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**EDUCATION** Ph.D. in Computer Engineering

Michigan Technological University (MTU)

Fall 2023 – Present Michigan, USA

CGPA: 3.5/4.00

**B.Sc.** in Electronics and Communication Engineering Khulna University of Engineering and Technology (KUET)

April 2015 – February 2019

Khulna, Bangladesh

CGPA: 3.31/4.00

# RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

## Visiting Ph.D. Researcher

Fall 2024

California, USA

University of Southern California (USC)

Working on the neuromorphic closed-loop neural prosthetic project:

O Polymer microelectrode arrays (MEA) implantation in the rodent hippocampus.

- Neural Signal (Local Field Potential) Acquisition during behavior tests.
- Spike sorting by kilosort4
- Using DeepLabCut to assess rodents' behavioral matrices.

### **Graduate Research Assistant**

Fall 2023 – Present

Michigan, USA

Dhaka Bangladesh

Michigan Technological University (MTU) Working on the closed-loop DBS system:

- Designing neuromorphic controller for closed-loop Deep Brain Stimulation (DBS) system for parkinson's diseases.
- o Built computational dataset for parkinson's diseases

## **Research Engineer**

September 2021 – March 2022

Advanced Intelligent Multidisciplinary Systems (AIMS) Lab, UIU

Dhaka Bangladesh

Worked on a neuromarketing project:

Designed experiments, collected and analyzed EEG signals and eye tracking data from human subjects watching marketing stimuli and predicted their responses (preference, purchase intention, and attention) through Support Vector Machine (SVM) classifier.

### **Research Assistant**

August 2019 – August 2021

# **Brainekt-Computer Software Company**

Dhaka, Bangladesh

- Worked on the following projects:
  - Wheelchair patient monitoring system using EEG signals.
  - Anomaly detection of ECG signal by dot Residual LSTM Network.
- o Working on the collaboration among independent researchers.

### **Operator**

February 2018 – February 2019

# Fabrication (FAB) Lab, KUET

Khulna, Bangladesh

- o Organized workshop on "Laser Cutting & Engraving".
- o Organized workshop on "Cutting Edge Fabrication Facilities".
- https://www2.kuet.ac.bd/fablab/operators-2018/

# GRANT & FELLOWSHIP

2024
2024
2024
2014
2014
2012

# PREPRINTS & PRESENTATIONS

Ananna Biswas, Hongyu An, "Preliminary Results of Neuromorphic Controller Design and a Parkinson's Disease Dataset Building for Closed-Loop Deep Brain Stimulation" arXiv, 2024.

Ananna Biswas and Hongyu An, Designing LIF-based Controllers for Neuromorphic Closed-Loop Deep Brain Stimulation by Building a Parkinson's Disease Dataset. International Conference on Neuromorphic Systems (ICONS), Arlington, Virginia. Poster: July 31, 2024.

**Ananna Biswas**, Abraham George, Asutosh Routa, Bhavika Gopalani, Cristian Lazo Quispe, Jongwon Yun, Joshua Philippe Olorocisimo, Manasa Boggarapu, Rouhong Wang, Tanushka Bhatia "Exploring the Mouse Visual Cortex", Neuromatch Conference. Flashtalk: August 2022.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

Ananna Biswas, Fazla Rabbi Mashrur, Khandoker Mahmudur Rahman, Mohammad Tohidul Islam Miya, Farhana Sarker, Khondaker A. Mamun, An Overview of Neuromarketing Research in Developing Countries: Prospects and Challenges, 2nd International Conference on Computing Advancements (ICCA) (2022).

Ananna Biswas, Zabir Al Nazi, Tasnim Azad Abir, <u>Invasive Ductal Carcinoma Detection</u> <u>by A Gated Recurrent Unit</u> <u>Network with Self Attention</u>, International Conference on Electrical Information and Communication Technology (EICT) (2019).

Zabir Al Nazi, **Ananna Biswas**, Md. Abu Rayhan, Tasnim Azad Abir, <u>Classification of ECG Signals by dot Residual LSTM Network with data augmentation for anomaly detection</u>, International Conference on Computer and Information Technology (ICCIT) (2019).

# TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, MATLAB, HTML, CSS, C++, C

Framework/ Tools: Kilosort, DeepLabCut, EEGLAB, Keras, TensorFlow, scikit-learn,

OpenCV, Pandas

Paper writing: LaTex, Endnote

Data Analysis and Presentation: SQL, MS Excel, MS Word, MS Power Point

IDEs: Jupyter Notebook, Spyder, Code Blocks. Operating Systems: Windows, Ubuntu, Linux

## WET LAB EXPERIENCE

Behavioral tasks on rodents.

Electrophysiology neural recordings on rodents.

Chronic surgeries (microelectrode implantation) on rodents.

## ONLINE COURSES AND TRAINING

- o NMA Computational Neuroscience by Neuromatch academy.
  - Intro to Modeling
  - Machine Learning
  - Dynamic Systems
  - Stochastic Process
- o The BCI & Neurotechnology Spring School 2022 by g.tec medical engineering GmbH.
- Ada Lovelace DATATHON 2021 by HERWILL and BdOSN:
  - Descriptive Analysis
  - Feature Engineering
  - Machine learning Models
  - Validation and Evaluation
- Introduction to Python (datacamp)
- Intermediate Python (datacamp)
- o Neural Networks and Deep Learning by deeplearning.ai (Coursera).
- o Improving Deep Neural Networks: Hyper parameter Tuning, Regularization and Optimization by deeplearning.ai (**Coursera**).
- o Git for Developers Using GitHub by Coursera Project Network (Coursera).
- Speak English Professionally: In Person, online & On the Phone by Georgia Institute of Technology (Coursera).

**GRADUATE &** 

**COURSES** 

Artificial Intelligence (AI), Probability & Stochastic Processes.

UNDERGRADUATE Machine Learning (ML), Intro to Big Data Analytics.

Data Structure & Algorithms, Database System, Internet Programming, C Programming,

Object Oriented Programming.

Digital Image Processing, Digital Signal Processing.

Numerical Analysis, Information Theory

Computer Networks.

**ACTIVITIES & LEADERSHIP** 

STEM Judge, Western U.P. STEM Fair & Festival

2024 2024

Judge, Design Expo, MTU

April 2018 – April 2019

Publication Secretary, MEC, KUET Treasurer, KUET Career Club (KCC, KUET)

March 2018 – March 2019

IT executive, KUET Unit Face of ESAB (Engineering Students Association of

Bangladesh)

July 2017 – July 2019 April 2018

Organizing committee member of Technival'18, KUET Organizing committee member of Career Carnival, KUET Organizing committee member of Robi Career Carnival, KUET

July 2017 August 2017