

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

- 2013 - 2018 Southern Illinois University (United States), Ph.D. (**GPA: 3.9/4.0**)
Major: Engineering Science/ Mechanical and Energy Processes
- 2005 - 2008 University of Baghdad (Iraq), M.Sc.
Major: Mechanical Engineering
- 2001 - 2005 University of Baghdad (Iraq), B.Sc.
Major: Nuclear Engineering

ACADEMIC EMPLOYMENT

- August 2018 - present **Senior Lecturer**, University of Baghdad
Courses taught are Solar Thermal Systems, Renewable Energy Sources, and Eng. Thermodynamics
- August 2013 - May 2018 **Graduate Research Assistant**, Southern Illinois University
- August 2008 - May 2013 **Instructor**, University of Baghdad
Courses taught are: Programing in MATLAB, Eng. Thermodynamics, and Renewable Energy Sources.

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2021 **World's top 2% scientists by Stanford University (2020)**
August 2021 data-update for "Updated science-wide author databases of standardized citation indicators.
- 2021 **NISA Award for Best International Collaborative Paper (2020)**
Awarded by Network of Iraqi Scientists Abroad (NISA)
- 2020 **Highly Cited Research Paper Award**
Awarded by Elsevier- Applied Energy (ISSN: 0306-2619)
- 2018 **Southern Illinois University Graduate Assistantship**
Awarded by Southern Illinois University Carbondale
- 2017 **ASHRAE College of Fellows Travel Award**
Awarded by the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers (ASHRAE).

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Thermal Energy Storage
PV Thermal Management
Solar cooling and Desalination
Renewable-energy Systems

SELECTED JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

- [1] **Mahdi JM**, Mohammed HI, Talebizadehsardari P, Ghalambaz M, Sh. Majdi H, Khan A, et al. Simultaneous and consecutive charging and discharging of a PCM-based domestic air heater with metal foam. *Applied Thermal Engineering*. 2021;197:117408.
- [2] Talebizadehsardari P, **Mahdi JM**, Mohammed HI, Moghimi MA, Hossein Eisapour A, Ghalambaz M. Consecutive charging and discharging of a PCM-based plate heat exchanger with zigzag configuration. *Applied Thermal Engineering*. 2021;193:116970.
- [3] **Mahdi, J. M.**, Singh, R. P., Al-Najjar, H. M., Singh, S. & Nsofor, E. C. (2021). Efficient thermal management of the photovoltaic/phase change material system with innovative exterior metal-foam layer. *Solar Energy*, 2021; 216:411-427.
- [4] **Mahdi, J. M.**, Mohammed, H. I., & Sardari, P. T. (2021). A new approach for employing multiple PCMs in the passive thermal management of photovoltaic modules. *Solar Energy*. 2021;222:160-74.
- [5] Talebizadehsardari P., **Mahdi J.M.**, Mohammed H.I., Moghimi MA, Ghalambaz M. (2021) Consecutive charging and discharging of a PCM-based plate heat exchanger with zigzag configuration. *Applied Thermal Engineering*. 2021;193:116970.
- [6] Talebizadehsardari P., Hayder I.; **Mahdi, J. M.**; Gillott, M.; Walker, G. S.; Grant, D.; Giddings, D. (2021) Effect of airflow channel arrangement on the discharge of a composite metal foam-phase change material heat exchanger. *International Journal of Energy Research*. 2021;45: 2593-2609.
- [7] Talebizadehsardari, P.; Mohammed, H. I.; **Mahdi, J. M.**, Gillott, M.; Walker, G. S.; Grant, D.; Giddings (2021). Localised heating element distribution in composite metal foam-phase change material: Fourier's Law and creeping flow effects. *International Journal of Energy Research*.
- [8] Mahdi, M. S., Mahood, H. B, **Mahdi, J. M.**, Khadom, A. A. & Campbell, A. N. (2020). Improved PCM melting in a thermal energy storage system of double-pipe helical-coil tube. *Energy Conversion and Management*, 203, 112238.
- [9] Mohammed H.I., Giddings D, Walker G.S., Talebizadehsardari P., **Mahdi J.M.** (2020) Thermal behaviour of the flow boiling of a complex nanofluid in a rectangular channel: An experimental and numerical study. *International Communications in Heat and Mass Transfer*. 2020;117:104773.
- [10] Mohammed HI, Talebizadehsardari P, **Mahdi J. M.**, Arshad A, Sciacovelli A, Giddings D. (2020) Improved melting of latent heat storage via porous medium and uniform Joule heat generation. *Journal of Energy Storage*. 2020;31:101747.

[11] **Mahdi, J. M.**, Mohammed, H. I., Hashim, E. T., Sardari, P. T. & Nsofor, E. C. (2020). Solidification enhancement with multiple PCMs, cascaded metal foam and nanoparticles in the shell-and-tube energy storage system. *Applied Energy*, 257, 113993.

This highly cited paper received enough citations to place it in the top 1% of its academic field based on a highly cited threshold for the field and publication year. (Data from Web of Science/ Essential Science IndicatorsSM 2020).

[12] **Mahdi, J. M.**, Lohrasbi, S. L., Ganji, D. D. & Nsofor, E. C. (2019). Simultaneous energy storage and recovery in the triplex-tube heat exchanger with PCM, copper fins and Al₂O₃ nanoparticles. *Energy Conversion and Management*, 180, 949-961.

This highly cited paper received enough citations to place it in the top 1% of its academic field based on a highly cited threshold for the field and publication year. (Data from Web of Science/ Essential Science IndicatorsSM 2020).

[13] **Mahdi, J. M.**, Lohrasbi, S. L. & Nsofor, E. C. (2019). Hybrid heat transfer enhancement for latent-heat thermal energy storage systems: A review. *International Journal of Heat and Mass Transfer*, 137, 630–649.

[14] **Mahdi, J. M.** & Nsofor, E. C. (2018). Solidification enhancement of PCM in a triplex-tube energy storage system with nanoparticles and fins. *Applied Energy*, 211, 975-986.

This highly cited paper received enough citations to place it in the top 1% of its academic field based on a highly cited threshold for the field and publication year. (Data from Web of Science/ Essential Science IndicatorsSM 2020).

[15] **Mahdi, J. M.**, Lohrasbi, S. L., Ganji, D. D. & Nsofor, E. C. (2018). Accelerated Melting of PCM in Energy Storage Systems Using Novel Configuration of Fins in Triplex-tube Heat Exchanger. *International Journal of Heat and Mass Transfer*, 124, 663-676.

This highly cited paper received enough citations to place it in the top 1% of its academic field based on a highly cited threshold for the field and publication year. (Data from Web of Science/ Essential Science IndicatorsSM 2020).

[16] **Mahdi, J. M.** & Nsofor, E. C. (2018). Multiple-segment metal foam application in the shell-and-tube PCM thermal energy storage system. *Journal of Energy Storage*, 20, 529-541.

[17] **Mahdi, J. M.** & Nsofor, E. C. (2017). Melting Enhancement in a Triplex-Tube Latent Thermal Energy Storage System using Nanoparticles-Fin Combination. *International Journal of Heat and Mass Transfer*, 109, 417-427.

[18] **Mahdi, J. M.** & Nsofor, E. C. (2017). Solidification Enhancement in a Triplex-Tube Latent Heat Energy Storage System using Nanoparticles-Metal Foam Combination. *Energy*, 126, 501-511.

[19] **Mahdi, J. M.** & Nsofor, E. C. (2017). Melting Enhancement in Triplex-Tube Latent Heat Energy Storage System using Nanoparticles-Metal Foam Combination. *Applied Energy*, 191, 22-34.

This highly cited paper received enough citations to place it in the top 1% of its academic field based on a highly cited threshold for the field and publication year. (Data from Web of Science/ Essential Science IndicatorsSM 2020).

[20] **Mahdi, J. M.** & Nsofor, E. C. (2016). Solidification of a PCM with Nanoparticles in Triplex-Tube Thermal Energy Storage System. *Applied Thermal Engineering*, 108, 596-604.

CONFERENCE PAPERS AND PRESENTATIONS

[1] **Mahdi, J. M.** & Nsofor, E. C. (2016).

Melting of PCM with Nanoparticles in a Triplex-Tube Thermal Energy Storage System. Technical Paper Presented at the *2016 ASHRAE Annual Conference*, St. Louis, MO, June 25-29, 2016.

[2] **Mahdi, J. M.** & Nsofor, E. C. (2017).

Solidification of PCM in Triplex-Tube Thermal Energy Storage System using Fins and Nanoparticles Enhancement. Technical Paper presented at the *ASTFE Second Thermal and Fluids Engineering Conference*, Las Vegas, Nevada, April 2-5, 2017.

[3] Nsofor, E. C. & **Mahdi, J. M.** (2021).

Heat Transfer Enhancement in PCM Thermal Energy Storage Via the Triplex Tube Heat Exchanger. Technical Paper presented at the *ASTFE 5-6th Thermal and Fluids Engineering Conference*, Virtual, May 26-28, 2021.

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

A) Guest Associate Editor (2021/3 – 2021/10) leading the research topic collection entitled “Thermal Energy Storage and Management” for the journal of **Frontiers in Energy Research** (ISSN: 2296598X).

B) Certified Reviewer for journals: (1) Applied Thermal Engineering (2018 – present)

(2) Journal of Energy Storage (2018 – present)

(3) Int. J. of Heat and Mass Transfer (2019 – present)

(4) Journal of cleaner production (2019 – present)

(5) Energy (2019 – present)

(6) Cleaner Eng. and Technology (2020 – present)

(7) Energy Reports (2020 – present)

(8) Heliyon (2020 – present)

(9) Journal of Molecular Liquids (2020 – present)

(10) Case Studies in Thermal Engineering

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

INSTRUCTOR

2018-present

Renewable Energy Sources, University of Baghdad

2018-present

English for MSc students, University of Baghdad

2018-present

Eng. Thermodynamics, University of Baghdad

2009-2012

Programing in MATLAB, University of Baghdad

2009-2013

Eng. Thermodynamics, University of Baghdad

2010-2012

Fluid Mechanics, University of Baghdad

TEACHING ASSISTANT

Spring 2018

Eng. Heat Transfer (ME 302), Southern Illinois University