# Titipat Achakulvisut

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Interests	Machine Learning, Text Mining, Signal Processing, Adaptive Filtering, Optimization, Computational Neuroscience, Control Systems	
EDUCATION	Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, USA Ph.D., Biomedical Engineering	2015 – Present
	Northwestern University, Evanston, IL, USA M.S., Biomedical Engineering	$2013 - 2015 \ (\mathrm{GPA}\ 3.94/4.0)$
	Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand B.Eng, Electrical Engineering First Class Honors	2008 - 2012 (GPA $3.87/4.0$ )
	Suankularb Wittayalai School, Bangkok, Thailand Secondary School, Math & Science Program	2003 - 2008 (GPA $3.98/4.0$ )
Awards & Fellowships	Microsoft Azure Research Award $$20,000$ $2^{nd}$ place, data visualization challenge	$2015 - 2016 \ 2015$
	Northwestern University Computational Research day, Wo Royal Thai Government Scholarship, Ministry of Science a Outstanding Academic Performance in Engineering	_
	Nominated candidate for the Ananda Mahidol Scholarship SCG Innovative Suggestion Award Measure Lubricant Quality using Dielectric Constant	
	First place in Mathematics Entrance Exam ONET, National Institute of Education Testing Service, T	2008 hailand
RESEARCH EXPERIENCE	Master's Research Bayesian Behavior Laboratory Rehabilitation Institute of Chicago (RIC), Northwestern U Advisor: Konrad Kording Research: Scholarfy - Recommendation system for scientific	
	Research Intern  AIM Laboratory, Department of Biomedical Engineering  Mahidol University, Salaya, Thailand	August 2012 – August 2013
	Undergraduate Research/Research Assistant DSPRL Laboratory, Department of Electrical Engineering Chulalongkorn University, Bangkok, Thailand Advisor: Nisachon Tangsangiumvisai Research: Adaptive Filter and Noise Reduction Algorithm	2011-2012
TALK	Invited talk at Knowledge Lab, University of Chicago Invited talk at SONIC lab, Northwestern University	November 2015 April 2015
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Journal Article T. Achakulvisut, D. E. Acuna, T. Ruangrong, K. P. Kording, Scholarfy - Recommendation system for scientific publications (In preparation)

**PUBLICATION** 

## D. E. Acuna, T. Achakulvisut, K. P. Kording

October 2015

How to visit 0.5% of 15,000 possible posters? Automated poster visit scheduler for SfN

Society for Neuroscience conference (See sf. science of science.org)

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June 2015

Website for Automatic Reviewer Assignment and Manuscript Scoring Science of Team Science conference (See pr.scienceofscience.org)

Patent

Konrad Kording, Daniel E. Acuna, Titipat Achakulvisut. Data Butler. U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 62/218,998, filed September 15, 2015 2015

(assignee Rehabilitation Institution of Chicago)

**MEDIA** 

PLOS Blogs, #PLOS #SfN15 preview: build your itinerary with this great new tool (see article)

#### **PROJECTS**

#### Institution Disambiguation

Applying disambiguation algorithm to extract institutions from the Pubmed Open Access Subset and linking them to NIH grants (ongoing project)

### Pubmed Open Access Subset Parser

Python XML parser for PubMed open-access subset (See on Github)

## Neural Event Reconstruction and Detection via Sparsity (NERDS)

Matlab package implementing blind deconvolution method for neural spike recovery from calcium signal. Implementation of algorithm invented by E. L. Dyer (See on Github)

## Optimal Control of Thrust-Vectored Hovering Rocket

Simulation of projection-based optimal control of non-linear system in Mathematica. This was the final project in an Optimal Control of Nonlinear Systems class taught by Prof. Todd Murphey

#### Lagrangian Mechanics of Trapezoidal Box with Movable Link

Simulation of a complex dynamical system including impact using Lagrangian mechanics method in Mathematica. This was the final class project in Theory of Machine Dynamics taught by Prof. Todd Murphey

# Framework for Brain Image Segmentation using modified Fuzzy C-Means Clustering Algorithm

Research assistant under the supervision of Assoc. Prof. Panrasee Ritthipravat at AIM Laboratory. This project included a collaboration with Zaw Htet Aung and Tulakarn Ruangroug from the class project Intelligence Systems and Biomedical Signal Processing class project

# A Noise Reduction Technique for Hands-Free Telephony in a Car Environment, M-Max LMS Adaptive Algorithm in Hands-Free Telephony

Senior Projects at Digital Signal Processing Research Laboratory (DSPRL) under the supervision of Assoc. Prof. Nisachon Tangsangiumvisai

Member of the McCormick Graduate Leadership Council, Northwestern U.	2014 - 2015
IEEE Student Membership	2011-2015
Member of the Engineering Students Academic Club	2008 - 2011
Member of the Engineering Light and Sound Club	2008 - 2011
Vice president of the Suankularb Buddhist Club	
Member of the Suankularb Chorus Club	2006 - 2007

SELECTED SEXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Summer School in Computational Sensory-Motor Neuroscience (CoSMo)

Brain Fair
Volunteered with Northwestern University Brain Awareness Outreach (NUBAO) educating Chicago

Volunteered with Northwestern University Brain Awareness Outreach (NUBAO) educating Chicago community about the brain

Chulalongkorn University Open House

2012

2014

Volunteer with the Flood Relief Project

2011

 $Checked\ electrical\ damages\ in\ flooded\ house\ and\ collect\ refugee's\ data\ using\ RFID\ device\ at\ Chulalongkorn\ University\ flood\ evacuation\ center$ 

Head of Educational Parts, NECTEC Electronics Camp

2010

Taught basic electronics and circuit theory using laboratory experiments

Member of the Funfueng Camp

2008 - 2010

Tutored Mathematics and Natural Sciences to students in remote areas of Thailand

Head of Freshmen Tutorial Project

2009

Recruited engineering tutors for Calculus, Physics, Chemistry, and Basic Computer Programming (I was also a tutor from 2008 – 2012)

Staff of Chulalongkorn University Freshmen Orientation Camp

2009

Physics Olympiad Camp

2006 - 2007

Computer Skills

Programming and Scripting Languages:

Advanced: Python (NumPy, scikit-learn, pandas), MATLAB, Mathematica, R, C Intermediate: Julia, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Java, Apache Spark, AngularJS, Scala

Others: LATEX, Emacs, Git, Adobe Illustrator, Microsoft Office

Cloud Computing: Amazon EC2, Google Cloud Computing, Microsoft Azure

Operating Systems: Mac OS X, Linux, Windows

LANGUAGES

Thai (Native), English (Proficient)