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Peer-Reviewed Journal Papers

Although I am involved in all aspects of my research program, I have been lead author on only a few peer reviewed publications over the past years. I firmly believe that my most important role is that of a mentor, teacher and leader in the research that is undertaken by my HQP (Post-docs, grad. students, research associates). I strongly believe they should have great recognition as first author, even though many of the original ideas have been developed through discussions with me and in several cases the research contributions were largely written by me.

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Articles in News Papers and Magazines

I have published several articles related to machinery development and precision agriculture in national/international newspapers and magazines.

- ✦ Precision application of dry fertilizer in wild blueberry fields. Vegetable and Fruit News. Florida, USA. Digital edition: 2018
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- ✦ 2015. Dalhousie University Magazine. Field to fork
- ✦ Precision agriculture in wild blueberry fields. Agricola News, Volume 39, Number 1, 2013.
- ✦ Reducing herbicides – Saving \$. Springboard. Highlights Report (Success Story) 2011-2012. .
- ✦ Precision variable-rate sprayer slays weeds – and costs. The Grower Magazine, February, 2011.
- ✦ Precision equipment being developed for wild blueberries. Fruit and Vegetables Magazine, March, 2011.
- ✦ Practical application of PA technologies for wild blueberries. Farm Focus Magazine, November, 2010.

Custom Software, Manuals, Broachers and Fact Sheets

Operational manuals for each precision agriculture system (developed by PARP research team at Faculty of Agriculture, Dalhousie University), brochures for precision agriculture systems and fact sheets were developed and supplied to producers through wild blueberry producers associations.

Operational manuals and software developed for:

1. Automated yield monitoring system
2. Cost-effective slope mapping system
3. DualEM for mapping soil properties, nutrients and water depth
4. Automated VR sprayer for spot application

Custom software (codes) and interface were developed for all precision agriculture systems.

Television Commercial/Programs and Radio Talk in Canada

Zaman, Q.U. and T. J. Esau. 2009. Commercial mainly on Teaching and Research in Precision Agriculture Technologies for Wild Blueberries at Faculty of Agriculture, Dalhousie University, TV Commercial- Forty Times Aired on CNN, Fox, PBS channels, May, 2009. Available on Google Video and YouTube. With a potential reach of approximately 96 million people each day, the video is **an invaluable tool to the university**.

The video clip is available at <http://www.dal.ca/sites/precision-agriculture.html>

Zaman Q, U. (2009). TV program on Precision Agriculture Research Program at Faculty of Agriculture, Dalhousie University on CTV in Live @5. October, 29, 2009.

Another, our TV program on “Precision Agriculture Research Program at Faculty of Agriculture, Dalhousie University” was broadcasted in October, 2010 at CTV in Live@5 program.

Radio Talk

Zaman, Q.U. (2014). Talk on CBC Radio “New pesticide technology sprays only weeds” <http://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/prince-edward-island/new-pesticide-technology-sprays-only-weeds-1.2696146> (Jul 04, 2014)

Television Program in Pakistan, 2011 and 2016

Express Forum

Title “Importance of Research in Agriculture Development”

Participants:

Dr. Dr. Iqrar Khan Vice-Chancellor, Dr. Ashfaq, Dean, Faculty of Agriculture, Dr. Niaz, Dean Engineering, Dr. Noor-ul-Islam, Director General, Agriculture Research Institute, Chief scientist, Punjab Agricultural Research Board, Dr. Shahida Jamil, Pakistan Agricultural Research Council. **Canadian Scientist (Dr. Qamar Zaman).**

Additional Information (Web Site Development)

Precision Agriculture Web Page:

PA website was developed for PA activities at Dal-AC. It would help us to attract national and international students, post-docs and to develop further industry and academic collaborations. It will also help to transfer technology. PA activities at website would recognize Faculty of Agriculture, Dalhousie University a prestigious university and would bring the Faculty of Agriculture, Dalhousie University closer to the other international academic and industry institutions to develop collaborations.

<http://dal.ca/precisionag>