# HARSHIT TOMAR

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## + PERSONAL SUMMARY

An inquisitive student, a keen learner, and a problem solver, always willing to dive deep into a problem for novel solutions. I look forward to challenging opportunities to redefine my potential and leave an impact. Highly interested in Bio-Medical Signal Processing, Wearable Devices, Virtual Reality, and Applications of Machine Learning in Bio-Signal Analysis. To date, my projects have resulted in patent, and articles in the journals of Elsevier, Frontiers, and IEEE.

## **★** WORK EXPERIENCE

**PROJECT INTERN, Supervisor: Guillermo Bernal** 

MIT MEDIA Lab (Fluid Interfaces Group)

• Currently collaborating on a project based on Affective VR.

**RESEARCH INTERN, Supervisor: Dr. Tiago H. Falk** 

MuSAE Lab (INRS-EMT)

• Worked to measure engagement levels using ECG and BVP signals in a VR environment.

• Performed an extensive literature survey to choose best features.

RESEARCH INTERN, Supervisor: Dr. Mohamed Elgendi

University of Manitoba

Mar 2021 - May 2021

- Worked on the issue of biasness in pulse oximeters by utilizing the data created.
- Extracted and represented data consisting PPG signals.

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT RESEARCHER, Supervisor: Dr. Rama Komaragiri

Collaborating Supervisors: Dr. Manjeet Kumar (DTU, Delhi) and Dr. Ashish Kumar (VIT Chennai)

Electronics Department, Bennett University

Mar 2020 - Feb 2021

Greater Noida, India

Cambridge, USA

Aug 2021 - Present

Montreal, Canada

Manitoba, Canada

May 2021 – Aug 2021

- Worked on developing Biomedical Signal Processing algorithms suitable for VLSI implementation.
- Attained the basics of Signal Processing and Multivariate DSP.

#### PUBLICATIONS AND PROJECTS

### 1. PATENTS

• Electroencephalography (EEG) Monitoring Device Indian Patent (Application Number: 202111000601)

#### 2. JOURNAL ARTICLES

- Stationary wavelet transform based ECG signal denoising method. Kumar, A., Tomar, H., Mehla, V., Kumar, M., Komaragiri, R. ISA Transactions, ELSEVIER. DOI
- A novel algorithm for R-peak detection using convolution followed by HRV analysis. Harshit Tomar, Ashish Kumar., Manjeet Kumar, Rama Komaragiri. Under review in the Elsevier Journal.
- The striking need for age diverse pulse oximeter databases. DOI Mohamed Elgendi, Richard R. Fletcher., Harshit Tomar, John Allen, Rabab Ward, Carlo Menon. Translational Medicine, Frontiers.

#### 3. CONFERENCE ARTICLES

• Classification of normal and abnormal ECG signals using support vector machine and fourier decomposition method. Kumar, A., Mehla, V., Tomar, H., Kumar, M., Komaragiri, R. IEEE-iSES 2020. DOI (Selected for the special issue of Springer Nature Computer Science Journal)

#### 4. ON GOING PROJECTS

- Engagement analysis using using ECG and BVP signals in an IVE. ~ Almost complete
- Noise detector in an ECG signal using superlet transform and deep learning. ~ Currently working
- Review paper on selecting features for engagement analysis. ~ Ready for submission to a journal

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• Training VR avatars to allow them to become more expressive in VR environment using EMG signals. ~ Currently working

## **+** EDUCATION

## **BACHELOR OF TECHNOLOGY,** CGPA: 8.11 (Till 6<sup>th</sup> Sem)

Bennett University

Greater Noida, India Jul 2018 – May 2022 (Tentative)

- Part of sports committee and also serving in university's badminton team.
- Relevant Courses: Signals and System, Digital Signal Processing, Analog Circuits I and II, Probability Theory and Stochastic Processes, Machine Learning.

## **HIGHER SECONDARY (GRADE 12)**

Noida, India May 2016 – Mar 2018

Sarla Chopra D.A.V Public School, Noida

- Graduated with aggregate marks of 92%.
- Led the school's handball team and participated in badminton championships.

## + TECHNICAL SKILLS

- MATLAB
- Lt Spice
- Mathematica
- Python

- LaTeX
- C++
- VHDL
- Symica

## + CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

### **ORGANISING BOARD (APPS AND ANALYTICS)**

April 2020 - April 2021

Sports Department, Bennett University

<u>Credentials</u>

• Worked on launching an app to handle all the activities of the sports department.

## **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

1<sup>st</sup> Jun 2019 – 15<sup>th</sup> Jul 2019

Child Care & Development Foundation

<u>Credentials</u>

• Worked in the education department as teaching faculty.

#### **+** ACHIEVEMENTS

- Led and finished in the Top 10 Teams at Tinker-Hack (Hackathon) held at IIIT Delhi, India.
- Qualified NGSE (National Genius Search Examination).
- Participated in and won the various zonal and state-level competitions in sports.
- Accepted by Bennett University with 30% of student scholarship.
- Selected in undergraduate summer research internship program at MuSAE Lab, INRS-EMT, Montreal, Canada.

#### + SOFT SKILLS

- Leadership
- Time Management
- Self Motivation
- Teamwork

## **+** HOBBIES

- Badminton
- Handball
- Photography
- Trekking

#### **+** LANGUAGES

- English ~ Professional
- Hindi ~ Mother Tongue
- German ~ Beginner