KISHOR PATIL

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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Stochastic Modelling, Queueing theory, Markov Decision Processes, Reinforcement Learning, Multi-Arm Restless Bandits, Mean Field Approximation.

EDUCATION

Ph.D., Telecommunications and Information Processing, Ghent University	Dec. 2015 - Sept. 2019
M.Tech., Industrial Engineering and Operations Research, IIT Bombay (GPA: 9.16/10)	Jul. 2012 - Jun. 2014
B.Tech., Electronics and Telecommunication, SGGSIET Nanded (GPA: 8.43/10)	Jul. 2008 - Jun. 2012

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Postdoctoral Fellow

Oct. 2019 - Present

INRIA, Sophia Antipolis, France Advisor: Dr. K. Avrachenkov

Reinforcement learning with applications in adaptive web crawling.

Ph.D. Research

Ghent University, Ghent, Belgium

Advisors: Prof. D. Fiems, Dr. K. De Turck Stochastic modelling of wireless sensor networks.

Visiting Research Fellow

Sep. 2018 - Nov. 2018

Laboratoire des Signaux et Systèmes, CentraleSupélec, Paris, France

Supervisor: Dr. K. De Turck

Optimal control in large scale wireless sensor networks - A mean field approach

Masters Thesis May. 2013 - Jun. 2014

IIT Bombay, Mumbai, India Advisor: Prof. N. Hemachandra

Firm User-set Interactions in the Context of Admission Control Queues - Equilibrium sets

JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

- · K. Patil, M. Jafri, D. Fiems and A. Marin. Stochastic Modeling of Depth Based Routing in Underwater Sensor Networks. Ad Hoc Networks 1570-8705 (19): 132-141, 2019, Impact Factor 3.643
- · K. Patil, K. De Turck, and D. Fiems. Optimal data collection in wireless sensor networks with correlated energy harvesting. *Annals of Telecommunication* 1958-9395: 1-12, 2018. Impact Factor 1.546
- · K. Patil, and D. Fiems. The value of information in energy harvesting sensor networks. *Operations Research Letters* 46 (3): 362-366, 2018. Impact Factor 0.757
- · K. Patil, K. De Turck, Koen and D. Fiems. A two-queue model for optimising the value of information in energy-harvesting sensor networks. *Performance Evaluation* 0166-5316 (119): 27-42, 2017. Impact Factor 1.567
- · K. Patil, K. De Turck, and D. Fiems. Optimal control in large scale wireless sensor networks A mean field approach . Sensor Networks, under preparation, 2020.
- · N. Hemachandra, K. Patil, and S. Tripathi. Equilibrium points and equilibrium sets of some GI/M/1 queues Queueing Systems, Submitted First revision completed, 2020. Impact Factor 1.114
- · K. Avrachenkov, **K.Patil** and G. Thoppe. Online Algorithms for Estimating Change Rates of Web Pages. *Performance evaluation, Submitted* 2020. Impact Factor 1.567

PROCEEDINGS AND REPORTS

- · K. Avrachenkov, **K.Patil** and G. Thoppe. Change Rate Estimation and Optimal Freshness in Web Page Crawling, In VALUETOOLS 2020 13th EAI International Conference on Performance Evaluation Methodologies and Tools. ACM, New York, NY, USA, 3–10.
- · K. Patil, K. De Turck, and D. Fiems. Optimal Data Collection in Hybrid Energy-harvesting Sensor Networks. Analytical and Stochastic Modelling Techniques and Applications 9845:239–252, 2016.

· N. Hemachandra, S. Tripathi, and K. Patil. Equilibrium sets of some GI/M/1 queues (with more examples). IIT Bombay 2016.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Ghent University

Teaching Assistant, Department of TELIN, Ghent University

C003399 Computer Intensive Statistical Methods

 ${\rm Spring}\ 2018$

IIT Bombay

Teaching Assistant, Department of IEOR, IIT Bombay

· IE 616 Decision Analysis and Game Theory

Spring 2014

· IE 605 Engineering Statistics

Autumn 2013

SELECTED TALKS

 \cdot K. Patil, joint work with K. Avrachenkov and G. Thoppe

INRIA, 2020

Online algorithms for estimating page change rates in adaptive web page crawling

· K. Patil, joint work with K. De Turck, Koen and D. Fiems

INRIA, 2019

Performance evaluation of large-scale wireless sensor networks - A mean field approach.

• K. Patil, joint work with K. De Turck, Koen and D. Fiems

Stochastic Modelling of energy harvesting wireless sensor networks

IIT Bombay 2019

· K. Patil joint work with M. Jafri, D. Fiems and A. Marin

Performance evaluation of depth based routing in underwater sensor networks

· K. Patil, joint work with K. De Turck, Koen and D. Fiems

ECQT 2018

StochMod 2018

Optimal control in wireless sensor networks: a mean-field approach

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Analyst - Business Consulting

Jul. 2014 - Oct. 2015

HSBC Data Processing Centre, Bangalore, India

Global Investigation Analytics

Model development, deployment, validation and tuning with Statistical methods.

ADDITIONAL TRAINING

Workshops

· Summer school on Numerical methods for stochastic models: mean-field, CIRM, Marseille

summer 2017

· Workshop on Mathematica, Ghent university

Autumn 2016

Selected Coursework

· E003700 - Game Theory with Engineering Applications

Autumn 2018

 \cdot E014230 - Stochastic Processes

Autumn 2017

· CS 709 - Convex Optimization

Autumn 2013

SKILL SET

Programming Languages
Computational/ Utility Tools

Python, C, SQL, AMPL, R MATLAB, Mathematica, IATEX

Statistical Tools R. SAS

Platforms Mac OS (X), Linux (Ubuntu, Fedora)

EXTRA-ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

· Jury member of master thesis committee; Thesis entitled "The P2Pool mining pool - An analysis of a distributed cryptographically secured database".

Oct. 2018

· Volunteered at master thesis fair at Ghent university to give the information on department's research domains so that students can choose their thesis topic.

Feb. 2017