

# Seyed Hamid Safavi

## Curriculum Vitae

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### Education

- 2015–2016 **Visiting Fellow**, *Singapore University of Technology and Design (SUTD)*.  
Supervisor: Prof. Ngai-Man Cheung
- 2012–present **Ph.D. Student in Electrical Engineering - Communication Systems**, *Shahid Beheshti University (SBU)*, Tehran, Iran,  
Thesis title: *Designing an Efficient Sensing Matrix for Compressive Video Sensing*.  
Supervisor: Prof. Farah Torkamani-Azar
- 2010–2012 **M.Sc. in Electrical Engineering - Communication Systems**, *K. N. Toosi University of Technology (KNTU)*, Tehran, Iran,  
Thesis title: *Simulation and Analysis of Beamforming in Cognitive Two-way Relay Networks*.  
Supervisor: Prof. Mehrdad Ardebilipour
- 2006–2010 **B.Sc. in Electrical Engineering - Communication Systems**, *KNTU*, Tehran, Iran,  
Thesis title: *Simulation and implementation of QAM Modulator on DSK6713*.  
Supervisor: Dr. Soheil Salari
- 2005–2006 **High school**, *National Organization for Development of Exceptional Talents (NODET)*, Ardabil, Iran, GPA: **19.67/20**.

### Honors and Awards

- 2015 **Dr. Shahriari Scholarship**, *Shahid Beheshti University*, Tehran, Iran.
- July 2015 **Student Travel Grant**, *The First IEEE Communication Society Summer School*, Trento, Italy.
- 2012 **Second Place, M. Sc. Graduation**, *KNTU*, Tehran, Iran.
- 2010 **Top 0.2 % rank**, *National Graduate Degree Entrance Exam*, Iran.
- 2006 **Top 0.02 % rank**, *National Undergraduate Degree Entrance Exam*, Iran.

### Research Interests

Signal Processing, Image and Video Processing, Compressive Sensing, Sparse Representations, Machine Learning, Linear Inverse Problems, Convex Optimizations, Wireless Communications, Cognitive Networks.

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## Talks

Dec-2015 **Next Generation of Wireless Communications**, *Department of Physics, SBU, Tehran, Iran.*

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## Professional Activities

- Student Member of IEEE (2011 to present)
- Member of IEEE Communication Society (2011 to present)
- Member of IEEE Signal Processing Society (2012 to present)
- Member of IEEE Information Theory Society (2013 to present)
- Member of IEEE Vehicular Technology Society (2013 to present)
- Reviewer for IEEE Journal on Selected Areas in Communication (JSAC), IEEE Transactions on Communications (TCOM), IEEE Transactions on Vehicular Technology (TVT), IEEE Wireless Communication Letters (WCL), IET Communication, ICEE2014, MVIP2015

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## Workshop Participation

- The Visual Image Search and Visual Analytics (VISVA) Summer School, Nanyang Technological University (NTU), Singapore, July 4-8, 2016.
- Selected by IEEE Communication Society for participating in the 1st IEEE ComSoc Summer School on wireless communication, Dept. of Information Engineering and Computer Science - University of Trento, Italy, July 6-9, 2015.
- Workshop on Introduction to Compressive Sensing and Sensing Matrix Designing, 23'th Iranian Conference on Electrical Engineering (ICEE), Sharif university of technology, Tehran, Iran, May 2015.
- 3'rd Iran Workshop on Communication and Information Theory (IWCIT), Sharif University of Technology, Tehran, Iran, 6-7 May, 2015.
- Workshop on Introduction to LTE and 4G Wireless Networks, 22'th Iranian Conference on Electrical Engineering (ICEE), Shahid Beheshti university, Tehran, Iran, May 2014.
- 2'nd Iran Workshop on Communication and Information Theory (IWCIT), Sharif University of Technology, Tehran, Iran, 7-8 May, 2014.
- 4'th Workshop on Optimization and its Applications, Department of Mathematics, K.N. Toosi University of Technology, Tehran, Iran, May 15, 2012.

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## Work Experiences

2014 - 2016 **Project co-worker**, *Iran Telecommunication Research Center (ITRC), Tehran, Iran.*

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## Teaching Experiences

Summer 2014 **Digital Communication**, *Lecturer, Ale Taha University, Tehran, Iran.*  
Autumn 2013 **Mathematical Engineering**, *Teacher Assistant, SBU, Tehran, Iran.*  
spring 2008 **Electronic Circuits**, *Teacher Assistant, KNTU, Tehran, Iran.*  
Autumn 2008 **Electronic I**, *Teacher Assistant, KNTU, Tehran, Iran.*

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## Research Experiences

- 2012-present **Cognitive Telecommunication Research Group**, *Research Assistant*, SBU, Tehran, Iran.
- 2015-2016 **Visiting Fellow**, Singapore University of Technology and Design, Singapore.
- 2011-2012 **Spread Spectrum Laboratory**, *Research Assistant*, KNTU, Tehran, Iran.
- 2010 **WiMax Research Laboratory**, *Research Assistant*, KNTU, Tehran, Iran.
- Spring 2009 **Electronic Laboratory**, *Research Assistant*, KNTU, Tehran, Iran.

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## Publication List

### Journal Papers

- o **S. H. Safavi**, F. Torkamani-Azar, "*Sparsity-Aware Adaptive Block-Based Compressive Sensing*," IET Signal Processing, In press, 2016. [\[PDF\]](#)
- o N. Abaei, **S. H. Safavi**, F. Torkamani-Azar, "*Reweighted Block-Based Compressed Sensing Using Singular Value Decomposition*," Submitted to IET Signal Processing, 2016.
- o A. Montazeri, J. Haddadnia, and **S. H. Safavi**, "*Fuzzy Hypothesis Testing for Cooperative Sequential Spectrum Sensing Under Noise Uncertainty*," IEEE Communications Letters, 2016. [\[PDF\]](#)
- o **S. H. Safavi**, M. Ardebilipour, S. Salari, "*Relay Beamforming in Cognitive Two-Way Networks With Imperfect Channel State Information*," IEEE Wireless Communication Letters, vol.1, no. 4, pp. 344-347, Aug 2012. [\[PDF\]](#) Cited by 44

### Conference Papers

- o **S. H. Safavi**, F. Torkamani-Azar, "Perceptual Compressive Sensing based on Contrast Sensitivity Function", submitted to The 25th IEEE Iranian Conference on Electrical Engineering (ICEE 2017).
- o **S. H. Safavi**, F. Torkamani-Azar, "A novel Adaptive weighted Kronecker Compressive Sensing", The 42nd IEEE International Conference on Acoustics, Speech and Signal Processing (ICASSP 2017), P.hD. Forum, Accepted for publication.
- o N. Abaei, **S. H. Safavi**, F. Torkamani-Azar, "Reweighted Block-Based Compressed Sensing Using Singular Value Decomposition", The 42nd IEEE International Conference on Acoustics, Speech and Signal Processing (ICASSP 2017), P.hD. Forum, Accepted for publication.
- o M. Khatua, **S. H. Safavi**, N.-M. Cheung, "Sparse Laplacian Component Analysis: Application to Detection of Internet Traffic Anomalies", submitted to The Thirty-First AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI-17).
- o A. Hashemi, **S. H. Safavi**, M. Rostami, N.-M. Cheung, "Efficient Sampling Scheme for Reconstruction of Diffusion Fields", submitted to The 42nd IEEE International Conference on Acoustics, Speech and Signal Processing (ICASSP 2017).

- o R. Liu, H. Nejati, **S. H. Safavi**, N.-M. Cheung, "Simultaneous Low-Rank Component and Graph Estimation for High-Dimensional Graph Signals: Application to Brain Imaging" submitted to The 42nd IEEE International Conference on Acoustics, Speech and Signal Processing (ICASSP 2017).
- o **S. H. Safavi**, R. Sadegh Zadeh, V. Jamali and S. Salari, "*Interference Minimization Approach for Distributed Beamforming in Cognitive Two-Way Relay Networks*," IEEE Pacific Rim Conference on Communications, Computers and Signal Processing, Victoria, Canada, 2011. pp. 352-356. [\[PDF\]](#) Cited by 17
- o **S. H. Safavi**, M. Ardebilipour, R. Sadegh Zadeh, and A. Piltan, "*SINR Balancing Approach for Network Beamforming in Cognitive Two-Way Relay Networks*," 11th International Conference on Hybrid Intelligent Systems. (HIS 2011), Malacca, Malaysia, 2011. pp. 481-485. [\[PDF\]](#) Cited by 2
- o **S. H. Safavi**, M. Ardebilipour, V. Jamali and J. M. Ahmadian, "*Distributed Beamforming for SINR Balancing Approach in Cognitive Two-Way Relay Networks With Imperfect Channel State Information*," Iranian Conference on Electrical Engineering (ICEE), Tehran, Iran, May 2012, pp. 1342-1346. [\[PDF\]](#) Cited by 5
- o V. Jamali, M. Ahmadian, **S. H. Safavi**, and M. Ardebilipour, "*Cooperative Spectrum Sensing in Cognitive Radio Networks under Primary Outage Constraint*," Iranian Conference on Electrical Engineering (ICEE), Tehran, Iran, May 2012, pp. 1368-1372. [\[PDF\]](#) Cited by 1
- o V. Jamali, R. Sadegh Zadeh, **S. H. Safavi** and S. Salari, "*Optimal Cooperative Wideband Spectrum Sensing in Cognitive Radio Networks*," The Third International Conference on Ubiquitous and Future Networks, Dalian, China, 2011, pp. 371-374 [\[PDF\]](#) Cited by 3
- o S. M. Rezvani, **S. H. Safavi**, R. Sadegh Zadeh, A. Haghbin, R. Davarpanah, "*Relay Power Minimization Approach based on General-Rank Beamforming for Multi-Antenna Relaying Schemes*," 5th International Conference on New Technologies, Mobility and Security (NTMS), 2012, Istanbul, Turkey, 2012. pp. 1-5. [\[PDF\]](#) Cited by 4

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## Languages

- o **Persian**: Perfect
- o **Azeri**: Mother Tongue
- o **English**: Fluent

## References

- Prof. Farah Torkamani-Azar, Associate Professor of Electrical Engineering, SBU, Email: f-torkamani@sbu.ac.ir
- Prof. Ngai-Man (Man) Cheung, Assistant Professor, SUTD, Email: ngaiman\_cheung@sutd.edu.sg
- Prof. Mehrdad Ardebilipour, Associate Professor of Electrical Engineering, KNTU. Email: mehrdad@eetd.kntu.ac.ir

