

## Project proposal 1:

I'd like to do my project on the Smartphone-Based Recognition of Human Activities and Postural Transitions Data Set (<http://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/Smartphone-Based+Recognition+of+Human+Activities+and+Postural+Transitions>). My interest in this is that it involves using smartphones, specifically a Samsung Galaxy S II. I plan to try to use various classifying and clustering methods to determine which one of those methods will most accurately classify the data. I will probably start by trying things like k-means and pca and then go on from there. My current goal is to see which classifying method will be the most accurate for the data. I have not gone through the papers yet, but these are the papers that I intend to go through, and I will determine which will be involved in the end result.

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## Project proposal 2:

My other idea for a project is to do something with a parallax activity bot. If I can figure out if I can work with the data using propeller c, which is what I'm currently uncertain of, I would like to potentially teach the robot how to make shapes. My motivation for this one is based off of the paper I read for the midterm. If I did this option, I would need to create my own dataset of the shapes I order to teach the robot about how to classify the shapes. Ideally, the goal of this project is that the robot would then learn how to classify future shapes given to it on its own and would be able to do it unsupervised.