Susobhan Ghosh

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EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Computer Science | Harvard University

08/2020 - 05/2026 (expected)

- Advisor: Prof. Susan A. Murphy
- Research area: Bayesian Reinforcement Learning in Healthcare

M.S. and B.Tech (Hons.) in Computer Science | IIIT Hyderabad

2015 - 2019

• GPA: 9.29/10.00, Rank: 1.

EXPERIENCE

Research Engineer | Singapore Management University

09/2019 - 12/2020

- Built AI-based prediction models to identify areas with high risk of human-wildlife conflicts currently used in Maharashtra, India.
- Worked on game theory based defenses for adversarial ML attacks.

Research Intern | TCS Innovation Labs, Hyderbad, India

05/2018 - 07/2018

• Developed trading algorithms for an autonomous trading agent in the energy market.

Research Intern | TCS Innovation Labs, Hyderbad, India

05/2017 - 07/2017

• Developed a power trading agent using PowerTAC testbed.

Google Summer of Code | LibreOffice

05/2016 - 09/2016

• Developed 7 panels and 3 decks in the sidebar for the LibreOffice suite (released in LibreOffice v5.3)

PUBLICATIONS

- 1. Susobhan Ghosh*, Anna Trella*, Erin Bonar, Lara Coughlin, Finale Doshi-Velez, Yongyi Guo, Pei-Yao Hung, Inbal Nahum-Shani, Vivek Shetty, Maureen Walton, Iris Yan, Kelly Zhang, Susan Murphy. Effective Monitoring of Online Decision-Making Algorithms in Digital Intervention Implementation. *Under Review*, 2024.
- 2. Susobhan Ghosh, Yongyi Guo, Pei-Yao Hung, Lara Coughlin, Erin Bonar, Inbal Nahum-Shani, Maureen Walton, Susan Murphy. reBandit: Random Effects based Online RL algorithm for Reducing Cannabis Use. *International Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence (IJCAI)*, 2024.
- 3. Susobhan Ghosh*, Raphael Kim*, Prasidh Chhabria, Raaz Dwivedi, Predrag Klasnja, Peng Liao, Kelly Zhang, Susan Murphy. Did we personalize? Assessing personalization by an online reinforcement learning algorithm using resampling. *Machine Learning Journal*, 2024.
- 4. Lara Coughlin, Maya Campbell, Tiffany Wheeler, Chavez Rodriguez, Autumn Rae Florimbio, Susobhan Ghosh, Yongyi Guo, Pei-Yao Hung, Mark Newman, Huijie Pan, Kelly Zhang, Lauren Zimmermann, Erin Bonar, Maureen Walton, Susan Murphy, Inbal Nahum-Shani. A mobile health intervention for emerging adults with regular cannabis use: A micro-randomized pilot trial design protocol. Contemporary Clinical Trials, 2024.
- 5. Sanjay Chandlekar, Bala Suraj Pedasingu, Susobhan Ghosh, Easwar Subramanian, Sanjay Bhat, Praveen Paruchuri, Sujit Gujar. VidyutVanika: AI-Based Autonomous Broker for Smart Grids: From Theory to Practice. Energy Sustainability through Retail Electricity Markets, Applied Innovation and Technology Management Book Series, 2023.
- Arpita Biswas, Jackson Killian, Paula Diaz, Susobhan Ghosh, Milind Tambe. Fairness for Workers Who Pull the Arms: An Index Based Policy for Allocation of Restless Bandit Tasks. *International Conference on Autonomous Agents and Multiagent Systems (AA-MAS)*, 2023.
- 7. Aditya Mate, Arpita Biswas, Christoph Siebenbrunner, Susobhan Ghosh, Milind Tambe. Efficient Algorithms for Finite Horizon and Streaming Restless Multi-Armed Bandit Problems. International Conference on Autonomous Agents and Multiagent Systems (AAMAS), 2022.

- 8. Susobhan Ghosh, Pradeep Varakantham, Aniket Bhatkhande, Tamanna Ahmad, Anish Andheria, Wenjun Li, Aparna Taneja, Divy Thakkar, Milind Tambe. Facilitating human-wildlife cohabitation through conflict prediction. *Innovative Applications of Artificial Intelligence Conference*, 2022.
- 9. Haipeng Chen, Susobhan Ghosh, Gregory Fan, Nikhil Behari, Arpita Biswas, Mollie Williams, Nancy E. Oriol, Milind Tambe. Using Public Data to Predict Demand for Mobile Health Clinics. *Innovative Applications of Artificial Intelligence Conference*, 2022.
- 10. **Susobhan Ghosh**, Sujit Gujar, Praveen Paruchuri, Easwar Subramanian, Sanjay P. Bhat. Bidding in Smart Grid PDAs: Theory, Analysis and Strategy. *AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI)*, 2020.
- 11. **Susobhan Ghosh**, Easwar Subramanian, Sanjay P. Bhat, Sujit Gujar, Praveen Paruchuri. VidyutVanika: A Reinforcement Learning Based Broker Agent for a Power Trading Competition. *AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI)*, 2019.
- 12. **Susobhan Ghosh.** Learning Strategies for Power Trading in Smart Grids. *MS Thesis*, *IIIT Hyderabad*, 2019.
- 13. Susobhan Ghosh, Kritika Prakash, Sanjay Chandlekar, Easwar Subramanian, Sanjay P. Bhat, Sujit Gujar, Praveen Paruchuri. VidyutVanika: An Autonomous Broker Agent for Smart Grid Environment. *Policy, Awareness, Sustainability and Systems (PASS) Workshop*, 2019.

TALKS & LECTURES

- Deploying RL algorithms for digital interventions, ENAR 2025 (Invited Talk)
- reBandit: Personalizing Treatment Delivery for Reducing Cannabis use, INFORMS 2024 (Invited Talk)
- reBandit: Random Effects based Online RL algorithm for Reducing Cannabis Use, IJCAI 2024
- MiWaves: AI-driven Digital Health Interventions to help reduce cannabis use, SAA 2024
- RL in real life: mixed effects models and reBandit, STAT234: Statistical Reinforcement Learning at Harvard University (Guest Invited Lecture)
- MiWaves: Using AI to help reduce cannabis use among emerging adults, d3C Think Tank Jan 2024
- MiWaves: Developing a 2nd Generation JITAI to reduce cannabis use among emerging adults, d3C Think Tank May 2023
- MiWaves, d3C Think Tank Oct 2022
- VidyutVanika: A Reinforcement Learning Based Broker Agent for a Power Trading Competition, AAAI 2019
- Review of Sidebar and its functionality, LibreOffice Conference 2016 (Invited Talk)

TEACHING

2022
2019, 2018
2017
2017
2016
2015
2014

Awards and Honors	Gold Medalist, IIIT Hyderabad	2019
	 AAAI Student Scholarship, AAAI 	2019
	 Microsoft Research Travel Grant 	2019
	• Dean's Merit List, IIIT Hyderabad	2016, 2017, 2018
	• Central Sector Scheme of Scholarship (CSSS), India	2013
	• Prime Minister Scholarship Scheme (PMSS), India	2013

SKILLS Languages: English, Hindi, Bengali.

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COMMUNITY Reviewer for: AISTATS-25, NeurIPS-24, RLC-24

SERVICES Open Source Contributor: LibreOffice