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#### **EDUCATION**

Ph.D. Computer Science 2020 University of California, Santa Barbara M.S. Computer Science 2018 University of California, Santa Barbara

**B.S.** Computer Science University of California, San Diego (cum laude) Minor in Mathematics

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

#### Institutional Shareholder Services, San Diego

Front-End Web Engineer

2020 - Present

#### UC Santa Barbara

Research Assistant - MOMENT lab

2014 - 2020

2011

- ♦ Flying Ubiquitous Sensor Networks: Optimizing UAS 802.15.4 for data delivery for wireless sensor networks.
- ♦ Cellular Congestion Monitoring: SDR to detect network congestion via LTE broadcast messages.
- ♦ Tribal Internet Access: Automated aerial network assessment to rapidly plan new network deployments.
- ♦ Voxel Based Approximation: Novel algorithm for locating devices from Unmanned Aircraft Systems.
- ♦ Verifiable Group Anonymity: Android application using cryptography and proxy to anonymize social media accounts while protecting group identity and message integrity.

## Walailak University - Center of Excellence in Ecoinformatics, Thailand

Fulbright Research Scholar

2013

♦ Early Warning Flood Detection: Real-time event detection of flooding in Bandon Bay, Thailand.

## UC San Diego

Research Assistant - California Institute for Telecommunications and Information Technology

2009 - 2012

- ♦ Coral Sensor Networks: Middleware for coral reef observatories streaming and sharing data.
- ♦ Bee Counting: Computer vision for automatic counting of bee population changes.
- ♦ Coral Spawning: Automated coral spawning detection using computer vision coupled with coral fluorescence.

Front-End Web Developer - International Center

2008 - 2010

## MobileTrac, San Diego

Front-End Web Developer 2009 - 2012

### HONORS & AWARDS

College of Engineering Outstanding TA Award	2020	UCSB Doctoral Scholars Fellowship	2012
ACM DroNet Best Paper	2019	UCSD Graduated Cum Laude	2011
Dissertation Year Fellowship	2018	UCSD Returnee of the Year	2010
MobiSys Best Poster	2013	UCSD Robins Scholarship	2010
Fulbright Research Scholar	2012	Boeing Scholarship	2008
NSF Graduate Research Fellowship	2012	BAE Systems Scholarship	2009

**Programming:** Python; Java; JavaScript; C; Assembly Languages (SPARC)

Web: HTML 5; CSS 3; NodeJS; React; Gatsby; JQuery; XML; SQL; JSON; AJAX; Twitter Bootstrap;

API Development; REST; Apache Servers

**Technologies:** Pandas; NumPy; SciPy; Android Development; Django; TCP/IP Stack; 802.11; 802.15.4; Cloud

Computing (AWS); OpenCV;

Tools: Linux/Windows; PyCharm; IntelliJ; Eclipse; Adobe Photoshop/Lightroom; LaTeX; Microsoft

Office; UAS Pilot (Part 107); DataTurbine

Social: Teaching; Teamwork; Communicating between disciplines; Multi-national collaborations; Engage

with technology stakeholders; Grant writing

Other: US Citizen; Fieldwork; Sensor Network Deployment; Photography; PADI Scuba Certified; Inter-

national Travel (40+ Countries); Fluent in Russian;

#### FORMAL TRAINING

Graduate: Computational Geometry; Distributed Computing; Computer Networks; Mobile Computing;

> Cloud Computing; Mobile Networks; Mobile Imaging; Data Intensive Computing; Java Distributed Computing; Sociology & Biology Networks; Education: Blended Learning Course Design

Artificial Intelligence; Programming Languages; Assembly; Compilers; Computer Design; Com-Undergraduate:

puter Architecture; Operating Systems; Computer Security; Computer Communication and Networks; Basic Data Structures & Object Oriented Design; Advanced Data Structures; Software Engineering; Cognitive Science; Computability & Intractability; Mathematical Reasoning; Advanced Calculus; Advanced Linear Algebra; Graph Theory; Statistics; Combinatorics; Number Theory; Physics (Electromagnetic, Optics, Mechanical, Thermodynamics); Analog Design; Cir-

cuits and Systems

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

## Real-Time Multilateral RSSI Localization from UASs for Disaster Response

Nekrasov M, Belding E.

(In preparation)

## Peeking through Cellular Walled Gardens to Estimate Congestion

Adarsh, V., Nekrasov, M., Belding, E.

(In preparation)

## The Past 110 Years: Historical Data on the Underrepresentation of Women in Philosophy

Journals

Hassoun, N., Conklin, S., Nekrasov, M., West, J.

The Journal of Ethics. (Under Submission)

#### Impact of 802.15.4 Radio Antenna Orientation on UAS Aerial Data Collection

Nekrasov, M., Maxton, G., Allen, R., Artamonova, I., Belding, E.

Proceedings of the 29th International Conference on Computer, Communication and Networks (ICCCN).

2020.

#### **#Outage:** Detecting Power and Communication Outages from Social Networks

Paul, U., Alexander, E., Nekrasov, M., Adrash, V., Belding, E.

Proceedings of the Web Conference (WWW).

#### Evaluating LTE Coverage and Quality from an Unmanned Aircraft System

Nekrasov M, Adarsh V, Paul U, Showalter E, Zegura E, Vigil-Hayes M, Belding E.

Proceedings of the 16th IEEE International Conference on Mobile Ad-Hoc and Smart Systems (MASS).

#### Packet-level Congestion Estimation in LTE Networks using Passive Measurements

Adarsh, V., Nekrasov, M., Belding, E.

Proceedings of the Internet Measurement Conference (IMC), pp. 158-164.

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Optimizing 802.15. 4 Outdoor IoT Sensor Networks for Aerial Data Collection Nekrasov, M., Allen, R., Artamonova, I., Belding, E. <i>MDPI Journal of Sensors</i> , 19(16), p. 3479.	2019
Performance Analysis of Aerial Data Collection from Outdoor IoT Sensor Networks using 2.4GHz 802.15.4  Nekrasov, M., Allen, R., Belding, E.  Proceedings of the 5th Workshop on Micro Aerial Vehicle Networks, Systems, and Applications (DroNet), pp. 33-38.	2019
A User-driven Free Speech Application for Anonymous and Verified Online, Public Group Discourse.  Nekrasov, M., Iland, D., Metzger, M., Parks, L. Belding, E.  Journal of Internet Services and Applications, 9(1).	2018
SecurePost: Verified Group-Anonymity on Social Media Nekrasov, M., Iland, D., Metzger, M., Zhao, B. Belding, E. 7th USENIX Workshop on Free and Open Communications on the Internet (FOCI).	2017
Limits to Internet Freedoms: Being Heard in an Increasingly Authoritarian World Nekrasov, M., Parks, L., Belding, E.  Proceedings of the 2017 Workshop on Computing Within Limits (Limits), pp. 119-128.	2017
Sensor Networks Applications for Reefs at Racha Island, Thailand.  Jaroensutasinee, M., Jaroensutasinee, K., Bainbridge, S., Fountain, T., Chumkiew, S., Noonsang, P. Kuhapon, U. Vannarat, S. Poyai, S. Nekrasov, M.  Proceeding of the 12th International Coral Reef Symposium (ICRS), Cairns, Australia, p. 95.	2012
CREON – Integrating Disparate Sources of Remote Coral Reef Sensor Data Jaroensutasinee, K., Jaroensutasinee, M., Bainbridge, S., Fountain, T., Holbrook, S., Nekrasov, M. Proceedings of the 12th International Coral Reef Symposium (ICRS), Cairns, Australia, pp. 9-13.	2012
The Open Source DataTurbine Initiative: Empowering the Scientific Community with Streaming Data Middleware.  Fountain, T., Sameer, T., Shin, P., Nekrasov, M.  Bulletin of the Ecological Society of America. 93(3), pp. 242-252.	2012
Coral Sensor Network at Racha Island, Thailand.  Fountain, T., Nekrasov, M., Jaroensutasinee, M., Jaroensutasinee, K., Chumkiew, S., Noonsang, P., Kuhapong, U. Bainbridge, S.  Proceedings of the Environmental Information Management Conference (EIM).	2011
Automatic Analysis of Camera Image Data: An Example of Honey Bee (Apis cerana) Images from the Shanping Wireless Sensor Network. Lu, S. S., Perry, M., Nekrasov, M. Fountain, T., Arzberger, P., Wang, Y. H., Lin, C. C.	2011

Taiwan Journal of Forest Science, 26(3), pp.305-311.

## PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Technical Program Committees	
$\diamond$ First Annual Android Sensor Pod Workshop, $\mathit{TFRI}$ $\mathit{Headquarters},\ \mathit{Taipei},\ \mathit{Taiwan}$	2013
Invited Talks	
♦ Remote Lecture: ICT4D, Brown University - Dep. Modern Culture and Media	2016
♦ Lecture: Applications of Mathematics and Computer Science, Torrey Pines High School	2016
♦ Lecture: Quantitative Methods in Social Sciences, UC Santa Barbara	2014
⋄ TV Interview, Local news for Nakhon Si Thammarat, Thailand	2013
$\diamond \ \ \text{Sensor Tools Workshop}, \ \ \textit{LTER Information Management Headquarters, Albuquerque, New Mexico}$	2012
$\diamond$ Experimental Learning Conference, $UC\ San\ Diego$	2012
$\diamond \ \ \text{SensorNIS Workshop}, \ \textit{Hubbard Brook Experimental Forest}, \ \textit{New Hampshire}$	2011
Service	
♦ Judging SB Hacks (competition), UC Santa Barbara	2020
$\diamond$ Graduate Student Recruitment Committee, UC Santa Barbara	2016
$\diamond$ Student Senate, $UC$ Santa Barbara	2015-2016
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	
Instructor of Record	
UC Santa Barbara - School for Scientific Thought	
♦ Computer Ethics: Reshaping Society Through Technology	Winter 2003
Teaching Assistant UC Santa Barbara	
♦ Introduction to Computer Communication Networks	Fall 2019
♦ Translation of Programming Languages	Spring 2018
Computer Science Bootcamp	Winter 2018
♦ Foundations of Computer Science	Fall 2012
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