

ROUNAK MEYUR

Seeking full/part time position in power system research

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EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Electrical Engineering

University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, USA

Aug 2020 – Present

GPA: 3.93/4.00

M.Sc. in Electrical Engineering (Power Systems)

Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, VA, USA

Aug 2016 – Feb 2019

GPA: 3.95/4.00

B.Tech. in Electrical and Electronics Engineering

NIT Trichy, Tamilnadu, India

Jul 2012 – May 2016

GPA: 9.77/10.00

INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE

PhD Intern

Pacific Northwest National Lab

May 2019 – Aug 2019

Richland, WA, USA

- Propose data driven algorithms to find coherent generators during transient event in power grid.

Research Intern

PJM Interconnection

May 2018 – Aug 2018

Audobon, PA, USA

- Assess generating resources of PJM suitable for black start operation.
- Develop adaptive restoration path for a blacked out PJM power grid.

SKILLS

Research Interests: power system reliability and resilience, convex optimization, network science, stochastic modeling

Languages: Python, C++, R, Powershell scripting

Softwares: MATLAB, GridLab-D, PSS/E, LabVIEW

Toolboxes: Pandas, Numpy, Scikit-Learn, Tensorflow, Keras

Solvers: Gurobi, YALMIP, CPLEX

REFEREES

Dr. Madhav Marathe

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@ Pacific Northwest National Lab

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PROJECTS

Promoting Net-zero Carbon Technologies

NSSAC, UVA Biocomplexity Institute

June 2021 – Present

- Develop a distributed framework to promote higher levels of residential EV charging without compromising grid reliability.

Synthetic Power Distribution Networks

NSSAC, UVA Biocomplexity Institute

Aug 2019 – May 2021

- Develop a framework which creates digital duplicates of power distribution networks using Open Street Maps.
- Propose comparison metrics to validate synthetic networks with actual networks.

Cascading Events in Power Grid

Power and Energy Center, Virginia Tech

May 2017 – Dec 2018

- Develop stochastic models for hidden failures in protection systems.
- Identify critical assets in power grid to avoid system-wide failure.
- Identify critical SCADA cyber-security architecture used in power grid.

PUBLICATIONS

Conference Proceedings

- Meyur et.al. (2022). A Reliability-aware Distributed Framework to Schedule Residential Charging of Electric Vehicles. In *International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (submitted and under review)*.
- Meyur, R. (2020). A Bayesian Attack Tree Based Approach to Assess Cyber-Physical Security of Power System. In *2020 IEEE Texas Power and Energy Conference (TPEC)* (pp. 1–6).
- Meyur et.al. (2020). Creating realistic power distribution networks using interdependent road infrastructure. In *IEEE International Conference on Big Data* (pp. 1226–1235).
- Meyur et.al. (2019). Cascading Effects of Targeted Attacks on the Power Grid. In *Complex Networks and Their Applications VII* (pp. 155–167).