# JEFF LIEVENSE

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# **RESEARCH**

Signal Processing, Machine Learning, Error Detection and Correction.

My focus is the design and analysis of fast algorithms for dimensionality reduction and signal recovery from incomplete measurements. Ultra-low complexity, coding-theoretic algorithms for compressive sensing based on sparse-graph codes are of particular interest.

### **EDUCATION**

Rice University, Houston, TX

PhD candidate, Electrical and Computer Engineering

Advisor: Dr. Richard G. Baraniuk

09/2014 - 05/2020

(expected)

University of California, Berkeley, CA BS, Electrical and Computer Engineering GPA: 3.6 (major) / 3.3 (overall) 09/2010 - 05/2014

Fall 2012 - Spring 2014

Coursework in Sparse Structure Recovery, Statistical Signal Processing, Coding Theory, Statistical Learning, Data Mining, Probability, Stochastic Processes, Algorithms, Linear Algebra, Real Analysis, Discrete Mathematics.

#### **EMPLOYMENT**

DSP Group, Rice University, Houston, TX 09/2014 - present Research with and course assistant for Dr. Richard G. Baraniuk.

SWARM Lab, University of California, Berkeley, CA
Research assistant with Dr. Mekhail Anwar, Dr. Bernhard Boser.

Designed test setup for novel high resolution medical imaging device.

Texas Instruments Silicon Valley Labs, Santa Clara, CA

Test engineering intern with Signal and Data Path Solutions team.

Designed and tested devices used to characterize PCB vias.

Amyris Inc., Emeryville, CA  $\,$  05/2011 - 09/2011 Research intern with Dr. Jeremy Agresti in Emerging Technologies. Designed and fabricated microfluidic devices for picoscreening.

## **TEACHING**

Lab assistant for Dr. Babak Ayazifar.

ELEC 301: Introduction to Signals and Systems

Rice University
Teaching assistant for Dr. Richard G. Baraniuk.

Fall 2014

EE 20N: Structure & Interpretation of Signals and Systems

UC Berkeley