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OBJECTIVE

Looking for opportunities in areas related to wireless sensing, SLAM, gesture recognition, and IoT based automation.

EDUCATION

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| University of California, Santa Barbara, USA | G.P.A. 4.0/4.0 | 2014-Present |
| Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering (ECE) | | |
| PhD in ECE, Research Focus: Wireless Sensing | | March 2020 (expected) |
| MS in ECE, Major: Communications and Signal Processing | | Dec 2016 |
| IIT Kharagpur, India | G.P.A. 8.45/10 | 2008-2013 |
| Bachelor of Technology (Honors) in Electronics and Electrical Communication Engineering | | |
| Master of Technology (Dual Degree) – Telecommunication Systems Engineering | | |

RESEARCH PROJECTS

Sensing and Inference using low cost mm-wave systems. Advisor: U. Madhow 2015-Present

- Geometry-Assisted data association for instantaneous localization with distributed millimeter wave sensors.
- Multi-objective optimization to construct large-effective aperture antennas using sparse array of subarrays.
- Enhanced accuracy and Super-Resolution algorithms for 2D FMCW radar systems.

Energy efficient MAC protocols for wireless sensor networks. Advisor: R Datta 2011-2013

- Designed energy efficient contention resolution protocols (SMAC) for centralized & ad-hoc sensor networks.
- Analyzed performance using a Discrete time Markov chain model and validated with simulations in NS2.

INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

Stealth Startup, San Francisco Bay Area, USA: Engineering Intern Summer 2019
Perception for Autonomy
Explored state of the art signal processing algorithms for sensing and imaging applications in the RF domain.
Benchmarking and proposing new system level solutions and features.

Qualcomm Inc., San Diego, USA: Interim Engineering Intern Summer 2017
Close range detection for RF exposure compliance in 5G mm-wave systems
Algorithm design for object range detection & mutual coupling cancellation in 5G NR terminals.

National Instruments R&D, India: RF Algorithm Software Engineer 2013-2014
Baseband signal processing algorithm design for OFDM-MIMO based 802.11n/ac WLAN.

Physical layer design for a NFC transmitter on FPGA. Summer 2012
Developed RF interface for testing NFC tags using NI RIO hardware and tested TX signals using Agilent MXA.

FPGA-PC hybrid implementation of fractional re-sampler for NI GPS toolkit. Summer 2011
Reduced the latency of generating composite GPS signals by resampling using polyphase filter banks on FPGA.

PUBLICATIONS & PATENTS

- R. Rimini, **A. Gupta**, “Proximity detection using adaptive mutual coupling cancellation”, U.S. Patent Application 15/984,233, filed May 2018. Patent Pending.
- **A. Gupta**, U. Madhow, A. Arbabian and A. Sadri, “Design of Large Effective Apertures for Millimeter Wave Systems using a Sparse Array of Subarrays”, IEEE Transactions on Signal Processing (accepted)
- **A. Gupta** and U. Madhow, “Efficient data association using joint Range-Doppler features for Multisensor-Multitarget State Estimation”, IEEE Transactions on Signal Processing (in preparation)
- **A. Gupta**, U. Madhow, A. Arbabian and A. Sadri, “On beam design for sparse arrays of subarrays using multi-objective optimization and estimation-theoretic criteria”, 51st Asilomar Conference on Signals, Systems and Computers, 2017, Pacific Grove, USA.
- **A. Gupta**, U. Madhow, and A. Arbabian, “Super-resolution in position and velocity estimation for short-range mm wave radar”, 50th Asilomar Conference on Signals, Systems and Computers, 2016, Pacific Grove, USA.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

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| <i>Programming Languages:</i> | Python (<i>fluent</i>), C/C++ (<i>past experience</i>) |
| <i>Engineering Tools:</i> | MATLAB, LabVIEW, Network Simulator (NS)-2 |
| <i>Test and measurement:</i> | NI PXI-based vector signal transceiver, Signal generator, Oscilloscope |

ACADEMIC DISTINCTIONS

Secured All India Rank of 962 ($< 0.27\%$) in IIT-Joint Entrance Examination 2008.
Secured All India Rank of 217 ($< 0.1\%$) in Graduate Aptitude Test in Engineering 2013 ECE.

POSITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY

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| Science Project Advisor | Partners in Education, Santa Barbara | October, 2018 |
| Teaching Assistant | Digital Communication course & lab, UCSB | Oct, 2014-March 2015 |
| | Basic Electronics Lab, IIT Kharagpur | Jan-April, 2013 |
| | Basic Network theory lab, IIT Kharagpur | July-Nov, 2012 |
| Technical Head, Anadigix | Circuit design competition at IIT Kharagpur | January, 2011 |

GRADUATE COURSEWORK

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| Matrix Analysis & Computations | Machine Learning |
| Data Structure & Object Representation | Pattern Recognition |
| Stochastic Processes in Engineering | Non-cooperative Game Theory |
| Adaptive Filter Theory | Error Correction Codes |
| Optimal Estimation & Filtering | Game-theoretic Mechanism Design |