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## **ACADEMIC DETAILS**

Examination	University	Year	CPI/%
Doctor of Philosophy	Indian Institute of Technology,		
	Bombay, India	2020 (Expected)	-
Master of Technology:	Indian Institute of Remote Sensing,	-	
Remote Sensing & GIS (Water Resources)	Dehradun, India	2015	8.00/10.0
Bachelor of Technology:	College of Agricultural Engineering,		
Agricultural Engineering	Jabalpur, India	2013	8.10/10.0

#### FIELDS OF INTEREST

 Numerical weather prediction, Extreme precipitation forecast, Local Climate Zones, Land surface feedback, Remote sensing, Geographic information system

## **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- Languages: Python, R, NCL
- Models: Weather Research & Forecasting (WRF) Model, HEC-HMS, HEC-RAS, MIKE11
- Softwares: ArcGIS, QGIS, ERDAS, SAGA-GIS
- Extra: High Performance Computing, Bash, LATEX, MS Office

# **FELLOWSHIP**

• Overseas Visiting Doctoral Fellow (OVDF) at Purdue University, USA (2019-2020)

## RESEARCH PROJECTS

• Rainfall Forecasting through Regional Weather Modelling: An Application to Near Real-Time Flood Forecasting (Ph.D. Research Project)

(Supervisor: Prof. Subhankar Karmakar, Co-Supervisor: Prof. Subimal Ghosh, July'15 - till date)

- Selection of physics schemes of WRF model for flood forecasts in a coastal urban environment
- o Generation and evaluation of Local Climate Zones in WRF model for rainfall events
- Effect of **green roofs** in the simulation of rainfall using WRF model.
- Flood Simulation using Weather Forecast and Hydrological Models (M.Tech Research Project) (Supervisor: Dr. Praveen K. Thakur, Co-Supervisor: Dr. S.P. Aggarwal, July'14 July'15)
  - o An experimental setup for early flood warning system in North Western Himalaya.
  - Selection of suitable parameterization of WRF model for precipitation forecasting.
  - Set-up and calibrated hydrological model (HEC-HMS) for generating the initial and lateral boundary conditions for the estimation of water levels hydrodynamic model (MIKE11).
- Selection of potential sites for water harvesting structure in Jabalpur district using Remote Sensing & GIS (B.Tech Major Project)

(Supervisor: Dr. Bhaskar R. Nikam, Co-Supervisor: Dr. S.P. Aggarwal, January'13 - May'13)

- Identification of suitable sites for water harvesting structure (check dams) using remote sensing and geographic information system.
- o Multi-criterion decision based on Integrated Mission for Sustainable Development guidelines.
- Land use/ Land Cover change detection of Jabalpur block using Remote Sensing and GIS technique(B.Tech Major Project)

(Supervisor: Dr. S.K. Sharma, July'12 - December'12)

• Unsupervised classification applied to classify IRS-P6 (LISS-3) imagery. Change detection of thematic layers was performed to quantify the changes in the LULC.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- Patel, P., Karmakar, S., Ghosh, S., and Niyogi, D. (2020). Improved Simulation of Very Heavy Rainfall Events by Incorporating WUDAPT Urban Land Use/ Land Cover in WRF. *Urban Climate*, 32, p.100616. (Q1)
- Chakravarty, K., Mohmmad, J., Hosalikar, KS., Pandithurai, G., Patel P., Niyogi D. (2020, January). Cloud Morphology and Microphysics of Precipitation Events during Interseasonal Phases of Monsoon over Mumbai, India. In 100th American Meteorological Society Annual Meeting, AMS.
- Patel, P., Aliaga, D., Karmakar, S., Ghosh, S. and Niyogi, D. (2019, December). Green Roofs to mitigate the
  urban extreme precipitation events? An experimental study over Mumbai, India. In AGU Fall Meeting 2019,
  AGU.
- Tiwari, A., Busireddy, N.K.R., Patel, P., Merwade, V., Jamshidi, S., Marks, F., Safaee, S. and Niyogi, D. (2019, December). Assessing Variability in Multi-sensor Tropical Cyclone Rainfall Estimates and the Impact on Urban Flood Simulation for Hurricane Florence (2018). In AGU Fall Meeting 2019, AGU.
- Patel, P., Ghosh, S., Kaginalkar, A., Islam, S., and Karmakar, S. (2019). Performance evaluation of WRF for extreme flood forecasts in a coastal urban environment. *Atmospheric Research*, 223, 39-48. (IF-4.1, Q1)
- **Patel, P.**, and Karmakar, S. (2018, July). Analysis of Vulnerability to Water Stress at a Nationwide Scale. In IGARSS 2018 *IEEE International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium* (pp. 2910-2913). IEEE.
- Patel P., Karmakar S., Ghosh S., and Niyogi D., (2018), Performance evaluation of WRF for extreme precipitation events by integrating WUDAPT, during *European Geosciences Union General Assembly*, 8-13 April 2018 held at Vienna, Austria
- Gusain A., Patel P., Ghosh S., and Karmakar S., (2018), Hydrologic impacts of reservoir operation on flood inundation pattern in a highly flood-prone deltaic region of Mahanadi River Basin, India, during European Geosciences Union General Assembly, 8-13 April 2018 held at Vienna, Austria
- Sharma, G., Gupta, K., Kumar, P., Thakur, P.K., **Patel, P.** and Aggarwal, S.P. (2015), Wind Flow simulation in urban area using open source software, during *OSGEO-India: FOSS4G 2015* Second National Conference on Open source geospatial tools in climate change research and natural resources management, 8-10th June 2015 held at IIRS Dehradun
- Kumari, S., Thakur, P.K., **Patel, P.**, and Aggarwal, S.P. (2015), Hydrometeorological data assimilation in weather forecasting model using open source tools, during *OSGEO-India: FOSS4G 2015* Second National Conference on Open source geospatial tools in climate change research and natural resources management, 8-10th June 2015 held at IIRS Dehradun

# **SPOKEN LANGUAGES**

- Hindi (Mother Tongue)
- English

# **MEMBERSHIP**

- American Geophysical Union
- IEEE Geoscience and Remote Sensing Society
- European Geosciences Union
- Associate Member of Institution of Engineers (A.M.I.E.)

## **REFERENCES**

- Prof. Subhankar Karmakar, Professor, Centre for Environmental Science and Engineering, Indian Institute of Technology Bombay, Powai, Mumbai-400076, India E-mail: subhankar.karmakar@gmail.com, skarmakar@iitb.ac.in
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- Prof. Dev Niyogi, Professor, Department of Agronomy- Crops, Soils, Air and Water Sciences, and Department of Earth, Atmospheric, and Planetary Sciences, Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana-47907, USA E-mail: climate@purdue.edu, niyogi@gmail.com