# BHANU TEJA GULLAPALLI

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#### **EDUCATION**

University of Massachusetts, Amherst	Sept '18 - Present
PhD in Computer Science (advised by Prof. Tauhidur Rahman)	
University of Massachusetts, Amherst	Feb '17 - Sept '18
MS in Computer Science	CGPA-3.95/4.0
Indian Institute of Technology, Guwahati	July '11 - May '15
Bachelor of Technology in Computer Science	CGPA-7.81/10.0

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Wearable Health Sensing
- Mobile Health Systems
- Machine Learning

#### **PAPERS**

• On-body Sensing of Cocaine Craving, Euphoria and Drug-Seeking Behavior Using Cardiac and Respiratory Signals

Gullapalli, B.T., Natarajan, A., Angarita, G.A., Malison, R.T., Ganesan, D. and Rahman, T. UBICOMP 2019

• A new hierarchical clustering algorithm to identify non-overlapping like-minded communities Deepak, T.S., Adhya, H., Kejriwal, S., Gullapalli, B. and Shannigrahi, S., HT 16

#### INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

Samsung R&D Institute, Bangalore, India	Jul '15 - Dec '16
Worked in the Video Editor team of Samsung Camera.	Bangalore, India
Samsung R&D Institute, Bangalore, India	May '14 - Aug '14
Developed a networking protocol for Samsung OS - Tizen.	Bangalore, India

#### KEY RESEARCH PROJECTS

# Opioid administration using wearable biosensors

Sameung R&D Institute Rangalore India

Sep '19 - Present

Detecting physiological changes in the subjects admitted to the emergency room after opioid administration.

#### Sensing Cocaine Craving, Euphoria and Drug-Seeking Behavior Using Cardiac and Respiratory Signals Apr '18 - Feb '19

Built a system which can understand and predict key variables of the addiction loop using ECG and the respiratory signal obtained from a wearable chest band.

# Drug Target prediction using Deep Representation Learning

Jan '18 - Apr '18

Using graph convolution and attention mechanism, built an interpretable system which can identify proteins affected by a drug.

## Tree-Structured Detector Cascade

May '17 - Aug '17

Developed a novel way to grow and find the optimal configuration of a tree-structured cascade and applied it to smoking detection.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>Use URL bhanutejagullapalli.github.io in case hyperlinks don't work

# ACHIEVEMENTS

- Received Spot Award in Samsung R&D Institute Bangalore for providing good solutions and coding skills
- Won the first prize at Samsung R&D Institute Bangalore tech-fair for developing a location-based filter for Samsung video editor.
- Listed among top 0.3% students of 0.5 million appearing in Joint Entrance Exam, IIT-JEE 2011
- Secured 961 rank in All India Engineering Entrance Exam (AIEEE) 2011 taken by 1.2 million people.