

„Orizonturi Universitare” Association Prize and Diploma „Eminent Researcher 2019” Assoc. Prof. Călin-Adrian POPA, PhD

Călin-Adrian Popa is an Associate Professor at the Department of Computers and Information Technology from the Faculty of Automation and Computers. His research activity is mainly focused on the field of machine learning in general, and neural networks in particular. He was awarded the Prize and Diploma „Eminent Researcher 2019” for Remarkable results in the academic activity by the „Orizonturi Universitare” Association.

During his academic career, he published, as the only author (with 2 exceptions), 5 papers in ISI journals in the Q1 quartile, and 1 paper in an ISI journal in the Q2 quartile, 2 of them at the famous journal Neural Networks, which had an impact factor of 7,19. He also published, as the only author (with one exception), 30 papers at ISI conferences, 7 of them at the famous International Joint Conference on Neural Networks (IJCNN), the most important and prestigious conference in the field of neural networks.

He was the director of the project PCD-TC-2017-41, granted in the internal competition „Proiecte de Cercetare, Dezvoltare pentru Tineri Cercetători (PCD-TC)” (Projects of Research, Development for Young Researchers), organized by the Politehnic University Timișoara. As a recognition of his research activity, he was appointed reviewer for 16 ISI journals in the Q1 quartile and for 3 ISI journals in the Q2 quartile, including the famous journal IEEE Transactions on Neural Networks and Learning Systems, which has an impact factor of 11,68.

