

## Scholastic Achievements

- Received **Undergraduate Research Award** for outstanding research on Fractional Fourier Transform
- Awarded **Institute Academic Prize** for exceptional academic performance in the year 2013-14
- Completed Minor degree in **Mathematics** with CPI of 9.25 and currently pursuing Honors
- **One of 14** selected from India for **ITCSC-INC Winter School 2014** organized by CUHK, Hong Kong.
- Ranked **28th** in India in **IIT JEE 2011** exam taken by more than 500,000 students
- Secured **3rd rank** in **EAMCET 2011** written by 300,000 students
- Won **Gold medal** in Indian National **Chemistry Olympiad** and attended the Orientation cum Selection Camp for International Chemistry Olympiad 2011
- Among the **Top 300** in the country to be selected for Indian national **Physics** olympiad and Indian national **Astronomy** olympiad.

## Internships and Research Experience

### Coded Modulation for Coherent Optical Communication Systems

May 2014 - July 2014

Guide: Prof. LA Rusch, Centre d'optique, photonique et laser (COPL), Quebec

- **Simulated** 16 QAM coherent modulation for optical communication system in **MATLAB** and performed **Monte-Carlo** simulations to obtain BER vs OSNR curves for various lasers and signal constellations
- Collected raw data from back-to-back **experiments** and extracted phase data from raw data with offline carrier **Phase Recovery DSP** algorithms
- Analysed this data to evaluate the coding gain of **Multi-level coded modulation** (MLCM) for a constellation designed to mitigate ENOB limitations of DAC used in modulation

### Fractional Fourier Transform and Chirp Parameter Estimation

May 2013- July 2013

Guide: Prof. V.M.Gadre, IIT Bombay

- Surveyed literature on Fractional Fourier Transform and on various ways to discretize it
- **Formulated** and **proved** correctness of a **DSP algorithm** to estimate chirp parameters from noisy samples. Evaluated accuracy of the algorithm in presence of noise by simulating the setup in MATLAB
- Proved **Uncertainty Principle** for a new generalised transform extending fractional Fourier transforms

### Optoelectronic Emitters : Seminar at Indo-European Winter Academy

December 2013

Tutor: Prof. N.DasGupta, IIT Madras

- One of 5 to represent IIT Bombay at Indo-European winter academy 2013, Guwahati organised jointly by 7 IITs, FAU-Erlangen-Nuremberg, KTH Stockholm
- **Presented a 1 hour seminar talk** on Optoelectronic Emitters covering physical principles and devices
- Attended the course “High Performance Computing with applications in Electrical Engineering, Materials and processes” which involves similar seminar talks on advanced topics and intense discussion

## Positions of Responsibility

### Teaching Assistant

MA 105 : Calculus

Autumn 2012,13,14

MA 106 : Linear Algebra

Spring 2014

MA 108 : Differential equations

Spring 2014

- **Tutored** 40 strength class **once a week** clarifying doubts among other duties like scrutinizing quizzes

## Joint Secretary, Electrical Engineering Students Association

2013-14

- Restructured the policy of SPAS to streamlined functioning in coordination with **50 professors** which led to a 50 % increase in number of projects floated and a **70 % increase** in successfully completed projects
- Planned and successfully executed 2 outings for 300 students handling a budget of **INR 1,20,000**

## Publicity Manager, Aagomani 2013, Annual festival of EE Department

2012-13

- Increased outreach of events leading to increase in footfall by 200% by handling budget of **INR 30,000**
- Collaborated with Technophilia in publicizing in colleges all over India

## Projects Undertaken

### Pipelined ARM Processor

Spring 2014

Guide: Prof. Virendra Singh, IIT Bombay

- Architected a **6-stage pipelined** processor based on the **ARM7TDMI** Instruction Set
- Simulated the execution of instructions after designing the processor using **Verilog HDL**

### LZW compression algorithm and decoding LDPC codes

Spring 2014

Guide: Prof. Ganesh Ramakrishnan, IIT Bombay

- Programmed **Lempel-Zev-Welch** compression and uncompression algorithm in **Java**
- Achieved about **50 % compression** ratio in the compressing large text files
- Implemented decoding of **LDPC codes** using **sum-product algorithm** in Java using specially designed data structure: Factor Graph

### Wireless Communication using Amplitude Shift Keying (ASK)

Autumn 2013

Guide: Prof. J.Mukherjee, IIT Bombay

- Designed **Analog circuits** for ASK modulation and demodulation for medium wave band
- Transmitted and received the modulated waveforms wirelessly through **monopole antennae**
- Used a microcontroller to send bit data and another to receive the data using **UART protocol** over this channel, thereby transmitting a text message wirelessly

### Photodetection using LEDS

Spring 2013

Guide: Prof. S.Lodha, IIT Bombay

- Used LEDs to **sense light** rather than using photodiodes using a lesser known technique
- Described hardware using **Verilog** and implemented it on **FPGA** to sense light incident on LED array
- Displayed the pattern of incident light on **graphic LCD** accurately

## Key Courses

**Electical Engineering** : Information Theory, Error Correcting Codes, Digital Signal Processing, Stochastic Optimisation, Probability and Random Processes

**Mathematics & CS** : Graph Theory, Image Processing, Data structures & Algorithms, Real and Complex Analysis, Abstract Algebra

**Others** : Quantum Information and Computing, Data Analysis and Interpretation, Philosophy

## Extra-Curricular Activities

- Attended NSERC summer school on **effective communication** at McGill university, Montreal. Practiced presenting **status reports** and **pitching in a project** in presence of industry experts.
- Awarded *bien* grade in Basic **French** course attested by Alliance Francaise de Bombay
- Attended the **Annual Training Camp** organised by 2, MAH Regiment NCC and passed the B certificate examination under the authority of Ministry of Defence, Govt. of India
- **Coordinator** for competitions group of Techfest 2012. Planned and organised the event International Robotics Challenge which had 300 participants from over 5 countries