

## Curriculum Vitae

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### Personal info

- Born Sept 7th, 1982 in Chitwan, Nepal. Nepalese citizen. Married since 2010.

### Education and academic qualifications

- PhD Candidate (Computer Science, Human-Computer Interaction), Lappeenranta University of Technology, 08.06.2009--
- M.Sc. in Information Technology, 2008, specialization in Communications Engineering, Master's thesis on, "*Human behavior on the Internet*" (grade: *very good*) under the supervision of Prof. Jari Porras and Dr.Sc. (Tech.) Kari Heikkinen, Lappeenranta University of Technology, Lappeenranta, Finland
- B.E. (Computer Science and Engineering), 2002-2006, (grade: *First Class with Distinctions/Honors*) Visvesvaraya Technological University, Bangalore, India

### Employment (most recent)

- Nuorempi tutkija (fixed period), Lappeenranta University of Technology Department of Information Technology, 2010–2012, Lappeenranta, Finland
- Research Trainee, October, 2008 - December, 2008, Nokia Oyj, Helsinki, Finland
- Assistant Lecturer, September 2006 - 16 May 2007, Khwopa Engineering College, Bhaktapur, Kathmandu, Nepal
- Project Trainee, March 2006-May 2006, CBK Infotech India (P) Ltd., Bangalore, India
- Customer Support Representative, July 2007-August, 2007, World Link Pvt. Ltd, Kathmandu, Nepal, approx. 1 month

### Teaching

Course assistantship given at

- Lappeenranta University of Technology, Lappeenranta: User Centric Service Design (2011)
- Khwopa Engineering College, Bhaktapur, Nepal: Web programming techniques (2007)

## **Duties as a scientific expert**

Reviewer for international journals: IEEE Potentials, Computers in Human Behavior (CHB), Cyberpsychology, Behavior, and Social Networking, International Journal of Human Computer Interaction (IJHCI), World Applied Science Journal (WASJ)

Reviewer for international conferences: Conference on Human Factors in Computing Systems (CHI'12,'11,'10), The Designing Interactive Systems conference (DIS'12, '10), Engineering Interactive Computing Systems (EICS'12), International Conference on Intelligent User Interfaces (IUI'12,'10), IEEE Symposium on Computers and Informatics (ISCI'12,'11), IEEE Business Engineering and Industrial Applications Colloquium (IEEE BEIAC'12), IEEE Conference on Open Systems 2011, 13th IFIP TC13 Conference on Human-Computer Interaction (INTERACT'11), IEEE Symposium on Industrial Electronics & Applications (ISIEA'11), 2011 International Conference on Computer Applications and Industrial Electronics (ICCAIE'11), 2011 IEEE Student Conference on Research and Development (9th IEEE SCORed'11), World Scientific and Engineering Academy and Society (WSEAS'10)

## **Membership**

- IEEE Member, 2009-2012
- ACM Student Member, 2010-2012
- IADIS Student Member, 2009-2012
- Internet Society Finland Chapter (Finland Chapter - ISOC-SIY Membership), 2010-2012
- Suomen tietokirjailijat ry member, 2010-2012
- VP-ICX (AIESEC) Finland, 2009
- MSP Finland, 2008-2009

## **References**

- Prof. Dr. V. Lokesh, Chief Editor and Professor of Mathematics, Acharya Institute of Technology, Bangalore, India, lokiv@yahoo.com
- Prof. Dr. Jari Porras, Department Head, Faculty of Technology Management. P.O. Box 20 FIN-53851 Lappeenranta, Lappeenranta University of Technology, jari.porras@lut.fi
- Mikko Tarkianen, Research Leader, Nokia Research Center, Itämerenkatu 11 – 13, 00180 Helsinki, Tel. Phone +358 7180 08000, mikko.t.tarkiainen@nokia.com

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