# Résumé

# Objective

Apply 12+ years of research and commercialisation experience to develop and improve state-of-the art machine-learning research algorithms and turn them into useful, reusable code that can make life easier for researchers, engineers, and the wider public.

### Personal Particulars

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## Work Experience

University of QLD February 2017 to present

ug.edu.au

Lecturer in Data Science Contribute to the training of data scientists who can tackle real-

world problems in business, government and science.

Wink Health September 2016 to January 2017

winkhealth.com

Employee #1, Data Scientist

Research, implementation, and integration of signal processing and machine learning algorithms into production systems for the detection of abnormal sleep patterns from smart-phone applications.

- Developing an evaluation framework, and designing and deploying an associated distributed processing Docker-based AWS cluster to evaluate signal processing and machine-learning algorithms for abnormal sleep detection.
- Integration of signal processing and machine-learning techniques into production API for use in customerfacing applications.

#### **Queensland University of Technology**

February 2004 to present

qut.edu.au/research/saivt

Senior machine learning researcher at the Speech, Audio, Image and Video Technology (SAIVT) Laboratory

Visiting Senior Research Fellow

Senior Research Fellow (prior to July 2016)

Research Fellow (prior to 2014)

Supervision of PhD students and junior post-docs and conducting novel research over a wide range of ARC, CRC and industry supported research areas, including:

- Developing novel techniques for and commercial implementation of speaker diarisation across court recordings (government and industry funded)
- Improving the performance of speaker recognition approaches in short and mismatched enrolment and verification conditions (gov. and industry funded)
- Organising the collection of real-world databases for the evaluation and development of audio and/or visual speech processing algorithms (gov. funded)

Selected Industry and Academic Research Partners AutoCRC • Smart Services CRC • ValidVoice • NSSTC/DST • Auscript • For The Record • University of Avignon • Radboud University • Universidad Autónoma de Madrid • DevAudio

Clockwork Computing May 1999 to February 2004

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### Academic

Queensland University of Technology Feb 1999 to present (visiting since July 2016)

Publications 558 citations across 70+ publications, with 19 publications

having more than 10 citations, and a h-index of 13.

Full list available at bit.ly/ddscholar.

Publication Venues Speech Communication • Computer Speech and Language •

IEEE Transactions on Audio, Speech and Language
Processing • International Conference on Acoustics Speech
and Signal Processing (ICASSP) • Interspeech • Auditory-

Visual Speech Processing (AVSP)

PhD Supervision Visual Recognition of Human Behaviour in Noisy

Environments Rajitha Navarathna (2009–2013)

Robust Automatic Speaker Linking and Attribution

Houman Ghaemmaghami (2010–2013)

Speaker Recognition Using I-Vector Features

Ahllan Kanagasundaram (2010–2014)

Improving Spoken Term Detection Using Complementary Information Shahram Kalantari (2011–2015)

Domain Adaptation for Speaker Attribution

MD Hafizur Rahman (2014–2017)

Speaker Recognition in High Noise Environments

Ahmed Kamil (2014-2017)

Multimodal Emotional Recognition Using Deep Learning

Dung Nyugen Tien (2015–2018)

Doctor of Philosophy February 2004 to March 2008

Synchronous HMMs for Audio-Visual Speech Processing

Bachelor of Information Technology

(with Distinction)

Bachelor of Engineering – Electronics

gineering – Electronics (First Class Honours) February 1999 to November 2003

GPA of 6.425 (on a 1 to 7 scale, 7 being highest)

High Distinction or Distinction in 85% of subjects

## **Professional**

Memberships IEEE • ISCA • ASSTA • OSMF

Technical Review Committees Interspeech • ICASSP • SST • Speaker Odyssey • IEEE

Transactions on Multimedia • IEEE Transactions on Audio, Speech and Language Processing • Computer Speech and

Language - Speech Communication

Invited Speaker SLAM 2015 (keynote) - Biometrics Institute - Auto CRC -

**Smart Services CRC** 

## Technical Experience

Research Audio-visual speech • Speaker recognition • Speaker

diarisation • Speech activity detection • Image processing • Reproducable research code • Releasing research databases

Software Engineering/DevOps Project Managment • Research Commercialisation • C/C++ •

Python • Shell • MATLAB/Octave • Javascript • HTK • Git • Django • PostgreSQL • MySQL • Docker • Linux • Amazon

Web Services • Grid Engine/PBS