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EDUCATION	<b>Umeå University</b> , Umeå, Sweden <i>Doctoral Student</i> , Computing Science, <i>June'20 - Present</i>
	<b>University of Calcutta</b> , Kolkata, India <i>Master of Technology</i> , Computing Science and Engineering, <i>August,16 - July,18</i> Percentage: <b>82.25%</b>
	<b>University of Calcutta</b> , Kolkata, India <i>Master of Science</i> , Computer and Information Science, <i>August,14 - July,16</i> Percentage: <b>75.54%</b>
	<b>St. Xavier's college (University of Calcutta)</b> , Kolkata, India <i>Bachelor of Science (Hons.)</i> , Computer Science, <i>August,11 - July,14</i> Percentage: <b>71%</b>

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RESEARCH INTERESTS  
Federated Learning and Optimization, Deep Learning, Applied Machine Learning

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PUBLICATIONS

**Banerjee Sourasekhar** , Alp Yurtsever, Monowar Bhuyan. "Personalized Multi-tier Federated Learning", Submitted to FL-Neurips workshop, 2022.

**Banerjee Sourasekhar** , Xuan-Son Vu, and Monowar Bhuyan. "Optimized and Adaptive Federated Learning for Straggler-Resilient Device Selection", Accepted in International Joint Conference in Neural Networks (IJCNN), 2022.

**Banerjee, Sourasekhar**, Erik Elmroth, and Monowar Bhuyan. "Fed-FiS: a Novel Information-Theoretic Federated Feature Selection for Learning Stability." In International Conference on Neural Information Processing (ICONIP), pp. 480-487. Springer, Cham, 2021.

**Banerjee, Sourasekhar**, Rajiv Misra, Mukesh Prasad, Erik Elmroth, and Monowar H. Bhuyan. "Multi-diseases classification from chest-X-ray: A federated deep learning approach." In Australasian Joint Conference on Artificial Intelligence, pp. 3-15. Springer, Cham, 2020.

Patel, Yashwant Singh, **Sourasekhar Banerjee**, Rajiv Misra, and Sajal K. Das. "Low-latency energy-efficient cyber-physical disaster system using edge deep learning." In Proceedings of the 21st International Conference on Distributed Computing and Networking, pp. 1-6. 2020.

Shekhar Himanshu,**Sourasekhar Banerjee** , Yashwant Patel, Rajiv Misra. " System and Method For Detection of Banned Objects From Images In Real-Time Using Intelligence at The Edge"[Filed for Indian Patent, Application No: 202031006618, 2020]

Chakraborty, Manali, **Sourasekhar Banerjee**, and Nabendu Chaki. "A Framework Towards Generalized Mid-term Energy Forecasting Model for Industrial Sector in Smart Grid." In International Conference on Distributed Computing and Internet Technology, pp. 296-310, 2020.

**Banerjee, Sourasekhar**, Prasita Mukherjee, Sukhendu Kanrar, and Nabendu Chaki. "A novel symmetric algorithm for process synchronization in distributed systems." In Algorithms and Applications, pp. 51-66. Springer, Singapore, 2018.

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AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS	<p><b>WASP funded Ph.D. position</b>, Umeå University, Sweden (2020-present)</p> <p>Granted USD 500 from IEEE CIS as travel grant in <b>IEEE WCCI ,2022</b>.</p> <p>AICTE <b>GATE</b> fellowship (2016-2018)</p> <p>Qualified UGC-NET <b>Assistant Professor</b> December-2018</p> <p>Qualified <b>JEST</b> 2018</p> <p>Ranked <math>3^{rd}</math> in M.Tech program on Computer Science and Engineering in University of Calcutta (2018)</p> <p>Ranked <math>5^{th}</math> in M.Sc program on Computer and Information Science in University of Calcutta (2016)</p>
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RESEARCH PROJECTS	<p><b>Federated Learning and Optimization</b> <b>Doctoral project</b> <span style="float: right;"><i>June '20 - Present</i></span></p> <p>The research is focused on mitigating the challenges occurs in Federated Learning due to statistical and system heterogeneity. We are looking around the problems like, federated feature engineering, straggler mitigation, Model personalization etc.</p> <p><b>Low-Latency Energy-Efficient Cyber-Physical System</b> <b>Research Fellow, IIT Patna</b> <span style="float: right;"><i>Sept '18 - June '20</i></span></p> <p>The research focused on low-latency and energy-efficient Cyber-Physical System applications on the cloud-IoT-edge by bringing intelligence and inferencing proximity to the edge site to detect events in real-time.</p> <p><b>A Framework Towards Generalized Mid-term Energy Forecasting Model for Industrial Sector in Smart Grid</b> <b>M.Tech Project</b> <span style="float: right;"><i>july '17 - july '18</i></span></p> <p>The research focused on to build a generalized mid-term forecasting model for the industrial sector to predict the quarterly energy usage of a vast geographic region accurately with a diverse range of influential parameters.</p> <p><b>A Design towards Reduced Message Complexity using Symmetric Algorithm for Process Synchronization</b> <b>M.Sc Project</b> <span style="float: right;"><i>July '15 - july '16</i></span></p> <p>The research focused on to build a prioritized version of the well-known Ricart–Agrawala algorithm for mutual exclusion in distributed systems.</p>
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TEACHING EXPERIANCE	<p><b>5DV171 Operating System (B.S) (Umeå University)</b> <span style="float: right;"><i>Spring, 2022</i></span></p>
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MEMBERS	<p><b>IEEE Student member</b></p> <p><b>APNNS Student member</b></p> <p><b>ACM Student member</b></p>
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COMPUTER SKILLS	<p><b>Languages:</b> C, Python, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X.</p> <p><b>Software Packages:</b> PyTorch, JAX, LEAF, Scikit-Learn, Numpy, Pandas</p>
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