# Sanjiban Choudhury

# Current Position

2022-Present Assistant Professor, Cornell University, Department of Computer Science

The goal of my research is to enable robots to work seamlessly alongside human partners in the wild. To this end, my work focuses on imitation learning, decision making and human robot interaction. I am interested in settings where a robot continually interacts with humans and its environment in domains such as self-driving and collaborative mobile manipulation.

2019-Present Research Scientist, Aurora Innovation, Motion Planning

We use machine learning to make better driving decisions. Our learned decision making and interactive forecasting approach enables safe, human-like driving.

#### Education

2013-2018 PhD, Robotics, Carnegie Mellon University, USA

2011–2013 MS, Robotics, Carnegie Mellon University, USA

2006–2011 B.Tech, M.Tech, Electrical Engineering, Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur, India

# Research Experience

2018-2019 Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Washington, USA

Worked at Personal Robotics Lab (https://personalrobotics.cs.washington.edu/) with Sidd Srinivasa on problems in motion planning, reinforcement learning and imitation learning.

2016 Research Intern, Microsoft Research, USA

Worked with Debadeepta Dey, Ashish Kapoor and Gireeja Ranade on information theoretic imitation learning.

2011-2017 Research Engineer, Carnegie Mellon University, USA

Worked at the AirLab (http://theairlab.org/) developing the motion planning stack for various robots ranging from full-scale helicopters to small quadrotors.

2009-2011 Research Engineer, Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur, India

Started an undergraduate research project (http://krssg.in/) to design a team of soccer playing robots. Built all robots and participated in international FIRA Mirosot league.

2009 Summer Intern, Carnegie Mellon University, USA

Worked with Sanjiv Singh on coverage path planning algorithms for agricultural robots.

2008 **Summer Intern**, *University of Thessaly*, Greece

Worked with Simon Blackmore on localization and mapping for agricultural robots.

## Awards and Honors

#### 2019 Best Student Paper at ICAPS

For the paper titled "Generalized Lazy Search for Robot Motion Planning: Interleaving Search and Edge Evaluation via Event-based Toggles".

2018 Finalist for IJRR Best Paper of the Year

For the paper titled "Data-driven Planning via Imitation Learning".

### 2018 Finalist for the Collier Trophy

The AACUS (Autonomous Aerial Cargo/Utility System) project, which was the focus of my thesis research, was a finalist for the trophy awarded "for the greatest achievement in aeronautics or astronautics in America". Previous winners include Apollo 11, Boeing 747.

## 2018 Winner of the Howard Hughes Award

AACUS won the award "for an outstanding improvement in fundamental vertical flight technology".

#### 2018 RSS Pioneers

For impact in the field of robotics as a graduate student.

#### 2014 Best Paper for Unmanned VTOL Aircraft & Rotorcraft track, AHS

For the paper titled "The Planner Ensemble and Trajectory Executive: A High Performance Motion Planning System with Guaranteed Safety".

#### 2013 Siebel Scholar

For academic excellence and demonstrated leadership.

## 2006 Tata Steel Millenium Scholarship

For academic excellence.

# Technical Experience

languages C++, Python, MATLAB, Java, C#

libraries and PyTorch, TensorFlow, ROS

tools

# Teaching

### 2019 Mobile Robots, University of Washington, USA

Designed and instructed an undergraduate course on mobile robots. Students covered a range of topics in perception, planning and control as well as implemented algorithms on a fleet of 1/10th sized rally cars. Link to course (https://courses.cs.washington.edu/courses/cse490r/19sp/)

## 2015 Statistical Techniques in Robotics, Carnegie Mellon University, USA Teaching assistant for Kris Kitani and Michael Kaess

2010 Signals and Systems, Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur, India Laboratory assistant for Dheeman Chatterjee

## Mentoring

PhD students Aditya Mandalika (UW), Liyiming Ke (UW), Matthew Schmittle (UW), Gilwoo Lee (UW), Brian Hou (UW), Mohak Bhardwai (GaTech), Jonathan Spencer (Princeton), Brad Saund (UMich), Rogerio Bonatti (CMU), Gokul Swamy (CMU)

MS students, Johan Michalove (UW), Ajinkya Kamat (UW), Rosario Scalise (UW), Vishal Dugar (Aurora),

Researchers Shushman Choudhury (PhD, Stanford), Jit Roy Choudhury (Auro)

Interns

Undergrad A. J. Kruse (UW), Max Thompson (UW), Rishabh Madan (IIT), Rajat Jenamani (IIT), Rahul Vernwal (IIT), Anirudh Vemula (PhD, CMU), Mohak Bhardwaj (PhD, GaTech)

Committee

Ph.D Thesis Aditya Mandalika (UW), Brian Hou (UW), Arjav Desai (CMU)

## Professional Activities

Workshop Imitation Learning and its Challenges in Robotics, NeurIPS 2018

Organizer Machine Learning in Robot Motion Planning, IROS 2018

Complex Collaborative Systems: Closing the Loop, Learning & Self-Confidence, IROS 2017

Reviewer JAIR, IJRR, IEEE-TRO, IEEE RA-L, JFR, AURO, RSS, ICRA, IROS, NeurIPS, ICML, CoRL, **ISRR** 

# Invited Talks

- 2022 Interactive Imitation Learning for Driving Alongside Humans, *University of Pennsylvania* F1-Tenth, Spring 2022
- 2022 Interactive Imitation Learning: Planning Alongside Humans, *University of Washington* Robotics Colloqium, Spring 2022
- 2022 Interactive Imitation Learning: Planning Alongside Humans, Cornell University Robotics Colloqium, Spring 2022
- 2022 Interactive Imitation Learning: Planning Alongside Humans, University of Southern California
   CS Colloqium, Spring 2022
- 2022 Interactive Imitation Learning: Planning Alongside Humans, Stanford Robotics Seminar, Spring 2022
- 2021 Interactive Imitation Learning for Driving Alongside Humans, CMU Human-Al Interaction, Fall 2021
- 2021 Planning with Humans in the Wild: A Tale of Two Interactions, *Cornell University* Cornell Seminar Series.
- 2020 Feedback in Imitation Learning: Confusion on Causality and Covariate Shift, *ICML* ICML Workshop on AI for Autonomous Driving.
- 2019 **How can experience help in planning?**, *ONR* ONR Science of Autonomy Meeting
- 2019 Learning from Experience in Robot Motion Planning a Bayesian Perspective, MSR Montreal
  MSR Montreal Seminar Series
- 2018 Robot-Assisted Feeding: From Bite Acquisition to Bite Transfer, NRI NRI PI Meeting
- 2018 Bayesian Active Edge Evaluation on Expensive Graphs, ONR ONR Science of Autonomy Meeting
- 2018 Data-driven Planning via Imitation Learning, ICRA Workshop on Informative Path Planning and Adaptive Sampling
- 2017 **Adaptive Motion Planning**, *IROS*Workshop on Complex Collaborative Systems
- 2016 Theoretical Limits of Motion Planning as Percolation on Markov Chains, MSR Adaptive Systems and Interaction (ASI) group at Microsoft Research Redmond

## Outreach

- CSMore Broaden the participation of underrepresented minorities and first-generation college students in computer science through interactive learning, research exposure, and social engagement.
- MuSHR As postdoc, started and led the Multi-agent System for non-Holonomic Racing (MuSHR) initiative an open-source, fully functional, robotic race car with advanced sensing and computational capabilities at a fraction of the cost of existing platforms.
- Hobby Governor of the Technology Robotix Society, IIT Kharagpur. I was the coordinator for ROBOTIX, Robotics a major inter-collegiate event. We also conducted free hands-on workshops across multiple cities, created and managed online tutorials and raised funding.

Robotsoccer Founding member of the Kharagpur RoboSoccer Students Group KRSSG. I led the first Indian team to participate in the international FIRA Mirosot league. We also organized the first Indian leg of the RoboCup league. We raised funding for lab equipments, organized hands-on workshops to recruit undergraduates and promoted the event nationwide to encourage competition.

Lab Tours Demos and tours of the AirLab and Field Robotics Centre to the general public

Community Volunteered at Child Relief and You (CRY) in Kolkata to teach kids from ages 9-13

Outreach Volunteered at Rural Development Centre in Kharagpur

Culture Member of the JENESYS exchange program in Japan. Took part in cultural activities and presented Exchange at the Tokyo embassy on behalf of group.

## **Publications**

#### **Thesis**

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