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EDUCATION

University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL, USA	
Ph.D., Civil and Environmental Engineering	2020-202
Dissertation Title: "Environmental Application of Two-and Three-Dimensional Nanomat Advised by Mark Elliott	erials for Wastewater Treatment";
M.S., Environmental Engineering	2018-202
Thesis Title: "The Water Purification Robustness of Metal-organic Framework-polyamide	Nanocomposite Thin Films Toward
Long Term Organic, Inorganic, and Bacterial Contamination"; Advised by Mark Elliott	
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Research Assistant Professor, University of Alabama, August 2024-Present

Research Scientist, University of Alabama, October 2022-August 2024

Visiting Research Scientist, University of Alberta, Department of Mechanical Engineering, August 2023- October 2023 (Worked with Dr. Mohtada Sadrzadeh) Visiting Research Scientist, Purdue University, Department of Materials Science and Engineering, April 2023-July 2023 (worked with Dr. Babak Anasori) Visiting Research Scientist, University of Alberta, Department of Mechanical Engineering, October 2022- January 2023 (Worked with Dr. Mohtada Sadrzadeh)

Postdoctoral Research Associate, University of Alabama, May 2022-October 2022

Graduate Research Assistant, University of Alabama, Civil and Environmental Engineering Department, January 2020-May 2022

Visiting Ph.D. Student, Purdue University, Department of Materials Science and Engineering, June 2020-May 2021 (worked with Dr. Babak Anasori)

Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Alabama, Chemical Engineering Department, May 2018-December 2019

PEER-REVIEWED JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

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41-Aktij, S. A., M. Dadashi Firouzjaei*, Pilevar, M., Asad, A., Rahimpour, A., Elliott, M., ... & Sadrzadeh, M*. "Enhancing Sustainable Energy Production Through Co-Polyamide Membranes for Improved Pressure-Retarded Osmosis Performance and Environmental Impact: Synthesis and Life Cycle Analysis." Green Chemistry (2024).

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32-Grube, A., M.M. Shaban, L. Hilger, **M. Dadashi Firouzjaei**, A.A. Shamsabadi, Y. Demirel, M. Elliott, S. Nejati, and M. Bavarian. "Wearable Textile Supercapacitors: Material Advancements and Applications." *Journal of Energy Storage* 99 (2024): 113228.

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23-Dadashi Firouzjaei, M., M. Pejman, M.S. Gh, S.A. Aktij, E. Zolghadr, A. Rahimpour, ... & M. Elliott. "Functionalized polyamide membranes yield suppression of biofilm and planktonic bacteria while retaining flux and selectivity." *Separation and Purification Technology*, 282, 119981, 2022.

22-Zolghadr, E., M. Dadashi Firouzjaei*, S.A. Aktij, A. Aghaei, E.K. Wujcik, M. Sadrzadeh, A. Rahimpour, F.A. Afkhami, P. LeClair, and M. Elliott. "An ultrasonic-assisted rapid approach for sustainable fabrication of antibacterial and anti-biofouling membranes via metal-organic frameworks." *Materials Today Chemistry* 26: 101044, 2022. (Contributed as Corresponding Author).

21-Karami, P., S.A. Aktij, B. Khorshidi, **M. Dadashi Firouzjaei**, A.A. Asad, M. Elliott, A. Rahimpour, J.B.P. Soares, and M. Sadrzadeh. "Nanodiamond-decorated thin film composite membranes with antifouling and antibacterial properties." *Desalination* 522: 115436, 2022.

20-Nejad, S.M., S.F. Seyedpour, S.A. Aktij, **M. Dadashi Firouzjaei**, M. Elliott, A. Tiraferri, M. Sadrzadeh, and A. Rahimpour. "Loose nanofiltration membranes functionalized with in situ-synthesized metal organic framework for water treatment." *Materials Today Chemistry* 24, 2022.

19-<u>Rezaeipour, Y., E. Zolghadr</u>, P. Alizadeh, G. Sadri, E.K. Wujcik, F.A. Afkhami, M. Elliott, and **M. Dadashi Firouzjaei***. "The anticancer properties of metal-organic frameworks and their heterogeneous nanocomposites." *Biomaterials Advances* 139: 213013, 2022 (Contributed as Corresponding Author).

18-Aghaei, A., **M. Dadashi Firouzjaei**, P. Karami, S.A. Aktij, M. Elliott, Y. Mansourpanah, A. Rahimpour, J.B.P. Soares, and M. Sadrzadeh. "The implications of 3D-printed membranes for water and wastewater treatment and resource recovery." *The Canadian Journal of Chemical Engineering* 100, no. 9: 2309-2321, 2022.

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15-<u>Zolghadr, E.</u>, **M. Dadashi Firouzjaei***, G. Amouzandeh, P. LeClair, and M. Elliott. "The Role of Membrane-Based Technologies in Environmental Treatment and Reuse of Produced Water." *Frontiers in Environmental Science* 9: 71, 2021. (Contributed as Corresponding Author).

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11-Pejman, M., M. Dadashi Firouzjaei, S.A. Aktij, P. Das, E. Zolghadr, H. Jafarian, A.A. Shamsabadi, M. Elliott, M.R. Esfahani, M. Sangermano, and M. Sadrzadeh. "Improved antifouling and antibacterial properties of forward osmosis membranes through surface modification with zwitterions and silver-based metal organic frameworks." *Journal of Membrane Science*, 2020 (+Same Contribution as First Author).

10-Seyedpour, S.F., **M. Dadashi Firouzjaei**, A. Rahimpour, E. Zolghadr, A.A. Shamsabadi, P. Das, F. Afkhami, M. Sadrzadeh, A. Tiraferri, and M. Elliott. "Toward Sustainable Tackling of Biofouling Implications and Improved Performance of TFC FO Membranes Modified by Ag-MOF Nanorods." *ACS Applied Materials & Interfaces*, 2020 (+Same Contribution as First Author).

9-Pejman, M., M. Dadashi Firouzjaei, S.A. Aktij, P. Das, E. Zolghadr, H. Jafarian, A.A. Shamsabadi, M. Elliott, M. Sadrzadeh, M. Sangermano, and A. Rahimpour. "In Situ Ag-MOF Growth on Pre-Grafted Zwitterions Imparts Outstanding Antifouling Properties to Forward Osmosis Membranes." *ACS Applied Materials & Interfaces*, 2020

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6-Esfahani, M.R., N. Koutahzadeh, A.R. Esfahani, **M. Dadashi Firouzjaei**, B. Anderson, and L. Peck. "A novel gold nanocomposite membrane with enhanced permeation, rejection, and self-cleaning ability." *Journal of Membrane Science*, 2019.

5-Mozafari, M., S.F. Seyedpour, S.K. Salestan, A. Rahimpour, A.A. Shamsabadi, **M. Dadashi Firouzjaei**, M.R. Esfahani, A. Tiraferri, H. Mohsenian, M. Sangermano, and M. Soroush. "Facile Cu-BTC surface modification of thin chitosan film coated polyethersulfone membranes with improved antifouling properties for sustainable removal of manganese." *Journal of Membrane Science*, 2019.

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BOOK CHAPTERS

2-Rahimpour, A., M. Shirzad Kebria, **M. Dadashi Firouzjaei**, M. Mozafari, M. Elliott, M. Sadrzadeh. *Nonsolvent-induced phase separation, Polymeric Membrane Formation by Phase Inversion.* Elsevier, 2024.

1-Aghaei, A., K. Suresh, **M. Dadashi Firouzjaei**, M. Elliott, A. Rahimpour, & M. Sadrzadeh. "Hybrid/integrated treatment technologies for oily wastewater treatment." In *Advanced Technologies in Wastewater Treatment* (pp. 377-419). Elsevier, 2023.

SELECTED HONORS & AWARDS

• Awarded the "Outstanding Research by Ph.D. Student" distinction in Civil Engineering by the University of Alabama in 2022.

- Recognized as the "Graduate Student of the Year" by the Engineering Council of Birmingham, 2021.
- Recipient of the prestigious "Graduate Council Fellowship (GCF)" at the University of Alabama, with a total award value of \$52,000, 2020.
- Achieved 10th place among over 7,000 candidates in the National Entrance Exam for Master of Science and Engineering in Material Science and Engineering, 2015.

TEACHING AND MENTORING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistantship (TA) Experience at the University of Alabama:

- Process Dynamics & Control
- Unit Operations Laboratory
- Heat Transfer Operations
- Fluid Flow Operations

Guest Lecturer Experience at the University of Alabama:

- Water and Wastewater Treatment
- Environmental Engineering Microbiology
- Environmental Measurements
- Introduction to Environmental Engineering

Selected Undergraduate Alumni Students Mentored and their Current Positions:

- Rilyn Todd: Ph.D. Student in Chemical and Environmental Engineering, Yale University Rilyn's research on MXene waste recovery was recognized by the University of Alabama as outstanding undergraduate-led research. <u>Link to the News Here</u>
- Delanie Williams: M.S. Student in Civil and Environmental Engineering, University of Alabama
- Will Moseley: Environmental Engineer, Washington State Department of Ecology
- Sam Prather: Engineer III, Mott MacDonald
- Karin Britt: Engineer I, North Carolina Department of Environmental Quality
- Westley McKane: Toxics Reduction Engineer, Washington State Department of Ecology
- Elizabeth Connick: Senior Associate Scientist, Elektrofi
- Caroline Chunn: Production Engineer, Venture Global LNG
- Jacob Brockwell: Process Engineer, INEOS
- Caroline Fourroux: Advanced Quality Engineer, 3M
- Elizabeth McDonough: Engineer II, Raytheon Intelligence & Space
- Christopher Gothman: Process Engineer, Intelligent Epitaxy Technology
- Briana Madden: Civil Analyst I, Kimley-Horn
- Kylie Overton: Undergraduate dual major in Environmental Science and Mechanical Engineering Departments Kylie won outstanding Hollings Undergraduate Scholarships based on her research on

MXenes; Link to the News Here

Graduate Students Directly Supervised and their Current Positions:

- Ehsan Zolghadr: Ph.D., Graduated Summer 2022, Process Engineer IV at Mattson Technology
- **Reza Behzadnia**: M.S., Graduated Summer 2024, Laboratory Coordinator at the University of Alabama Civil Engineering Department
- Mohsen Pilevar: Ph.D. Candidate, Expected Graduation Spring 2025
- Hesam Jafarian: Ph.D. Student, Expected Graduation Summer 2026
- Vivian Abungu: Ph.D. Candidate, Expected Graduation Summer 2025
- Mahshid Mardani: Ph.D. Student, Started Summer 2024
- Parastoo Taheri: Ph.D. Student, Started Summer 2024

SELECTED GRANT SUBMISSIONS

- "Spin-Coated RO Membranes for Ultra-Low PFOA Removal and Seawater Desalination"- Environmental Protection Agency EPA with Mark Elliott
- "Antibacterial ultrafiltration membranes for enhanced large-scale wastewater treatment"- United States Bureau of Reclamation USBR with Mark Elliott
- "Large-Scale Development of Antibacterial Ultrafiltration Membranes for Decentralized Wastewater Treatment"-United States Bureau of Reclamation – USBR with Mark Elliott
- "Novel Membrane Fabrication for Improved Flux, Reduced Fouling and Efficient Treatment of PFOA" EPA-P3 with Mark Elliott

PROFESSIONAL LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE

- Reviewed papers for Nature Communications, Environmental Science and Technology, Journal of Membrane Science, Water Research, Advanced Materials, Advanced Healthcare Materials, ACS Applied Materials & Interfaces, Advanced Composites and Hybrid Materials, Chemical Engineering Journal, Separation and Purification Technology, etc.
- Co-Chair of Materials Research Society (MRS) Symposium, 2D MXenes—Synthesis, Properties and Applications, 2022
- Co-Chair of American Chemical Society (ACS), 2D Materials-Polymer Interfaces and Nanocomposites, 2024
- Founder, President, and Advisor for "Nano Science and Engineering Association", 2019-Present

INVITED TALKS

- Sustainability assessment and optimization for Material Synthesis and Manufacturing. Flexim Manufacturing Inc, Edmonton, Canada, August 2024.
- Functionalized Polyamide Membranes with Metal-Organic Frameworks for Wastewater Treatment. Mechanical Engineering Department, Purdue University, May 2023.
- Non-solvent Induced Phase Separation Technique for Polymeric Membranes Formation. Pall Corporation, Port Washington, July 2023.

SELECTED CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS

- Dadashi Firouzjaei, M., M. Elliott, and B. Anasori. "Life Cycle Assessment of Ti₃C₂ MXene: Sustainable Manufacturing Pathways for Chemical and Energy Systems" In 2024 AIChE Meeting. AIChE, 2024.
- Dadashi Firouzjaei, M., M. Elliott, and B. Anasori. "Fabrication and life cycle assessment of a large-scale polysulfone-MXene composite membrane for ultrafiltration applications." In 2024 ACS Spring Meeting. ACS, 2024.
- Dadashi Firouzjaei, M., M. Elliott, and B. Anasori. "Exploring the environmental impacts and scalability of MXene synthesis for advanced applications." In 2023 AIChE Annual Meeting. AIChE, 2023.
- Dadashi Firouzjaei, M., and M. Elliott. "Novel membrane fabrication for improved flux, reduced fouling and efficient treatment of PFOA." In 2023 EPA P3 Expo. Tech Connect, 2023.
- Dadashi Firouzjaei, M., M. Elliott, and B. Anasori. "Clean water recycling through adsorption via nanocomposites of Ti₃C₂T_x MXene-AgMOF and graphene-oxide-Ag-MOF." In 2022 MRS Spring Meeting. MRS, 2022.
- Dadashi Firouzjaei, M., D. Jiang, M. Elliott, and B. Anasori. "The environmental impacts of Ti₃C₂T_x MXene synthesis for electromagnetic interface shielding of communication satellites." In 2022 MRS Fall Meeting. MRS, 2022.
- Dadashi Firouzjaei, M., A. Tiraferri, A. Rahimpour, and M. Elliott. "Metal-azolate framework decorated thin-film composite membranes: Antibacterial mode of action and beyond." In 2021 ACS Fall Meeting. ACS, 2021.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE)
- Materials Research Society (MRS)
- American Institute of Chemical Engineers (AIChE)
- American Chemical Society (ACS)

- American Water Works Association (AWWA)
- Alabama Water Institute (AWI)
- Alabama Materials Institute (AMI)
- The Minerals, Metals & Materials Society (TMS)