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Research Quality Citation Index

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- **Assistant Professor in Computer Applications**
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Selected Publications in SCI/SCI-E Journals (70+)

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