Shamak Dutta

Education

2019-now PhD in Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Waterloo, Canada.

Advisor: Stephen L. Smith

2017–2019 Masters in Systems Design Engineering, University of Waterloo, Canada.

Advisors: Bryan Tripp & Graham Taylor University of Waterloo Graduate Scholarship (2019)

Thesis: Correlated Noise in Deep Convolutional Neural Networks

2012–2017 **Bachelors in Computer Engineering**, *University of Waterloo*, Canada.

Engineering International Student Scholarship (2013) President's Scholarship of Distinction (2013) President's Research Award (2015)

Publications

2022 An Improved Greedy Algorithm for Subset Selection in Linear Estimation.

S. Dutta, N. Wilde, S. L. Smith

20th European Control Conference (ECC), 2022.

2018 Convolutional Neural Networks Regularized by Correlated Noise.

S. Dutta, B. Tripp, G. Taylor

15th Canadian Conference on Computer and Robot Vision (CRV), 2018.

2016 Barcodes for Medical Image Retrieval Using Autoencoded Radon Transform.

H. Tizhoosh, C. Mitcheltree, S. Zhu, and S. Dutta

23rd International Conference on Pattern Recognition (ICPR), 2016.

Research Experience

Summer 2018 Research Intern, Preferred Networks, Tokyo, Japan.

Advisors: Shunta Saito & Masaki Saito Worked on scene prediction/generation.

Summer 2017 Research Intern, Latent Logic (now Waymo), Oxford, United Kingdom.

Advisors: Joao Messias & Shimon Whiteson Worked on 3D pose estimation from 2D video.

Fall 2016 Research Intern, Amazon Search, Palo Alto, USA.

Advisors: Bing Yin & Erick Cantu-Paz

Worked on ranking search queries on Amazon.com.

Summer 2016 Undergraduate Student, Adaptive Systems Lab, University of Waterloo, Canada.

Advisor: Dana Kulic

Worked on regression methods for human motion prediction.

Summer 2016 Undergraduate Student, University of Waterloo, Canada.

Advisor: Stephen L. Smith

Worked on heuristics for the Generalized Traveling Salesman Problem.

Fall 2015 Undergraduate Student, KIMIA Lab, University of Waterloo, Canada.

Advisor: Hamid Tizhoosh

Worked on image compression and retrieval.

Work Experience

- Summer 2018 Research Intern, Preferred Networks, Tokyo, Japan.
- Summer 2017 Research Intern, Latent Logic (now Waymo), Oxford, UK.
 - Fall 2016 Research Intern, Amazon Search, Palo Alto, USA.
 - Winter 2016 **Software Engineer Intern**, Amazon Advertising, Palo Alto, USA.
- Summer 2015 Software Engineer Intern, Lookout Security, San Francisco, USA.
 - Fall 2014 Software Engineer Intern, Avvasi, Waterloo, Canada.
 - Winter 2014 **Software Engineer Intern**, *Achievers Inc.*, Toronto, Canada.
- Summer 2013 **Software Engineer Intern**, pVelocity, Toronto, Canada.

Teaching Experience

- Winter 2022 **Teaching Assistant**, Algorithm Design & Analysis (ECE 406).
 - Fall 2021 **Teaching Assistant**, Probability Theory & Statistics II (ECE 307).
- Winter 2021 **Teaching Assistant**, Algorithms & Data Structures (ECE 250).
- Summer 2020 **Teaching Assistant**, Reinforcement Learning (ECE 493).
 - Winter 2020 **Teaching Assistant**, Algorithm Design & Analysis (ECE 406).

Courses

UW (Graduate): Estimation & Hypothesis Testing (L. Zeng), Introduction to Optimization (J. Geelen), Convex Analysis & Optimization (H. Wolkowicz), Stochastic Processes (W. Zhuang), Optimal Control (N. Azad), Stochastic Control (S. Smith), Model Predictive Control (Y. Pant), Computational Neuroscience (B. Tripp).

UW (Bachelors): Machine Learning (P. Poupart), Pattern Recognition (A. Wong), Quantum Mechanics (M. Reimer), Probability Theory (R. Mazumder), Robotics & Control (D. Kulic), Adaptive Algorithms (O. Basir), Computer Networks (S. Naik), Analog Communications (W. Zhuang), Analog Control (S. Smith), Compilers (V. Ganesh), Discrete Math (M. Pei).