates (Spring 2018)	37
Graduates (Summer)	21
Graduates (Fall2017)	25
Graduate Program	2018
Enrollment (Fall 2018)	41
Registered (Fall 2018)	34
Graduates (Spring 2018)	6
Research Projects (Awarded in 2018)	2018
GSRA	1
NPRP	1
PDRA	0
UREP	5
Qatar University Grants	0
University Internal Students' Grants	2
Industrial Grants	0
GCC Co-Fund Program	0
Research Projects (Active in 2018 but awarded before 20)19)
GSRA	1
NPRP	10
PDRA	1
UREP	4
Qatar University Grants	0
University Internal Students' Grants	0
External Grants	0
GCC Co-Fund Program	1
Publications (Appendix A1)	2018
Refereed Journal Papers	60

Conference Papers	37
Technical Reports	2
Book Chapters	0
Books	0
Book Reviews	0
Editorials and Essays	1
Seminars – Public Lectures – Short Courses (Appendix A2)	2018
Seminars and Public Lectures Delivered by Departmental Faculty Members Inside Qatar University	3
Seminars and Public Lectures Delivered by Departmental Faculty Members Outside Qatar University	8
Short Course Delivered by Departmental Faculty Members	0
Seminars and Public Lectures Attended by Departmental Faculty Members	10
Seminars and Public Lectures Delivered by Visiting Academics and Professionals	5
Invited Public Lectures/ Keynote Speakers	1
Faculty Activities (Appendix A3)	2018
Consultancy	0
Community Service	3
Awards and Achievements	7
Conferences Attended	13
Workshops, Training and Visits Attended	4
Workshops, Training and Visits Delivered	58
Events Organized	2
Other Activities	1
Students' Activities (Appendix A4)	2018
Competitions	3
Awards	3
Seminars & Trainings	8
Field Trips, Social and Extra-Curricular Events	9

Academic Staff

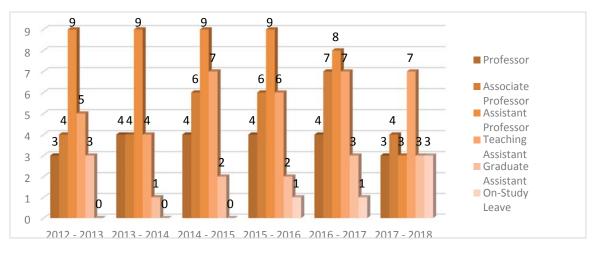
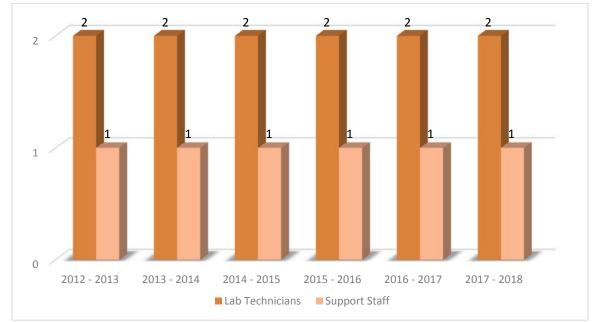


Figure 1: Academic Staff in CAE Department, 2012-2018.



Technical and Administrative Staff

Figure 2: Non-Academic Staff in CAE Department, 2012-2018.

Department Standing Committees

The department has number of committees and coordination roles for 2018 as listed below:

- Faculty
 - > Departmental Board Committee: Dr. Mohammed Hussein (Chair).

- > Undergraduate program coordinator: Prof. Usama Ebead.
- > Postgraduate program coordinator: Prof. Hisham Eid.
- Curriculum and quality assurance Committee: Spring 2018: Prof. Usama Ebead (Chair), Prof. Murat Gunduz, Prof. Ramzi Taha (member), Dr. Mohsin Siddique (member), Dr. Riyadh Al-Raoush (member).
 Fall 2018: Prof. Usama Ebead (Chair), Prof. Murat Gunduz (member), Prof. Khaldoon Bani Hani, Dr. Alaa Al-Hawari (member).
- Research and postgraduate committee Spring 2018: Prof. Hisham Eid (Chair), Dr. Alaa Al-Hawari (member), Dr. Khaled Shaaban (member). Fall 2018: Prof. Hisham Eid (Chair), Dr. Khaled Shaaban (member), Dr. Okan Sirin (member).
- > Promotion: Ad-Hoc Committee.
- > Recruitment: Ad-Hoc Committee.
- > Scheduling coordinator: Dr. Wael Alnahhal.
- > Newsletter coordinator: Dr. Alaa Al-Hawari.
- Lab development coordinator: Fall 2018: Dr. Khalid Naji.
- Coordinator of senior design project:
 Spring 2018: Dr. Mohammed Elshafie. Fall 2018: Dr. Riyadh Al-Raoush.
- > Minutes recorder for Board meetings: Dr. Mohammed Elshafie.
- > CRU course coordinator: Dr. Khaled Shaaban.
- > Industry liaison: Dr. Mohammed Elshafie.
- > University Senate member: Dr. Wael Alnahhal.

• Teaching Assistants

- > Administrator for Senior design projects: Eng. Muhammad Shekaib
- > Administrator for Software affairs and Environmental lab: Eng. Sikder M Selimuzzaman
- > Administrator for outreach, event supports and shared folder: Eng. Nasser Al-Nohmi
- > Administrator for Curriculum committee, website and P-card: Eng. Abdulrahman Abu Hijleh
- > Assistant coordinator for Scheduling: Eng. Khaled Rabie.
- > Assistant staff for tendering and labs safety and requirements: Eng. Abdul Azeez Kilayil.
- > Assistant staff for lab development: Eng. Siju Joseph.

Faculty Profile

Photo	Faculty Name	Rank/Position	Area of Specialization
	Faculty	Members with Admi	nistrative Roles
	Mohammed Hussein	Head of the Department of Civil and Architectural Engineering	Railway Engineering, Ground-borne Vibration, Structural Dynamics, Structural-Health Monitoring, Soil- structure interaction, Human-structure interaction.
-	Hassan Al- Derham	QU President	Procurement of construction projects, productivity of construction projects, housing projects, evaluation of consulting offices
- 10	Omar Al- Ansari	Qatar University Vice-President for Academic Affairs	Geotechnical Engineering
	Nasser Alnuaimi	Director of the Center for Advanced Materials	Structural concrete properties and behavior, concrete materials engineering and the design of reinforced concrete structures, concrete durability and concrete repair
	Usama Ebead	Professor & Undergraduate Program Coordinator	Structural Engineering, Rehabilitation of reinforced concrete structures, Finite element modeling of reinforced concrete structures, Durability of FRP reinforcement in concrete
	Hisham Eid	Professor & Postgraduate Program Coordinator	Soil and rock mechanics, geo environmental engineering, soil structure interaction
	Mohammed Elshafie	Associate Professor & QD- SBG Chair	Acquiring and understanding in-depth new information about Civil Engineering infrastructure; using novel sensing techniques on real world assets combined with advanced modelling techniques, provides the missing feedback loop between design,

Table 2: CAE Faculty Profile 2018

		construction and operation.
	Full Professo	rs
Mohammed Al-Ansari	Professor	Reinforced concrete design; solid mechanics, Earthquake Engineering, Numerical Analysis <u>(On-Study Leave)</u>
Khaldoon Bani-Hani	Professor	Structural Engineering
Murat Gunduz	Professor	Construction engineering and management, construction productivity measurement and improvement, construction health and safety, data collection and analysis
	Associate Profes	ssors
Okan Sirin	Associate Professor	Pavement materials and design, Superpave technology, Accelerated pavement testing, Traffic engineering
Alaa Al Hawari	Associate Professor	Water and waste water treatment (membrane rejection and fouling, bio sorption and selective adsorption), solid waste management and sustainability
Khaled Shaaban	Associate Professor	Traffic Operations, Intelligent Transportation Systems, Traffic Simulation, Traffic Safety, Work Zones

Riyadh Al- Raoush	Associate Professor	Fate and transport of contaminates in subsurface systems, Environmental fluid dynamics, Multiphase and multistate modeling of flow through porous media
	Assistant Profes	sors
Khalid Naji	Assistant Professor	Computer applications in construction engineering with emphasis on project management, cad and graphical simulation techniques, virtual environments
Wael Ibrahim Anahhal	Assistant Professor	Structural Engineering, Application of advanced composite materials (FRP) in the infrastructure and in upgrading deteriorating structures, Computational mechanics, Finite Element Analysis, Floor vibrations serviceability, and Earthquake Engineering.
Wael Alhajyaseen	Assistant Professor (QTTSC Center)	Traffic safety (Human factors, crash data and causality, driving simulation), Urban traffic control & operation, Road user behavior analysis (including naturalistic driving), Non-motorized traffic especially pedestrians and bicycles (facilities design, control and operation), Intelligent transportation systems (ITS), Travel behavior and forecasting (Macroscopic level), Public transportation, Road geometric design.
	Teaching Assist	ants
Sikder M Selimuzzaman	Teaching Assistant	Environmental Engineering (Wastewater treatment)
Abdulrahman Z. Abu-Hijleh	Teaching Assistant	Construction Management & Analysis and Design of Structures

Nasser Al-Nohmi	Teaching Assistant	Analysis and Design of Structures, concrete durability, Structural concrete properties and behavior & Construction Management
Khaled Rabie	Teaching Assistant	Geotechnical Focusing on Landslides ,slope stability and soil shear strength
Muhammad Shekaib Afzal	Teaching Assistant	Experimental testing of Large scale reinforced strengthened beams using textile-reinforced mortars and Finite Element Modeling of reinforced concrete structures.
Hamad Alnuaimi	Teaching Assistant	Analysis and Design of Structures <u>(On-Study Leave)</u>
Eng. Salem Alnaimi	Teaching Assistant	Transportation Engineering (On-Study Leave)
	Lab Technicia	ns
Abdul Azeez Kilayil	Senior Lab Technician	Land Surveying, Materials Testing & Concrete and Soil Mechanics

	Joseph Valiya Parambil Siju	Lab Technician	Traffic, Transportation & Pavement and Material Testing
		Administrative Ass	sistants
	Aisha Al-	Administrative	
	Kuwairi	Coordinator	

Department/Program FTE

Teaching load	01 2010-2019				
	Fall 2018	Spring 2019	Total	Required	Difference
Dr. M. Al-					
Ansari	0	0	0	0	0
Dr. Al-					
Hawari	12.2702	10.506	22.7762	18	4.7762
Dr.				-	
Alhajyassen	4.80016	4	8.80016	6	2.80016
Dr. Al-	10.101	0.0040	~~~~~	10	5 0000
Nahhal	13.401	9.8016	23.2026	18	5.2026
Dr. Al-	o =	2	0.5		0.5
Nuaimi	0.5	2	2.5	3	-0.5
Dr. Al-	0.04070	40.0500	00.00700	10	4 00700
Raoush	9.34379	12.9539	22.29769	18	4.29769
Dr. Khaldeen	10 1070	4 40 4 4 0	44 65400	4 5	0.24862
Khaldoon	10.1672	4.48418	14.65138	15	-0.34862
Dr. Ebead	9.25035	7.5	16.75035	15	1.75035
Dr. Eid	7.1681	7.80345	14.97155	15	-0.02845
Dr. Elshafie	11.62845	5.78785	17.4163	15	2.4163
Dr. Gunduz	9.88405	10.66781	20.55186	18	2.55186
Dr. Hussein	4.85094	4.385	9.23594	6	3.23594
Dr. Naji	7.62615	8.60232	16.22847	15	1.22847
Dr. Shaaban	10.63536	9.0041	19.63946	18	1.63946
Dr. Sirin	10.07665	9.17005	19.2467	18	1.2467

Teaching load of 2018-2019

Teaching load of 2017-2018

	Fall 2017	Spring 2018	Total load	Required	Difference
Dr. M. Al- Ansari	7.667	8.875575	16.542575	18	-1.457425
Dr. Al-Hawari	7.91695	13.3339	21.25085	18	3.25085
Dr. Alhajyassen	4.0002	3.40008	7.40028	6	1.40028
Dr. Al-Nahhal	11.41675	9.8336	21.25035	18	3.25035
Dr. Alnuaimi	0.5	3.5	4	3	1
Dr. Al- Raoush	7.8336	11.76702	19.60062	18	1.60062
Dr. Ebead	8.20024	6.90038	15.10062	12	3.10062
Dr. Eid	10.13356	4.18357	14.31713	12	2.31713
Dr. Elshafie	7.625325	8.41715	16.042475	15	1.042475
Dr. Gunduz	8.7501	12.541925	21.292025	18	3.292025
Dr. Hussein	5.758435	2.23363	7.992065	6	1.992065
Dr. Naji	3.40008	6.96686	10.36694	12	-1.63306
Dr. Shaaban	10.908415	9.10022	20.008635	18	2.008635
Dr. Siddiqui	6.725045	9.45009	16.175135	18	-1.824865
Dr. Sirin	11.7504	8.417	20.1674	18	2.1674
Dr. Taha	10.0002	6.6668	16.667	18	-1.333

Undergraduate Majors and Minors

Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering

The Department of Civil and Architectural Engineering at Qatar University awards the Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) in Civil Engineering. Civil Engineering is the broadest and oldest of the engineering disciplines, spanning across many technical specialties which are not independent, but rather interact with each other. Civil engineers plan, design, construct and maintain the physical and naturally built environment including buildings; roads; bridges; airports; railways; ports; water distribution and wastewater collection systems; waste disposal facilities; tunnels; stadiums; offshore structures; dams; and other infrastructure projects. As civil engineers develop their skills, they can advance into the area of engineering management, overseeing the completion of the whole project.

Our students have to complete a total of 131 credit hours in order to graduate with the B.Sc., degree. Our curriculum ensures an excellent coverage of mathematics and basic sciences; general education; communication skills development; engineering fundamentals; core and upper level civil engineering courses' requirements; and design experience. Additional opportunities to enhance professional development include industrial training; field visits; presentations by practicing engineers;

involvement in research projects and competitions; participation in the ASCE Student Chapter; and participation in students' exchange through the International Association for the Exchange of Students for Technical Expertise (IAESTE) Program.

The department has 16 faculty members, 7 full-time teaching assistants, 2 engineering technicians, and one administrator. Three of those faculty members are fully engaged in upper administration duties. All faculty members have PhDs from various reputable institutions in three countries (USA, Canada and the UK). The faculty members' specialties cover various areas of Civil Engineering including structures; transportation; geotechnical and materials; water resources; environmental engineering; and construction management and engineering. A number of faculty members are also holders of the professional engineering license from the USA, Canada and Jordan. Our faculty members are also active in research and other scholarly work, professional service, and community engagement.

We are proud of our students, faculty, teaching assistants, and other supporting staff. We are also proud that the Civil Engineering Program is accredited by the Engineering Accreditation Commission of ABET. Accreditation ensures that the students, parents, employers, and the society we serve can be confident that a program meets the quality standards that produce graduates prepared to enter a global workforce.

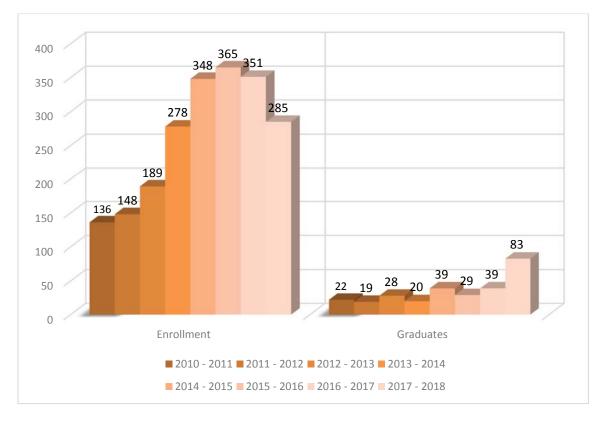


Figure 3: Number of enrolled and graduating students in CAE department, 2010–2018

Post Graduate Programs

The Department of Civil and Architectural Engineering started its graduate programs in 2010 as part of the graduate program of the College of Engineering, CENG. It participates in two interdisciplinary

master's programs: the Engineering Management and the Environmental Engineering Programs, offered under the umbrella of the College of Engineering. In addition, the department has started to offer master's and Ph.D. degrees in other Civil Engineering disciplines.

The details of the department's graduate degrees can be summarized as follows:

- 1. Master of Science in Civil Engineering: A program that was initiated in Fall 2011. It includes specialization in structures, geotechnical, transportation, and hydraulics and water resources. This program started enrolling students in Fall 2012.
- 2. Ph.D. in Civil Engineering: This program was set up in 2010 and accepted two students in the area of structures/materials in Fall 2011. It grew in the following years and expected to further grow in the future.
- 3. Master of Science in Engineering: The Department of Civil and Architectural Engineering participates in two CENG Master of Science degrees in Engineering:
 - a) Engineering Management (Construction Track), in collaboration with the Department of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering: This track started in Fall 2012.
 - b) Environmental Engineering, in collaboration with the Chemical and Mechanical and Industrial Engineering Departments: This program started offering courses in Fall 2011.

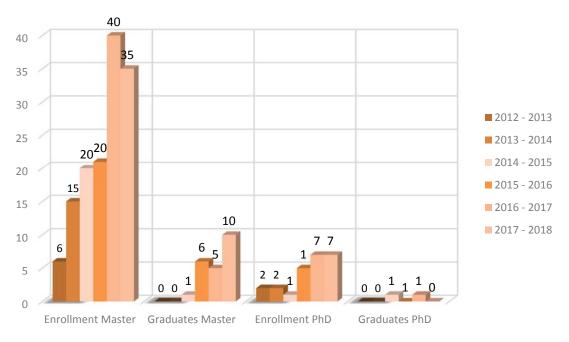


Figure 4: Number of enrolled and graduating students in cae department, 2012–2018

Internal, External Grants and Research

The following table illustrates the awarded research projects in the Department of CAE 2018

Project Number	Project Title	Co-LPI/LPI
NPRP11S-1211-170085	Self-Healing Bio-Concrete for sustainable and resilient Civil Infrastructure	Dr. Nasser Alnuaimi
UREP23-113-2-040	Utilization of recycled materials and industrial by-products as alternative construction materials at Qatar	Dr. Wael Alnahhal
UREP22-006-2-002	Construction of Qatar's Rail Using Waste Steel Slag as a Ballast Material	Dr. Wael Alnahhal
UREP22-007-2-003	High quality treated wastewater for irrigation purposes using an optimized aeration process in membrane bioreactors	Dr. Alaa AlHawari
UREP22-062-2-022	Driver Distraction among Young Drivers Qatar National Research Fund	Dr. Khaled Shaaban
GSRA5-2-0525-18072	Treatment of wastewater using a novel electrocoagulation process	Dr. Alaa AlHawari
QUST-1-CENG-2018-28	A comparative traffic noise study between major signalized intersections and roundabouts within Doha	Dr.Khaled Shabaan
QUST-2-CENG-2018-13	Material characterization of seawater-mixed concrete and GFRP reinforcement for their use to design sustainable concrete structures.	Dr. Usama Ebead
UREP22-006-2-002	Construction of Qatar's Rail Using Waste Steel Slag as a Ballast Material	Dr. Riyadh Ibrahim Al- Raoush

Table 3: Awarded Research Projects and Grants in the Department of CAE in 2018

Table 4: Active Research Projects and Grants in the Department of CAE in 2018 but awardedbefore 2019

Project Number	Project Title	Co-LPI/LPI
QUEX-CENG-Rail 17/18	Framework for research on railway Engineering Qatar Rail	Dr. Mohammed Farouk Hussein
UREP20-043-2-010	Effective Treatment of Dewatered Construction Water Using Waste Steel Slag	Dr. Alaa AlHawari
UREP20-065-2-013	An integrated solution for the treatment of produced water: electrocoagulation and forward osmosis	Dr. Alaa AlHawari
UREP21-089-2-039	Shear Behavior for Fiber Reinforced Concrete Beams with Basalt FRP Reinforcing Bars	Dr. Wael I Alnahhal
NPRP10-0117-170176	Forward Osmosis Seawater Pretreatment for High Performance Thermal Desalination Plants	Dr. Alaa AlHawari
QUUG-CENG-CAE-17/18-2	Investigating the effects of soil inhomogeneity and tunnel cross-sections on vibration from underground railways University Grant	Dr. Mohammed F Hussein
QUCG-CAM-2018\2019-2	Fiber-reinforced polymer (FRP) Composites for Enhanced Performance and Durability of Concrete Beams under Harsh Environment Exposures. Qatar University internal grant	Mohammed Hassan, Wael Alnahhal
NPRP 7 - 110 - 2 – 056	TOWARD DESIGNING QUIETER PAVEMENTS	Dr. Okan Sirin
NPRP 7 - 089 - 2 – 044	Recovery and Reuse of Municipal and Industrial Wastewater: Development of a novel fouling suppression system in submerged membrane bioreactors using dielectrophoretic forces	Dr. Alaa AlHawari
NPRP 7 - 1720 - 2 – 641	Strengthening of corrosion- damaged concrete flexural members with textile- reinforced mortars. Qatar National Research Fund	Dr. Usama Ali Ali Ebead
NPRP 8-836-2-353	A Unified Approach to	Dr. Mohammed Farouk

	Vibration Serviceability	Mohammed
	Assessment of Floors	
	Qatar National	
	Research Fund	
NPRP 8-1568-2-666	Spectral Band-structure Identification of Amplitude- dependent Viscoelastic Mechanical Metamaterials	Dr. Wael I Alnahhal
NPRP 8-594-2-244	Gas Production from Hydrate-bearing sediments. Qatar National Research Fund	Dr. Riyadh Ibrahim Al- Raoush
NPRP 8-418-2-175	Guidelines for Enhancing the Performance of FRP- strengthened Concrete Beams under Fire and Harsh Environment Exposures. Qatar National Research Fund	Dr. Nasser Abdullah N J Alnuaimi
UREP19-042-2-016	Characterization of soil profile and properties by Spectral Analysis of Surface Waves Qatar National Research Fund	Dr. Mohammed Farouk Hussein
NPRP9-110-2-052	. Sustainable concrete using seawater, recycled aggregates, and non- corrosive reinforcement	Dr. Usama Ali Ali Ebead
NPRP9-093-1-021	Groundwater Pollution by Petroleum-derived Contaminants in Coastal (Semi)-Arid Environment	Dr. Riyadh Ibrahim Al- Raoush
NPRP9-390-1-088	Simulation of microscale biogeochemical processes in porous media using advanced computer vision methodologies	Dr. Riyadh Ibrahim Al- Raoush
QUST-CENG-SPR\2017-29	Effective Treatment of Dewatered Construction Water Using Forward Osmosis	Dr Alaa Al Hawari
GCC-2017-008	Performance of Basalt Fiber Reinforced Polymer "BFRP" Reinforcing Bars under the GCC Harsh Environment GCC Co-Fund Program- 1st Cycle	Dr. Wael I Alnahhal
PDRA3-0402-17003	Towards a Flexi- Concrete:CNTs' Reinforcement Alternative	Dr. Moh Salem H Al-Ansari
GSRA4-2-0402-17013.	Engineering a Fertilizing Draw Solution for Irrigation Water Supply	Dr. Alaa AlHawari

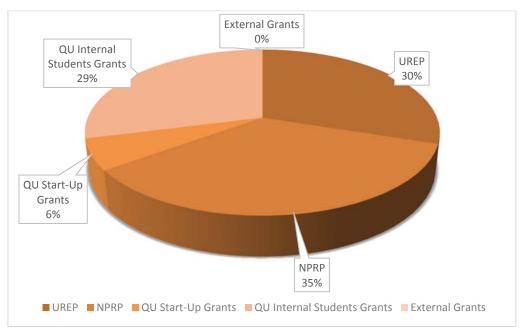


Figure 5: Research Projects Awarded in 2012-2013.

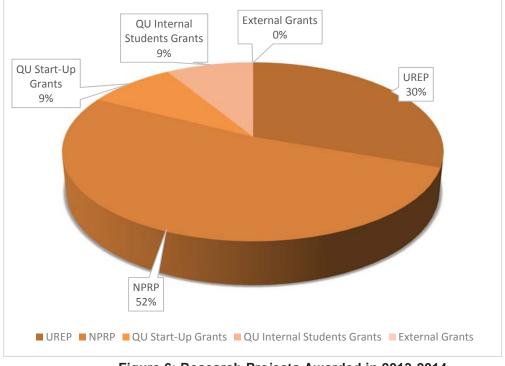


Figure 6: Research Projects Awarded in 2013-2014.

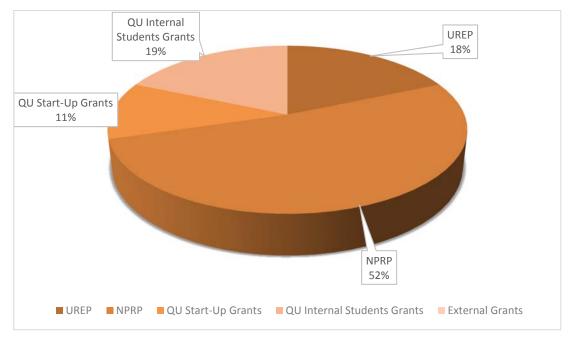


Figure 7: Research Projects Awarded in 2014-2015

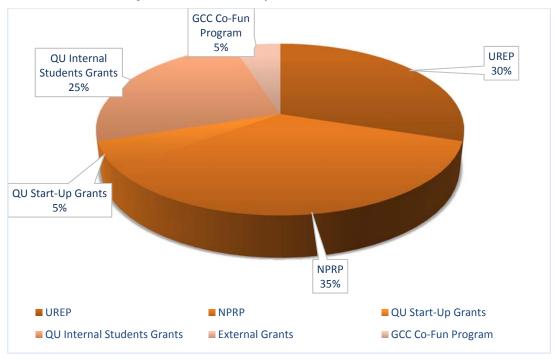


Figure 8: Research Projects Awarded in 2016.

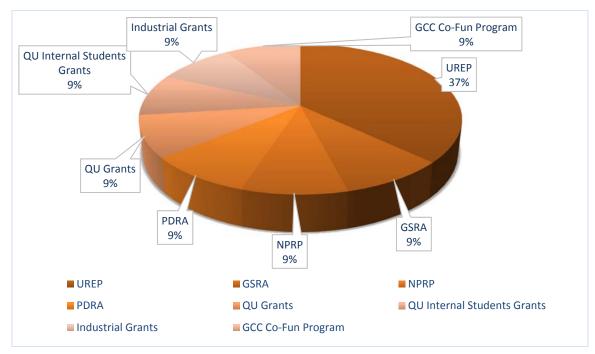


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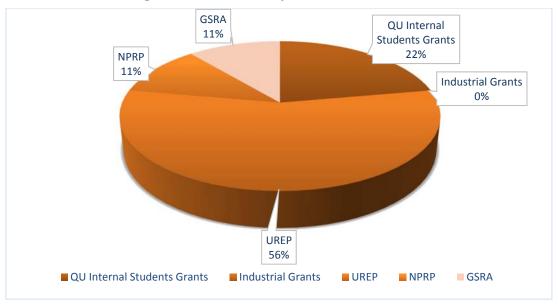
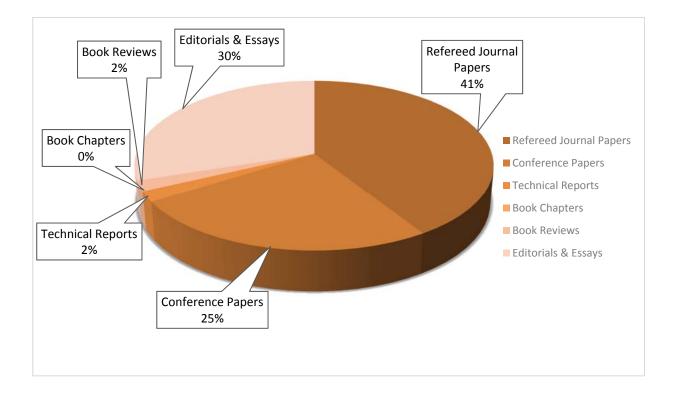


Figure 10 Research Projects Awarded in 2018.

Publications

The Figures below illustrate the publications in the Department of CAE 2013 -2018.List of publications in 2018 are indicated with details in appendix A1.



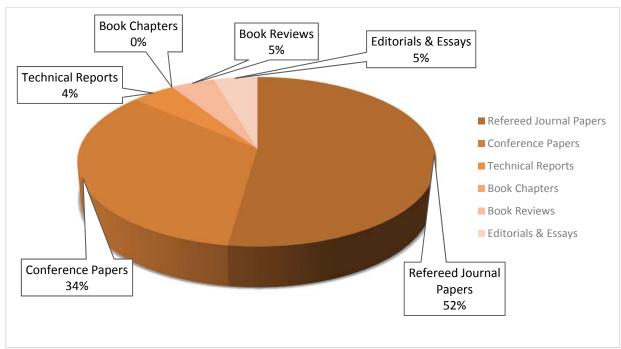


Figure 11: Publications by Faculty in 2012-2013

Figure 12: Publications by Faculty in 2013-2014

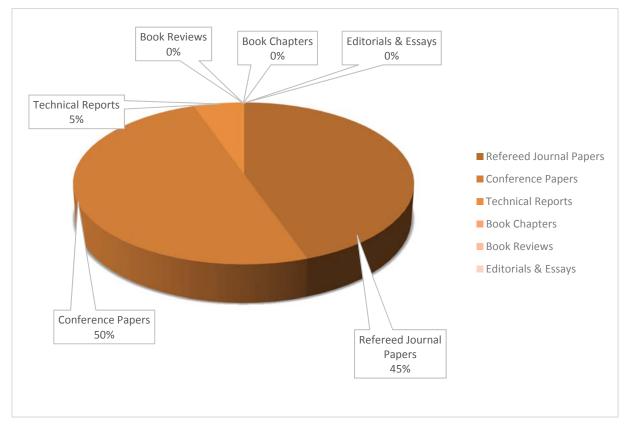


Figure 13: Publications by Faculty in 2014-2015.

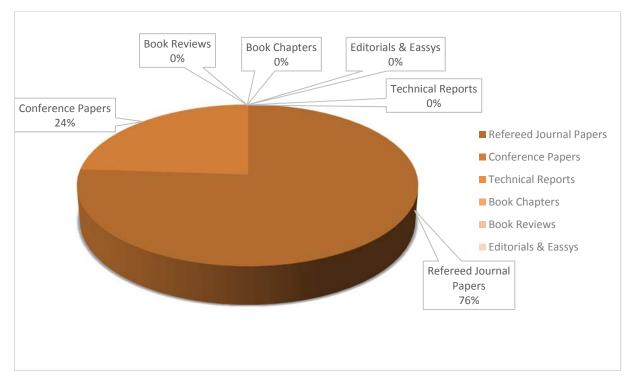


Figure 14: Publications by Faculty in 2016.

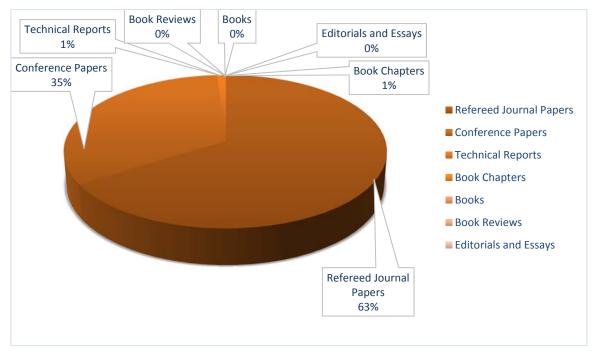


Figure 15: Publications by Faculty in 2017.

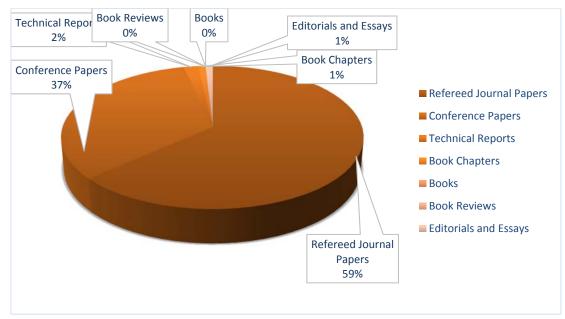


Figure 13 Publications by Faculty in 2018

Seminars, Public Lectures

The Department of Civil and Architectural Engineering held many seminars for the calendar year 2017. Department seminars were organized with the objective of sharing scientific researches and academic experiences. Appendix A2 lists detailed data for seminars and public lectures.

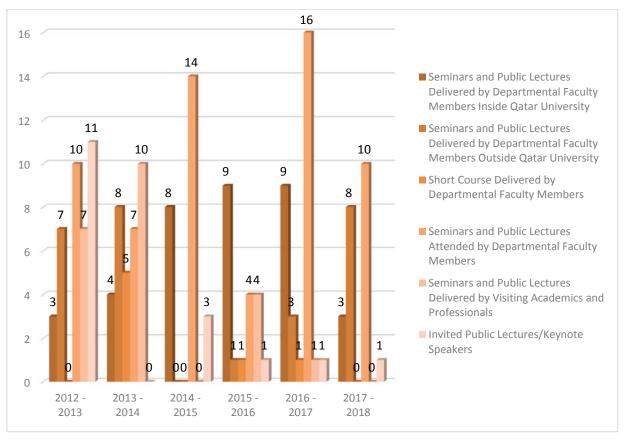


Figure 14: Seminars & Public Lectures in 2012-2018.

academic experiences. Appendix A2 lists detailed data for seminars and public lectures.

Professional Developments

A list of attended events namely conferences attended, workshops attended, and workshops given, and organized events is available in Appendix A3.

Service to Community and Outreach Programs

Appendix A3 lists detailed data for Service to Community and Outreach Programs.

Consultancies

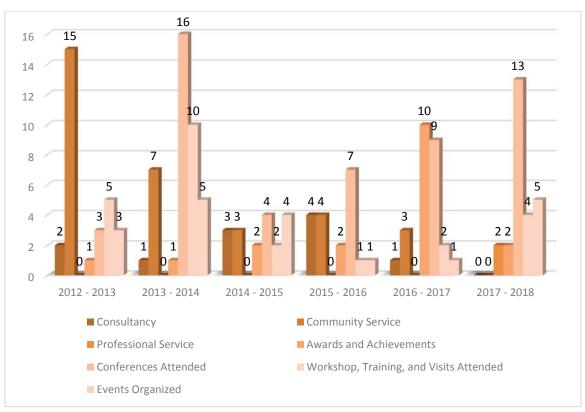


Figure 15: Faculty Activities in 2012-2018.

Appendix A1: List of Publications

Journal Papers

- Al-Ansari, M. S., Abu Taqa, A. G., Senouci, A., Hassan, M. M., Shaat, A., Effect of Calcium Nitrate Healing Microcapsules on Concrete Strength and Air Permeability, Magazine of Concrete Research 0, 1-12, 2018 (Date of publication: 10th January 2018)
- Al-Ansari, M. S. H., Afzal, M., Response of Buildings to Earthquake Loading by Structural Mixture Theory. International Journal of Civil and Structural Engineering – IJCSE, Volume 5(Issue -2), 89-102, 2018 (Date of publication: 28th December 2018)
- Aljidda, O., Alnahhal, W., Flexural behavior of basalt fiber reinforced concrete beams with recycled concrete coarse aggregates, Construction and Building Materials 169, 165–178, 2018 (Date of publication: 30th April 2018)
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3	Construction and Building Materials	6
4	Journal of Applied Mechanics	1
5	Corrosion Reviews	1
6	Journal of contaminant hydrology	1
7	Journal of Cleaner Production	2
8	Journal of Petroleum Science and Engineering	1
9	Bioresource technology	3
10	Géotechnique	1
11	Engineering Structures	1
12	Journal of Composites for Construction	3
13	International Journal of Geomechanics	1
14	Journal of Natural Gas Science and Engineering	1
15	Technological and Economic Development of Economy	2
16	Neural Computing and Applications	1
17	Journal of Civil Engineering and Management	1
18	Automation in Construction	2
19	Journal of Computing in Civil Engineering	1
20	Journal of Membrane Science	1
21	Structure and Infrastructure Engineering	1
22	Journal of Sound and Vibration	1

Top Tier Journals

23	Transportation research part F: traffic psychology and behaviour	1
24	Journal of Transport & Health	1
25	Road Materials and Pavement Design	1
26	International Journal of Pavement Engineering	1
27	Total	38

Second Tier Journals

No	Journal	Number of publications
1	Journal of Performance of Constructed Facilities	1
2	Microsystem Technologies	1
3	Statistics & Probability Letters	1
4	International Journal of Industrial Ergonomics	1
5	KSCE Journal of Civil Engineering	2
6	Journal of Pipeline Systems Engineering and Practice	2
7	Journal of Environmental Engineering	1
8	Proceedings of the Institution of Mechanical Engineers, Part F: Journal of Rail and Rapid Transit	1
9	Journal of Transportation Safety & Security	1
10	Journal of Advanced Transportation	1
11	Advances in Civil Engineering	1
	Total	13

Other Journals

No	Journal	Number of publications
1	Geomechanics for Energy and the Environment	1
2	Recent Advances in Petrochemical Science	1
3	International Journal of Urban Sciences	1
4	International Journal of Sustainable Society	2
5	Journal of Traffic and Transportation Engineering	1
6	Gazi University Journal of Science	1

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No	Conference	Number of publications
1	International Conference on Applied Science and Engineering	1
2	The 5th International Conference on Concrete Repair	2
3	Third International Conference on Civil Engineering and Materials Science	1
4	International Conference on Applied Human Factors and Ergonomics	2
5	AGU Fall meeting	4
	Total	10

Second Tier Conferences (Indexed in Scopus only)

No	Conference	Number of publications
1	The 10th International Conference on Short and Medium Span Bridges (SMSB – X)	1
2	The 25th International Congress on Sound and Vibration (ICSV25)	2
3	International Symposium on Energy Geotechnics	1
4	EGU General Assembly Conference Abstracts	1
5	Transportation Research Board 97th Annual Meeting Transportation Research Board	3
6	The 14th International Conference on Concrete Engineering and Technology	4
7	MATEC Web of Conferences	2
8	IOP Conference Series: Materials Science and Engineering	2
9	AIP Conference Proceedings	1
10	Procedia Computer Science	2
	Total	19

Others

No	Conference	Number of publications
1	Qatar Foundation Annual Research Conference Proceedings 2018	3
2	International Conference on Advances in Materials and Pavement Performance Prediction (AM3P 2018)	2

	Total	8
6	International Alumni Workshop at the Department of Geoscience	1
5	15th International Conference on Structural and Geotechnical Engineering (ICSGE15)	1
4	7th International Research Symposium on PBL (IRSPBL 2018)	1

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Appendix A2- Seminars – Public Lectures – Short Courses

Seminars and Public Lectures Delivered by Departmental Faculty

Members Inside Qatar University

• Usama Ebead, Project-based learning: QU Civil Engineering Pioneer Application, October 24, 018, B09-106F

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• **Riyadh I. Al-Raoush**, Non-Destructive Evaluation of Hydraulic Properties of Road Materials, Workshop held at Ashgal, Doha, Qatar , April 4, 2018

Seminars and Public Lectures Delivered by Departmental Faculty Members Outside Qatar University

• **Hussein, M.,** Buildings vibration from railway trains, Advances in Civil Engineering and potential developments and implementations for Qatar, a one day workshop, 4th of April 2018, Ashghal Tower 3, Doha, Qatar.

• **Hawari, A.,** Seminar presented in the workshop at Ashghal entitled "Advances in Civil Engineering and potential developments and implementations for Qatar". Seminar title: High Quality Treated Sewage Effluent (TSE) for Irrigation Purposes. 4th of April, 2018.

• **Ebead**, U.,, Workshop: Advances in Civil Engineering and potential developments and implementations for Qatar, a one day workshop, 4th April, 2018, Ashgal. Title of Dr. Ebead seminar: Strengthening of corroded structures using innovative techniques

• **Ebead**, U., Seminar at Parsons International titled: Towards Sustainable Concrete, Dec. 16, 2018.

• **Gunduz, M.,** ASHGAL Workshop, ASHGAL premises, 04-04-2018 Constructing Excellence, W-Hotel, Doha, 17-12-2018

• Shaaban, K., International Traffic Safety Conference 2018, Measuring Pedestrian Jaywalking Behavior in Qatar, November 26-27 2017, Doha, Qatar.

• Shaaban, K., and R. Khalil: Where Is Qatar from Complete Streets?, International Conference on Applied Human Factors and Ergonomics, 684-694, (21st – 25th July 2018).

• Shaaban, K., : Who Is Going to Ride the Upcoming Metro in Qatar?, International Conference on Applied Human Factors and Ergonomics, 671-675, (21st – 25th July 2018).

Short Course Delivered by Departmental Faculty Members

Seminars and Public Lectures Attended by Departmental Faculty Members

- Hussein, M., Constructing Excellence in Qatar, Ahmad Al Ansari, Don Ward, & Jenefer Alam, 13th August 2018, Rotana City Centre, West Bay, Qatar
- Ebead, U., Seminar: How to Create and Deliver Interactive Lectures, April 24, 2018, OFID Room 201 Building C02Seminar: Finding and Using On-Line Resources to Facilitate Teaching

and Learning, May 02, 2018, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning (CETL) Building C02, Room 201

- Ebead, U., Seminar: Implementing Cognitive 'Nudges' to Promote Student-Centered Learning Experiences, May 13, 2018, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning (CETL) Building C02, Room 201
- Ebead, U., Seminar: How to Integrate Live Audience Surveys into PowerPoint or Keynote Presentations to Create Interactive-Learning Experiences, September 26, 2018, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning (CETL) Building C02, Room 201
- Ebead, U., Seminar: How to Survive (and Succeed) at Student Evaluations of Teaching, November 04, 2018, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning (CETL) Building C02, Room 201
- Gunduz, M., Seminar by Lamis Ahmed: Sprayed Concrete (02-01-2018
- Gunduz, M., Seminar by Dr. Luai Sabek- Qatari Diar, 03-10-2018
- Gunduz, M., TBL Team Based Learning: Better than PBL? 16-10-2018
- Gunduz, M., Project Based Learning by Dr. Usama Ebead, 24-10-2018
- Sirin, O., Seminar: Hot Mix Asphalt Recycling Design and Production Key Control Points, Speaker: John D'Angelo, Date: 28/2/2018, Place: Hilton Hotel, Doha, Qatar

Seminars and Public Lectures Delivered by Visiting Academics and Professionals

Invited Public Lectures/Keynote Speakers

M. Gunduz, Invited Speech: 9th International Conference on OSH Istanbul, Turkiye (5/7/2018)

Appendix-A3-Faculty-Activities

(Note: In this appendix, "Professional Development" includes 'conference attended', 'workshops attended', 'workshops given', and 'organized events'.)

Consultancy

Community Service:

• Naji, K., Member of the Ministry of Justice Committee for Professionals Evaluations.

Professionals who serve as experts in different areas in the Qatari Courts. March 2018 - December 2019.

- Naji, K., Member of the Qatari National Comm. for Engineering Accreditation and Evaluation. March 2018 March 2019.
- Alnohmi, N., 13 visits to different national high schools to promote Civil Engineering for high school students, 2018

Professional Service

- **M. Hussein**, Director for the International Institute of Acoustics and Vibration (IIAV), from July 2015.
- **M. Hussein**, Reviewed papers for Journal of Sound and Vibration, Soil Dynamics and Earthquake Engineering, and Applied Acoustics.

Awards and Achievements

Research awards

• Al-Raoush, R., received the James R. Croes Medal for the best scientific paper awarded by the American Society of Civil Engineers on 10 April 2018.

Research recognition

• Hisham, E., Nomination to Thomas A. Middlebrooks Award, American Society of Civil Engineering. 2018.

Service to profession awards

- Shaaban, K. Elsevier Reviewer Recognition Award awarded on May, 2018.
- Alhawari, A., Outstanding reviewing contribution, Automation in Construction. June 2018
- Alhawari, A., Outstanding reviewing contribution, Desalination Journal. March 2018
- Ebead, U., Outstanding Reviewer Award, Elsevier-Engineering Structures. November 2018
- Shaaban, K., Elsevier Reviewer Recognition, Elsevier. May 1, 2018.

Conferences Attended

- Hawari A., International Conference on Mathematical Methods & Computational Techniques in Science & Engineering (MMCTSE 2018) Cambridge, UK, February 16-18, 2018.
- Hawari A., 7th International Conference on Applied Science and Engineering (ICASE) Tokyo, Japan, 10th of November, 2018
- Al-Raoush, R., EGU General Assembly Conference, Vienna, Austria, (8th 13th April 2018).
- Al-Raoush, R., Qatar Foundation Annual Research Conference 2018 (12th March 2018).

- **Ebead.** U., attended the following conference: The 5th International Conference on Concrete Repair, Rehabilitation and Retrofitting, ICCRRR, 2018, Cape Town. 18-20 November 2018.
- **Ebead. U.,** visited the University of Miami to follow up on the Progress of NPRP project, April 8-14 2018.
- Gunduz, M., ICCEMS 2018, Chengdu China
- **Sirin, O.,** 3 rd International Conference on Materials Technology and Applications (ICMTA2018), Hokkaido, Japan, 26-29 October 2018.
- **Sirin, O.**, International Conference on Civil, Offshore and Environmental Engineering (ICCOEE 2018), MATEC Web of Conferences, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, 13-15 August 2018.
- **Sirin, O.**, Advances in Materials and Pavement Performance Prediction (AM3P) Conference, Doha, Qatar, 16-18 April 2018.
- **Sirin, O.**, QF Annual Research Conference, Doha, Qatar, 19-20 March 2018.
- Shaaban, K., International Traffic Safety Conference 2018, November 26-27 2017, Doha, Qatar.
- Shaaban, K., The 9th International Conference on Applied Human Factors and Ergonomics (AHFE 2018) and the Affiliated Conferences, Orlando, Florida, USA July 21-25, 2018.
- Naji, K., DroneDeploy Conference SAN Francisco USA, United States, October 2018

Workshop, Training, and Visits Attended

• **Hawari, A.,** Workshop delivered at the Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning (CETL), Qatar University, to Junior Qatari Faculty. Title of workshop "Preparing and applying for QNRF fund opportunities", 14th of November, 2018.

- **Ebead, U.,** Attendee, Workshop: Problem Based Learning Workshop, 16-17 January 2018. CENG Conference Room, B-09.
- Ebead, U., Attendee, ACI 562-16 Repair Code Seminar, March 22, 2018, Westin Hotel.
- Sirin, O., Advances in Civil Engineering and potential developments and implementations for

Qatar, Organizer: Ashghal on 4 April 2018, in Doha, Qatar

- Naji, K., Workshop, CETL Workshop Presenter Dec 2018 Qatar, December 2018
- Naji, K., Conference Participation, DroneDeploy Conference SAN Francisco USA United States, October 2018
- Abu-Hijleh, A., Seminar, National Challenge 2022 press conference, Qatar University, Qatar, November, 18, 2018
- Abu-Hijleh, A., Seminar, Lean Construction "Improving the Project Delivery Process", Department of Civil and Architectural Engineering, Qatar, October 4, 2018

- Abu-Hijleh, A., Workshop, An Introduction to Activity Insight by Digital Measures, QU CETL, Qatar, October 1, 2018
- Abu-Hijleh, A., Workshop, Opent Text Web Experience Management, College of Engineering, Qatar, October 1, 2018
- Abu-Hijleh, A., Workshop, Assignment and Plagiarism Tools in BB, QU CETL, Qatar, September 17, 2018
- Afzal, M., Workshop, How to Integrate Live Audience Surveys into PowerPoint or Keynote Presentations, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, Qatar September 23, 2018
- Afzal, M., Online Training Programs, Motivating Students, Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, Qatar, April 5, 2018
- Afzal, M., Online Training Programs, Interactive Lectures Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning, Qatar, April 4, 2018
- Alnohmi, N., Workshop, Preparations the feasibility study for the medium projects, College of Business and Economics, Qatar, December 2, 2018 December 12, 2018
- Alnohmi, N., Training, Training Program in Project Management Professional (PMP), Global Innovation for Training & Consulting, Qatar, November 2018
- Alnohmi, N., Workshop, Tamiz Nama 2 Workshop, Nama Empowerment & Entrepreneurship Social, Qatar, November 2018
- Alnohmi, N., Seminar, National Challenge 2022 press conference, Qatar University, Qatar, November 18, 2018
- Alnohmi, N., Workshop, How to Deliver a Professional Presentation ((Trainer ruchi Kappor)), QU- Career Services Center Qatar, October 8, 2018
- Alnohmi, N., Conference Participation, Lean Construction "Improving the Project Delivery Process" by Dr. Sabek, Qatar University Qatar, October 4, 2018
- Alnohmi, N., Workshop, An Introduction to Activity Insight by Digital Measures, QU- CETL, Qatar, October 1, 2018
- Alnohmi, N., Seminar, Seminar by Engineers Australia, Qatar University, Qatar, September 25, 2018
- Alnohmi, N., Workshop, Assignment and Plagiarrism Tools in BB, QU- CETL, Qatar, September 17, 2018
- Alnohmi, N., Continuing Education Program, FPRDS Guidelines and Digital Measures, College of Engineering Research and Graduate Studies Building (B09), Qatar, January 7, 2018
- Rabie, K., PhD Oral Defense Eng. Osama Abdeljaber: Real-Time Structural Damage
 Detection Using One-dimensional Convolutional Neural Networks, Department of Civil and
 Architectural Engineering, Qatar, November 27, 2018

- **Rabie, K.,** Senior Design Poster Competition (Fall 2018), Department of Civil and Architectural Engineering, Qatar, November 7, 2018
- Rabie, K., Seminar, CENG Ideas Bank, College of Engineering, QU, Qatar, October 22, 2018
- Rabie, K., Seminar, SHRINKAGE CRACKING OF SOILS AND CEMENTITIOUSLY-STABILIZED SOILS: MECHANISMS AND MODELING, Department of Civil and Architectural Engineering, Qatar, April 19, 2018
- Sikder, S., Conference Participation. International Traffic Safety. ITSC. Qatar. November 26, 2018
- Sikder, S., Field Visit to Doha North Sewage Treatment Plant with the Civil Engineering Students group. Ashghal Qatar. November 5, 2018
- Sikder, S., Seminar. Achieving "Cognitive Closure" at the end of Each Lesson: Why it is important How to do it?. OFID. Qatar. April 19, 2018
- **Sikder, S.,** Field Visit to Umm Al Houl Power (UHP) desalination and electricity generation plant. Ashghal. Qatar. April 17, 2018
- Sikder, S., Self-Study Program. Training on Computational Fluid Dynamics (CFD). Qatar University. Qatar. October 1, 2017 April 1, 2018
- **Sikder, S.,** Seminar. How to succeed at Students Evaluations of Teaching. OFID. Qatar. March 29, 2018

Workshop, Training, and Visits Delivered

- Al-Raoush, R., Online Training Programs, Parallel Programming with MATLAB, Mathworks, United States, June 2018 Present
- Al-Raoush, R., Online Training Programs, Mathematical Modeling with MATLAB Products, Mathworks, United States, 2018 Present
- Al-Raoush, R., Maintained a Professional Engineering License in the State of Louisiana, USA (Active License # PE.0033258), LES, United States, March 2015 March 2020
- Al-Raoush, R., Seminar, Attended many seminars at QU, Qatar January 2018 December 2018
- Al-Raoush, R., Research visit to Argonne National Lab, QNRF, United States, July 1, 2018 July 10, 2018
- Hawari, A., Workshop, Workshop: How to Integrate Live Audience Surveys into PowerPoint or Keynote Presentations to Create Interactive-Learning Experiences., OFID Qatar, February 28, 2018
- Hawari, A., Seminar, QU students: Who are they and what are they thinking?, Qatar University OFID, Qatar, January 16, 2018
- Alnahhal, W., Seminar, A Special Workshop for Industry and Academics "Bridging the Gap", Ashgal & College of Engineering, Qatar, December 17, 2018

- Alnahhal, Workshop, Avoiding PowerPointlessness: How to Create and Deliver Effective Educational Presentations, Office of faculty Instructional Development-OFID, Qatar, November 20, 2018
- Alnahhal, Workshop, How to use Surface Pro 4 in Teaching, Office of faculty Instructional Development-OFID, Qatar, November 20, 2018
- Alnahhal, Workshop, Project-Based Learning: QU Civil Engineering Pioneer Application, College of Engineering, Qatar, October 24, 2018
- Alnahhal, Seminar, CENG Ideas Bank, Ashgal & College of Engineering, Qatar, October 22, 2018
- Alnahhal, Seminar, Lean Construction "Improving the Project Delivery Process", Department of Civil Engineering, Qatar, October 4, 2018
- **Ebead, U.,** Conference Participation, 15th International Conference on Structural and Geotechnical Engineering (ICSGE15), Ain Shams University, Egypt, December 18, 2018
- **Ebead, U.,** Workshop, Bridging the Gap, Qatar University and Ashghal, Qatar, December 17, 2018
- Ebead, U., Conference Participation, 5th International Conference on Concrete Repair, Rehabilitation and Retrofitting, ICCRRR 2018, University of Cape Town, South Africa, November 19, 2018 - November 21, 2018
- Ebead, U., Conference Participation, The 5th International Conference on Concrete Repair, Rehabilitation and Retrofitting University of Cape Town, South Africa, November 19, 2018 -November 21, 2018
- **Ebead, U.,** Seminar, How to Survive (and Succeed) at Student Evaluations of Teaching, Office of Faculty and Instructional Development (OFID), Qatar, November 4, 2018
- Ebead, U., Conference Participation, 7th International Research Symposium on PBL (IRSPBL 2018), Tsinghua University, China, October 19, 2018 October 21, 2018
- Ebead, U., Seminar, Lean Construction "Improving the Project Delivery Process", Qatar University, Qatar October 4, 2018
- Ebead, U., Seminar, How to Integrate Live Audience Surveys into Power Point or Keynote Presentations to Create Interactive-Learning Experiences. Office of Faculty and Instructional Development (OFID), Qatar, September 26, 2018
- Ebead, U., Conference Participation, 14th International Conference on Concrete Engineering and Technology, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, August 8-9, 2018. University of Malaya, Malaysia, August 8, 2018 August 9, 2018
- **Ebead, U.,** Conference Participation, The Second European and Mediterranean Structural Engineering and Construction Conference (EURO-MED-SEC-2), Beirut, Lebanon, July 23-28, 2018.American University in Beirut, Lebanon, July 23, 2018 July 28, 2018
- Ebead, U., Seminar, Implementing Cognitive 'Nudges' to Promote Student-Centered Learning

Experiences, Office of Faculty and Instructional Development (OFID), Qatar, May 13, 2018

- **Ebead, U.,** Seminar, Finding and Using On-Line Resources to Facilitate Teaching and Learning, Office of Faculty and Instructional Development (OFID), Qatar, May 2, 2018
- Ebead, U., Seminar, How to create and Deliver Interactive Lectures Office of Faculty and Instructional Development (OFID), Qatar, April 24, 2018
- Ebead, U., Follow-up Sessions, Progress of NPRP project, University of Miami, United StatesApril 8, 2018 April 14, 2018
- Ebead, U., Training, ACI 562-16 Repair Code Seminar in Doha, Qatar, American Concrete Institute, USA, Qatar, March 22, 2018
- Ebead, U., Visit, Visit to Ashghal's civil and environmental labs, Ashghal, Qatar, March 13, 2018
- **Ebead, U.,** Workshop, Workshop about challenges of building and construction sector in Qatar due to blockade, CAM and CAE Department, Qatar, March 6, 2018
- Ebead, U., Workshop, Problem Based Learning (PBL) Best Practices, College of Engineering, Qatar, January 16, 2018 - January 17, 2018
- **Gunduz, M.,** Seminar, Project Based Learning PBL Dr. Usama Workshop, Qatar University, Qatar, November 24, 2018 Present
- **Gunduz, M.,** Seminar, Team Based Learning TBL : Better than PBL?, Qatar University, Qatar, October 16, 2018 Present
- **Gunduz, M.,** Development of a minor in project management proposal, Qatar University, Qatar, October 15, 2018 Present
- **Gunduz, M.,** Workshop, Vital Source Workshop, Qatar University, Qatar, December 27, 2017 Present
- **Gunduz, M.,** Seminar, Seminar:Learner-Centered Teaching (PBL in particular)Qatar University, Qatar, November 13, 2017 Present
- Gunduz, M., Training, OFID Training Advising-Scholarships, OFID, Qatar, April 27, 2017 Present
- **Gunduz, M.,** Training, Academic Advising Training, Qatar University, Qatar, January 17, 2017 Present
- **Gunduz, M.,** Conference Participation, Tekla Construction Conference Pioneering the Construction Momentum, TEKLA, Qatar, December 14, 2016 Present
- **Gunduz, M.,** Seminar, QNRF Seminar Research Complex, QU, Qatar November 27, 2016 Present
- **Gunduz, M.,** Seminar, OFID Seminar Rethinking Project Management, QU, Qatar, October 31, 2016 Present
- Shaaban, K. Workshop, 2019 Ethics for Florida Engineers, PDHlibrary.com, United States, November 22, 2018
- Shaaban, K. Workshop, Florida Laws and Rules, PDHlibrary.com, United States, November 22,

2018

- Shaaban, K. Workshop, Intersection Safety, PDHlibrary.com, United States, November 22, 2018
- Shaaban, K., Workshop, Maintenance of Traffic Plans PDHlibrary.com United States, November 22, 2018
- Shaaban, K., Workshop, Median Design, PDHlibrary.com, United States, November 22, 2018
- Shaaban, K., Workshop, Signalization Design PDHlibrary.com United States, November 22, 2018
- Shaaban, K., Conference Participation, Future Mobility in Qatar, PTV Group, Qatar, November 11, 2018
- Shaaban, K., Seminar, Project-based Learning: QU Civil Engineering Pioneer Application, College of Engieering, Qatar, October 24, 2018
- **Shaaban, K**., Continuing Education Program, Essential Ergonomics for Faculty (and Students), Center For Excellence in Teaching and Learning, Qatar, October 21, 2018
- **Shaaban, K**.,Workshop, Success and Failure in Publishing Papers in High Impact Journals, Center For Excellence in Teaching and Learning, Qatar, October 18, 2018
- **Shaaban, K**.,Workshop, Developing "Interactive Lectures" to Better Engage Your Students, Center For Excellence in Teaching and Learning, Qatar, October 14, 2018
- Shaaban, K., Workshop, How to Integrate Live Audience Surveys into PowerPoint or Keynote Presentations to Create Interactive-Learning Experiences Center For Excellence in Teaching and Learning Qatar, September 26, 2018
- Shaaban, K., Workshop, How to Integrate Live Audience Surveys into PowerPoint or Keynote Presentations to Create Interactive-Learning Experiences Center For Excellence in Teaching and Learning Qatar, September 26, 2018
- Shaaban, K., Workshop, E-BOOKS@QU: Introduction and Overview, Qatar University Library, Qatar, June 14, 2018
- Sirin, O., Seminar, Energizing Presentations Using "Pecha Kucha", OFID Seminar-QU, Qatar, November 26, 2018
- Sirin, O., Workshop, Effective Usage of ScienceDirect, Scopus, and Scival, QU, Qatar, November 20, 2018.
- Hisham, E., Workshop, Problem Based Learning, QU Qatar, January 16, 2018 January 17, 2018

Events Organized

Shaaban, K. Track chair. The 9th International Conference on Ambient Systems, Networks and Technologies. May 8-11, 2018, Porto, Portugal.

Shaaban, K. CVEN 461 L01 and L02. "Driver education and professional qualification – essential focus to address the main cause of road traffic accident, the human factor Conference, Doha, Qatar

October 10-11, 2018.

Other Activities

• Gunduz, M., Served as Associate Editor for ASCE Journal of Management in Engineering

Outreach Programs

Faculty members from the Civil and Architectural Engineering Department (Nasser Alnohmi) visited several high schools as part of outreach program. The high schools are Mohammed bin Abdulaziz Al Mana, Alshahanyih, Nasser bin Abdullah Al-Attiya, Omar Bin Al-Khatab, Tariq Bin Zeyad, Mosab Bin Omair, Doha School, Al-Wakrah, Ali Bin Jassim AlThani, Abdullah Bin Ali Almisned, Omar Bin Abulaziz, Al-Zubara, Alshamal. The main objective of the program was to visit several high schools in order to give detailed information about the Engineering Programs at Qatar University and to highlight the importance and roles of Civil Engineers to high school students in Qatar.

No.	School Name	Visited Date
1	Mohammed bin Abdulaziz Al Mana	17-09-2018
2	Alshahanyih	18-09-2018
3	Nasser bin Abdullah Al-Attiya	24-09-2018
4	Omar Bin Al-Khatab	25-09-2018
5	Tariq Bin Zeyad	26-09-2018
6	Mosab Bin Omair	01-10-2018
7	Doha School	02-10-2018
8	Al-Wakrah	03-10-2018
9	Ali Bin Jassim AlThani	09-10-2018
10	Abdullah Bin Ali Almisned	10-10-2018
11	Omar Bin Abulaziz	17-10-2018
12	Al- Zubara School	22-10-2018
13	Alshamal School	14-11-2018

Engineering Week

Engineering week was held from the 30th April to 3rd of May 2018 in the College of Engineering Building at Qatar University. The event aimed to introduce high school students as well as first year students about the principles and fundamentals of engineering. Each department from CENG had its own booth with different models and activities.

Several models were presented in the Civil Engineering Booth which attracted a lot of students. A

model was presented to highlight the effect of vibration coming from ground rail on bridges as well on the surrounding structures. Another model showed the effect of different frequencies on a plate surface. The booth was very successful and students were interested to learn more about civil engineering topics

Appendix-A4-Students Activities

Competitions & Awards

Dome building competition

As part of 2018 Qatar Sustainability Week, Engineers Australia Qatar Chapter, Qatar Green Building Council (QGBC) and Qatar University (QU) joined forces to organize the first ever Dome Building Competition in the country.

Qatar Sustainability Week is an initiative created by QGBC that aims to further engage the community in a wide range of sustainability-oriented activities. This initiative plays a crucial role in raising awareness among the wider community. Qatar Sustainability Week attracted more than 10,000 members of the public, attending over 100 events held across Qatar.

This event was open to all community members including professionals and students. It required teams to be creative and to construct a paper Dome with recycled newspapers, acknowledging sustainability week. The dome required an 800mm minimum diameter and capability to carry a load. Domes were assessed based on technical, functional and aesthetic categories for the awards.

The competition took place at Oxygen Park Picnic Area, Qatar Foundation on Saturday, 3rd of November 2018.



Dome building competition Nov3. 2018

Poster competition

The department of civil and Architectural Engineering organized poster competition that took place at the Department on Wednesday, 7th of November 2018

2018 ACI COMPETITION

The Public Works Authority 'Ashghal' conducted a student competition in collaboration with the American Concrete Institute (ACI), Qatar Chapter and the Department of Civil and Architectural Engineering at Qatar University on 21st March 2018 at the Ashghal Research and Development Center of the Quality and Safety Department. Seven teams of students from the Department of Civil and Architectural Engineering of Qatar University have competed to win the prizes that support students' progress and enrich their practical experience in the field of engineering.

The competition included testing the impact load resistance of plain or reinforced concrete Egg Protection Device (EPD). The concrete frame subjected to shocks from a certain weight and at multiple heights before collapse and the frame is expected to protect an egg placed under this platform, whereas the egg represents the life of people who used the concrete construction that must be built ensuring the beneficiaries' protection.

The Egg Protection Device is an international competition, organized in many parts of the world and was a real opportunity for Qatar University students to showcase their knowledge and skill at an international level. The competition was supervised by Dr. Mohammed Elshafie with support from the teaching assistant Eng. Muhammad Shekaib Afzal and with help of our technicians Engs. Abdul Azeez Kilayli and Siju Joseph to ensure they comply with the competition rules. Mohammed Khairy Abdelsalam and Khalid Adam won the first price and they have been granted a fully paid trip to attend the ACI convention in USA in October 2018





2018 ACI Competition

- Mohammed Abdelsalam and Khalid Adam won 2018 ACI Competition.
- Jaber Teyseer Abu-Humaid has won Student Leadership Award

Student Competition Awarding by Ashghal President

the Award ceremony for the winning students of the student competition was on the 7th of May 2018 at Najma laboratory. Ashghal president H.E Dr. Saad Bin Ahmed Al Muhannadi awarded the winning students.

The winners are the following students:

- 1. Mohamed khairy Abdelsalam
- 2. Khalid ELsayed Adam

Seminars & Trainings

challenges of building and construction sector in Qatar due to blockade

The Department of Civil and Architectural Engineering at Qatar University collaborated with QU Center for Advanced Materials (CAM) in hosting a workshop on the Challenges of building and construction sector in Qatar due to the unjust blockade imposed on the country on 6th March 2018 in Administration Building, Qatar University



blockade event march 6, 2018

Workshop on Advances in Civil Engineering and Potential Developments and Implementation for Qatar

The Department of Civil and Architectural Engineering organized a one-day workshop entitled Advances in Civil Engineering and potential developments and implementations for Qatar. The workshop was organized in Ashghal Tower on the 4th of April 2018.



Workshop on Advances in Civil Engineering and Potential Developments and Implementation for Qatar on April4, 2018.

Supreme Committee 2022 Projects Event

November7, 2018 in Qatar University



Supreme Committee 2022 event Nov7,2018

Professor Balasingam Muhunthan seminar:

Professor Balasingam Muhunthan, at Washington State University Delivered a seminar: "Shrinkage Cracking Of Soils And Cementitiously Stabilized Soils: Mechanisms And Modeling" at Qatar university on Thursday, April 19, 2018:



Prof. Balasingam Muhunthan April19, 2018

HILTI_Engineering Training & Internship

Presentation at Qatar university on April 24,2018 By HILTI_Engineering Training & Internship Topic covered: "Presentation for concrete-concrete connection with post-installed rebars"



HILTI_Engineering Training & Internship April 24,2018

An introduction to engineers Australia

Presentation about how to connect to the larges diverse professional engineering body in Australia" on Monday 24 September 2018 in Qatar university



Seminar by Engineers Australia Sep24,2018

Dr. Bassem Soumaya

students at CVEN230 had an industrial lecture from Dr. Bassem Soumaya (Hochtief) who gave a lecture on the 29th April on "Deep excavations and groundwater control in Doha".

Dr. Elshafie inaugural presentation

the presentation on "smart infrastructure: talking tunnels, self-sensing bridges, simulation and artificial intelligence" Wednesday April18, 2018

Field Trips, Social and Extra-Curricular Events

Field Trips:

 Civil and Architectural Engineering students visited the desalination and electricity generation plant located in Umm al Houl on April 17th, 2018. The Umm al Houl Power (UHP) plant will supply 136 MIGD of water and 2.52 GW of electricity to the state of Qatar or roughly 25% of the daily demand of the country. The plant will be expected to complete by the end of 2018. The students had the opportunity to get ideas about the technologies and safety issues related to the construction of the UHP plant during the site visit



Umm al Houl site visit 17-4-2018

ASTAD structural engineering team hosted a group of 17 students from Civil engineering with a
presentation, followed by a site walk, to understand the structural aspects of the QU new building
and to explain various loads on a building and how they are transferred throughout the structure.
They were escorted by ASTAD structural engineering staff, Tadmur construction site staff, as
well as joint safety personnel on 25th April 2018.



QU SEC project on April25,2018

• The students have visited Al-Wakrah Stadium on 3rd May 2018 to see the various stages of construction of a new stadium which is getting ready for the World Cup 2022.





Al-wakrah site visit 3-5-2018

• visit of Al-Shamal station on Monday, November 5, 2018 involved students from Dr. Alaa class and other CAE students.



Al shamal station on Nov5,2018

• Civil and Architectural Engineering students visited the Extension of the Medical Building project on Oct3,2018. The students had the opportunity to see steel fixing, formwork, and concrete casting activities.



• Site Visit to the World Cup Pavilion Tuesday, Oct 16, 2018



World Cup Pavilion Oct 16, 2018

• Visit of Qatar rail on Thursday, November 1, 2018



Railways site visit on Nov1, 2018

Evaluation of the Civil and Architectural Engineering Laboratory at Qatar University by Ashghal

A visit was made by a work team from the Quality and Safety Department in the Public Works Authority on 16th April 2018 to evaluate the civil engineering and architectural labs and to determine the steps required to improve the laboratories and classify them from the Authority to carry out consultancy services for state projects. The Department of Civil and Architectural Engineering is re-submitting a plan to the College to obtain the required classification and inclusion in the list of the body based on the guidance of the Quality and Safety Management Team.



Team from the Quality and Safety Department April16,2018

The University League is a joint collaboration between the QFA and QF which started in 2013 and supports both organizations' desire to encourage young people to play more organized football and lead a more active lifestyle. Qatar University (QU) won the University League 2018-19 title after beating Carnegie Mellon University in Qatar (CMU-Q) 6-1 in an exciting final match for the sixth consecutive time. Our graduate student Yahia Alabbasi was a player of a university football team for the season of 2018-2019.



The University League 2018