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AWARDS & RECOGNITION

1. Featuring in the Stanford University's list of Globally Top 2% Researcher List for the years 2020 and 2021 in the research areas of AI, Image Processing, Speech Processing, Signal Processing, Machine Learning and Pattern reciognition.
2. Vice Chairman, IEEE Signal Processing Society Chapter, IIT Kharagpur, 2020-2022.
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PATENTS

1. System and Method for Synchronizing Acoustic Signal of Vopiced Speech and its Corresponding Electroglottography Signal : Filed (Ref : 805/KOL/2014)

2. Method and apparatus to detect voice activity using Harmonics of Phase of Zero Frequency Filtered Speech Signal : Filed (Ref : 1237/KOL/2015)

GOOGLE SCHOLAR CITATIONS

Number of citations	=	5779
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PUBLICATIONS

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RESEARCH CONTRIBUTIONS:

Acquisition and incorporation of prosody

- Appropriate models are proposed for capturing the prosodic information, and signal processing methods are developed to incorporate the prosodic information into speech.

Expressive speech processing

- Emotional speech databases were developed in Hindi and Telugu.

- Implicit and explicit excitation source features, pitch synchronous and sub-syllabic spectral features and multi-level global and local prosodic features are proposed for characterizing the emotions.

- Hierarchical models are proposed for improving the accuracy of emotion recognition.

- Acquisition and incorporation of emotion-specific knowledge for developing emotion-aware speech systems

- Robust signal processing methods were proposed for detecting the speech events in expressive speech.

- Signal processing and machine learning methods were proposed for voice as well as expression transformations.

Speech/Speaker/Language Recognition
- Signal processing methods are developed to detect important speech events such as vowel onset and offset points in presence of speech coding and background noise.

- Efficient speech and speaker recognition systems are developed in mobile environment by exploiting the crucial speech events and hybrid recognition models.

- Articulatory and excitation source features are proposed for recognition of speech in read, extempore and conversation modes.

- Detection and Incorporation of Manner of Articulation (MoA) knowledge in LSTM for speech recognition.

- Incorporation of MoA knowledge in decoding graph and lattice rescoring.

- Acquisition and incorporation of MoA knowledge in CTC based End-toEnd ASR system.

- Robust speaker recognition techniques were proposed based on stochastic feature compensation and total variability speaker modeling frameworks.

- Multi-SNR speaker models are proposed for speaker recognition in varying background environments.

- Emotion compensation techniques are proposed for Speaker recognition in emotional environments.

- Robust language recognition systems were developed using (i) spectral features extracted from glottal closure regions, (ii) multi-level prosodic features, (iii) implicit and explicit excitation source features and (iv) phase information.

Text-to-speech synthesis
- Syllable based Bengali text-to-speech system was developed.

- Efficient text analysis and phase break prediction models are developed.

- Accurate prosody models are developed using feedforward neural networks.

- Appropriate syllable-specific features, unit-selection cost functions and weight selection criterion are proposed.

- Bengali screen reader was developed and demonstrated to visually challenged people at NAB Kolkata by conducting workshop for 5 weeks.

- Laughter synthesis and incorporation of appropriate laughter segments for generating the Happy emotion.

- Storyteller style speech synthesis systems were developed in four Indian languages (Hindi, Telugu, Bengali and Malayalam)

- Story-specific prosody models were proposed for enhancing the storyteller style synthesized speech quality.

- Effective source models were proposed and integrated in statistical parametric speech synthesis for generating both modal and creaky voices.
- Customizable polyglot text-to-speech synthesis using cross-lingual voice conversion framework.

Voice conversion

- Autoassociative neural network models are proposed for mapping pitch-synchronous speaker-specific characteristics between source and target speakers.

- High quality cross-lingual voice conversion using bottleneck features from deep neural networks

Analysis and synthesis of vocal folds activity

- Accurate and robust detection of significant instants within a glottal cycle using phase information
- Accurate parameterization of vocal folds activity using phase information
- Analysis and investigation of vocal disorders using the parameters of a glottal cycle
- Simulation of vocal folds activity using EGG and Speech signals.

Analysis of pathological speech

- Dysarthric speech analysis

Music signal processing

- Signal processing methods for extracting the predominant melody from polyphonic music
- Accurate melody extraction from singing voice

- Unified framework for robust and accurate f0 extraction from speech as well as songs.

- Automatic Note transcription

- Automatic generation of lyrics and melody using deep architectures.

Unsupervised Pattern Discovery for Speech Indexing and Retrieval Applications

- Unsupervised pattern discovery methods at frame level and phoneme level

- Unsupervised pattern discovery using image processing, nearest depth first search (NDFS) traversal and machine learning techniques.

- Clustering of speech documents based on the knowledge acquired from the pattern discovery techniques.

- Indexing of clusters using unique keywords and linking the related speech documents to indexed keywords.

- Development of an efficient speech retrieval system using the indexed speech repository.

- Development of the web-interface for captiuring the speech queries and retieving the relevant speech documents in response to the given user query.

PROTO-TYPE SYSTEMS DEVELOPED:

1. Text-to-Speech synthesis system for an Indian language Bengali
2. Bi-lingual (English and Bengali) screen reader for visually challenged people
3. Multi-stage storyteller style speech synthesizers in Hindi, Telugu, Bengali and Malayalam.
4. Polyglot speech synthesis for development of multilingual TTS
5. Vocalfold activity synthesizer is developed using phase information of EGG
6. Online Hindustani music tutoring system (basic SARGAM)
7. Automatic Tanpura tuner system
8. Speech interface for filling Aadhar and Train reservation forms in English and Hindi.
9. Development of speech indexing and retrieval system using unsupervised pattern discovery techniques.

PROJECTS GUIDED

(M. Tech Level): Completed: 61, On-going: 7

1. Real time Prosody modification
2. Voice conversion by mapping spectral and prosodic features
3. Emotion analysis on stressed speech database (SUSE)
4. Issues in the development of Text-to-speech (TTS) system for Hindi

5. Exploration of excitation source information for the analysis of expressive speech
6. Emotion recognition from video using facial features
7. Analysis of Hindi dialects using speech features
8. Emotion recognition from video using acoustic features
9. Continuous digit recognition in noisy environments
10. Emotion recognition using speaking rate features
11. Robust speaker recognition using PCA and ICA
12. Emotion recognition using LP residual signal of speech
13. Accurate vowel onset point detection from speech
14. Emotion recognition under text and speaker variabilities
15. Emotion recognition using prosodic features from sentence, word and syllable levels
16. Infant cry recognition using spectral and prosodic features
17. Automatic news bulletin segmentation using news reader speaking characteristics
18. Indexing and retrieval of speech documents
19. Robust emotion recognition using multiple classifiers
20. Infant cry recognition using source and system features
21. Corpus based emotion synthesis in Hindi
22. Language identification from speech using GMM-SVM framework
23. Characterization of speaker emotion from speech using GMM-SVM framework
24. Conversion of neutral speech to story-teller speech
25. Language identification using multi-stage discriminative approaches
26. Indexing and retrieval of video lectures using speech
27. Speaker recognition using phase information from EGG signal
28. Language identification using phonotactic features
29. Audio retrieval using GMM-posterior features
30. Identification of North Indian language dialects using source, system and prosodic features
31. Automatic generation of companion chords based on melody
32. Unsupervised Keyword Recognition in Speech and clustering of Speech Documents (Vineeth Chinmay Karra, M.Tech (Dual Degree)
33. Multi Column Artificial Neural Network For Vocal and Non Vocal Classification of Bollywood Music (M.Tech, Ravindra Singh Koranga)
34. End-to-End Automatic Speech Recognition Model for Noisy Speech, Vikash Kumar Chaurasia (17CS60R51)
35. Exploiting Machine Learning Techniques for Unsupervised Clustering of Speech Utterances, Aniket Deroy (17CS60R19).
36. Indexing and Retrieval of Video Lectures, Narayan Kunal (18CS60R56).
37. Unsupervised Pattern Discovery Technique for Speech Information Retrieval, Harshita Chouhan (18CS60R40).
38. Context-Aware Outfit Compatibility Prediction & FITB, Vaibhav Mishra (18CS60R34).
39. Detection of Copy-Move Tampering in Digital Audio, Vivek Sharma, (19CS60R38).
40. Semantic segmentation of lecture videos using deep learning techniques for efficient indexing, Hemlata Ramesh Chandewar (19CS60R41)
41. Exploring features for detection of repeated patterns in multi-speaker speech, Shirish Kumar Shukla (19CS60R54).
42. Semi-supervised clustering of speech signals using manner of articulation, Damera Ajay (19CS60R63)

43. Audio Visual Biometric Verification System using Siamese Network, Saurav Likhar (16CS30048).
44. Speech Emotion Recognition Using Convolutional Neural Networks With Data Augmentation And Transfer Learning, B Kushal (16CS30008).
45. Framework for Content Based Lecture Video Indexing and Retrieval using Deep Learning Techniques, Amit Barik, (20CS60D01).
46. Comparative link prediction of disease comorbidity regarding COVID19 using Knowledge Graph, Aditya Anand, (20CS60R24).
47. Novel variants prediction of comorbid diseases related to COVID-19 using Knowledge Graph with GNN Model, Aditya Anand, (20CS60R24).
48. Multilingual Speaker Verification Using Few Shot Learning Mobile Devices, Venu Gopal Bandhakavi, (20CS60R45).
49. Word boundary detection in speech signal under low-resource condition, Saurav Koranga, (20CS60R65).
50. Formulation of Rules for Faults in Electric cars, Abhishek Mukherjee, (20CS60R03)
51. Evaluation of tools for debugging memory related issues, Abhishek Mukherjee, (20CS60R03).
52. Sentiment Analysis of tweets using combinations of CNN and LSTM, Naimesh Pramanik, (17CS30023)
53. Sentiment Analysis of tweets using BERT, CNN and Bi-LSTM, Naimesh Pramanik, (17CS30023)
54. NeuralMultiling: Lightweight Neural Architecture Search based Multilingual Speaker Verification, Gautam Sharma, (21CS60R26)
55. Query-by-Example Keyword Spotting in Untranscribed Speech, Deepak Chaudhary, (21CS60R35)
56. Automatic Lyrics Transcription for Low Resourced Music, Shantanu Sankpal, (21CS60R54)
57. Involution: A Novel Neural Operator For Image Classification Using Differentiable Architecture Search, Shantanu Sankpal, (21CS60R54)
58. Speaker Identification in Emotional Environments, Sanskar Jain, (21CS60R69)
59. Hand Gesture Recognition of Bharatnatyam Mudras, Sanskar Jain, (21CS60R69)
60. Classification and Analysis of Vocal Fold Disorders, Prasenjit Kundu, (21CS60R22)
61. Language Identification From Vocal Polyphonic Music, Sagar Ahlawat, (21CS60R62)

(B.Tech Level): Completed: 27, On-going: 6

1. Incorporation of emotion knowledge into Speech
2. Emotion recognition using multi-level information
3. Person-specific music retrieval using adaptive GMMs
4. Development of portable book reading device
5. Evaluation of SARGAM tutoring system
6. Incorporation of emotions into neutral speech
7. A music identification and recommender system using audio fingerprinting
8. Evaluation of Learner's SARGAM practice (Manikya Singh-14CS10032, K. Jaya Chandra, 14CS30045)
9. Unsupervised keyword spotting using GM-posteriogram features (Alla Sairam, 13CS10007)
10. Video Classification using Deep Learning On Action Recognition Dataset
11. Neural Lyrics Generation For Bollywood Music
12. Exploring self-supervised approach and an attempt to model explainability for covid sound classification

13. Event classification in lecture videos using Deep Learning
14. Exploring Input Representations for Melody Extraction
15. Keyword Spotting using unsupervised framework on low-resource languages
16. Metadata Extraction from MOOC Platform Videos
17. Automatic extraction of relevant metadata from educational videos for efficient indexing
18. Removing Texture Bias Using Few Shot CNN Segmentation
19. End-to-End accent classification from emotonal speech
20. Analysis of Unsupervised Pattern Discovery Algorithms in Speech
21. Unsupervised Speech Feature Learning using RBM and Pattern Discovery
22. Relation between Expander Graph Properties and Recurrent Neural Networks
23. Hands free gesture to crop the image and perform 3D visualization using depth cameras
24. Automatic Bharatnatyam Dance Video Annotation Tool
25. Footwork recognition and and Audio synchronization in Kathak Dance performances using Machine learning
26. Hand-free Image cropping using sensors
27. Unsupervised Spoken Term Similarity Detection using Recurrent Neural Networks

THESIS SUPERVISION:

(PhD Level) Completed: 13; On-going: 10

1. Emotion recognition from speech using source, system and prosodic features
2. Vowel onset point detection for speech processing in mobile environment
3. Enhancement of Speaker Recognition Performance for Short Test Segments using GMM-SVM and Polynomial Classifiers
4. Source modeling for improving the quality of HMM-based speech syntheis.
5. Emotion Transformation using Significant Events of Speech
6. Incorporation of manner of articulation knowledge to improve the performance of automatic speech recognition system.
7. Source modeling and cross-lingual voice conversion for high quality polyglot parametric speech synthesis.
8. Speech recognition in multilingual and multimode environment.
9. Modeling Aesthetics in Fashion Recommendation using Machine Learning
10. An Unified Framework for Accurate Pitch Estimation from Human Voice
11. Unsupervised Pattern Discovery and Clustering of Speech Utterances for Information Retrieval
12. Analysis of Glottal Activity for Noisy and Pathological Electroglottolographic Signals.
13. Exploring Signal Processing and Deep Learning Approaches towards Automatic Song Composition.

(MS Level) Completed: 14

1. Identification of Indian languages using spectral and prosodic features
2. Text analysis for Bengali text-to-speech synthesis system
3. Prosody modeling for Bengali text-to-speech synthesis system
4. Optimal unit selection criterion for Bengali text-to-speech synthesis system

5. Robust Speaker Recognition in Mobile Environment
6. Analysis and Synthesis of Vocal Fold Activity using an Electroglottographic Signal
7. Articulatory and Excitation Source Features for Phone Recognition
8. Language identification using excitation source features
9. Predominant Melody Extraction from Vocal Polyphonic Music Signals
10. Multi-stage Children Story Speech Synthesis
11. Prosody Modeling for Storytelling Style Speech Synthesis
12. Emotion Conversion in Speech using Source, System and Prosody Modifications
13. Robust language identification using magnitude and phase information
14. Automatic Transcription of Hindustani Classical Music

COURSES TAUGHT:

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1. Database Management Systems
2. Image Processing
3. Programming and Data Structures
4. Computer Architecture and Operating Systems
5. Advanced topics in speech processing
6. Speech processing technology
7. Communication systems and networking
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9. Introduction to Internet
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11. Programming and data structures lab
12. Computing systems lab
13. Internet technologies lab
14. Computer Networks Lab
15. Database Management Systems Lab

IIT Guwahati

1. Communication Networks
2. Analog circuits

Bapatla Engineering College

1. Digital signal processing
2. Advanced communication systems
3. Communication systems
4. Analog communication
5. Digital communication
6. Principles of communication

7. Control systems
8. Applied electronics
9. TV engineering
10. Microprocessors and applications
11. Advanced microprocessors
12. Digital electronics
13. Object oriented programming
14. Operating systems
15. Computer networks

WORKSHOP / CONFERENCE / INVITED SEMINAR / SHORT-TERM COURSE ORGANIZED:

Type	Name	Year	# participants
Workshop	Anti-spoofing strategies for unseen audio-visual attacks	2019	40
Workshop	Winter School on Speech and Audio Processing (WISSAP) at College of Engineering Trivendrum	2019	150
Conference	INTERSPEECH – 2018 (i) Area Chair for Speech Synthesis and Spoken Language Generation track and (ii) Member in Finance Committee	2018	1500
Workshop	Winter School on Speech and Audio Processing (WISSAP) at IIT Guwahati	2018	175
Workshop	Design and Development of Speech Interfaces for Form-Filling Applications	2017	20
Workshop	Acquisition, representation, analysis and classification of bio-signals	2017	20
Seminar	Excitation source features for the analysis of distant speech	2015	25
Workshop	Prosodically Guided Phonetic Engine for Searching Speech Databases in Indian Languages	2014	36
Conference (Publication chair)	International conference on Human Computer Interaction (IHCI-2012)	2012	250
Conference (Publication chair)	Indian conference on Medical Informatics and Telemedicine (ICMIT-2013)	2013	75
Short-term course	Advanced Networking	2008	15
Short-term course	Image and video processing	2009	60
Short-term course	Wireless adhoc and sensor networks	2010	50
Short-term course	Basic computers for visually challenged	2011	25
Short-term course	Recent trends in speech processing	2011	30
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Workshop	Basics of speech processing	2009	24

Workshop	Speech enhancement using spectral and temporal methods	2009	25
Workshop	Development of Speaker verification systems	2010	30
Workshop	Signal processing techniques for various speech applications	2010	30
Seminar	Processing of multispeaker speech	2009	25
Seminar	Speech enhancement by temporal processing	2009	25
Seminar	Speech enhancement by spectral processing	2009	25
Seminar	Speaker recognition under degraded conditions	2009	25
Seminar	Signal processing issues in speech processing	2010	30
Seminar	A computational framework for exploring the role of speech production in speech processing/recognition	2011	30
Seminar	Multi-level excitation source information for speaker verification	2012	35

INVITED TALKS:

1. Audio-visual spoof detection in multilingual environments
2. Detection of Vocal Folds Disorders using EGG Signals, Online Short Term Course (STC) on "Deep Learning-Based Speech Processing Techniques for Smart Health and Education Systems-Concepts, Recent Trends and Key Challenges" (DLSP-2021), (September 20-24, 2021) at IIT Patna, Patna, Bihar, India.
3. Deep Learning Techniques for Speech and Music Processing, On-line Faculty Development Program on "Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning and Robotics", organized by Dept of Computer Science and Engineering, University of Science and Technology, Meghalaya, Inmdia. September 6-10, 2021.
4. Deep Learning Techniques for Audio Indexing and Retrieval Applications, Workshop on Machine Learning for Speech Processing at NIT Sikkim, South Sikkim,India, 2021
5. Unsupervised Pattern Discovery using Convolution Neural Networks, AICTE sponsored Faculty Development Program on "Machine Learning in Image Processing Applications", at PSCMR College of Engineering & Technology, Vijayawada, India. (2021)
6. Incorporation of MOA knowledge in End-to-End ASR system, AICTE sponsored Faculty Development Program on "Machine Learning and its Applications", at PSCMR College of Engineering & Technology, Vijayawada, India. (2021)
7. Application of Deep Learning Techniques for Development of Speech and Audio Systems, AICTE Training And Learning (ATAL) Academy Sponsored Faculty Development Programme on Speech Processing using Deep Learning, IIT Dharwad. (2020)
8. Introduction to speech processing and its applications
9. Speech and audio applications on Internet.
10. Expressive speech processing and its applications
11. Prosody modeling and its application to various speech tasks
12. Acquisition and incorporation of prosody for developing speech systems

13. Speech interface to mobile phones
14. Speaker recognition in varying background environments
15. Mapping of speech parameters for voice conversion and emotion transformation
16. Development text-to-speech synthesis systems in Indian languages

SPONSORED PROJECTS:

PROJECT – 1	
Project Title	Natural Language translation Mission (NLTM) Bhashini
Funding Agency	MeitY, Govt. of India.
Project Value	98.41 Lakhs
Duration	3 years (March 2022 to March 2025)
Status	In progress
Role	Principal Investigator
PROJECT – 2	
Project Title	Development of Anti-spoofing Strategies for Unseen Audio-Visual Attacks in Handheld Devices
Funding Agency	MHRD
Project Value	59.24 Lakhs
Duration	4 years (March 2019 to March 2023)
Status	In progress
Role	Principal Investigator
PROJECT – 3	
Project Title	Development of Speech Interface for Form-Filling Application (SIFA) in Five Indian Languages
Funding Agency	MHRD & MCIT
Project Value	103.20 Lakhs
Duration	3 years (Sept. 2017 to Dec. 2020)
Status	Completed
Role	Principal Investigator
PROJECT – 4	
Project Title	Center of Excellence in Robotics
Funding Agency	531.75 Lakhs
Project Value	SRIC, IIT Kharagpur
Duration	5 years (April. 2014 to March 2019)

Status	Completed
Role	Co-Principal Investigator
PROJECT – 5	
Project Title	Decoding and exploring ancient classification of Indian music through machine learning method and audience response
Funding Agency	150 Lakhs
Project Value	MHRD
Duration	8 years (Jan. 2014 to March 2022)
Status	Completed
Role	Co-Principal Investigator
PROJECT – 6	
Project Title	Speech Based Access of Agricultural Commodity Prices and Weather Information in 12 Indian Lnaguages/Dialects, ASR Phase-II
Funding Agency	54.62 Lakhs
Project Value	MCIT
Duration	4 years (Aug. 2014 to July 2018)
Status	Completed
Role	Principal Investigator
PROJECT – 7	
Project Title	Robot as a social assistance and robotic framework for exploring rugged and potentially hazardous terrain
Funding Agency	SRIC, IIT Kharagpur
Project Value	6.99 Lakhs
Duration	3.5 years (May 2014 to Oct 2017)
Status	Completed
Role	Co-Principal Investigator
PROJECT – 8	
Project Title	Accurate analysis of vocal folds activity for speech and biomedical applications
Funding Agency	MHRD
Project Value	33 Lakhs
Duration	4 years (Apr. 2014 to March 2018)
Status	Completed
Role	Principal Investigator
PROJECT – 9	

Project Title	Development of Text-to-Speech Synthesis System for Indian Languages (Phase II)
Funding Agency	MCIT
Project Value	97.94 Lakhs
Duration	5 years (Feb. 2012 to June 2017)
Status	Completed
Role	Principal Investigator

	PROJECT – 10
Project Title	Development Prosodically guided phonetic engine for searching speeh databases in Indian languages
Funding Agency	MCIT
Project Value	60.38 Lakhs
Duration	3.5 years (Jan 2012 to June 2015)
Status	Completed
Role	Principal Investigator

	PROJECT – 11
Project Title	Development of Text-to-Speech Synthesis System for Indian Languages (Phase I)
Funding Agency	MCIT
Project Value	35.66 Lakhs
Duration	2 yrs 9 months (Apr. 2009 to Dec 2011)
Status	Completed
Role	Principal Investigator

	PROJECT – 12
Project Title	Speaker recognition system for handheld devices in varying background environments
Funding Agency	DST
Project Value	23.03 Lakhs
Duration	4 years (Oct 2008 to Sept. 2012)
Status	Completed
Role	Principal Investigator

	PROJECT – 13
Project Title	Shruti: A vernacular speech recognition system
Funding Agency	Media Lab Asia
Project Value	20 Lakhs
Duration	3 yrs (Mar 2009 to Feb 2012)

Status	Completed
Role	Co-Principal Investigator
PROJECT – 14	
Project Title	Characterization and Incorporation of Emotions in Speech
Funding Agency	ISIRD (IITKGP)
Project Value	3 Lakhs
Duration	4 yrs (Oct 2007 to Sept. 2011)
Status	Completed
Role	Principal Investigator

OTHER ACTIVITIES:

Membership:

IEEE Senior Member
IEEE Signal Processing Society Member
ISCA Member
ACM Member
Life Member for Indian Society for Technological Education (ISTE)

Editorial Board Membership:

Editorial Board Member to International Journal of Biosciences and Technology.
Editorial Board Member to The Open Signal Processing Journal.
Editorial Board Member to International Journal of UWB Communications and Systems.

Reviewer:

Reviewer for "IEEE Transactions on Audio Speech and Language Processing"
Reviewer for IEEE Signal Processing Letters, IEEE Access
Reviewer for "Journal of Acoustic Society of America (JASA)", JASA Express letters.
Reviewer for "Speech Communication", Elsevier Publishers.
Reviewer for "Computer Speech and Language", Elsevier Publishers.
Reviewer for "Computers and Electrical Engineering" Elsevier Publishers.
Reviewer for "ERASIP Journal on Audio, Speech and Music Processing", Elsevier Publishers.
Reviewer for "ACM Transactions on Speech and Language Processing"
Reviewer for "Journal of Circuits, Systems and Signal Processing", Springer Publishers.
Reviewer for "International Journal of Speech Technology" Springer Publishers
Reviewer for "Biomedical Signal Processing and Control" Elsevier Publishers.
Reviewer for "Applied Soft Computing" Elsevier Publishers.
Reviewer for "Neurocomputing" Elsevier Publishers.

Reviewer for "International Journal of Adaptive Control and Signal Processing" Wiley Publishers
Reviewer for "Journal of Multimedia", Academy Publisher
Reviewer for many reputed international conferences such as ICASSP, Interspeech, ICSLP, SPCOM and ICON.

BOS Member:

(1) NIT Suratkal
(2) JNTU Kakinada
(3) Vignan University
(4) RVR College of Engineering, Guntur, AP, India.
(5) QIS College of Engineering and Technology, Ongole, AP, India.
(6) Bapatla Engineering College, Bapatla, Guntur, AP.

PRSG Member:

(1) DeITy sponsored project "Development of Robust Person Authentication system using online handwriting" by RGU, Arunachal Pradesh.
(2) DeITy sponsored project "Audio Visual Spoof Resistance and Robust PID" by NIT Nagaland
(3) DeITy sponsored project "Robust Speaker Recognition" by RGU (Arunachal Pradesh)
(4) Project Review Committee Member, Technology Innovation Hub on Autonomous Navigation Foundation, IIT Hyderabad

BOG Nominee:

For NITK Suratkal during selection committee meeting from Feb 10-11, 2018 for recruitment of Faculty members in various departments.

Expert Member:

Faculty selection comittee member for IIT Dharwad, Thapar University, NIT Agartala, IIIT Dharwad, IIIT Sricity and JNTU Anantapur