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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Cyber-physical systems, Applied machine learning, Big-data analytics and data-driven systems, Health and Smart cities.

## EXPERIENCE

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### Postdoctoral Research Fellow

*October 2020 - Present*

University of Massachusetts Amherst (UMASS Amherst), USA  
Manning College of Information and Computer Sciences

### Postdoctoral Research Fellow

*2020*

Singapore University of Technology and Design (SUTD), Singapore  
Information Systems Technology and Design Pillar

### Research Engineer

*2013 - 2014*

Singapore Management University (SMU), Singapore  
School of Computing and Information Systems

### Undergraduate Research Intern

*2012*

Singapore Management University (SMU), Singapore  
Living Analytics Research Center

### Lab Officer

*2007 - 2009*

Agency for Science, Technology and Research (ASTAR), Singapore  
Institute for Infocomm Research

## EDUCATION

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### Singapore Management University, Singapore

School of Computing and Information Systems

Ph.D. in Information Systems

*2014 - 2019*

B.Sc in Information Systems

*2009 - 2013*

### Carnegie Mellon University, USA

Heinz College of Information Systems and Public Policy

Exchange Student during Fall

*2016*

### Temasek Polytechnic, Singapore

School of Informatics

Diploma in Internet Computing

*2004 - 2007*

## PUBLICATION

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[1] **C. ZAKARIA**, G. Yilmaz, P. Mammen, M. Chee, R. Balan, and P. Shenoy, “SleepMore: Inferring Sleep Duration at Scale via Multi-Device WiFi Sensing,” To appear in the Proceedings of the ACM on Interactive, Mobile, Wearable and Ubiquitous Technologies (IMWUT), 2023.

[2] **C. ZAKARIA**, P. S. Foong, C. S. Lim, P. VS Pakianathan, G. H. C. Koh, and S. T. Perrault, “Does mode of digital contact tracing affect user willingness to share information? a quantitative study,” Proceedings of the SIGCHI Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems (CHI), pp. 1–18, 2022.

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- [4] B. Chhaglani, **C. ZAKARIA**, A. Lechowicz, J. Gummesson, and P. Shenoy, “Flowsense: Monitoring airflow in building ventilation systems using audio sensing,” *Proceedings of the ACM on Interactive, Mobile, Wearable and Ubiquitous Technologies (IMWUT)*, vol. 6, no. 1, pp. 1–26, 2022.
- [5] **C. ZAKARIA**, Y. Lee, and R. Balan, “Detection of social identification in workgroups from a passively-sensed wifi infrastructure,” *Proceedings of the ACM on Human-Computer Interaction (CSCW)*, vol. 5, pp. 1–19, 2021.
- [6] A. Trivedi, **C. ZAKARIA**, R. Balan, A. Becker, G. Corey, and P. Shenoy, “Wifitrace: Network-based contact tracing for infectious diseases using passive wifi sensing,” *Proceedings of the ACM on Interactive, Mobile, Wearable and Ubiquitous Technologies (IMWUT)*, vol. 5, no. 1, pp. 1–26, 2021.
- [7] **C. ZAKARIA**, R. Balan, and Y. Lee, “Stressmon: Scalable detection of perceived stress and depression using passive sensing of changes in work routines and group interactions,” *Proceedings of the ACM on Human-Computer Interaction (CSCW)*, vol. 3, no. 37, pp. 1–29, 2019.
- [8] Q. Roy, **C. ZAKARIA**, S. Perrault, M. Nancel, W. Kim, A. Misra, and A. Cockburn, “A Comparative Study of Pointing Techniques for Eyewear Using a Simulated Pedestrian Environment,” *Proceedings of the IFIP Conference on Human-Computer Interaction (INTERACT)*, pp. 625–646, 2019.
- [9] **C. ZAKARIA**, R. C. Davis, and Z. Walker, “Seeking independent management of problem behavior: A proof-of-concept study with children and their teachers,” *Proceedings of the 15th International Conference on Interaction Design and Children (IDC)*, pp. 196–205, 2016.

#### **Demo/Poster/Workshop Paper:**

- [10] **C. ZAKARIA**, K. Goh, Y. Lee, and R. Balan, “Exploratory Analysis of Individuals’ Mobility Patterns and Experienced Conflicts in Workgroups,” *Proceedings of the 5th ACM Workshop on Mobile Systems for Computational Social Science*, pp. 27–31, 2019.
- [11] K. Jayarajah, M. Radhakrishnan, and **C. ZAKARIA**, “Duplicate issue detection for the android open source project,” *Proceedings of the 5th International Workshop on Software Mining*, pp. 24–31, 2016.
- [12] **C. ZAKARIA**, and R. Davis, “Wearable application to manage problem behavior in children with neurodevelopmental disorders,” *Proceedings of the 14th Annual International Conference on Mobile Systems, Applications, and Services Companion*, pp. 127–127, 2016.
- [13] R. Davis, and **C. ZAKARIA**, “K-Sketch: Digital storytelling with animation sketches,” *International Conference on Interactive Digital Storytelling*, pp. 242–245, 2014.

#### **AWARDS & MEDIA**

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<b>BBC Worklife:</b> The Campus as a Laboratory, Making an Impact	<i>2019</i>
<b>Research@SMU:</b> Monitoring and Addressing Stress	<i>2019</i>
Awarded Best User Experience and Best Project Management for final year capstone, SMU	<i>2013</i>
Awarded Best Project Award for final year capstone, TP	<i>2007</i>
Awarded Honor’s List during third-year study, TP	<i>2006</i>
Awarded Directors’s List during second-year study, TP	<i>2005</i>

#### **SERVICE**

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<b>COMSNETS:</b> Publicity Co-Chair	<i>2023</i>
<b>ACM CHI:</b> Late Breaking Work Program Committee, Assoc. Chair	<i>2021–2023</i>
<b>ACM IMWUT:</b> Student Volunteer Co-chair	<i>2018</i>
<b>ACM SIGGRAPH Asia:</b> Student Volunteer Co-chair	<i>2012</i>

**ACM SIGGRAPH Singapore Chapter:** Secretary

*2010-2013*

**ACM IMWUT, CSCW, CHI:** Active reviewer

*2018 - Present*

## TEACHING

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**Program Co-director** UMass Amherst Summer Turing Program

*2022*

**Teaching Assistantship** SMU IS306 course

*2015*

## REFERENCES

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