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EDUCATION

- Ph.D. (expected Dec. 2009), Computer Science, Signal and Image Processing, INRIA, Sophia-Antipolis, France.
- Master of Science (2005), Electrical and Computer Engineering, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, USA.
- B. Tech. (2002), Electrical Engineering, Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Roorkee, Roorkee, India.

RESEARCH INTERESTS

Application of statistical image processing, pattern recognition and machine learning to fluorescence microscopes.

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

• Thesis (in preparation)

'Blind deconvolution for three dimensional fluorescence microscopy' Ph.D. Thesis, University of Nice Sophia-Antipolis, France, Dec. 2009.

• Journals

P. Pankajakshan, B. Zhang, L. Blanc-Féraud, J.-C. Olivo-Marin, and J. Zerubia, *'Blind deconvolution for thin layered confocal imaging*,' Journal of Applied Optics, vol. 48, no. 21, Jul. 2009.

P. Pankajakshan, 'A unified approach for determining the underlying causes of non-stationary disturbances,' International Journal of Computer Applications in Technology, vol. 35, issue 2/3/4, pp. 241-261, June 2009.

P. Pankajakshan, and V. Kumar, 'Detail-preserving image information restoration guided by SVM based noise mapping,' Journal of Digital Signal Processing, vol. 17, no. 3, pp. 561-577, May 2007.

• Conference Proceedings

P. Pankajakshan, and L. Blanc-Féraud, and Z. Kam, and J. Zerubia, '*Point-spread function retrieval for fluourescence microscopy*,' Proc. IEEE International Symposium on Biomedical Imaging, Boston, USA, Jul. 2009.

P. Pankajakshan, and B. Zhang, and L. Blanc-Féraud, and Z. Kam, and J. C. Olivo-Marin, and J. Zerubia, '*Blind deconvolution for diffraction-limited fluorescence microscopy*,' Proc. IEEE International Symposium on Biomedical Imaging (ISBI), pp. 740-743, May 2008.

P. Pankajakshan, and B. Zhang, and L. Blanc-Féraud, and Z. Kam, and J. C. Olivo-Marin, and J. Zerubia, '*Parametric Blind deconvolution for confocal laser scanning microscopy*,' Proc. IEEE International Conference of EMBS (EMBC-07), pp. 6531-6534, Aug. 2007.

P. Pankajakshan, '*Phasor estimation under nonstationary conditions*,' Proc. International Conference on Applied Mathematics 2005 (ICAM'05), Bandung, Indonesia, pp. 519, Aug. 2005.

P. Pankajakshan, '*KFAMP: An implementation scheme on phasor estimation for protective relays*' 7th Engineering and Applied Mathematics Conference (EMAC 2005), Melbourne, Australia, Sept. 2005.

SELECTED TALKS

- 'On blind deconvolution and PSF retrieval,' June 19, 2009, Quantitative Image Analysis Unit, Institute Pasteur, Paris.
- 'On deconvolution and the hidden "phase" of an incoherent imaging system,' Apr. 07, 2009, Cross Seminar, INRIA, Sophia-Antipolis.
- 'Restoration of confocal laser scanning microscopic images,' Jan. 14, 2009, CNES, Toulouse.
- '*Myopic deconvolution for fluorescence microscopy*,' Dec. 18, 2008, LabEl, Lab. MIPS, Université de Haute-Alsace, Mulhouse.
- 'Blind deconvolution and 3D PSF modeling in biological microscopy,' Nov. 17, 2008, high council for research, scientific and technological co-operation, status seminar program in medical imaging, Paris.
- 'Inverse problems in image processing,' Aug. 06, 2008, Department of Mathematics, Indian Institute of Science (IISc) Math Initiative (IMI), Bangalore.
- 'Inverse problems in microscopy, Sept. 15, 2006, Department of Electical Engineering, Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Roorkee.
- 'Power signal RMS shape recognition for feeder device identification using grammatical inference technique,' Mar. 30, 2004, Student Research Week, Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, USA.

HONORS AND AWARDS

- CORDI-s Fellowship from INRIA 2006–209.
- Travel award for the IEEE International Symposium on Biomedical Imaging, 2008.
- Runner-up among 12 academic institutions for the HCL Technologies Dataquest e-awards 2000.
- Runner-up for the best paper at the national conference Tryst, IIT, Delhi, India, Feb. 2001.
- Recipient of merit scholarship from IIT Roorkee based on academic performance.
- Ranked 652 in the roorkee entrance examination (REE'98) among about 100,000 students.

EXPERIENCE

- Research assistant Ariana Project-team, INRIA, Sophia-Antipolis, France, Dec. 2006–Dec. 2009.
- Senior engineer Tata Elxsi, Bangalore, India, May–Dec. 2006.
- Research assistant TEES, College Station, TX, USA, Aug. 2002–Aug. 2004.
- Undergrad. research assistant ISP Lab, IIT Roorkee, Roorkee, India, May 1999–May 2002.
- Summer intern Pentamedia Graphics Ltd., Chennai, India, May–Jul. 2001.
- Summer intern IISc, Bangalore, India, May–June 2000.

SKILLS

- Languages: C, C++
- Softwares: MATLAB/Simulink, R, Labview, LATEX
- Database: SQL Server 2003, MySQL, MS Access

ACTIVITIES AND AFFILIATIONS

- Reviewer for Elsevier DSP, IEEE Potentials Magazine, IET Optical Engineering, IEE .
- IEEE member.

REFERENCES

References are available on request.