

# Mauricio ITURRALDE

Researcher in Computer Science

Networking, 5G, 4G, Wireless Networks, Algorithmic  
Cyber Security, Q-Learning, Intrusion Detection, QoS



## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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### **Digital Twins Networks, Architecture and communications**

*Researcher position at CESI, École d'Ingénieurs*

Current research

*La Rochelle, France*

- This project focuses on treating the data that flows on a Digital Twins (DT) Network. Data optimisation, data analysis, DT communication performance, Artificial Intelligence

### **Artificial Intelligence applied to energy efficiency in 5G networks** Aug. 2018 - Nov. 2018

*Researcher position at the IMT Atlantique*

*Rennes, France*

- This project focused on minimising the energy consumption of base stations in 5G Networks. The proposed approaches are based on q-learning techniques for predicting users traffic in order to smartly switch the base station in any sleep mode level
- Analysis of the data obtained from simulations performed on Matlab

### **Mobile relays for railways systems in LTE networks**

*Post doctoral position at the IMT Atlantique*

Apr. 2017 - Jul. 2018

*Rennes, France*

- This project focused on testing the performance of an imbricated mobile relay architecture in LTE networks for railways transportation systems. The study focused on the analysis of the passengers QoS when using several services under this relay architecture. This project was founded by the Société du Grand Paris
- The architecture was tested in a real test bed with real radio transmissions. Simulations were performed to analyse the QoS in loaded conditions
- A mobile relay module for LTE networks was totally developed in the NS3 simulation tool

### **Research in several cyber security topics**

*Researcher position at University San Francisco de Quito*

Jan. 2014 - Apr. 2017

*Quito, Ecuador*

- Password Choosing: Computer security and human choice tendency in Spanish speaking countries
- Stylometry: Authorship attribution in Social Media
- Real-time attacks detection: Algorithms for improving the real-time detection in SIEM systems

### **Quality of Service in LTE Networks for the SOAPS project**

*Postdoctoral Fellow at the LRI labs, Université Paris-Sud*

Sep. 2012 - Aug. 2013

*Orsay, France*

- This project focused on the QoS of video transmission in LTE Networks for uplink system
- This project was solution and services integration, in order to mitigate risks in the areas of population protection, infrastructure and site security, major event security, emergency response and crisis management. This project was performed in collaboration with the French industry such as Digiteo, Thales, Cassidian, LRI, Altran
- A uplink module for LTE networks was developed in Lte-Sim simulation tool

### **Performances of LTE Networks**

*Doctoral research at the IRT Enseeiht labs*

Oct. 2009 - Jul. 2012

*Toulouse, France*

- This research focused on the QoS of LTE Networks for downlink system.
- Several resource allocation algorithms were proposed for improving the QoS for real time and non-real time services. The interference mitigation in femtocells scenarios topic was also treated during this research

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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### **CESI, École d'Ingénieurs**

*Associate Professor*

March 2021 - current position

*La Rochelle, France*

- **Networking:** IPv4, Ethernet, OSI, IP addressing, MAC addressing, hub, switch, routing, Wireless
- **Cyber Security:** Firewall, Network Security, Attack detection, SIEM Systems, pentesting
- **C++ programming:** Object Oriented Programming
- **Operative Systems Administration:** Windows, Linux, services, servers, security

### **Universidad San Francisco de Quito (USFQ)**

*Associate Professor*

January 2014 - April 2017

*Quito, Ecuador*

- **Networking:** IPv4, Ethernet, OSI, IP addressing, MAC addressing, hub, switch, routing, Wireless
- **Cyber Security:** Firewall, Network Security, Attack detection, SIEM Systems, pentesting
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### **Université Paris 11 (Paris-sud)**

*Lecturer of Tutorials and Practical Works*

Nov. 2012 - Dic. 2012

*Orsay, France*

- Introduction to Programming (C Language). Tutorials and Practical Works

## EDUCATION

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### **PhD in Computer Science and Telecommunications**

*at Institut National Polytechnique de Toulouse*

Oct. 2009 - Jul. 2012

*Toulouse, France*

- Thesis title: Performances of LTE networks (QoS)

### **Master in Computer and Information Security**

*at Université Paris XII Val de Marne*

Sep. 2008 - Jul. 2009

*Paris, France*

- Relevant coursework: Networking security, testing of security, defence techniques, cryptography

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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**Mobile Networks:** design, optimisation, QoS (UTMS, WIFI, LTE, LTE-A, 5G)

**Operating Systems:** Windows, Linux (Ubuntu, Fedora, Centos), Mac OS, virtualisation

**Programming:** Bash, C, C++, PHP, Gnu-plot

**Simulation tools:** NS-3, LTE-Sim, Matlab

**Cyber security:** pen testing, cryptography protocols, Nessus, Nagios, Nmap, IPsec, SSL

**Databases:** Relational databases (oracle, mysql), modelling, SQL quering

**Decision making mathematical tools:** Game Theory, Artificial Intelligence

## LANGUAGES

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German A2, English C2, French C2, Spanish C2,

## PERSONAL

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## SCIENTIFIC PUBLICATIONS

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A list of my scientific publications in mobile networks can be found in my google scholar profile

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