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RESEARCH INTERESTS	Human-computer Interfacing, Biomedical Signal Processing, Pattern Recognition and Computational Intelligence, Rehabilitative Engineering, Rehabilitative Robotics, Biomedical Image Processing, Medical Imaging Devices, Biomedical Instrumentation, Biomedical Control Systems.	
CURRENT POSITION	<b>BCI-LIFT project</b> , INRIA-CAMIN, Laboratoire Informatique, Robotique, Microelectronique Montpellier, Montpellier, France <i>Post-Doctoral Researcher</i> <b>November, 2015 onwards</b> <b>Objective:</b> Study of the effect and integration of Functional Electrical Stimulation as neuro-feedback on Brain-machine Interfacing for motor learning. <b>Supervisor:</b> Dr. Mitsuhiro Hayashibe	
EDUCATION	<b>Jadavpur University</b> , Kolkata, India <b>Ph.D.</b> , Engineering, <b>Date of submission:</b> 23rd August, 2014; <b>Date of Defence:</b> 21st August, 2015. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dissertation Topic: "Human-Computer Interface for Motion Control of Artificial Limb(s)"</li><li>• Advisor: Amit Konar, D.N.Tibarewala</li><li>• Percentage of Marks in Course-work: 87.5%</li></ul> <b>M.E.</b> , Biomedical Engineering, June, 2011, Percentage of Marks: 80.00%	
	<b>Siliguri Institute of Technology</b> , Siliguri, West Bengal, India <b>B.Tech.</b> , Biomedical Engineering, May, 2009, DGPA: 8.63	
	<b>Delhi Public School</b> , Digboi, India  All India Senior School Certificate Examination (Class XII), May, 2005, Percentage of Marks: 81.40% All India Secondary School Examination (Class X), May, 2003, Percentage of Marks: 81.60%	
HONORS AND AWARDS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Erasmus Mundus-Svaagata Project Fellowship, Universite Montpellier, Montpellier, France under Dr. Mitsuhiro Hayashibe, October 2014-June 2015.</li><li>• Associate Member, The Institute of Engineers (India), March 2014-present.</li><li>• Council of Scientific and Industrial Research Senior Research Fellowship, April 2012 - April 2015.</li></ul>	
ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE	<b>University of Montpellier</b> , INRIA-DEMAR, Laboratoire Informatique, Robotique, Microelectronique Montpellier, Montpellier, France <i>Ph.D. Internship</i> <b>October, 2014 - June 2015</b> <b>Title:</b> Study of the probabilistic nature of Motor Imagery Electroencephalography signals and its correlation with Electromyography signals for closed loop control of a robotic manipulator <b>Supervisor:</b> Dr. Mitsuhiro Hayashibe  <b>Jadavpur University</b> , School of Bioscience & Engineering, Kolkata, India <i>Teaching Assistant</i> <b>August, 2011 - September, 2014</b> Co-taught post-graduate level courses. Shared responsibility for lectures, exams, homework assign-	

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**Courses Taught:**

- Medical Imaging and Image Processing, M.E. Course in Biomedical Engineering.
- Bio-instrumentation & Programming Lab, M.E. Course in Biomedical Engineering.

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**Courses Taught:**

- Digital Image and Speech Processing, M.Tech Course in Intelligent Automation and Robotics.
- Advanced Digital Signal Processing, M.Tech Course in Intelligent Automation and Robotics.
- A.I. and Robotics Lab, M.Tech Course in Intelligent Automation and Robotics.
- Digital Control Lab, M.Tech Course in Intelligent Automation and Robotics.
- Control Lab, M.Tech Course in Intelligent Automation and Robotics.

BOOKS AND BOOK  
CHAPTERS

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**Bhattacharyya, S.**, P. Rakshit, A. Konar, D.N. Tibarewala, and R. Janarthanan. *Feature Selection of Motor Imagery EEG Signals Using Firefly Temporal Difference Q-Learning and Support Vector Machine*, B. Panigrahi, P.N. Suganthan, S. Das, and S.S. Dash (eds.) *Swarm, Evolutionary, and Memetic, Computing, Lecture Notes in Computer Science Vol. 8298*, Springer International Publishing, Switzerland, 2013, pp. 534-545.

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**Bhattacharyya, S.**, S. Shimoda and M. Hayashibe. *A Synergetic Brain-machine Interfacing Paradigm for Multi-DOF Robot Control*, IEEE Transactions on Systems, Man and Cybernetics: Systems, Early Access Published, DOI: 10.1109/TSMC.2016.2560532.

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**Bhattacharyya, S.**, A. Sengupta, T. Chakraborti, A. Konar, and D.N. Tibarewala. (2014) *Automatic Feature Selection of Motor Imagery EEG Signals using Differential Evolution and Learning Automata*, Medical and Biological Engineering and Computing, 52 (2): 131-139, DOI: 10.1007/s11517-013-1123-9.

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**S. Bhattacharyya**, M. Clerc and M. Hayashibe (2016) *A Study on the Effect of Electrical Stimulation During Motor Imagery Learning in Brain-Computer Interfacing*, In: IEEE International Conference on Systems, Man, and Cybernetics, Budapest, *Accepted for presentation*.

**S. Bhattacharyya**, M. Clerc and M. Hayashibe (2016) *A study on the effect of electrical stimulation as a user stimuli for motor imagery classification in Brain-Machine Interface*, In: 20th Conference of International Functional Electrical Stimulation Society (IFESS) 2016, France, *Accepted for presentation*.

P. Ghosh, A. Mazumder, **S. Bhattacharyya**, D.N. Tibarewala, and M. Hayashibe. (2015) *Functional Connectivity Analysis of Motor Imagery EEG signal for Brain-computer Interfacing Application*, In: 7th International IEEE EMBS Neural Engineering Conference, Montpellier, France, pp. 210-213.

P. Ghosh, A. Mazumder, **S. Bhattacharyya**, and D.N. Tibarewala. (2015) *An EEG Study on Working Memory and Cognition*, In: 2nd International Conference on Perception and Machine Intelligence (PerMIn 2015), Kolkata, India, pp. 21-26.

M. Pal, **S. Bhattacharyya**, S. Roy, A. Konar, D.N. Tibarewala, and R. Janarthanan. (2014) *A Bacterial Foraging Optimization and Learning Automata Based Feature Selection for Motor Imagery EEG Classification*, In: 2014 International Conference on Signal Processing and Control (SPCOM-2014), Bangalore, India, pp. 1-5.

D. Basu, **S. Bhattacharyya**, D. Sardar, A. Konar, D.N. Tibarewala, and A. Nagar. (2014) *A Differential Evolution based Adaptive Neural Type-2 Fuzzy Inference System for Classification of Motor Imagery EEG Signals*, In: 2014 IEEE International Conference on Fuzzy Systems (FUZZ-IEEE'14), Beijing, China, pp. 1253-1260.

**S. Bhattacharyya**, A. Konar, D.N. Tibarewala, A. Khasnobish, and R. Janarthanan. (2014) *Performance Analysis of Ensemble Methods for Multi-class Classification of Motor Imagery EEG Signal*, In: 2014 International Conference on Control, Instrumentation, Energy and Communication (CIEC14), Kolkata, India, pp. 797-801.

D. Sardar, D. Basu, **S. Bhattacharyya**, A. Konar, A. Khasnobish, D.N. Tibarewala, and R. Janarthanan. (2014) *Embedded Realisation of Amplitude-Phase Adaptive Filter for Bio-Potential Signals*, In: 2014 International Conference on Control, Instrumentation, Energy and Communication (CIEC14), Kolkata, India, pp. 668-672.

M. Pal, **S. Bhattacharyya**, A. Konar, D.N. Tibarewala, and R. Janarthanan. (2014) *Decoding of Wrist and Finger Movement from Electroencephalography Signal*, 2014 IEEE International Conference on Electronics, Computing, Communication Technologies (IEEE CONECCT 2014), Bangalore, India.

**S. Bhattacharyya**, P. Rakshit, A. Konar, D.N. Tibarewala, S. Das and A.K. Nagar. (2013) *Differential Evolution with Temporal Difference Q-Learning Based Feature Selection for Motor Imagery EEG Data*, In: IEEE Symposium on Computational Intelligence, Cognitive Algorithms, Mind, and Brain (CCMB 2013), Singapore, pp. 138-145.

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- narthanan. (2012) *Object-shape classification and reconstruction from tactile images using image gradient*, In: 3rd International Conference on Emerging Applications of Information Technology (EAIT 2012), Kolkata, India, pp. 93-96.
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- S. Bhattacharyya**, A. Sengupta, T. Chakraborti, D. Banerjee, A. Khasnobish, A. Konar, D.N. Tibarewala, and R. Janarthanan. (2012) *EEG controlled remote robotic system from motor imagery classification*, In: 3rd International Conference on Computing, Communication and Networking Technologies (ICCCNT 2012), Coimbatore, India, pp. 1-8.
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- T. Chakraborti, A. Sengupta, D. Banerjee, A. Konar, **S. Bhattacharyya**, A. Khasnobish, and R. Janarthanan. (2011) *Implementation of EEG Based Control of Remote Robotic Systems*, In: International Conference on Recent Trends in Information Systems (RETIS 2011), Kolkata, India, pp. 203-208.
- A. Khasnobish, **S. Bhattacharyya**, A. Konar, D.N. Tibarewala, and A.K. Nagar. (2011) *A two-fold classification for composite decision about localized arm movement from EEG by SVM and QDA techniques*, In: International Joint Conference on Neural Network (IJCNN 2011), California, USA, pp. 1344-1351.
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- S. Chandra, **S. Bhattacharyya**, D. Srivastava, A. Kaur, and D.N. Tibarewala. (2011) *Heart Rate Variability Data Mining to Study the Effect of Fun-Themed Audio-Visual Stimulus on Autonomous Nervous System*, In: National Conference on Instrumentation and Control (NATCONIC 2011), Kolkata, India, pp. 158-160.
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- S. Bhattacharyya**, A. Khasnobish, S. Chatterjee, A. Konar, and D.N. Tibarewala. (2010) *Performance Analysis of LDA, QDA and KNN algorithms in left-right limb movement classification from EEG data*, In: 2010 International Conference on Systems in Medicine and Biology (ICSMB), Kharagpur, India, pp. 126-131.
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*classification of left-right limb movement using EEG data*, In: International Conference on Biomedical Engineering and Assistive Technology (BEATS), Jalandhar, India, pp. 50.

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S. Chatterjee, **S. Bhattacharyya**, and S. Roy. (2007) *Latest Irradiation Treatment of Carcinoma: Review of Antiproton Therapy*, In: National Conference on Bio-Medical Engineering, Manipal, India.

CONFERENCES AND  
WORKSHOPS  
ATTENDED

*7th International IEEE EMBS Neural Engineering Conference*, April 22-24, 2015, Montpellier, France.

*2014 International Conference on Control, Instrumentation, Energy and Communication*, January 31- February 2, 2014, Calcutta University, Kolkata, India.

*National Conference on Brain and Consciousness*, September 20-21, 2013, Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata, India.

*National Workshop on Medical Signal & Image Processing*, December 19-20, 2012, National Institute of Technology, Rourkela, India.

*International Conference on Recent Trends in Information Systems*, December 21-23, 2011, Jadavpur University, Kolkata, India.

*National Conference on Instrumentation and Control*, Jan 6-7, 2011, Heritage Institute of Technology, Kolkata, India.

*International Conference on Biomedical Engineering and Assistive Technologies*, December 17-19, 2010, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar National Institute of Technology, Jalandhar, India.

*International Conference on Biomedical Instrumentation and Healthcare Engineering*, August 6-8, 2009, Meenakshi Sundararajan Engineering College, Chennai, India.

*National Conference on Biomedical Engineering*, October 5-6, 2007, Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal, India.

*National Workshop on Biomechanics*, October 4, 2007, Manipal Institute of Technology, Manipal, India.

SEMINARS  
ATTENDED

*Biopolymers in Biomedical Engineering*, November, 2013, Jadavpur University, Kolkata, India.

*IEEE Seminar on Computational Intelligence in Information Systems, Imaging and Security*, August 3-4, 2012, St. Thomas College of Engineering and Technology, Kolkata, India.

*National Technical Symposium on Biomedical Engineering*, April 7-8, 2006, Siliguri Institute of Technology, Siliguri, India.

INDUSTRIAL  
TRAINING

Undertaken training in the form of **Observership** in Department of Biomedical Engineering at Rabindranath Tagore International Institute of Cardiac Sciences, Kolkata. Duration- 3 weeks.

Undertaken a training programme on **Medical Equipments and Hospital Management Soft-**

ware organized by Electrocare Services, Kolkata. Duration- 2 weeks.

- COMPUTER SKILLS
- Languages: C, C++, C#, Python, Matlab, Labview.
  - Application Softwares: Matlab, Labview, Openvibe, Microsoft Visual Studio 2010, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, common Windows database, spreadsheet, and presentation software
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