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## Education

PhD, National University of Singapore, Singapore, 2007 Bachelor of Engineering, National University of Singapore, Singapore, 2003

# **Academic Appointments**

Senior Lecturer of Computer Science, School of Computing and Information Systems, SMU, Jul 2022 - Present

## **Academic Administrative Positions**

Faculty Manager, IS Project Experience (Applications), School of Computing and Information Systems, SMU, Jul 2022 - Present

## Awards and Honors

Best Campaign Pivot (Bronze), Marketing Interactive, 2022 Best Event Led PR Campaign, Marketing Interactive, 2022 MOE Innergy Award, Ministry of Education, 2021 Intel AI Impact Shaper Award, Intel, 2021 MOE Innergy Award (Commendation), Ministry of Education, 2019 ASPAC Fellowship Award, Asia Pacific Network of Science and technology Centres, 2017 NUS Research Scholarship, National University of Singapore, 2003

## RESEARCH

# **Publications**

## Journal Articles [Refereed]

Modeling neuromorphic persistent firing networks, by NING, Ning; LI, Guoqi; HE, Wei; HUANG, Kejie; PAN, Li; RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; ZHAO, Rong; SHI, Luping. (2015). *International Journal of Intelligence* 

*Science, 5* (2), 89-101. http://doi.org/10.4236/ijis.2015.52009 (Published)

BEHIND THE MAGICAL NUMBERS: HIERARCHICAL CHUNKING AND THE HUMAN WORKING MEMORY CAPACITY, by LI, Guoqi; NING, Ning; RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; HE, Wei; PAN, Li; SHI, Luping. (2013). *International Journal of Neural Systems, 23* (4), 1-12. http://doi.org/10.1142/S0129065713500196 (Published)

Enabling an integrated rate-temporal learning scheme on memristor , by HE, Wei; HUANG, Kejie; NING, Ning; RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; LI, Guoqi; JIANG, Yu; SZE, JiaYin; SHI, Luping; ZHAO, Rong; PEI, Jing. (2013). *Scientific Reports, 4* (4755), 1-6. https://doi.org/10.1038%2Fsrep04755 (Published)

PRESYNAPTIC LEARNING AND MEMORY WITH A PERSISTENT FIRING NEURON AND A HABITUATING SYNAPSE: A MODEL OF SHORT TERM PERSISTENT HABITUATION, by RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; NING, Ning; DHANASEKAR, Dhiviya; LI, Guoqi; SHI, Luping; VADAKKEPAT, Prahlad. (2012). *International Journal of Neural Systems, 22* (4), 1-20. http://doi.org/10.1142/S0129065712500153 (Published)

Artificial cognitive memory-changing from density driven to functionality driven, by SHI, Luping; YI, Kaijun; RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; ZHAO, Rong; NING, Ning; DING, Ding; CHONG, Tow Chong. (2011). *Applied Physics A: Materials Science and Processing, 102* (4), 865-875. http://doi.org/10.1007/s00339-011-6297-0 (Published)

Multiorder neurons for evolutionary higher-order clustering and growth, by RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; GUAN, Sheng Uei . (2007). *Neural Computation, 19* (12), 3369-3391. https://doi.org/10.1162/neco.2007.19.12.3369 (Published)

Clustering and combinatorial optimization in recursive supervised learning, by RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; GUAN, Sheng Uei. (2007). *Journal of Combinatorial Optimization, 13* (2), 137-152. http://doi.org/10.1007/s10878-006-9017-5 (Published)

Multi-learner based recursive supervised training, by IYER, Laxmi R.; RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; GUAN, Sheng-Uei. (2006). *International Journal of Computational Intelligence and Applications, 6*(3), 1-33. https://doi.org/10.1142/S1469026806001861 (Published)

### Journal Articles [Non-Refereed]

Memory Dynamics in Attractor Networks, by LI, Guoqi; RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; NING, Ning; SHI, Luping; WEN, Changyun. (2015). *Computational Intelligence and Neuroscience, 2015* 1-7. https://doi.org/10.1155/2015/191745 (Published)

### Editorials

Guest editorial: Special issue on brain inspired models of cognitive memory, by TANG, Huajin; RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; NIGN, Ning. (2014). *Neurocomputing, 138* 1-2. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.neucom.2014.02.010 (Published)

### **Book Chapters**

Recursive pattern based hybrid supervised training, by RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; GUAN, Sheng Uei. (2008). In ABRAHAM, Ajith; GROSAN, Crina; PEDRYCZ, Witold (Ed.), *Engineering Evolutionary Intelligent Systems* (pp. 129-126) Germany: Springer. http://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-540-75396-4\_5 (Published)

Enhancing recursive supervised learning using clustering and combinatorial optimization (RSL-CC), by RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; GUAN, Sheng Uei. (2008). In ABRAHAM, Ajith; GROSAN, Crina; PEDRYCZ, Witold (Ed.), *Engineering Evolutionary Intelligent Systems* (pp. 157-176) Germany: Springer. http://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-540-75396-4\_6 (Published)

Single- and multi-order Neurons for recursive unsupervised learning, by RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; GUAN, Sheng Uei. (2008). In VLAHAVAS, Ioannis; VRAKAS, Dimitris (Ed.), *Artificial Intelligence for Advanced Problem Solving Techniques* http://doi.org/10.4018/978-1-59904-705-8.ch008 (Published)

## **Conference Proceedings**

Revised online learning with kernels for classification and regression, by LI, Guoqi; NING, Ning; RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; SHI, Luping. (2013.0). *Proceedings of the 2013 IEEE Symposium on Computational Intelligence and Data Mining, Singapore, April 16-19* , Singapore: IEEE. http://doi.org/10.1109/CIDM.2013.6597247 (Published)

Utilizing Hubel Wiesel models for semantic associations and topics extraction from unstructured text, by TIWARI, Sandeep; RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika. (2011.0). *Proceedings of the 2011 International Joint Conference on Neural Networks, San Jose, California, 2011 July 31 - August 5*, San Jose: IEEE. http://doi.org/10.1109/IJCNN.2011.6033316 (Published)

A Hubel Wiesel model of early concept generalization based on local correlation of input features, by SADEGHI, Sepideh; RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika. (2011.0). *Proceedings of the 2011 International Joint Conference on Neural Networks, San Jose, California, 2011 July 31 - August 5,* (pp. 1-8) San Jose: IEEE. http://doi.org/10.1109/IJCNN.2011.6033291 (Published)

A Hubel Wiesel model for hierarchical representation of concepts in textual documents, by RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; SHI, Luping; TOW, Chong Chong. (2010.0). *Proceedings of the 32nd Annual Meeting of the Cognitive Science Society, Portland, Oregon, 2010 August 11-14,* (pp. 1106-1111) Portland, Oregon: https://escholarship.org/uc/item/57w312q3 (Published)

A neural network model for a hierarchical spatio-temporal memory, by RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; SHI, Luping; LI, Jianming; LIM, Kian Guan, LI, Ming Hui; ANG, Zhi Ping; TOW, Chong Chong. (2008.0). Advances in Neuro-Information Processing: 15th International Conference, ICONIP 2008, Auckland, New Zealand, November 25-28: Proceedings, (pp. 428-435) Cham: Springer. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-642-02490-0\_53 (Published)

Evolutionary combinatorial optimization for recursive supervised learning with clustering, by RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; GUAN, Sheng Uei. (2007.0). *Proceedings of the 2007 IEEE Congress on Evolutionary Computation, Singapore, September 25-28,* (pp. 1168-1174) Singapore: IEEE. http://doi.org/10.1109/CEC.2007.4424602 (Published)

MultiLearner based recursive supervised training, by RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; GUAN, Sheng Uei; IYER, Laxmi R.. (2006.0). *Proceedings of the 2006 IEEE Conference on Cybernetics and Intelligent Systems, Bangkok, Thailand, June 7-9,* Bangkok, Thailand: IEEE. http://doi.org/10.1109/ICCIS.2006.252267 (Published)

Recursive self organizing maps with hybrid clustering, by RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; GUAN, Sheng Uei. (2006.0). *Proceedings of the 2006 IEEE Conference on Cybernetics and Intelligent Systems, Bangkok, Thailand, June 7-9,* Bangkok, Thailand: IEEE. http://doi.org/10.1109/ICCIS.2006.252268 (Published)

Recursive percentage based hybrid pattern (RPHP) training for curve fitting, by GUAN, Sheng Uei; RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika. (2004.0). *Proceedings of the 2004 IEEE Conference on Cybernetics and Intelligent Systems, Singapore, December 1-4*, Singapore: http://doi.org/10.1109/ICCIS.2004.1460456 (Published)

Surface roughness modeling, by PATRIKAR, Rajendra M.; RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika. (2002.0). *Proceedings of the International Conference on Scientific and Engineering Computation, Singapore, 2002 December 3-5*, (pp. 239-242) Singapore: World Scientific. https://doi.org/10.1142/9781860949524\_0055 (Published)

Surface roughness modelling with neural networks, by PATRIKAR, Rajendra M.; RAMANATHAN, Kiruthika; ZHUANG, Wenjun. (2002.0). *Proceedings of the 9th International Conference on Neural Information Processing, Singapore, 2002 November 18-22,* Singapore: IEEE. http://doi.org/10.1109/ICONIP.2002.1199003 (Published)

# **Research Grants**

## **Other Institutions**

Personalized projects and labs for Enterprise Solutions Management using AI Builder, TEL Exploratory research grant, SMU Centre for Teaching excellence PI (Project Level): Kiruthika RAMANATHAN, Co-PI (Project Level): Rafael J. BARROS, 2023, SGD6,000

# TEACHING

# **Courses Taught**

Singapore Management University Undergraduate Programmes : Business Process Analysis & Solutioning Computing Fundamentals Digital Business - Technologies and Transformation Digital Technologies for Environmental Sustainability Enterprise Solution Management IS Project Experience (Research) IS/SMT Project Experience (Applications)

# UNIVERSITY SERVICE

## Singapore Management University

Judge, Women in Tech, Oct 2023 Guest lecturer, Web Application development, Sep 2023 Guest Speaker, SMU Makerspace, May 2023 Student Placement, Regular Admission Interviews, Apr 2023 Faculty engaging visitors, SMU Open House, Feb 2023 Workshop facilitator, Computing@SMU festival, Dec 2022 Faculty manager, IS483: IS Project experience , Jul 2022 - Present

# EXTERNAL SERVICE – PUBLIC SECTOR AND COMMUNITY SERVICE

Guest Speaker, Global Partnership on Artificial Intelligence, Digital India, 2023 Judge, NUS Hack 2023, NUS High School of Mathematics and Science, 2023 Guest Speaker, Sustainability chapter, Singapore Computer Society, 2023 Mentor, Tech For Good, Engineering Good, 2023 Judge, NUS Hack 2022, NUS High School of Mathematics and Science, 2022