

# ASHISH GOYAL

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## OBJECTIVE

A PhD position in Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science utilizing skills in machine learning, signal processing and statistics.

## EDUCATION

*Bachelor and Master of Technology (Integrated)* in Electrical Engineering  
Specialization in Communication and Signal Processing  
Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay, India (MH) 400076      GPA 9.08 / 10      2012 - 2017  
THESIS - Deep Networks for Analyzing Group Activity

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

*Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay, India (MH)*      July 2016 - July 2017  
Department of Electrical Engineering      (Master thesis)

- Developed deep networks trained to analyze surveillance videos and detect potentially anomalous scenarios. Paper accepted for presentation in the proceedings of ICVGIP 2016.
- Tracked individual persons and activities - standing and walking. Discovered groups of people in crowd and their collective activities - walking, crossing a road, talking and waiting in a queue together.

*Samsung Research Institute*      August 2017 - Present  
Advanced Technology Labs, Bangalore, KA      (Lead Engineer)

- Developed technologies for remote eye health care, created screening tests for visual acuity and perimetry using a virtual reality (VR) headset. Paper accepted in the proceedings of EMBC 2018.
- Invented a mechanism for changing accommodation depth in common VR headsets without complex optical instruments and used it for measuring spherical refractive power of adult human eye.
- Developed methods for contact free human-device interaction without invading privacy using ultra-wide band (UWB) radar. Created real-time algorithms for detecting human proximity and identifying gestures from reflected UWB signals using wavelet analysis.
- Two international patents (one as primary inventor, co-author in other), Samsung Best Paper Award, Samsung Spot Award and professional software designer certification.

SINAPSE Laboratory      May - July 2015  
National University of Singapore      (Internship)

- Developed a real-time algorithm to track and follow moving objects using dynamic vision sensor (DVS) mounted on a hexapod in a swarm robotics scenario. Paper accepted in EMBS BioRob 2016.
- Algorithm involved cluster initialization using k-means and an on-line method for assigning subsequent sensor data to moving and static clusters using time series analysis.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

- "Estimation of Spherical Refractive Errors Using Virtual Reality Headset," 40<sup>th</sup> International Engineering in Medicine and Biology Conference 2018
- "Hierarchical Deep Network for Group Discovery and Multi-level Activity Recognition," 11<sup>th</sup> Indian Conference on Computer Vision, Graphics and Image Processing 2018
- "Real-Time robot tracking and following with neuromorphic vision sensor," 6<sup>th</sup> IEEE RAS/EMBS International Conference on Biomedical Robotics and Biomechatronics - BioRob 2016

## **COMPUTING SKILLS**

C, C++, Python, TensorFlow, Keras, Assembly, Verilog, Java, Django, LTspice, Arduino, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X

## **HONORS**

Department Academic Mentor, IIT Bombay 2016  
Special mention, inter-hostel technical competitions, IIT Bombay 2014  
Spot award, Samsung 2020  
Professional software design certification, Samsung 2018

## **INTERESTS**

Playing music - classical, bass and electric guitar, drums and piano. Mountaineering - completed 5 day expedition to Kedarkantha (4000 meters, -20 degree Celsius). Trekking. Photography.