

# CURRICULUM VITAE

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## Education

- 2012 – 2016      **Ph.D.**  
Istanbul Technical University, Istanbul, Turkey.  
Major Field: Civil Eng. Minor Field: Hydraulics and Water Resources.  
Title of the thesis: *Climate change impacts on catchment-scale extreme rainfall variability*
- 2002 – 2005      **M.Sc.**  
Power and Water University of Technology, Tehran, Iran  
Major Field: Civil Engineering    Minor Field: River Engineering  
Title of the thesis: *Optimization of Flood Control Structures in Urban Catchments*
- 1997 – 2001      **B.Sc.**  
Islamic Azad University – Tabriz Branch ([www.iaut.ac.ir](http://www.iaut.ac.ir)) – Tabriz, Iran  
Major Field: Civil Engineering

## Academic/Work Experience

- 2019 (April) – 2024 (July)      **Associate Professor**, Civil Engineering Department,  
Faculty of Engineering, Antalya Bilim University, Antalya, Turkey.  
Approved by Presidency of the Inter-University Board, Republic of Turkey (29.04.2019)
- 2023 (Aug.) –      **Adjunct Researcher**, Centre of Excellence in Hydroinformatics, Faculty of Civil Engineering,  
University of Tabriz, Tabriz, Iran
- 2022 (Aug.) – 2023 (Jul.)      **Visiting Scholar**, Centre of Excellence in Hydroinformatics, Faculty of Civil Engineering,  
University of Tabriz, Tabriz, Iran
- 2021 (Aug.) – 2022 (Jul.)      **Postdoctoral Researcher**, Water, Energy and Environmental Research Unit  
University of Oulu, Oulu, Finland
- 2017 (Sept.) – 2019 (Sept.)      **Assistant Professor**, Civil Engineering Department,  
Faculty of Engineering, Antalya Bilim University, Antalya, Turkey.
- 2016 (Jul.) – 2017 (Jul.)      **Postdoctoral Research Fellow**, Water Resources Engineering Department  
Faculty of Civil Engineering, University of Tabriz, Tabriz, Iran.
- 2017 – 2017      **Guest Lecturer**, Civil Engineering Department  
Near East University, Nicosia, North Cyprus.

- 2016 – 2016     **Guest Lecturer**, Civil Engineering Department  
Eastern Mediterranean University, Famagusta, North Cyprus.
- 2014 – 2016     **Research Assistant**, Marine Engineering Department  
Istanbul Technical University, North Cyprus Education and Research Campuses,  
Famagusta, North Cyprus.
- 2009 – 2011     **Senior Expert**, Bureau of Rivers & Coastal Engineering  
Iran Water Resources Management Company. ([www.wrm.ir](http://www.wrm.ir)) Tehran, Iran.

### Consulting Experience

- 2017 – 2024     **RTR Engineering and Consulting Co.**, Antalya, Turkey  
Hydrology and water resources engineering expert
- 2007 – 2009     **Sangab Zagros Consulting Engineering Co.**, Shiraz, Iran  
Hydrological and hydraulic studies of river training projects
- 2004 – 2007     **Ab Pouyeshgaran Novin Consulting Engineering Co.**, Tehran, Iran  
Hydrologic and hydraulic studies for river training projects
- 2002 – 2004     **Tarh-e No Andishan Consulting Engineering Co.**, ([www.tna.ir](http://www.tna.ir)). Tehran, Iran  
Hydrological and hydraulic design of bridges/culverts

### Awards/honors

- 2022              Top 1% of scholars in the specific fields of genetic programming, forecasting, and programming models (the World Highly Ranked Scholars 2022, reported by ScholarGP™)
- 2022              Hydrological Science Journal Reviewer Award (IAHS with the support of Tailor and Francis)
- 2019-2023        Top 2% Scientist in the field of Engineering (Elsevier and Stanford University Selection)
- 2019              Best oral presentation award (The 1<sup>st</sup> International and 4<sup>th</sup> National Congress on Iranian Irrigation and Drainage, 13-14 November 2019, Urmia University, Iran)
- 2018-2023        Top Researcher Award (Antalya Bilim University)
- 2017              Young Researcher Award (Near East University)
- 2017              Publons Peer Review Awards (One of top one percent peer reviewers)
- 2016              Best Ph.D. Thesis Award, Istanbul Technical University

**Languages:** English: Fluent    Turkish: Fluent    Farsi: Fluent    Azerbaijani: Mother tongue

### Professional Software Application Experience

- HEC Series (HMS, RAS, SSP, DSSvu)
- WMS (Watershed Modeling System)
- MATLAB (Matrix Laboratory)
- Arc GIS/QGIS
- Panoply/NCview
- Discipulus/Gene-Xpro-Tools/GPTIPS/GPdotNet (Genetic Programming Tools)/RapidMiner

### **Editorial board membership**

- Journal of Civil and Environmental Engineering (University of Tabriz: Editorial Board: Since 2020)
- Frontiers in Environmental Sciences (Associate Editor Since 2022-2023)
- AQUA, IWA Publishing, London, UK. (Guest Editor, 2023-2024)

### **Technical Program Committee Member/Invited Speaker**

- *Invited speaker:* The bet and Road workshop on water resources, May 28, 2024, Nanjing University, **Nanjing** China
- *Invited speaker:* 1<sup>th</sup> National Conference on Application of New Technologies in Civil Engineering, May 15, 2024, Islamic Azad University, **Tabriz**, Iran
- Special Session Chair: 7<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Control, Instrumentation and Automation (ICCIA), **Tabriz**, Iran.
- *Keynote speaker and International Program Committee:* 12<sup>th</sup> International Scientific Conference on Production Engineering (Development and Modernization of Production) September 2019, **Sarajevo**, Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Special Session Chair: Intelligence and Fuzzy Systems (INFUS 2019), **Istanbul**, Turkey.
- *Session Chair:* International Water and Environment Congress (SUÇEV 2018), March 22-24, Bursa, Turkey.
- *Executive committee:* Joint Workshop-cum-Seminar on Soft Computing Methods in Water Resources Engineering. **Nicosia**, North Cyprus. November 29, 2016.
- *International Program Committee:* 9<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Theory and Application of Soft Computing, Computing with Words and Perception, ICSCCW 2017, 22-23 August 2017, **Budapest**, Hungary
- *International Program Committee:* 13<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Applications of Fuzzy Systems and Soft Computing, ICAFTS 2018, 27-28 August 2018, **Warsaw**, Poland.

### **List of Publications**

#### **SCI/SCI-E/ESCI Journals:**

84. Danandeh Mehr, A., Shadkani, S., Abualigah, L., Safari, M. J. S., & Migdady, H. (2024). A novel stabilized artificial neural network model enhanced by variational mode decomposing. *Heliyon*, 10, e34142.
83. Partani, S., Danandeh Mehr, A., Bostanmaneshrad, F., et al. (2024). Determining the main driver of hypoxia potential in freshwater inland lakes. *Journal of Cleaner Production*, 458, 142521.
82. Lee, S., Moriasi, D. N., Fortuna, A.M., Mirchi, A., Danandeh Mehr, A., Chu, M.L., Guzman, J.A. & Starks, P. (2024). Modeling the impact of measured and projected climate and management systems on agricultural fields: Surface runoff, soil moisture, and soil erosion. *Journal of Environmental Quality*, 1-13, DOI: 10.1002/jeq2.20565.
81. Lee, S., Moriasi, D. N., Danandeh Mehr, A., & Mirchi, A. (2024). Sensitivity of Standardized Precipitation and Evapotranspiration Index (SPEI) to the choice of SPEI probability distribution and evapotranspiration method. *Journal of Hydrology: Regional Studies*, 53, 101761.
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79. Partani, S., Danandeh Mehr, A., & Jafari, A. (2024). Enhancing nutrient absorption through the influence of mangrove ecosystem on flow rate and retention time in salt marshes. *Science of The Total Environment*, 171518.
78. Modaresi, F., Danandeh Mehr, A. (2024). A novel approach to predictor selection among large-scale climate indices for seasonal rainfall forecasting in small catchments. *Hydrological Sciences Journal*, 1–18. <https://doi.org/10.1080/02626667.2024.2313572>

77. Fathian, F., Dehghan, Z., Alee, M. M., Vaheddoost, B., Abualigah, L., & Danandeh Mehr, A. (2023). Regional classification of extreme droughts across Iran. *Acta Geophysica*, 1-25.
76. Salamtalab, M. M., Parmas, B., Mustafa Alee, H., Hooshyaripor, F., Danandeh Mehr, A., Vosoughifar, H., ... & Noori, R. (2023). A Finite Volume Method for a 2D Dam-Break Simulation on a Wet Bed Using a Modified HLLC Scheme. *Water*, 15(21), 3841.
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74. Achite, M., Gul, E., Elshaboury, N., Jehanzaib, M., Mohammadi, B., & Mehr, A. D. (2023). An improved adaptive neuro-fuzzy inference system for hydrological drought prediction in Algeria. *Physics and Chemistry of the Earth, Parts A/B/C*, 131, 103451.
73. Reihanifar, M., Danandeh Mehr, A., Tur, R., Ahmed, A. T., Abualigah, L., & Dąbrowska, D. (2023). A new multi-objective genetic programming model for meteorological drought forecasting. *Water*, 15(20), 3602.
72. Danandeh Mehr, A., Reihanifar, M., Alee, M. M., Vazifehkhan Ghaffari, M. A., Safari, M. J. S., & Mohammadi, B. (2023). VMD-GP: A New Evolutionary Explicit Model for Meteorological Drought Prediction at Ungauged Catchments. *Water*, 15(15), 2686.
71. Soylu Pekpostalci, D, Tur, R., Danandeh Mehr, A. (2023) Spatiotemporal Variations of Meteorological Drought across Mediterranean Region of Türkiye. *Pure and Applied Geophysics*, 180, 3089–3104.
70. Haghghi, A. T., Akbari, M., Noori, R., Danandeh Mehr, A., Gohari, A., Sönmez, M. E., ... & Kløve, B. (2023). The impact of Turkey's water resources development on the flow regime of the Tigris River in Iraq. *Journal of Hydrology: Regional Studies*, 48, 101454.
69. Danandeh Mehr, A. (2023). A Gene-Random Forest Model for Meteorological Drought Prediction. *Pure and Applied Geophysics*, 1-11.
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67. Soylu Pekpostalci, D, Tur, R., Danandeh Mehr, A., Vazifehkhan Ghaffari, M.A., Dąbrowska, D., Nourani, V. (2023) Drought Monitoring and Forecasting across Turkey: A Contemporary Review. *Sustainability* 2023, 15, 6080. <https://doi.org/10.3390/su15076080>
66. Danandeh Mehr, A., Marttila, H., Torabi Haghghi, A. T., Croghan, D., & Fathollahzadeh Attar, N. (2023). GTAR: a new ensemble evolutionary autoregressive approach to model dissolved organic carbon. *Journal of Water Supply: Research and Technology-Aqua*. doi: 10.2166/aqua.2023.235
65. Danandeh Mehr, A., Tur, R., Alee, M. M., Gul, E., Nourani, V., Shoaei, S., & Mohammadi, B. (2023). Optimizing Extreme Learning Machine for Drought Forecasting: Water Cycle vs. Bacterial Foraging. *Sustainability*, 15(5), 3923.
64. Maghrebi, M., Noori, R., Danandeh Mehr, A., Lak, R., Darougheh, F., Razmgir, R., ... & Kløve, B. (2023). Spatiotemporal Changes in Iranian Rivers' Discharge. *Elementa Science of the Anthropocene*, 11(1), 00002.
63. Hisam, E., Danandeh Mehr, A., Algancı, U., & Seker, D. Z. (2023). Comprehensive evaluation of Satellite-Based and reanalysis precipitation products over the Mediterranean region in Turkey. *Advances in Space Research*, 71(7), 3005-3021.
62. Maghrebi, M., Danandeh Mehr, A., Karrabi, S. M., Sadegh, M., Partani, S., Ghiasi, B., & Nourani, V. (2022). Spatiotemporal Variations of Air Pollution during the COVID-19 Pandemic across Tehran, Iran: Commonalities with and Differences from Global Trends. *Sustainability*, 14(23), 16313.
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60. Danandeh Mehr, A., Erkinaro, J., Hjort, J., Haghghi, A. T., Ahrari, A., Korpisaari, M., ... & Marttila, H. (2022). Factors affecting the presence of Arctic charr in streams based on a jittered binary genetic programming model. *Ecological Indicators*, 142, 109203.

59. Gholizadeh, R., Yilmaz, H., & Danandeh Mehr, A. (2022). A new binary genetic programming approach to design public transportation systems according to transit-oriented development criteria. *Scientia Iranica*, (in press).
58. Rosbjerg, D., Engeland, K., Førland, E., Haghghi, A. T., Mehr, A. D., & Olsson, J. (2022). Nordic contributions to stochastic methods in hydrology. *Hydrology Research*, 53 (6): 840–866.
57. Tao, H., Hameed, M. M., Marhoon, H. A., Zounemat-Kermani, M., Salim, H., Sungwon, K., ... & Yaseen, Z. M. (2022). Groundwater Level Prediction using Machine Learning Models: A Comprehensive Review. *Neurocomputing*, 489, 271-308.
56. Gholizadeh, R., Yilmaz, H., & Danandeh Mehr, A. (2022). Multitemporal meteorological drought forecasting using Bat-ELM. *Acta Geophysica*, 70(2), 917-927.
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54. Danandeh Mehr, A., Ghadimi, S., Marttila, H., & Torabi Haghghi, A. (2022). A new evolutionary time series model for streamflow forecasting in boreal lake-river systems. *Theoretical and Applied Climatology*, 1-14.
53. Danandeh Mehr, A., Rikhtehgar Ghiasi, A., Yaseen, Z. M., Sorman, A. U., & Abualigah, L. (2022). A novel intelligent deep learning predictive model for meteorological drought forecasting. *Journal of Ambient Intelligence and Humanized Computing*, 1-15.
52. Tur, R., Tas, E., Torabi Haghghi, & A., Danandeh Mehr, A., (2021). Sea Level Prediction Using Machine Learning. *Water* 13, 3566. <https://doi.org/10.3390/w13243566>
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50. Danandeh Mehr, A., & Fathollahzadeh Attar, N. (2021). *A gradient boosting tree approach for SPEI classification and prediction in Turkey*. *Hydrological Sciences Journal*, Doi: 10.1080/02626667.2021.1962884
49. Rahimzad, M., Moghaddam Nia, A., Zolfonoon, H., Soltani, J., Danandeh Mehr, A., & Kwon, H. H. (2021). *Performance Comparison of an LSTM-based Deep Learning Model versus Conventional Machine Learning Algorithms for Streamflow Forecasting*. *Water Resources Management*, 1-21.
48. Danandeh Mehr, A., Hrnjica, B., Bonacci, & Torabi Haghghi, A. (2021) *Innovative and successive average trend analysis of temperature and precipitation in Osijek, Croatia*. *Theoretical and Applied Climatology* 145, pages875–890.
47. Danandeh Mehr, A. (2021). *Drought classification using gradient boosting decision tree*. *Acta Geophysica*, 69, 909 – 918.
46. Danandeh Mehr A., Gandomi, A.H. (2021). *MSGP-LASSO: an improved multi-stage genetic programming model for streamflow prediction*. *Information Sciences*, 561, 181-195.
45. Danandeh Mehr A., Safari, M. J. S., Nourani V. (2021). *Wavelet packet-genetic programming: a new model for meteorological drought forecasting*. *Teknik Dergi*, 32 (4).
44. Alizamir, M., Heddam, S., Kim, S., & Danandeh Mehr, A. (2020). *On the implementation of a novel data-intelligence model based on extreme learning machine optimized by bat algorithm for estimating daily chlorophyll-a concentration: case studies of river and lake in USA*. *Journal of Cleaner Production*, 124868.
43. Modabberi, A., Noori, R., Madani, K., Ehsani, A.H., Danandeh Mehr, A., Hooshyaripor, F., & Kløve B. (2020) *Caspian Sea is eutrophying: The alarming message of satellite data*. *Environmental Research Letters*, 15, 124047.
42. Danandeh Mehr A., Tur R., Çalışkan C., & Tas E. (2020). *A novel fuzzy random forest model for meteorological drought classification and prediction in ungauged catchments*. *Pure and Applied Geophysics*, 177, 5993–6006.
41. Danandeh Mehr A., Vaheddoost, B., & Mohammadi, B. (2020). ENN-SA: A novel neuro-annealing model for multi-station drought prediction. *Computers & Geosciences*, 145, 104622

40. Danandeh Mehr A. (2020). *Seasonal rainfall hindcasting using ensemble multi-stage genetic programming*. Theoretical and Applied Climatology. 143(1), 461-472
39. Danandeh Mehr A. (2020). *An ensemble genetic programming model for seasonal precipitation forecasting*. SN Applied Science 2:1821. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s42452-020-03625-x>
38. Mohammadi, B., Vaheddoost, B., & Danandeh Mehr A. (2020). *A spatiotemporal teleconnection study between Peruvian precipitation and oceanic oscillations*. Quaternary International., <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.quaint.2020.09.042>
37. Maghrebi, M., Noori, R., Bhattarai, R., Mundher Yaseen, Z., Tang, Q., Al-Ansari, N., Danandeh Mehr A., ... & Torabi Haghghi, A. (2020). *Iran's Agriculture in the Anthropocene*. Earth's Future, 8(9), e2020EF001547.
36. Danandeh Mehr A., Tas, E., Kahya E. (2020). *Risk assessment of fuel supply pipelines: The Kalecik Power Plant Case Study*. Journal of Pipeline Systems - Engineering and Practice. 11(4): 05020005.
35. Rahmani-Rezaieh A., Mohammadi, M., Danandeh Mehr A. (2020). *Climate change impacts on floodway and floodway fringe: a case study in Shahrchay River Basin, Iran*. Arabian Journal of Geosciences. 13:12 (494). <https://doi.org/10.1007/s12517-020-05444-1>
34. Afshar, M.H., Şorman, A., Tosunoğlu, F. Bulut B., Yilmaz M.T., Danandeh Mehr A. (2020). *Climate change impact assessment on mild and extreme drought events using copulas over Ankara, Turkey*. Theoretical and Applied Climatology, 141(3-4)1045-1055.
33. Mehdizadeh, S., Ahmadi F., Danandeh Mehr A., Safari, M. J. S. (2020). *Drought modeling using classic time series and hybrid wavelet-gene expression programming models*. Journal of Hydrology, 587, 125017.
32. Safari, M. J. S., Rahimzadeh Arashloo, S., Danandeh Mehr A., (2020). *Rainfall-runoff modeling through regression in the reproducing kernel Hilbert space algorithm*. Journal of Hydrology, 587, 125014.
31. Sheikh Khozani, Z., Safari, M. J. S., Danandeh Mehr, A., & Wan Mohtar, W. H. M. (2020). *An ensemble genetic programming approach to develop incipient sediment motion models in rectangular channels*. Journal of Hydrology, 584, 124753.
30. Danandeh Mehr A., Safari, M. J. S., (2020). *Multiple genetic programming: a new methodology to improve genetic-based explicit monthly rainfall models*. Environmental Modeling and Assessment, 192:25.
29. Danandeh Mehr A., Bagheri, F., Safari, M. J. S., (2020). *Electrical energy demand prediction: a comparison between genetic programming and decision tree*. Gazi University Journal of Science, 33(1), 62-72.
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27. Danandeh Mehr, A., Vaheddoost, B. (2020). *Identification of the trends associated with the SPI and SPEI indices in Ankara, Turkey*. Theoretical and Applied Climatology, 139(3-4), 1531-1542.
26. Danandeh Mehr A., Safari, M. J. S., (2020). *Application of soft computing techniques for particle Froude number estimation in sewer pipes*. Journal of Pipeline Systems - Engineering and Practice 11(2): 04020002.
25. Rahmani-Rezaieh A, Mohammadi, M., Danandeh Mehr A. (2020). *Ensemble gene expression programming: a new approach for evolution of parsimonious streamflow forecasting model*. Theoretical and Applied Climatology, 139 (1-2), 549-564.
24. Danandeh Mehr A., Sorman, A.U., Kahya E., Hesami Afshar, M. (2020). *Climate change impacts on meteorological drought using SPI and SPEI: case study of Ankara, Turkey*. Hydrological Sciences Journal 65(2), 254-268.
23. Hrnjica, B., Danandeh Mehr, A. Behrem, Š., and Ağıraloğlu N. (2019). *Genetic Programming for Turbidity Prediction: Hourly and Monthly Scenarios*. Pamukkale University Journal of Engineering Sciences, 25 (8), 992-997.
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20. Danandeh Mehr, Nourani, V., Karimi Khosroshahi V., and Ghorbani, M.A. (2019). *A hybrid support vector regression–firefly model for monthly rainfall forecasting*. International Journal of Environmental Science and Technology, 16, 335–346.
19. Danandeh Mehr A., Nourani, V., Kahya E., Hrnjica B., Sattar, AMA., Yaseen ZM. (2018). *Genetic programming in water resources engineering: A state-of-the-art review*. Journal of Hydrology, 566, 643-667.
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17. Ghorbani M. A., Khatibi R., Danandeh Mehr A. and Asadi H. (2018). *Chaos-based multigene genetic programming: a new hybrid strategy for river flow forecasting*. Journal of Hydrology, 562, 455-467.
16. Safari, M. J. S., and Danandeh Mehr A. (2018). *Multigene genetic programming for sediment transport modeling in sewers at non-deposition with deposited bed condition*. International journal of sediment research 33, 262–270
15. Danandeh Mehr, A. and Nourani, V. (2018). *Season algorithm-multigene genetic programming: A new approach for rainfall-runoff modelling*. Water Resources Management, 32 (8), 2665-2679.
14. Nourani, V., Danandeh Mehr, A., and Azad, N. (2018). *Trend analysis of hydroclimatological variables in Urmia Lake basin using hybrid wavelet Mann–Kendall and Šen tests*. Environmental Earth Sciences, 77 (5), 207.
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#### **Other peer-reviewed journal papers:**

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