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Education

Technische Universität Darmstadt **Darmstadt, Germany**
Ph.D. *2014–2018*

Thesis: Model reductions for queueing and agent-based systems with applications in communication networks
Advisor: Prof. Dr. Heinz Koepl

Indian Statistical Institute **Kolkata, India**
Master of Statistics (M.Stat.) *2009–2011*

University of Calcutta **Kolkata, India**
Bachelor of Science (B.Sc.) with Honours in Statistics *2006–2009*

Employments

Technische Universität Darmstadt **Darmstadt, Germany**
Research Associate *2014–2018*
Bioinspired Communication Systems,
Department of Electrical Engineering and Information Technology

ICICI Bank **Mumbai, India**
Manager *2011–2013*
Advanced Analytics, Business Intelligence Unit (BIU)

Publications

Peer-reviewed publications.....

- [1] Wasiur R. KhudaBukhsh, Bastian Alt, Sounak Kar, Amr Rizk, and Heinz Koepl. Collaborative uploading in heterogeneous networks: Optimal and adaptive strategies. In *IEEE International Conference on Computer Communications (INFOCOM)*, 2018. < 20% **acceptance rate**. **Best-in-Session Presentation Award**.
- [2] Wasiur R. KhudaBukhsh, Amr Rizk, Alexander Frömmgen and Heinz Koepl. Optimizing Stochastic Scheduling in Fork-Join Queueing Models: Bounds and Applications. In *IEEE International Conference on Computer Communications (INFOCOM)*, May 2017. Available: <http://ieeexplore.ieee.org/document/8057013/>, ~ 20% **acceptance rate**.

- [3] A. Šošić, W. R. KhudaBukhsh, A. M. Zoubir, and H. Koepl. Inverse reinforcement learning in swarm systems. In *AAMAS Workshop on Transfer in Reinforcement Learning*, May 2017. Available: <http://www.tirl.info/proceedings/2017/SosicEtal-Inverse.pdf>.
- [4] A. Šošić, W. R. KhudaBukhsh, A. M. Zoubir, and H. Koepl. Inverse reinforcement learning in swarm systems. In *International Conference on Autonomous Agents & Multiagent Systems (AAMAS)*, May 2017. Available: <https://dl.acm.org/citation.cfm?id=3091320>, ~ 26% acceptance rate, **Best Paper Award Finalist**.
- [5] Wasiur R. KhudaBukhsh, Julius Rückert, Julian Wulfheide, David Hausheer and Heinz Koepl. Analysing and Leveraging Client Heterogeneity in Swarming-based Live Streaming. In *IFIP Networking Conference (IFIP Networking) and Workshops*, pages 386–394, May 2016. Available: <http://ieeexplore.ieee.org/document/7497234/>, ~ 26% acceptance rate.
- [6] Mahdi Mousavi, Hussein Al Shatri, W. R. KhudaBukhsh, Heinz Koepl, and Anja Klein. Cross-Layer QoE-based Incentive Mechanism for Video Streaming in Multi-Hop Wireless Networks. In *IEEE 86th Vehicular Technology Conference (VTC)*, September 2017.

Preprints.....

- [7] Wasiur R. KhudaBukhsh, Amr Rizk, Sounak Kar, and Heinz Koepl. Provisioning and performance evaluation of parallel systems with output synchronization, 2017. A shorter version with preliminary results available at: <https://arxiv.org/abs/1612.05543>.
- [8] Wasiur R. KhudaBukhsh, Casper Woroszylo, Grzegorz Rempała and Heinz Koepl. A Functional Central Limit Theorem for Susceptible-Infected (SI) Process on Configuration Model Graphs, 2017. ArXiv preprint: <https://arxiv.org/abs/1703.06328>.
- [9] Hye-Won Kang, Wasiur R. KhudaBukhsh, Heinz Koepl, and Grzegorz Rempała. Quasi-steady-state approximations derived from a stochastic enzyme kinetics, 2017. arXiv preprint: <https://arxiv.org/abs/1711.02791>.
- [10] Wasiur R. KhudaBukhsh, Julius Rückert, Julian Wulfheide, David Hausheer, and Heinz Koepl. SCHEDMIX: Heterogeneous strategy assignment in swarming-based live streaming, 2017. Under revision.
- [11] W. R. KhudaBukhsh, Arnab Auddy, Yann Disser, and Heinz Koepl. Approximate lumpability for markovian agent-based models using local symmetries, 2018. arXiv preprint: <http://arxiv.org/abs/1804.00910>.

Thesis and technical notes.....

- [12] Wasiur R. KhudaBukhsh. *Model reductions for queueing and agent-based systems with applications in communication networks*. PhD thesis, Technische Universität, Darmstadt, 2018. Available at: <http://tuprints.ulb.tu-darmstadt.de/7588/>.
- [13] Wasiur R. KhudaBukhsh, Mark Sinzger, and Heinz Koepl. Bounds on the spectral radius of real-valued non-negative kernels on measurable spaces. Technical report, 2018. arXiv preprint: <https://arxiv.org/abs/1808.00258>.

Professional Memberships

- The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE)
- Verband der Elektrotechnik, Elektronik und Informationstechnik (VDE)
- The Society for Mathematical Biology (SMB)

Professional Services

Reviewer.....

- IEEE Multi-Conference on Systems and Control, Sydney, Australia, 2015

Honours

Funding.....

- The German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD) travel grant (Kongressreise) to participate in the Annual Meeting of the SMB in Sydney, Australia

Awards.....

- Best-in-Session Presentation Award at the IEEE International Conference on Computer Communications (IEEE INFOCOM), Honolulu, Hawaii, USA, 2018.

Talks

Conference presentations.....

- IEEE International Conference on Computer Communications (IEEE INFOCOM), Honolulu, Hawaii, USA, 2018
- IEEE International Conference on Computer Communications (IEEE INFOCOM), Atlanta, GA, USA, 2017
- IFIP Networking Conference and Workshops, Vienna, Austria, 2016

Invited talk.....

- Mini-symposium speaker at the Annual Meeting of the SMB and the JSMB, Sydney, Australia, 2018
- Cloud Computing, Machine Learning And Networking Research (CLAN) Lab, Purdue University (May, 2017)
Host : Vaneet Aggarwal

Teaching Experience

- Computational Methods for Systems and Synthetic Biology (CMSSB)
Technische Universität Darmstadt, Germany
Role: Teaching Assistant
Terms: Summer semester 2016, Summer semester 2017

Research Visits

- The Mathematical Biosciences Institute, The Ohio State University
Host : Grzegorz A. Rempala
Visit periods: June, 2016; February-March, 2017; May, 2017

Student Supervision

B.Sc. Students.....

- Vikash Vikash, 2016, Summer internship, Technische Universität Darmstadt, Germany
- Simon Schwanz, 2016, Proseminar, Technische Universität Darmstadt, Germany
- Simon Schwanz, 2017, Project seminar (jointly with Christian Koch), Technische Universität Darmstadt, Germany
- Siddhaarth Sarkar, 2018, Summer internship, Technische Universität Darmstadt, Germany

M.Sc. Students.....

- Arnab Auddy, 2017, Summer internship, Technische Universität Darmstadt, Germany
- Markus Schanz, 2017, Master thesis (jointly with Christian Koch), Technische Universität Darmstadt, Germany
- Hameer Abbasi, 2017, Master thesis (ongoing, jointly with Bastian Alt), Technische Universität Darmstadt, Germany
- Ranjani Krishnan, 2018, Master thesis (ongoing, jointly with Denny Stohr), Technische Universität Darmstadt, Germany
- Sayantan Kumar, 2018, Summer internship, Technische Universität Darmstadt, Germany

Conferences

- Annual Meeting of the SMB and the JSMB, Sydney, Australia, 2018
- IEEE International Conference on Computer Communications (IEEE INFOCOM), Honolulu, Hawaii, USA, 2018
- Spring school on “Spin Systems: Discrete and Continuous ”, Technische Universität Darmstadt, Germany, 2018
- IEEE International Conference on Computer Communications (IEEE INFOCOM), Atlanta, GA, USA, 2017
- The Mathematical Biosciences Institute Emphasis Workshop on “Modelling of Tissue Growth and Form”, Columbus, OH, USA, 2017
- IFIP Networking Conference and Workshops, Vienna, Austria, 2016
- US - Canadian Institutes Epidemiology Summer School, Columbus, OH, USA, 2016
- Foundations and Advances in Stochastic Filtering (FASF), Barcelona, Spain, 2015
- European Agent Systems Summer School (EASSS), Chania, Greece, 2014
- International Conference on Autonomous Agents & Multiagent Systems (AAMAS), Paris, France, 2014

Languages

English: Professional Proficiency

Bengali: Mother Tongue

Hindi : Working Knowledge

German: Intermediate (B1 level)

Computer Skills

Programming Languages: C, R, Python, SQL, Julia

Software: Matlab, SAS, Microsoft Office, L^AT_EX