# Utkarsh Upadhyay Software Developer at Better AG

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### Work & Education

Apr '12 – $now$	Software Developer at Better AG, web-client development and data visualisation
Aug '10 – Feb '11	Internship at CCIL-NEC, Japan on Information diffusion on Twitter
Sept~'09-Feb~'12	MS in Computer Science at EPFL, Switzerland; GPA: 5.7/6
Aug '08 – July '08	Internship at Microsoft Research, Redmond on RoboClone, a replacement for RoboCopy
	found on Windows machines
Aug '05 – May '09	found on Windows machines  B.Tech. in Electrical Engg. from Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur; CPI: 9.5/10
Aug '05 – May '09 Mar '04 – Mar '05	·
	B.Tech. in Electrical Engg. from Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur; CPI: 9.5/10

#### Scholastic achievements

2012	Awarded Prix ECLA Informatique for highest GPA in Computer Science MS at EPFL.
2009-10	Awarded the Academic Excellence scholarship for Masters studies at EPFL
2009	Silver medal at the programming competition ACM-SWERC '09
2005-09	Recipient of the Aditya Birla Scholarship (Given to 10 students all over India)
2005-06	Recipient of the Academic Excellence Award at IITK
2005	Secured $108^{th}$ rank in Joint Entrance Examination for IITs. (Percentile: $99.97\%$ )

### Technical skills

Programming: Typescript, Javascript, Python, C++, Java, R, HTML/CSS

Languages spoken: English (fluent), Hindi (native), French (beginner), German (beginner)

Other tools: Angular, D3, nginx, EC2, Meteor, nginx

### Selected Publications

- R. Khalili, N. Gast, M. Popovic, **U. Upadhyay**, Jean-Yves Le Boudec (EPFL). *MPTCP is not Pareto-optimal: Performance issues and a possible solution*. **Best Paper Award**, CoNEXT 2012.
- G. Mermoud, M. Mastrangeli, **U. Upadhyay** and A. Martinoli. *Real-Time Automated Modeling and Control of Self-Assembling Systems*. 2012 IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation, St. Paul, Minnesota, USA, May 14-18, 2012.
- U. Upadhyay, N. Yoshinaga, S. Itaya, R. Tanaka, T. Konishi, S. Doi, K. Yamada and P. Davis. *Evaluation of Participants in Group-discussions on Twitter*. To be presented in 8<sup>th</sup> Applications of Social Network Analysis, Sept. '11. In Procedia Social and Behavioral Sciences (Elsevier).
- G. Mermoud, U. Upadhyay, W. C. Evans and A. Martinoli. *Top-Down vs Bottom-Up Model-Based Method-ologies for Distributed Control: A Comparative Experimental Study*. Presented in 12<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Experimental Robotics (ISER), Dec. 2010. Appears in proceedings.
- R. Arora, U. Upadhyay, R. Tulshyan, K. Deb, J. Dutta. A Parallel Randomized Algorithm for Solving Large Convex Minimax Problem. Presented in 8<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Simulated Evolution and Learning (SEAL), Dec. 2010. Appears in Lecture Notes in Computer Science (LNCS, Springer, Vol. 6475).

## Interests & Activities

- Recreational programming
- Solving puzzles
- O Member of PolyProg, EPFL

- O Data mining (Kaggle)
- Astronomy
- O Member of Counselling Service, IIT Kanpur