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**II. Education and Academic Degrees**

**1993-1998**

- Engineer degrees in Electronics (with first class honor), University of Batna, Batna, Algeria.

**1998-2001**

- M.Sc. degrees in Microelectronics (with first class honor), University of Batna, Batna, Algeria.

**2002-2006**

- Ph.D degrees in Microelectronics, University of Batna, Batna, Algeria.

**2006-2007**

- Habilitation (HDR) degrees in Micro and Nanoelectronics, University of Batna, Batna, Algeria.

**III. Professional Background**

**2000-2002**

- Ass. Lecturer (Partial Time).

**2002-2006**

- Ass. Professor B, University of Batna, Batna, Algeria.

**2006-2007**

- Ass. Professor A, University of Batna, Batna, Algeria.

**2007-2012**

- Assoc. Professor, University of Batna, Batna, Algeria.

**2012-present**

- Professor, University of Batna-2, Batna, Algeria.

**IV. Awards and memberships:**

1. National –ANDRU- Award for best scientific publications (2007), Algeria.
2. Member of European Materials Research Society (E-MRS),2007, France.
3. National –CDER- Award for best scientific publications (2008), Algeria.
4. Microsoft-TWAS-AAS Award (2010), Italy.
5. MADICA'2010, Best paper Award, October 20-22, Tabarka (2010), Tunisia.
6. Shoman Award for Arab Researchers - Engineering Sciences- (2011), Jordan.
7. Marquis's who's who in Sciences and Engineering 2011-2012, USA.
8. Senior Member of IEEE (IEEE-SM), 2013, USA.
9. Senior member of IACSIT, 2013, Singapore.
10. TWAS-Young Fellow (World Academy of Sciences), 2013, Italy.
11. World Congress of Engineering (WCE'2013), Certificate of Merit for Best paper, London (2013), UK.
12. Member of Arab-German Academy of Sciences and Humanities (AGYA), 2013, Berlin, Germany.
13. Fellow of the African Academy of Sciences (AAS), 2014, Nairobi, Kenya.
14. World Congress of Engineering (WCE'2014), Certificate of Merit for Best paper, London (2014), UK.
15. World Congress of Engineering (WCE'2015), Best paper Award, London (2015), UK.
16. National -ANASR- Award for best scientific paper in Physical sciences and Mathematics (2017), Algeria.
17. Young African researchers award-2019, Cairo, Egypt.

18. Member of National Commission of Universities (CUN), 2021.
19. Member of The World Academy of Sciences (TWAS), 2023.

## **V. Main Field of Interest:**

- Micro/nanoelectronics; Optoelectronics; Renewable Energy; photovoltaic; Soft-Computing/artificial intelligence.

### **1. Artificial Intelligence and Soft-Computing**

- Machine Learning
- Evolutionary Techniques (Genetic Algorithms GAs, Particle Swarm Optimization PSO, multi-objective process,...).
- Fuzzy Logic.
- Neural Space Mapping approaches
- Multi-Objectives Optimization techniques.

### **2. Micro/nanoelectronics and Optoelectronics**

- Soft-computing-based approaches to study microelectronic devices for energy and environmental sensing applications (Power devices, sensors, solar cells....).
- Metamaterial for optoelectronic and photovoltaic applications (sensors, solar cells, .).
- Environmental sensing.
- Graphene-based sensors for environmental sensing and energy applications.
- Fabrication and characterization of microelectronic devices (RF sputtering, PVD, XRD, UV-Vis, ...).

## **VI. Engineering, Master and doctoral theses supervision:**

1. Supervision of 32 Masters and 12 PhD theses.
2. Member in several M.sc. and Ph.D. theses supervisory committees.

## **VII. Research Projects:**

- Head of project “Contribution to the development of nanoelectronics circuit Simulator using Soft-Computing-based techniques” Algerian project (CNEPRU), 2009-2011.
- Member of project “Elaboration of power converters for electrical system applications” Algerian project (CNEPRU), 2006-2009.
- Member of Project“ Nouvelles Approches à l’étude des systèmes nanoélectroniques: Application à la conception des dispositifs intégrés nanométriques”, Algerian project (PNR), 2011-2013.
- Head of project “ Etude, Modélisation et élaboration des cellules solaires hétérostructures à base SiGe ” Algerian project (PNR-NOUR21), 2015-2017.
- Head of project “ Study, Optimization and elaboration of low cost optoelectronic and photovoltaic devices ” Algerian project (PRFU), 2019-2022.
- Head of project “New approaches based on artificial intelligence to elaborate high-performance microelectronics devices ” Algerian project (PRFU), 2023-2027.

## **VIII. Reviewer and Editorial Activities**

- Associate Editor for Indonesian Journal of Electrical Engineering (IJEE) <http://telkomnika.ee.uad.ac.id>. (Since 2010).

I have reviewed several articles in following International journals and conferences, such as:

- Journal of Soft-Computing: (Publisher: Elsevier),(Since 2010).
- Applied mathematical modelling (Publisher: Elsevier),(Since 2009).
- Journal of IET circuits, devices and systems (Publisher: IET),(Since 2008)
- Journal of Applied Physics: Condensed Matter (Publisher: IOP),(Since 2007).
- Journal of Semiconductor Sciences and Technology (Publisher: IOP), (Since 2007).
- Journal of Nanotechnology (Publisher: IOP),(Since 2007).
- Journal of Physics D: Applied Physics (Publisher: IOP),(Since 2008).
- Journal of Materials Sciences and Eng-B (Publisher: Elsevier),(Since 2007).
- Journal of microelectronics (Publisher: Elsevier),(Since 2009).
- International Journal of Electronics ((Publisher: Taylor and Francis),(Since 2008).

- IEEE Trans Electron Devices (Publisher: IEEE),(Since 2009).
- Journal Measurement Science and Technology (Publisher: IOP),(Since 2011).
- Journal of Superlattices and Microstructures (Publisher: Elsevier),(Since 2010).
- Journal of Journal of Alloys and Compounds (Publisher: Elsevier), (Since 2020).
- IETE Technical Review; (Since 2011).
- IEEE sensors; (Since 2018).
- Journal of computational electronics (Publisher: Springer); (Since 2018)
- 2013 IEEE Congress on Evolutionary Computation, June 20-23, 2013, Cancun, Mexico.
- 2014 IEEE Congress on Evolutionary Computation, July09-11, 2014, China.
- 2015 IEEE Congress on Evolutionary Computation, May08-10, 2015, Japan.
- IEEE- STA'14-21, Tunisia, 2014-2021.
- IEEE- ICSC'15, April 28-30, Sousse, Tunisia, 2015.
- WCE-2017, July 03-05, London, UK, 2017.

**Language Skills:** Good spoken and written both French and English as foreign languages.

## X. Publications list:

- Citations Index, WoS, (h-index): 33.  
<https://www.webofscience.com/wos/author/record/AAO-7986-2020>
- Citations Index, Google scholar, (h-index): 39.  
<https://scholar.google.com/citations?hl=fr&user=e6DPr20AAAAJ>
- Citations Index, Scopus, (h-index): 36.  
<https://www.scopus.com/authid/detail.uri?authorId=6504705230>

### 1.Published books:

- [B.1] **F. Djeffal** and N. Lakhdar, Multigate (III-V) FET-based devices for high performance applications, **English Edition**, LAP LAMBERT Academic Publishing - ISBN-13: 978-3-659-33333-0, 2012, Germany. 132 pages ([www.morebooks.de](http://www.morebooks.de)).
- [B.2] **F. Djeffal** and T. Bendib, Evolutionary and neural techniques: Application to Microelectronics circuits, **French Edition**, ISBN: 978-9947-0-2486-7, 2008, Batna, Algeria. 138 pages.
- [B.3] **F. Djeffal** and M.A. Abdi, Courses and Exercises in Electronics, **Arabic Edition**, ISBN: 978-9961-9654-8-1, 2008, Batna, Algeria. 110 pages.
- [B.4] **F. Djeffal**, Predictive modeling of deep submicron MOSFET: Application to nanoscale devices design, **French Edition**, Publishing European University, ISBN: 978-613-1-52913-9, 2010, Sarrebruck, Germany. 164 pages ([www.amazon.com](http://www.amazon.com)).
- [B.5] **F. Djeffal** and T. Bendib, Nanoscale MOSFETs, **French Edition**, Publishing European University, ISBN: 978-6131552021, 2010, Sarrebruck, Germany. 88 pages ([www.amazon.com](http://www.amazon.com)).
- [B.6] **F. Djeffal** and N. Lakhdar, Modeling of Electron mobility in Semiconductor devices, **French Edition**, Publishing European university, ISBN: 978-6131551390, 2010, Sarrebruck, Germany. 100 pages ([www.amazon.com](http://www.amazon.com)).
- [B.7] M. Meguellati, **F. Djeffal**, Multigate FET-based sensors for Engineering applications, **English Edition**, LAP LAMBERT Academic Publishing - ISBN-13: 978-3-8465-4597-3, 2012, Germany. 101 pages ([www.morebooks.de](http://www.morebooks.de)).

### 3. Published chapters-book

- [CB.1] H. Ferhati, **F. Djeffal**, T. Bergbouth, "New approaches for modeling of nanoscale Junctionless FETs: device and circuit Level performance assessment", 21st Chapter in the book 'Circuit Design for Modern Applications' (ISBN 978-1-032-77431-2), CRC Press, Taylor and Francis, 2025.
- [CB.2] A. Maoucha, F. Djeffal, H. Ferhati "New Approaches for Developing Efficient Eco-Friendly Lead-Free Perovskite Thin-Film Solar Cells: Modeling and Design Methodology," 7th Chapter in the book NanoRevolution: Unveiling the Future of Energy through Advanced Materials and Digital Technologies' (ISBN 9781032814100), CRC Press, Taylor and Francis, 2025.
- [CB.3] N. Abdelmalek, **F. Djeffal**, T. Bentrcia, " Investigation of Hot Carrier-induced Degradation in Nanoscale Junctionless MOSFETs : A Reliability-based Analysis", Chapter.4 in the book:

- Nanotechnology in Electronics: Materials, Properties, Devices, ISBN: 9783527824229, publisher Wiley-VCH GmbH, 2023.
- [CB.4] T. Bentrcia, **F. Djeffal** and E. Chebaki, “Multi-objective Design of Nanoscale Double Gate MOSFET Devices Using Surrogate Modeling and Global Optimization”, Intelligent Nanomaterials, 2nd Edition, ISBN: 978-1-119-24248-2, Edited: Ashutosh Tiwari, publisher: Wiley, pp. 395-427, 2016.
  - [CB.5] **F.Djeffal**, A. Benhaya, K. Tamersit, and M. Meguelliati, “New dielectric modulated graphene (DMG) FET-based sensorfor High-performance biomedical sensing applications,” IAENG Transactions on Engineering Sciences: DOI: 10.1142/9789814667364\_0030, ISBN: 978-981-4667-35-7, World Scientific Publishing, Edited by: Sio-Iong Ao, Alan Hoi-Shou Chan, Hideki Katagiri, Li Xu, Hong Kong, pp. 401-414, 2015.
  - [CB.6] T. Bendib,L. Pancheri, **F.Djeffal** and G-F. Dalla Betta, “Modeling and optimization of avalanche photodiode electrical parameters using multiobjective genetic algorithm,” IAENG Transactions on Engineering Sciences: DOI: 10.1142/9789814667364\_0031, ISBN: 978-981-4667-35-7, World Scientific Publishing,Edited by: Sio-Iong Ao, Alan Hoi-Shou Chan, Hideki Katagiri, Li Xu, Hong Kong, pp. 415-429, 2015.
  - [CB.7] **F.Djeffal** and T. Bendib, Artificial-Neural-Networks-Based Approaches tostudy the Nanoscale CMOS Devices, Book title: Artificial Neural networks, Editor: Seoyun J. Kwon, Publisher: Nova Science Publishers, ISBN: 978-1-61761-553-5, 2010, pp. 109-122,New York, USA.
  - [CB.8] T. Bentrcia and **F.Djeffal**, Compact Modeling of Multi-Gate MOSFET including Hot-Carrier Effects, Book title: CMOS Technology,Editor: Min-jun Kwon, Publisher: Nova Science Publishers,ISBN: 978-1-61761-325-8, 2010, pp.135-158, New York, USA.
  - [CB.9] F. Djeffal and M. Meguelliati, “multigate RADFET dosimeter For Radioactive Environment Monitoring Applications”, series title: lecture notes in electrical engineering, Editors names: Gi-Chul Yang, SIO-IONG AO. Len Gelman, Title of Book: IAENG Transactions on Engineering Technologies, GPU/PS: 3/9059, SPIN: GT-C-CTP-09/2012, Vol. 229, 2013, pp 301-313, Springer, Netherlands.
  - [CB.10] T. Bendib and **F. Djeffal**, “Multi-objective-based approach to optimize the Analog Electrical behavior of GSDG MOSFET: application to nanoscale circuit design”, series title: lecture notes in electrical engineering, Editors names: Gi-Chul Yang, SIO-IONG AO. Len Gelman, Title of Book: IAENG Transactions on Engineering Technologies, GPU/PS: 3/9059, SPIN: GT-C-CTP-09/2012, Vol. 229, 2013, pp 315-325, Springer, Netherlands.
  - [CB.11] T. Bentrcia and **F. Djeffal**, “An ANFIS based approach for prediction of threshold voltage degradation in nanoscale DG MOSFET devices” Editors names: Gi-Chul Yang, Sio-Iong Ao, Len Gelman, Book Title: IAENG Transactions on Engineering Technologies, DOI: 10.1007/978-94-017-8832-8\_25,ISBN: 978-94-017-8831-1, pp 339-353, 2014, Springer, Netherlands.

### 3. Published papers in Referred Journals

- [J.1] Maoucha, A., Berghout, T., & Djeffal, F. (2025). Machine and deep Learning-Powered analysis of photovoltaic properties in 4-terminal FASnI<sub>3</sub>/CIGS tandem solar cells. Materials Science and Engineering: B, 322, 118629.
- [J.2] Dibi, K., Ferhati, H., Dibi, Z., & Djeffal, F. (2025). A Novel Highly-Sensitive pH Sensor Based on Tunneling FET Platform with SiSn-Si-Si Hetero-Channel. Sensing and Imaging, 26(1), 1-17.
- [J.3] Maoucha, A., Berghout, T., Djeffal, F., & Ferhati, H. (2025). Deep Learning–Driven Design of Eco-friendly CZTS<sub>x</sub>Se<sub>1-x</sub> Solar Cells: Impact of Plasmonic Light Trapping and Bandgap Tuning. Plasmonics, 1-16.
- [J.4] Ferhati, H., Djeffal, F., Martin, N., & Benhaya, A. (2025). Novel Tunable Conductive Type SnO<sub>x</sub> Thin-Film Phototransistor with High Multiband Sensitivity: Effects of Pulsing Process and Au Nanoplasmons. Plasmonics, 1-11.
- [J.5] Ouchen, R., Berghout, T., Djeffal, F., & Ferhati, H. (2025). Machine Learning-Guided Design of 10 nm Junctionless Gate-All-Around Metal Oxide Semiconductor Field Effect Transistors for Nanoscaled Digital Circuits. physica status solidi (a), 222(6), 2400670.
- [J.6] Maoucha, A., Berghout, T., Djeffal, F., & Ferhati, H. (2025). Machine learning-assisted analysis of lead-free FACsSnI<sub>3</sub> solar cell degradation: Deep learning classification and design parameter importance assessment. Inorganic Chemistry Communications, 114114.

- [J.7] Ferhati, H., Kacha, K., & Djeffal, F. (2025). Efficient ACZTS solar cells using optimized ZnO/metal/ZnO buffer multilayer: A combined FDTD-PSO approach. *Solid State Communications*, 115842.
- [J.8] Djeffal, F., Rahmani, I., & Ferhati, H. (2024). Performance Assessment of a New Opto-ferroelectric-JL-FET IR Phototransistor: Impact of Negative Capacitance and Nanoparticle Plasmonics. *Plasmonics*, 1-11.
- [J.9] Ferhati, H., & Djeffal, F. (2025). An efficient multispectral CsSnI<sub>3</sub> MSM photodetector using back grooves and light trapping optimization: FDTD-GA calculations. *Journal of Computational Electronics*, 24(1).
- [J.10] Rahmani, I., Dibi, Z., Farhati, H., & Djeffal, F. (2025). Novel junctionless GAA negative capacitance FET based on gate engineering aspects: analytical modeling and performance assessment. *Journal of Computational Electronics*, 24(1), 1-14.
- [J.11] Maoucha, A., Berghout, T., Djeffal, F., & Ferhati, H. (2025). Machine learning-guided analysis of CIGS solar cell efficiency: Deep learning classification and feature importance evaluation. *Solar Energy*, 287, 113251.
- [J.12] Maoucha, A., Berghout, T., Djeffal, F., & Ferhati, H. (2025). Machine learning-assisted investigation of CIGS thin-film solar cell degradation using deep learning analysis. *Journal of Physics and Chemistry of Solids*, 199, 112526.
- [J.13] Ferhati, H., Djeffal, F., Martin, N., & Benhaya, A. (2024). Tunable properties of SnO<sub>x</sub> sputter-deposited by RGPP and GLAD techniques: A potential candidate for photosensing and all-oxide solar cells. *Solar Energy*, 268, 112305.
- [J.14] Kasbaoui, C., Ramadan, F. Z., Drissi, L. B., Abdel-Hafiez, M., & Djeffal, F. (2024). Engineering the electromagnetic response and thermoelectric performance of half-functionalized stanene with H, F, Cl, Br and I. *Materials Science and Engineering: B*, 300, 117106.
- [J.15] Ferhati, H., Berghout, T., & Djeffal, F. (2024). Efficient SnS Solar Cells via Plasmonic Light Trapping and Alternative Buffer Layers: A Combined Machine Learning and FDTD Analysis. *Plasmonics*, 1-11.
- [J.16] Ferhati, H., Martin, N., & Djeffal, F. (2024). Boosting the Efficiency of SnS Solar Cells Through Reactively Sputter-Deposited Ag-Nanostructured Layer/SnO<sub>2</sub> Film at Glancing Angles. *Plasmonics*, 1-12.
- [J.17] Ferhati, H., & Djeffal, F. (2024). A Framework for Designing Efficient Eco-Friendly Broadband GeSn/SnS Photodetector Based on Light Trapping Engineering. *Plasmonics*, 1-11.
- [J.18] H. Ferhati, F. AbdelMalek, F. Djeffal, " Improved PCE in stable lead-free perovskite solar cells based on band engineering of ETL and absorber" *Solar Energy*, vol. 262, pp.111805, 2023. (IF= 6.2).
- [J.19] F Djeffal, N Martin, H Ferhati, A Benhaya, " Tunable band-selective photodetector based on sputter-deposited SnO<sub>x</sub> thin-films: Effect of reactive gas pulsing process" *Journal of Alloys and Compounds*, vol. 968, pp. 171851, 2023. (IF= 6.8).
- [J.20] A Maoucha, F Djeffal, H Ferhati, F AbdelMalek, " Eco-friendly perovskite/CZTSSe tandem cell exceeding 28% efficiency through current matching and bandgap optimization: a numerical investigation" *The European Physical Journal Plus*, vol. 138 (7),pp. 6202023, 2023. (IF= 3.4).
- [J.21] H. Ferhati, F. Djeffal, F. AbdelMalek," Towards improved efficiency of SnS solar cells using back grooves and strained-SnO<sub>2</sub> buffer layer: FDTD and DFT calculations" *Journal of Physics and Chemistry of Solids*, Vol. 178, pp. 111353, 2023. (IF= 4.38).
- [J.22] H. Ferhati, F. Djeffal, L.B. Drissi, Performance analysis of a new Mid-Infrared phototransistor based on combined graded band gap GeSn sensitive-film and IGZO TFT platform, *Micro and Nanostructures* 173, 207467, 2023 (IF= 2.66).
- [J.23] F Djeffal, H Ferhati, A Benyahia, Z Dibi, Performance analysis of SnS photodetector using strained SnO<sub>2</sub> stacked layer: Numerical simulation and DFT calculations, *Microelectronic Engineering*, pp. 111961, 2023 (IF= 2.66).
- [J.24] A. Maoucha, H. Ferhati, F. Djeffal " Highly efficient Cd-Free ZnMgO/CIGS solar cells via effective band-gap tuning strategy" *Journal of Computational Electronics*, pp.1-10, 2023. (IF= 1.98).
- [J.25] B. Zerroumda, H Ferhati, F Djeffal, S Benaggoune, "A novel high-performance junctionless 4H-SiC trench MOSFET with improved switching characteristics", *Microelectronic Engineering*, vol. 277, pp. 112011, 2023. (IF= 2.66).

- [J.26] B Zerroumda, F Djeffal, S Benaggoune, H Ferhati, Performance assessment of a novel 4H-SiC junctionless planar power MOSFET towards improving electrical properties, *Micro and Nanostructures* 169, 207346, 2022 (3.22).
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- [J.29] Ferhati, H., Djeffal, F., & Drissi, L. B. (2022). Metaheuristic-based decision maker framework for the development of multispectral IGZO thin-film phototransistors. *Journal of Science: Advanced Materials and Devices*, 7(1), 100414. (IF= 7.32).
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- [J.32] Ferhati, H., Djeffal, F., Bendjerad, A., Foughali, L., Benhaya, A., & Saidi, A. (2022). Highly-detective tunable band-selective photodetector based on RF sputtered amorphous SiC thin-film: Effect of sputtering power. *Journal of Alloys and Compounds*, 907, 164464. (IF= 6.37).
- [J.33] Kacha, K., Djeffal, F., Ferhati, H., Foughali, L., Bendjerad, A., Benhaya, A., & Saidi, A. (2022). Efficiency improvement of CIGS solar cells using RF sputtered TCO/Ag/TCO thin-film as prospective buffer layer. *Ceramics International*, 48(14), 20194-2020. (IF= 5.53).
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- [J.37] Ferhati, H., Djeffal, F., Boubiche, N., Benhaya, A., Faerber, J., Le Normand, F., ... & Fix, T. (2021). Absorption enhancement in amorphous Si by introducing RF sputtered Ti intermediate layers for photovoltaic applications. *Materials Science and Engineering: B*, 269, 115152. (IF= 4.05).
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