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RESEARCH INTERESTS

Signal Processing: Statistical signal processing, nonlinear signal processing, adaptive filtering, digital speech, image, and video signal processing and communications methods. **Human Computer Interaction:** Access methods for individuals with disabilities, tactile, haptic, sonification and multimodal systems.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Professor	Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Delaware Cross listed with the Biomechanics and Movement Science Program 2005–Present
Associate Professor	Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Delaware 2000–2005
Assistant Professor	Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Delaware 1998–2000
Adjunct Scientist	du Pont Hospital for Children 1998–2002
Adjunct Assistant Professor	Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Delaware 1993–1998
Scientist	Center for Applied Science and Engineering, University of Delaware 1994–1998
Research Engineer	Department of Applied Science and Engineering, du Pont Hospital for Children 1993–1998
Visiting Lecturer	Department of Electrical Engineering, University of Delaware 1992

EDUCATION

Doctor of Philosophy Electrical Engineering	University of Delaware, May 1992 Dissertation title: <i>Permutation Filters: A Group Theoretic Class of Non-Linear Filters</i> Honors: The Allan P. Colburn Prize in Mathematical Sciences and Engineering for the most outstanding dissertation in the engineering and mathematical disciplines
Master of Electrical Engineering	University of Delaware, December 1989 Thesis title: <i>Optimal Detection Schemes for the Restoration of Images with Signal Dependent Noise</i>
Bachelor of Science Electrical Engineering	Lehigh University, May 1987 Honors: Degree received <i>Magna Cum Laude</i>

AWARDS AND PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

- Best Student Paper Award Finalist, IEEE International Conference on Acoustics and Signal Processing (ICASSP), for the paper *Robust Meridian Filtering*, Tuncer Can Aysal, student co-author, (2007)
 - Best Student Paper Award, ACM SIGACCESS, ASSETS Conference, for the paper *Automatic Production of Tactile Graphics from Scalable Vector Graphics*, Stephen Krufka, student co-author, (2005)
 - Senior Member, IEEE (2000)
 - Who's Who in Engineering Education (2000)
 - NSF CAREER award (1999)
 - Best Scientific Paper Award, Whitaker Foundation and Rehabilitation Engineering Society of North America (RESNA), Juan Gonzalez, student co-author, (1997)
 - Allan P. Colburn Prize in Mathematical Sciences and Engineering for the most outstanding dissertation in the engineering and mathematical disciplines (1992)
 - Du Pont Teaching Fellowship (1991)
 - IEEE Communications Society ComSoc Scholarship (1989)
 - Electrical Engineering Departmental Fellowship (1989–91)
 - Alfred I. duPont Research Fellowship (1988)
 - Certificate of Commendation from the Army for outstanding technical support to PIVADS (1987)
 - Member Tau Beta Pi and Eta Kappa Nu (1986)
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PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- Editor-in-Chief, *Advances in Human-Computer Interaction* (2007–Present)
- Associate Editor, *EURASIP Journal of Applied Signal Processing* (2003–Present)
- Associate Editor, *IEEE Transactions on Signal Processing* (2002–2006)
- Associate Editor, *IEEE Signal Processing Magazine* (2003–2005)
- Associate Editor, *IEEE Transactions on Neural Systems and Rehabilitation Engineering* (2002–2005)
- Associate Editor, *IEEE Transactions on Rehabilitation Engineering* (1999–2002)
- Guest Editor, *EURASIP Journal of Applied Signal Processing*, Special Issue on the Empirical Mode Decomposition and the Hilbert-Huang Transform (To appear in 2008)
- Guest Editor, *EURASIP Journal of Applied Signal Processing*, Special Issue on Super-Resolution Enhancement of Digital Video (To appear in 2007)
- Guest Editor, *EURASIP Journal of Applied Signal Processing*, Special Issues on Nonlinear Signal and Image Processing (December 2001 and January 2002)
- Committee member, *IEEE Signal Processing Theory and Methods (SPTM) Technical Committee* (2003–Present)

- Charter committee member, *IEEE Bio-Imaging and Signal Processing (BISP) Technical Committee* (2004–Present)
- Co-Vice Chair (Technical Program Co-Chair), *2005 IEEE International Conference on Acoustics and Signal Processing (ICASSP)*
- Co-Chair, *2001 IEEE Workshop on Nonlinear Signal and Image Processing (NSIP)*
- Board Member, *Nonlinear Signal and Image Processing (NSIP) Board* (2001–Present)
- Editorial Board Member, *ReviewCentral* (2006–Present)
- Member, *American Society for Engineering Education (ASEE)* (2002–Present)
- Member, *Communications Multirate Digital Signal Processing and Bioengineering Research Group* Dpt. Teora de la Seal y Comunicaciones Universidad de Alcal Alcal de Henares, Madrid Spain (2006–Present)
- Technical Program Committee member, *2009 IEEE Statistical Signal Processing Workshop*
- Technical Program Committee member, *2008 IEEE International Conference on Signal Processing (ICSP2008)*
- Technical Program Committee member, *2008 EURASIP-IEEE Symposium on Advanced Concepts for Intelligent Vision Systems” (ACIVS)*
- Technical Program Committee member, *2007 IEEE Statistical Signal Processor (SSP) Workshop*
- Technical Program Committee member, *2007 IEEE Workshop on Genomic Signal Processing and Statistics (GENSIPS’07)*
- Technical Program Committee member, the 9th symposium on *Advanced Concepts for Intelligent Vision Systems (ACIVS’2007)*
- Technical Program Committee member, *2007 IEEE-EURASIP Workshop on Nonlinear Signal and Image Processing (NSIP)*
- Technical Program Committee member, *2003 IEEE-EURASIP Workshop on Nonlinear Signal and Image Processing (NSIP)*
- Technical Program Committee member, *2003 IEEE International Conference on Multimedia & Expo (ICME)*
- Committee member, *Governor’s Committee on Delaware Assistive Technology Policy* (2002–2003)
- Committee member, *NSF Committee on Equal Opportunities in Science and Engineering (CEOSE)* (1999–2003)
- Committee member, *CEOSE liaison to NSF Directorate for Computer and Information Science and Engineering Advisory Committee (CISE AC)* (2000-2003)
- Committee member, *NSF CAREER Program Committee of Visitors (COV)* (2001)
- Session Chair, “Image Coding,” *1998 Conference on Information Sciences and Systems*, Princeton University
- Co-Chair, special session on “Nonlinear Techniques in Digital Video Signal Processing,” *1995 IEEE Workshop on Nonlinear Signal and Image Processing*, Halkidiki, Greece
- Technical reviewer (1992–Present):

- *IEEE Transactions on Image Processing*
- *IEEE Transactions on Signal Processing*
- *IEEE Transactions on Circuits and Systems*
- *IEEE Transactions on Rehabilitation Engineering*
- *IEEE Transactions on Neural Systems & Rehabilitation Engineering*
- *IEEE Transactions on Systems, Man and Cybernetics*
- *IEEE Signal Processing Letters*
- *Optical Engineering, The International Society for Optical Engineering*
- *Journal of Electronic Imaging, The International Society for Optical Engineering*
- *Applied Optics Journal, Optical Society of America*
- *Signal Processing Journal, Elsevier Science*
- *EURASIP Journal of Applied Signal Processing*
- *IEEE International Conference on Image Processing (ICIP)*
- *IEEE International Conference on Acoustics, Speech, and Signal Processing (ICASSP)*
- *IEEE International Conference on Multimedia & Expo (ICME)*
- *IEEE International Symposium on Biomedical Imaging (ISBI)*
- *IEEE International Symposium on Communications, Control and Signal Processing (ISCCSP)*
- *IEEE Digital Signal Processing (DSP) Workshop*
- *IEEE Workshop on Genomic Signal Processing and Statistics (GENSIPS)*
- *IEEE Virtual Reality Symposium on Haptic Interfaces for Virtual Environment and Teleoperator Systems*
- *International Conference on Computer Graphics and Interactive Techniques (SIGGRAPH)*
- Panel reviewer, the *National Science Foundation* (1996, 1998, 2000, 2001, 2004, 2007)
- Panel reviewer, the *National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research* (2007)
- Textbook reviewer, *McGraw Hill* (1999)
- Committee member, *President's Advisory Committee on Program and Facility Accessibility for Persons with Disabilities* (1996)

UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE, AND DEPARTMENT SERVICE

- Chair, *Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering Graduate Committee* (2000–2008)
- Chair, *Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering Promotion and Tenure Committee* (2007–2008)
- Member, *Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering Faculty Search Committee* (2002–2003)
- Member, *College of Engineering ABET Committee*, (2007–Present)
- Member, *Steering Committee, American Association of University Professors (AAUP)*, (2007–Present)
- Member, *College of Engineering eCALC Classroom Development Committee*, (2003)
- Chair, *Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering Faculty Search Committee* (2001–2002)

- Member, *College of Engineering Educational Activities Committee*, (2000–2002)
 - Co-founder and coordinator, *University of Delaware, Esslingen University, Graduate Student Exchange Program* (1999–Present)
 - Member, *Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering Chair Search Committee* (1999–2000)
 - Member, *Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering Undergraduate Curriculum Revision Committee* (1999–2001)
 - Lecturer, *Engineering Outreach* program on “Engineering Concepts to Enhance High School Math & Science Curriculum” (1995, 1999)
 - Technical presenter, *Delaware Decision Days, Delaware Days, Discovery Days, and University of Delaware Legacy Day* (1996–1999)
 - Technical presenter, *Governor’s School for Excellence* (2005)
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COURSES TAUGHT

- [1] ELEG–167: Introduction to electrical and computer engineering, 1998F. (Team taught.).

DESCRIPTION: This course presents an overview of the main sub-fields within electrical and computer engineering. The course featured lectures and demonstrations covering the three major areas of concentration within the ECE Department: (1) Computer Engineering, (2) Signals and Systems Engineering, and (3) Devices and Materials Engineering.

- [2] ELEG–202: Introduction to digital systems, 1992F, 1993F, 1994F.

DESCRIPTION: Analysis and design of logic circuits. Topics include: Boolean algebra and its application to switching circuits, simplification of switching functions, design of logic circuits at the gate level and with MSI and LSI components. Analysis and design of synchronous and asynchronous sequential state machines.

- [3] ELEG–212: Signals and communications, 2003S, 2004F, 2005F, 2006F.

DESCRIPTION: Introduction to signals, systems and communications. Covers discrete and continuous time systems, sampling, and conversion between analog and digital signals. Example systems studied may include voice coding, telephony, television and digital audio.

- [4] ELEG–306: Signal processing II, 1995S, 1998S, 1999S, 2000S, 2002S.

DESCRIPTION: Discrete time signal processing theory and methods. The course covers several transform methods, including Z-transforms, Fourier transforms, and Fast Fourier Transforms (FFTs). Filter design, including Butterworth, Chebyshev, and Elliptic filters, and multirate signal processing methods are also covered.

- [5] ELEG–403: Communications systems engineering, 1998F, 1999F, 2000F, 2001F, 2002F.

DESCRIPTION: Review of signal theory, Fourier transforms, linear and time-invariant systems; review of probability and random signals; information theory, source entropy, channel capacity; baseband data transmission, modulation, noise in analog systems and digital carrier modulation.

- [6] CISC–485 (cross-listed in ECE): Mechatronics, 1997S. (Team taught.).

DESCRIPTION: Mechatronics is the intersection set of computers, electronics and mechanical engineering. This course covers practical and theoretical aspects of mechatronic design, including human/machine interfacing, haptic systems, procedures in mechatronic design, reverse engineering, machine behaviors, and mechatronic control systems.

- [7] ELEG–636: Statistical signal processing, 1999S, 200S, 2001S, 2003S, 2008S.

DESCRIPTION: Introduction to random vectors and random processes and second-order moment and spectral characterizations. Linear transformations of stationary processes. Parameter estimation. Orthogonality principle and optimal linear filtering. Levinson recursion and lattice prediction filters. AR and ARMA models and their Yule–Walker characterizations. Classical and modern spectrum estimation.

- [8] ELEG–675: Image processing with biomedical applications, 2005S.

DESCRIPTION: Fundamentals of digital image processing, including image formation, acquisition, transforms, enhancement, restoration, coding, and reconstruction from projections. Attention will be given to biomedical imaging modalities, including X-ray, computed tomography (CT), magnetic resonance (MR) imaging, and ultrasound.

- [9] ELEG–833: Nonlinear signal processing, 2006S.

DESCRIPTION: Fundamental theory and applications of nonlinear signal processing. Topics include stable random processes, order statistics, fractional lower order statistics, maximum likelihood estimation and the filtering problem, weighted order-statistic filters, medianization of linear FIR filters, myriad filters and adaptive optimization of nonlinear filters. Applications of nonlinear signal processing include digital imaging and video, digital communications and time-frequency analysis.

CONTRACTS AND GRANTS

- [1] K. E. Barner and T. C. Aysal, “Generalized Cauchy distribution theory for statistical signal processing, communications and networking applications,” *National Science Foundation*, 2007-2008. \$112,3885.
- [2] K. E. Barner, “Nature inspired engineering research experiences for teachers,” *National Science Foundation*, 2008-2011. \$499,938.
- [3] K. E. Barner and M. Ianetta, “English and technical writing instruction for the college of engineering graduate students,” *University of Delaware, Graduate Program Improvement and Innovation Grant program*, 2008-2010. \$151,328.
- [4] K. E. Barner and G. Elias, “Multi–touch 2–D tactile human computer interface design and optimization for individuals with physical disabilities,” *National Science Foundation*, 2003–2006. \$658,000.
- [5] K. E. Barner, “Automatic generation of optimal tactile graphics,” *The National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research, Department of Education*, 2002–2005. \$450,000.
- [6] K. E. Barner and G. R. Arce, “New methods for improved noise reduction, contrast enhancement, and volume rendering of directray images,” *Direct Radiography Corp.*, 2000–2001. \$46,000.
- [7] K. E. Barner and G. R. Arce, “New methods for improved noise reduction, contrast enhancement, and volume rendering of directray images,” *Delaware Research Partnership*, 2000–2001. \$46,000.
- [8] K. E. Barner, “CAREER – rendering algorithms for tactile and haptic display of multidimensional data,” *National Science Foundation*, 1999–2003. \$300,000.

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- [9] K. E. Barner, "Research experiences for undergraduates," *National Science Foundation*, 1999–2003. \$10,000.
- [10] K. E. Barner and R. A. Foulds, "Information access – education, opportunities, and technology," *National Science Foundation*, 1998–2001. \$893,967.
- [11] K. E. Barner, "Optimal filtering of bioelectronic signals," *University of Delaware Research Foundation*, 1999–2000. \$30,000.
- [12] K. E. Barner, "Investigation of nonlinear filters in direct radiography," *Direct Radiography Corp.*, 1999. \$5,000.
- [13] K. E. Barner, "Interference cancellation for non-invasive extraction of transabdominal fetal electroencephalography," *University of Delaware Research Foundation*, 1998–1999. \$29,000.
- [14] K. E. Barner, "Interference cancellation for non-invasive extraction of transabdominal fetal electroencephalography," *Nemours Foundation*, 1998–1999. \$16,000.
- [15] J. Kolodzey, P. Berger, K. E. Barner, N. Gallagher, and D. van der Weide, "An on-line laboratory for solid state instruction," *Unidel Foundation*, 1998. \$225,000.
- [16] K. E. Barner and R. A. Foulds, "Experimental projects for persons with disabilities," *National Science Foundation*, 1994–1997. \$1,409,641 and \$20,000 in UD matching funds.
- [17] K. E. Barner and R. A. Foulds, "Research experiences for undergraduates," *National Science Foundation*, 1997. \$8,500.
- [18] K. E. Barner, "Educational computer equipment," *Hewlett-Packard*, 1995. \$24,000.
- [19] G. R. Arce, N. Gallagher, K. E. Barner, and C. G. Boncelet, "Multimedia equipment for instruction and research," *Silicon Graphics Corporation*, 1995–1996. \$420,000.
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PH.D. DISSERTATIONS SUPERVISED

- [1] R. Carrillo, *Facial Recognition in Image Sensor Networks*. PhD thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, May 2010. (Anticipated completion date.).
- [2] L. Su, *Text Finding, Tracking, and Recognition for Environmental Information*. PhD thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, May 2010. (Anticipated completion date.).
- [3] S. Wang, *Volume Deformation Modeling Surgical Simulation and Virtual Environments*. PhD thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, May 2010. (Anticipated completion date. Co-advised with K. Steiner).
- [4] W. Blanton, *FLIR Airborne Target Search Algorithms*. PhD thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, May 2008. (Anticipated completion date.).
- [5] Y. Yuan, *Gesture Recognition Utilizing 2-D Surface Contacts and Free Space Hand Gestures*. PhD thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, May 2008. (Anticipated completion date.).
- [6] T. Aysal, *Filtering and Estimation Theory: First-Order, Polynomial and Decentralized Signal Processing*. PhD thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Feb. 2007. (Currently with McGill University.).
- [7] B. Weng, *Topics on Selected Nonlinear Problems in Signal and Image Processing*. PhD thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Dec. 2006. (Currently with Philips Medical.).

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- [8] P. Chen, *Volumetric Reconstruction and Real-Time Deformation Modeling of Biomedical Images*. PhD thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Aug. 2006. (Co-advised with K. Steiner. Currently with Radiology Imaging Associates).
- [9] I. R. Kim, *Wavelet Domain Partition-Based Processing with Applications to Image Denoising and Compression*. PhD thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, May 2006. (Currently with the South Korean Armed Forces).
- [10] Y. Niu, *Parallelization and Performance Optimization of Bioinformatics and Biomedical Applications Targeted to Advance Computer Architectures*. PhD thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Aug. 2005. (Co-advised with G. Gao. Currently with Bloomberg, LP.).
- [11] Y. Nie, *Fuzzy Transformation Theory and its Application in Image Processing*. PhD thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Jan. 2005. (Currently with FUJIFILM Medical System USA, Inc.).
- [12] B. Wang, *Fast Unconstrained Tomosynthesis Reconstruction Methods and Applications*. PhD thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Dec. 2004. (Currently with GE Medical Systems Information Technologies).
- [13] L. Ma, *Signal Processing Analysis and Algorithms for Internet Congestion Control*. PhD thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Dec. 2004. (Co-advised with G. Arce. Currently with San Diego Research Center Inc.).
- [14] Y. Shen, *Nonlinear Multivariate Signal Processing Methods and Applications*. PhD thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Aug. 2004. (Currently with the Old Dominion University.).
- [15] M. Shao, *Partition-Based Weighted Sum Filtering Theory with Applications to Image Processing and Biomedical Engineering*. PhD thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Aug. 2004. (Currently with the ZOLL Medical Corporation.).
- [16] R. P. Schumeyer, *A Video Coder Based on Scene Content and Visual Perception*. PhD thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, May 1998. (Currently with Mississippi State University and the Army Research Laboratory.).
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MASTER THESES SUPERVISED

- [1] Q. Liu, "Image mosaic algorithms and optimization," Master's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Aug. 2007.
- [2] S. Krufka, "Visual to tactile conversion theory," Master's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, May 2006.
- [3] C. Haag, "Temporal and spatial wind field distribution in the Delaware Bay," Master's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Dec. 2005. (Co-advised with M. Badiey.).
- [4] Y. Liu, "Motion estimation, extraction and recognition for people with disabilities based on multi-touch surface," Master's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Aug. 2005.
- [5] E. Fret, "Accuracy and frequency analysis of multitouch surfaces for individuals with parkinsonian and essential tremor," Master's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, May 2005.
- [6] S. Ellwanger, "Tactile image conversion and printing," Master's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Aug. 2003.

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- [7] Y. Shen, "Wireless sensing of composite manufacturing process parameters," Master's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Aug. 2003. (Co-advised with D. Heider.).
 - [8] A. Nayak, "Halftoning methods in generation of tactile textures for binary image representation," Master's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, May 2002.
 - [9] M. D. Aguirre, "Multiresolution permutation filters based on acyclic connected graphs," Master's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Dec. 2000.
 - [10] W. An, "Fuzzy extensions to RCRS filters," Master's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Aug. 2000.
 - [11] S. E. Hernandez, "Watershed-based image segmentation for gray-scale and color images," Master's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Aug. 2000.
 - [12] M. W. Asghar, "Nonlinear multiresolution techniques with applications to scientific visualization in a haptic environment," Master's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, May 1999.
 - [13] A. Flaig, "Affine order-statistic filters: "medianization" of linear FIR filters," Master's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Dec. 1998. (Co-advised with G. Arce.).
 - [14] J. I. Siddique, "Nonlinear image decomposition for multiresolution edge detection using gray-level edge maps," Master's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Dec. 1998.
 - [15] S. Pledgie, "Tremor suppression through force feedback," Master's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, May 1998. (Co-advised with S. Agrawal.).
 - [16] J. P. Fritz, "Haptic rendering techniques for scientific visualization," Master's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Dec. 1996.
 - [17] T. P. Way, "Automatic generation of tactile graphics," Master's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Aug. 1996.
 - [18] J. G. Gonzalez, "A new approach to suppressing abnormal tremor through signal equalization," Master's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, Dec. 1995. (Co-advised with G. Arce.).
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DEGREE WITH DISTINCTION THESES SUPERVISED

- [1] I. Mirza, "Tactile image processing," Degree with distinction Bachelor's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, May 2003.
 - [2] R. Sheth, "Region of interest detection in collimated x-ray images using the radon transform," Degree with distinction Bachelor's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, May 2002.
 - [3] V. Emanuele, "L optimal combinatoric region merging for image segmentation," Degree with distinction Bachelor's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, May 2002.
 - [4] D. Ramanan, "Spatial-rank order methods and their application in image interpolation," Degree with distinction Bachelor's thesis, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware 19716, May 2000.
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BOOKS

- [1] K. E. Barner and G. R. Arce, eds., *Nonlinear Signal and Image Processing: Theory, Methods, and Applications*. Boca Raton, FL: CRC Press, 2004.
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BOOK CHAPTERS

- [1] K. E. Barner, T. C. Aysal, and G. R. Arce, "Nonlinear digital filters," in *The Circuits and Filters Handbook* (W.-K. Chen, ed.), Boca Raton, FL: CRC Press, 2008. (in Digital Filters Section, R. Ansari and A. E. Cetin section eds.).
- [2] K. E. Barner, "Fuzzy methods in nonlinear signal processing: Part I – theory," in *Nonlinear Signal and Image Processing: Theory, Methods, and Applications* (K. E. Barner and G. R. Arce, eds.), Boca Raton, FL: CRC Press, 2004.
- [3] K. E. Barner, Y. Nie, and Y. Shen, "Fuzzy methods in nonlinear signal processing: Part II – applications," in *Nonlinear Signal and Image Processing: Theory, Methods, and Applications* (K. E. Barner and G. R. Arce, eds.), Boca Raton, FL: CRC Press, 2004.
- [4] K. E. Barner, "Fuzzy theory, methods, and applications in nonlinear signal processing," in *Intelligent Systems: Techniques and Applications* (C. Leondes, ed.), vol. 3, pp. 49–101, Boca Raton, FL: CRC Press, 2003.
- [5] K. E. Barner and R. C. Hardie, "Spatial–rank order selection filters," in *Nonlinear Image Processing* (S. K. Mitra and G. Sicuranza, eds.), San Diego, CA: Academic Press, 2001.
- [6] G. R. Arce and K. E. Barner, "Nonlinear signals and systems," in *Encyclopedia of Electrical and Electronics Engineering* (J. G. Webster, ed.), pp. 612–630, N.Y.: John Wiley & Sons, 1998.
- [7] R. C. Hardie and K. E. Barner, "Nonlinear filters," in *Encyclopedia of Electrical and Electronics Engineering* (J. G. Webster, ed.), pp. 570–585, New York, NY: John Wiley & Sons, 1998.
- [8] G. R. Arce, Y. T. Kim, and K. E. Barner, "Order–statistic filtering and smoothing of time series: Part 1," in *Order Statistics and their Applications* (C. R. Rao and N. Balakrishnan, eds.), vol. 16 of *Handbook of Statistics*, pp. 525–554, Amsterdam, The Netherlands: Elsevier Science, 1998.
- [9] K. E. Barner and G. R. Arce, "Order–statistic filtering and smoothing of time series: Part 2," in *Order Statistics and their Applications* (C. R. Rao and N. Balakrishnan, eds.), vol. 16 of *Handbook of Statistics*, pp. 555–602, Amsterdam, The Netherlands: Elsevier Science, 1998.
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PATENTS

- [1] T. C. Aysal and K. E. Barner, "Speckle suppression in ultrasound imaging," *U. S. Patent*, Jan. 2007. (Pending).
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EDITORIAL PUBLICATIONS

- [1] R. C. Hardie, R. R. Schultz, and K. E. Barner, "Super-resolution enhancement of digital video," *EURASIP Journal on Advances in Signal Processing*, vol. 2007, p. 3 pages, Mar. 2007.
 - [2] K. E. Barner, G. R. Arce, G. L. Sicuranza, and I. Shmulevich, "Editorial, special issue on nonlinear signal and image processing – part II," *EURASIP Journal on Applied Signal Processing*, vol. 2002, pp. 1–3, Jan. 2002.
 - [3] K. E. Barner, G. R. Arce, G. L. Sicuranza, and I. Shmulevich, "Editorial, special issue on nonlinear signal and image processing – part I," *EURASIP Journal on Applied Signal Processing*, vol. 2001, pp. 189–191, Dec. 2001.
 - [4] R. Salcido and K. E. Barner, "The patient.com," *Advances in Skin & Wound Care*, vol. 14, pp. 108–110, May–June 2001.
 - [5] R. Salcido and K. E. Barner, "The patient.com, part 2," *Advances in Skin & Wound Care*, vol. 14, pp. 164–166, July–Aug. 2001.
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JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

- [1] T. C. Aysal and K. E. Barner, "Decentralized estimation theory over noisy communication channels," *IEEE Transactions on Wireless Communications*, Dec. 2006. submitted for publication.
- [2] P. Chen, K. E. Barner, and K. V. Steiner, "Toward realistic virtual surgical simulation using a displacement driven deformable model and PHANToM haptic feedback," *IEEE Transactions on Visualization and Computer Graphics*, May 2006. Submitted for publication.
- [3] I. Kim and K. E. Barner, "Wavelet domain partition-based image denoising," *IEEE Transactions on Image Processing*, Dec. 2005. Submitted for publication.
- [4] B. Weng and K. E. Barner, "A new approach for time-varying Volterra system identification using Kalman filtering," *IEEE Transactions on Signal Processing*, Sept. 2005. Submitted for publication.
- [5] P. Chen and K. E. Barner, "A multi-resolution statistical reconstruction for digital tomosynthesis," *IEEE Transactions on Image Processing*, Oct. 2005. Submitted for publication.
- [6] Y. Niu and K. E. Barner, "Generation of tactile graphics with multilevel digital halftoning," *IEEE Transactions on Neural Systems and Rehabilitation Engineering*, Aug. 2005. Submitted for publication.
- [7] B. Narayanan, R. C. Hardie, K. E. Barner, and M. Shao, "A computationally efficient super-resolution algorithm for video processing using partition filters," *IEEE Transactions on Circuits and Systems for Video Technology*, Aug. 2005. Submitted for publication.
- [8] E. J. Frett and K. E. Barner, "Accuracy and frequency analysis of multitouch surfaces for individuals with parkinsonian and essential tremor," *IEEE Transactions on Neural Systems and Rehabilitation Engineering*, July 2005. Submitted for publication.
- [9] T. C. Aysal and K. E. Barner, "Blind decentralized estimation for bandwidth constrained wireless sensor networks," *IEEE Transactions on Wireless Communications*, Mar. 2008. Accepted for publication.
- [10] J. F. Khan, K. E. Barner, and R. R. Adhami, "Feature point detection utilizing the empirical mode decomposition," *EURASIP Journal on Advances in Signal Processing – Special Issue on The Empirical Mode Decomposition and the Hilbert–Huang Transform*, Mar. 2008. Accepted for publication.

- [11] T. C. Aysal and K. E. Barner, "Sensor data cryptography in wireless sensor networks," *IEEE Transactions on Information Forensics and Security*, Jan. 2008. Accepted for publication.
- [12] M. Blanco-Velasco, F. Cruz-Roldán, E. Moreno-Martinez, J. I. Godino-Llorente, and K. E. Barner, "Embedded filter bank-based algorithm for ECG compression," *Elsevier Science, Signal Processing*, vol. 88, pp. 1402–1412, June 2008.
- [13] T. C. Aysal and K. E. Barner, "Bandwidth constrained decentralized estimation over noisy channels for wireless sensor networks," *IEEE Transactions on Signal Processing*, vol. 56, pp. 1398–1410, Apr. 2008.
- [14] M. Blanco-Velasco, B. Weng, and K. E. Barner, "ECG signal denoising and baseline wander removal based on the empirical mode decomposition," *Elsevier Science, Computers in Biology and Medicine*, vol. 38, pp. 1–13, Jan. 2008.
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