Heinsamding Thou

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Education

Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay	Jan 2022 – Present
PhD in Computer Science and Engineering	*Mumbai, India*
National Institute of Technology, Karnataka	July 2019 – June 2021
M.Tech in Computer Science and Engineering	*Karnataka, India*
National Institute of Technology, Nagaland	August 2014 – June 2018
B.Tech in Computer Science and Engineering	*Nagaland, India*

Research Experience

Visual Feedback for audio conferencing applications   Dec, 2022 – Present
IIT Bombay   *Mumbai, India*

- Currently working on audio conferencing application which enhances user experience by giving visual feedback to the user in poor network conditions, which can also be extended for educational purposes under the guidance of Prof. Bhaskaran Raman (Professor, IIT Bombay, CSE)

Other Experience

Teaching Assistant   Jan, 2022 – Present
IIT Bombay   *Mumbai, India*

- CS224M – Computer Networks Minor (Jan 2022 – Current) by Prof. Bhaskaran Raman
- CS348 – Computer Networks (July 2024 – Dec 2024) by Prof. Vinay Ribeiro
- CS378 – Computer Networks Lab (July 2024 – Dec 2024) by Prof. Vinay Ribeiro
- CS745 – Principles of Data and System Security (Jan 2024 – May 2024) by Prof. Virendra Singh
- CS224 – Computer Networks (July 2023 – Dec 2023) by Prof. Vinay Ribeiro
- CS224 – Computer Networks (Jan 2023 – May 2023) by Prof. Bhaskaran Raman
- CS224M – Computer Networks Minor (July 2022 – Dec 2022) by Prof. Vinay Ribeiro
- CS152/CS154 – Abstractions and Paradigms for Programming (Jan 2022 – June 2022) by Prof. Rushikesh K. Joshi

Teaching Assistant   Jan, 2021 – June, 2021
National Institute of Technology, Karnataka   *Karnataka, India*

- CS111 – C Programming Lab (May 2021 – June 2021)
- CS255 – Operating System (Jan 2021 – April 2021)

Publications

1. **Thou, Heinsamding, et al. "Visual Feedback Interface for Audio Communication Over Lossy and High Delay Networks." Indian Conference on Human-Computer Interaction Design and Research. Cham: Springer Nature Switzerland, 2024.**

Projects

1. **Visual Feedback Interface for Audio Communication Over Lossy and High Delay Networks**
   Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay
   Guide – Dr. Bhaskaran Raman, CSE, IITB

2. **Congestion Control in OVS (Open vSwitch) using ingress policing**
   National Institute of Technology, Karnataka
   Guide – Dr. Saumya Hegde, CSE, NITK

3. **A lightweight authentication and key agreement for multi-server architecture**
   National Institute of Technology, Nagaland
   Guide – Dr. Sibesh Lodh, CSE, NITN

Presentations

Poster Presentation: "Visual Feedback Interface for Audio Communication Over Lossy and High Delay Networks"
Conference: COMPASS 2024
Venue: IIIT Delhi
Date: 7th - 9th July 2024

Doctoral Consortium: "Visual Feedback Interface for Audio Communication Over Lossy and High Delay Networks"
Conference: COMPASS 2024
Venue: IIIT Delhi
Date: 7th - 9th July 2024

Poster Presentation: "Visual Feedback Interface for Audio Communication Over Lossy and High Delay Networks"
Conference: RISC 2024
Venue: Indian Institute of Technology Bombay (IITB)
Date: 9th March 2024
Description: Presented a poster on the topic of "Visual Feedback Interface for Audio Communication Over Lossy and High Delay Networks" at RISC 2024, held at IITB. The presentation addressed challenges encountered in audio communication under adverse network conditions, proposed solutions aimed at enhancing user experience, and presented findings from a conducted user study validating our hypotheses.

Specialized Skills

Programming Languages: C, C++, Python, Java
Tools: Wireshark, Docker, Mininet, Microsoft Excel

Hobbies

Athletics: Football, Gym
Gaming (PC/PS): FIFA (Participated and won in many competitions)