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Research Interests

- AI & Machine learning of spatial data
- GIS – Spatial analysis, and modeling, spatial statistics
- Application areas – marine management, public health, accessibility, transport (IoT).
- ESG (Environment Social and Governance) Risk assessment in supply chain and financial investments.
- Environmental decision making and risk assessment

Professional Preparation

1983 - 1988 PhD in Geography & Cognitive Science, University of California at Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA.
1981 - 1983 MPhil in Geography, Madras University, Madras, India.
1979 - 1980 BEd, Madras University, Madras, India.
1977 - 1979 MSc in Geography, Madras University, Madras, India.
1974 - 1977 BA in Geography, Madras University, Madras, India.

Appointments

2018 - Present Inclusion & Diversity (ID) Steering Committee
2016 - Present Visiting Professor, Vienna University of Economics and Business, Austria
2018 - Present Affiliated Faculty, Institute for Sustainable Energy, Boston University
2017 - Present GEGI Core Faculty, Global Development Center, Boston University
2015 - Present Research Professor, Boston University Initiative on Cities
2010 - Present Research Professor, Pardee Center for the Study of the Longer-Range Future
2011 - Present Research Professor, Boston University Marine Program (BUMP)
1989 - Present Tenured Full Professor, Department of Earth & Environment, Boston University

Professional Activities

- Member of Boston University Tenure and Promotion Committee (2021-22).
- Visiting Professor Vienna University of Economics and Business (Summer 2016-2021).
- From 2020-2021: Visiting Professor, World Class Professor Program, Diponegoro University (UNDIP) in Northern Central Java, Semarang, Indonesia.
- Scientific Advisor. State and City Committees: Governor of Massachusetts Decarbonization Academic Steering Committee (2019-). Mayor of Boston –Social Equity Advisory Group (2018-). Carbon Free Boston Report.
- External Reviewer for Tenure & Promotion (listing only 2013-22). 5 Universities

- External Reviewer for Tenure & Promotion (listing only 2015-21). Dartmouth College, Hunter College, SUNY Buffalo, University of Maryland, and University of Arizona.
- Reviewer – Funding Agencies. NSF, EPA (STAR), NIH, NASA, Small Business (SBIR), Foundations.
- Reviewer – Journals. Geographical Analysis, Geographical Systems, Photogrammetric Engineering and Remote Sensing, Remote Sensing of the Environment, Intelligent Systems, IEEE Transactions on Geoscience and Remote Sensing, IEEE Neural Networks, Transactions in GIS, Environment and Planning A, International Journal of Geographical Information Science, IEEE Data Mining and Intelligence.
- Editorial Board – Geographical Analysis, Peer J, ISPRS International Journal of Geo-Information, (special issue), Cogent Geoscience, MDPI -Geomatics.
- Consultant (unpaid). Massachusetts State Police, Boston, Brookline, Watertown, Boston University Police, Boston University Sustainability Center, Audubon Society
- Judge (unpaid). Judge - LEGO League Tournament, STEM competitions in Schools (Cambridge, Brookline, Boston), Outreach to High School teachers, and other events.
- Consultant (paid). Fortune 500 Companies – Big data analysis- Marketing and consumer journey mapping
- Memberships. Corresponding Member of the IGU commission on Mathematical Models, Association of American Geographers, National Geographic Society University Consortium of Geographic Information Sciences (UCGIS).
- State and City Committees. Governor of Massachusetts Decarbonization Academic Steering Committee (2019-) Mayor of Boston –Social Equity Advisory Group (2018-). Carbon Free Boston Report.

Fields of Scholarship (underlined word and relevant publications).

- AI & Big Data. Gopal, S., (2017). Artificial Neural Networks in Geospatial Analysis, The International Encyclopedia of Geography: People, the Earth, Environment, and Technology. Online ISBN: 9781118786352. DOI: 10.1002/9781118786352.
- AI & Big Data. Pitts, J., Gopal, S., Ma, Y., Koch, M., Boumans, R., and Kaufman L. (2020). Leveraging BigData and Analytics to Improve FEWS Sustainability. Frontiers in Big Data. 28 April 2020, | <https://doi.org/10.3389/fdata.2020.00013>.
- Sustainable Finance and Climate Risk: Gopal, S., Pitts, J., Inampudi, K., Xu, Y., & Cook, G. (2021). The Evolving Landscape of Big Data Analytics and ESG Materiality Mapping. The Journal of Impact and ESG Investing, 2(2), 77-100. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.3905/jesg.2021.1.034>
- Public health & Social Vulnerability. Chan, D. V., Helfrich, C. A., Hursh, N. C., Rogers, E. S., & Gopal, S. Measuring community integration using Geographic Information Systems (GIS) and participatory mapping for people who were once homeless. *Health & place*, 27, 92-101, 2014.
- Public health & Infectious diseases: Gopal, S., Ma, Y., Xin, C., Pitts, J., and Were, L. (2019). Characterizing the Spatial Determinants and Prevention of Malaria in Kenya, International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health, 16(24), 5078.
- Landcover Change. Mann, Michael L. & Kaufmann, Robert K. & Bauer, Dana Marie & Gopal, S. & Nomack, Mallory & Womack, Jesse Y. & Sullivan, Kerry & Soares-Filho, Britaldo S. "Pasture conversionand competitive cattle rents in the Amazon," *Ecological Economics*, Elsevier, vol. 97(C), pages 182- 190, 2014.
- Coastal and Marine Ecosystems. Gopal, S., Kaufman, L., Holden, C., Ribera, M., Pasquarella, V., Shank,B., & Pitts, J. "Modeling Coastal and Marine Environmental Risks in Belize using MIDAS". *Coastal Management*, 43(3), 217-237, 2015.
- Urban & Built Environment. Gopal, S., Tang, X., Phillips, N., Nomack, M., Pasquarella, V., &

Pitts, J.(2016). Characterizing urban landscapes using fuzzy sets. *Computers, Environment and Urban Systems*, 57, 212-223.

- Urban & Built Environment.Ma, Y., Wright, J., Gopal, S. and Phillips, N. (2020). Seeing the invisible:From imagined to virtual urban landscapes, *Cities: The International Journal of Urban Policy and Planning*, 98, 102559.
- Climate Change & Individual Perception. Kaufmann, R., Mann, M., Gopal,S., Liederman, J., Howe, P., Pretis, F., Tang, Xiaojing, and Gilmore, M. (2017). Spatial heterogeneity of climate change as an experiential basis for skepticism, *PNAS, Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences* 114(1) 67- 71.
- Spatial Analysis. Ma, Y., & Gopal, S. (2018). Geographically Weighted Regression Models in Estimating Median Home Prices in Towns of Massachusetts Based on an Urban Sustainability Framework. *Sustainability*, 10(4), 1026.
- Energy. Gopal, S., Pitts, J., Li, Z., Gallagher, K., Baldwin, J., & Kring, W. (2018). Fueling Global Energy Finance: The Emergence of China in Global Energy Investment. *Energies*, 11(10), 2804.

Recent Grants (2016-2022).

- National Science. Foundation (NSF). Coupling of infrastructure, Green Infrastructure, And communities (Co-PI). 08/01/2016 - 01/31/2020 \$484,136 \$484,136.
- MacArthur Foundation. Ecosystem Service Tradeoffs for Lake Tonle Sap. (Co-PI). 01/01/2016 - 06/30/2018.
- NSF. IRES Track I: Collaborative Research: U.S.- Indonesian Research Experience for Students on Sustainable Adaptation of Coastal Areas to Environmental Change. (Co-PI). 10/01/2018 - 09/30/2021 \$199,304 \$199,304.
- National Institute of Health (NIH) - Center for Aids Research. Providence/Boston CFAR Developmental Award: Insurance Status and Health Outcomes among HIV and HIV TB Coinfected Persons in Kenya. (Senior Collaborator). 06/18/2018 - 06/17/2019. \$150,000.
- Bureau of Ocean Management (BOEM). Environment Science. Productivity and Ecology of Sand Shoals System Modeling. Contract No. 140M0119C0013. (Co-PI). 08/05/2019 - 02/04/2021. \$350,000.
- Boston University Faculty Ignition Award. ESGAnalytics.Ai Platform – (Environment, social and governance/SDG). PI. 11/1/2019 - 12/31/2020.
- National Science Foundation (NSF). “IRES Track II: Multidisciplinary Coastal Zone Hazards Institute- France, Japan, Indonesia” Co-PI 4/1/2022 to 3/2025. \$399,636.
- National Science Foundation (NSF). “Large-scale CoPe: Reducing Climate Risks with Equitable Nature-based Solutions: Engaging Communities on Reef-Lined Coasts” Co-PI . 4/1/2022 - 3/2025. Project Start Date:01 Sep 2022. Amount \$2 Million.
- Bureau of Ocean Management (US Department of Interior). “Standardizing Integrated Ecosystem-Based Assessments” Co-PI 5/1/2022 - 3/2025. \$483,048. Contracted to Blue World Research Institute, Inc.

Special Awards and Invited Speaker 2020-22

- **Nominated for 2020 Metcalf Teaching Award**, The University’s highest recognition for excellence in teaching. (Semi-finalist in 2017).
- **Invited Lecture in Speaker Series**, COVID-19 Pandemic Impacts on Pharmaceutical, and Agricultural Global Supply Chains. Research Institute for Supply Chain Management. Summer

- semester 2020. Vienna University of Economics and Business, Austria Wednesday 24h June 2020.
- **Invited Speaker.** Prove I Made a Low Carbon Choice – Can smart systems do this? ASU Series on HowSmart Systems Can Power Our De-Carbonized Future, Wednesday October 28, 2020
 - **Invited Discussant.** Rethink How You View the Future. Future Forces That will Disrupt Sustainable Business Webinar. A full-spectrum thinking approach to building sustainability, 2019–2029. August 5, 2020.
 - **Invited Keynote Speaker.** The 6th International Conference on Tropical and Coastal Region Eco-Development 2020” Diponegoro University of Indonesia. October 27-28th, 2020.
 - **Invited Speaker.** Geo-informatics and Application of AI/ML on Satellite Images with special emphasis on the Pandemic View from Satellite Images. Maulana Abul Kalam Azad University of Technology, a State Govt. Technological University in West Bengal, India. May 30, 2020.
 - ESGAnalytics.Ai Platform featured in The Forrester New Wave™: Climate Risk Analytics, Q3 2020. Our positioning in advanced analytics ranked the highest in the report. Related to BU Ignition Award 2019. https://www.forrester.com/report/The_Forrester_New_Wave_Climate_Risk_Analytics_Q3_2020/-/E-RES157308
 - ESGAnalytics.Ai Platform featured in The Forrester New Tech: ESG Reporting and Analytics, Q3 2021. Related to BU Ignition Award 2019. Forrester’s Landscape Overview Of 40 Providers lists us as a top contender in this space.

Special Awards and Invited Speaker (prior to 2020)

- **1995 ERDAS Award** (With Curtis Woodcock) for Best Science Paper in Remote Sensing, American Society of Photogrammetry and Remote Sensing for the paper: Gopal, S. and C.E. Woodcock, 1994.
- **Dangermond Lecture Series Speaker 2005** - Annual Lecture Series, UC Santa Barbara.
- Jack Dangermond Speaker (2005) and delivered the annual lecture at ESRI headquarters in Redlands CA, University of Redlands CA and UC Santa Barbara in May 2005.
- **The 27th Darwin Festival at Salem State College, Salem MA Feb.11, 2007.** The eternal triangle: Science, People and public policy in managing and sustaining marine areas. *Sponsored by the Department of Geography and the Charles Albert Read Trust.*
- **Boston Athenaeum Public Lecture January 20, 2016.** *Mapping in the 21st century: Maps, apps, tools & beyond.* Boston.
- **Vienna University of Economics & Business Administration, Austria.** Research Institute for Supply Chain Management, Women in Fisheries and Clothing Supply Chain in Cambodia - A Spatial Scenario Analysis, May 17, 2016, 05:00 PM Building TC, Upper Level 34, Room 4.12, Welthandelsplatz 1, 1020 Vienna University of Business and
- **Invited lectures in Cambodia** (multiple locations in Phnom Penh and Seam Reap), **Indonesia**, (Semarang), and **India** (Chennai) – 2016-2019 (listed under meetings).
- **GWISE Mentor of the Year 2019.** Grad Students in STEM at Boston University award for mentor of the year for diversity.
- **2019 Winner of Boston University Ignition Faculty Awards.** Funding for early-stage projects with clear commercial potential. \$75K
- **2020 World Class Professor Program**, Diponegoro University (UNDIP) in Northern Central Java, Semarang, Funded by Government of Indonesia.
- **2020. Best paper award.** Eight Annual International Conference on Sustainable Development (ICSD) 2020. Jessica Weight (PhD Student), Ma, Y., Gopal, S., and Phillips, N. "Spatial Analysis of Street Tree Condition and Proximity to Gas Leaks and Leak-Prone Infrastructure".

Gopal Research Profile

h-Gopal publication record (66 refereed journal articles, 22 book chapters and one edited book) includes publications in diverse fields in leading high quality journals, including International Journal of Geographical Information Science (IF=3.545), Geographical Analysis (IF=1.905), Journal of Regional Science (IF=1.944), Journal of the American Statistical Association (IF=3.412), IEEE Transactions on Geoscience and Remote Sensing (IF=5.63), Photogrammetric Engineering and Remote Sensing (IF=3.15), Remote Sensing of Environment (IF=8.218), Ecological Economics (IF=4.281), Environment and Resource Economics (IF=2.154), International Journal of Climatology (IF=3.609), and Energy Policy (IF=4.880). Her research is highly respected and widely cited as evidenced by Google Scholar (citations: 10531, h-index 38 and i10-index 72 (since 2018)).

Scholarly Books

Goodchild, M., and Gopal, S. (Eds.). The Accuracy of Spatial Databases, Francis and Taylor, London, 1990.

Original Articles

1. Simonett, D., Barrett, T., Gopal, S., Holsmuller, F., and Veregin, H. Magnitude and spatial distribution of combustible materials in San Jose area, California, *Fire and Materials*, 12, 95-108, 1988.
2. Gopal, S., Klatzky, R., and Smith, T. NAVIGATOR: A psychologically based model of environmental learning through navigation, *Journal of Environmental Psychology*, 9, 309-331, 1989.
3. Gopal, S. and Smith, T. Human way-finding in an urban environment: a performance analysis using a computational processing approach, *Environmental and Planning A*, 22, 169-191, 1990.
4. Self, C., Gopal, S., Golledge, R., and Fenstermaker, S. Gender-related differences in spatial abilities, *Progress in Human Geography*, 16, 3, 315-342, 1992.
5. Fischer, M.M. and Gopal, S. Neurocomputing-a new paradigm for geographic information processing, *Environment and Planning A*, 25(6), 757-760, 1993.
6. Gopal, S. and Woodcock, C. Theory and methods for accuracy assessment of thematic maps using fuzzy sets, *Photogrammetric Engineering and Remote Sensing*, 60, 2, 181-188, 1994.
7. Woodcock, C.E., Collins, J., Gopal, S., Jakabhazy, V., Li, X., Macomber, S., Ryherd, S., Wu, Y., Harward, V.J., Levitan, J., and R. Warbington. Mapping forest vegetation using Landsat TM imagery and a canopy reflectance model, *Remote Sensing of Environment*, 50, 240-254, 1994.
8. Fischer, M., and Gopal, S. Neural network models and interregional telephone traffic: comparative performances between multilayer feedforward networks and the conventional spatial interaction model, *Journal of Regional Science*, 34, 4, 503-527, 1994.
9. Gopal, S. and Scuderi, L. Predicting sunspot cycles using feedforward neural networks, *Geographical Analysis*, 27(1), 42-60, 1995.
10. Gopal, S. and Fischer, M. Learning in single hidden layer feedforward neural network models: backpropagation in a spatial interaction modeling context, *Geographical Analysis*, 28 (1), 38-55, 1996.

11. Gopal, S., Woodcock, C., and Unis, G. Optimizing rules for labeling polygons for per-pixel classification using fuzzy sets, *Geographical Systems*, 2, 83-101, 1996.
12. Gopal, S. and Woodcock, C. E. Remote sensing of forest change using artificial neural networks, *IEEE Transactions on Geoscience and Remote Sensing*, 34 (2), 398-404, 1996.
13. Abuelgasim, A., Gopal, S., Irons, J., Strahler, A. Classification of ASAS multiangle and multispectral measurements using artificial neural networks, *Remote Sensing of Environment*, 57(2), 79-87, 1996.
14. Woodcock, C. E., Gopal, S. and Albert, W. Evaluation of the potential for providing secondary labels in vegetation maps, *Photogrammetric Engineering and Remote Sensing*, 62 (4), 393-399, 1996.
15. Moody, A. and Gopal, S. and Strahler, A. H. Sensitivity of neural networks to subpixel land-cover mixtures in coarse-resolution satellite data, *Remote Sensing of Environment*, 58, 329-343, 1996.
16. Carpenter, G., Gjata, M., Gopal, S. and Woodcock, C. ART networks in Remote Sensing, *IEEE Transactions on Geoscience and Remote Sensing*, 35(2), 308-325, 1997.
17. Fischer, M. M., Gopal, S., Staufer, P. and Steinocher, K. Evaluation of neural pattern classifiers for a remote sensing application, *Geographical Systems*, 4, 195-225, 1997.
18. Abuelgasim, A., Gopal, S. and Strahler, A. Forward and inverse modeling of canopy directional reflectance using a neural network, *International Journal of Remote Sensing*, 19 (3), 453-471, 1998.
19. Albert, W. Reinitz, M., Beusmans, J. and Gopal, S. The role of attention in spatial learning during simulated route navigation, *Environment and Planning A*, 31, 1459-1472, 1999.
20. Carpenter, G., Gopal, S., Martens, S., and Woodcock, C. A Neural Network Method for Mixture Estimation for Vegetation Mapping, *Remote sensing of the Environment*, 70 (2), 138-152, 1999.
21. Gopal, S., Woodcock, C. and Strahler, A. Fuzzy ARTMAP classification of global land cover from the 1 degree AVHRR data set, *Remote Sensing of the Environment*, 67, 230-243, 1999.
22. Abuelgasim, A., Ross, W. D., Gopal, S. and Woodcock, C. E. Change detection using adaptive neural networks: Environmental damage assessment after the Gulf War, *Remote Sensing of the Environment*, 70 (2), 208-223, 1999.
23. Gopal, S. and Woodcock, C. E. Artificial Neural Networks for Detecting Forest Change in Chen, C.H. (ed.), *and Information Processing for Remote Sensing*, pp. 225-236, World Scientific: Singapore, 1999.
24. Kaufmann, R. K., Snell, S. E., Gopal, S. and Dezzani, R. The significance of synoptic patterns identified by the Kirchhofer technique: A Monte Carlo approach, *International Journal of Climatology*, 19(6), 619- 626, 1999.
25. Carpenter, G., Gopal, S., Macomber, S., Martens, S., Woodcock, C. and Franklin, J. A neural network method for efficient vegetation mapping, *Remote sensing of the Environment*, 70, 326- 338, 1999.
26. Woodcock, C. E. and Gopal, S. Fuzzy set theory and thematic maps: accuracy assessment and area estimation, *International Journal of Geographical Information Systems*, 14(2), 153-172, 2000.
27. Snell, S. E., Gopal, S. and Kaufmann, R. K. Spatial interpolation of GCM forecasts using artificial neural networks, *Journal of Climate*, 13, 886-895, 2000.
28. Friedl, M.A., Woodcock, C., Gopal, S., Muchoney, D., Strahler, A. H., and C. Barker-Schaaf. A note on procedures used for accuracy assessment in land cover maps derived from AVHRR data, *International Journal of Remote Sensing*, 21, (5), 1073-1077, 2000.
29. Muchoney, D., Borak, J., Chi, M., Friedl, M., Gopal, S., Hodges, J., Morrow, N., and A. Strahler,

- A. Application of the MODIS global supervised classification model to vegetation and land cover mapping of Central America, *International Journal of Remote Sensing*, 21, (6), 1115-1138, 2000.
30. Pax-Lenney, M., Woodcock, C.E., Gopal, S. and Macomber, S. Monitoring temperate conifer forests with Landsat TM: A new look at classification generalization, *Remote Sensing of Environment*, 77(3): 241-250, 2001.
 31. Ju, J., Kolaczyk, E.D., and Gopal, S. Gaussian mixture discriminant analysis and sub-pixel land cover classification in remote sensing. *Remote Sensing of Environment*, 84(4), 550-560, 2003.
 32. Weiguo Liu, Gopal, S. and Curtis E. Woodcock. Uncertainty and Confidence in Land Cover Classification Using a Hybrid Classifier Approach. *Photogrammetric Engineering and Remote Sensing*, 70 (8), 963-972, 2004.
 33. Liu, W., Karen Seto, Elaine Wu, Gopal, S. and Curtis Woodcock. ART-MMAP: a neural network approach to sub-pixel classification, *IEEE Transactions on Geoscience and Remote Sensing*, 42(9), 2004.
 34. Shabanov, N. V., Lo, K., Gopal, S. and R. B. Myneni. Subpixel burn detection in Moderate Resolution Imaging Spectroradiometer 500-m data with ARTMAP neural networks *Journal of Geophysical Research*, Vol. 110, 2005.
 35. Ju, J., Gopal, S. and Kolaczyk, E.D. On the choice of spatial and categorical scale in remote sensing land cover characterization. *Remote Sensing of Environment*, 96(1):62-77., 2005.
 36. Proctor SP, Gopal S, Imai A, Wolfe J, Ozonoff D, White RF. Spatial Analysis of 1991 Gulf War Troop Locations in Relationship with Postwar Health Symptom Reports Using GIS Techniques *Transactions in GIS*, Vol. 9, No. 3. (June 2005), pp. 381-396, 2005.
 37. Ju, J., Gopal, S. and Kolaczyk, E.D. On the choice of spatial and categorical scale in remote sensing land cover characterization. *Remote Sensing of Environment*, 96(1):62-77, 2005.
 38. Kolaczyk, E.D., Ju, J., and Gopal, S. Multiscale, multigranular statistical image segmentation. *Journal of the American Statistical Association*, 100, 1358-1369, 2005.
 39. Anderson, B. T., Wang, J., Gopal, S., & Salvucci, G. (2009). Influence of daily rainfall characteristics on regional summertime precipitation over the southwestern United States. *Journal of Hydrometeorology*, 10(5), 1218-1230.
 40. Yeshiwondim, Asnakew K., Gopal, S., Hailemariam, Afework T., Dengela, Dereje O. and Hrishikesh P. Patel. Spatial analysis of malaria incidence at the village level in areas with unstable transmission in Ethiopia, *International Journal of Health Geographics*, 8:5, 2009.
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 42. Mann, Michael L. & Kaufmann, Robert K. & Bauer, Dana & Gopal, S. & Vera-Diaz, Maria Del Carmen & Nepstad, Daniel & Merry, Frank & Kallay, Jennifer & Amacher, Gregory S.. "The economics of cropland conversion in Amazonia: The importance of agricultural rent," *Ecological Economics*, Elsevier, vol. 69(7), pp 1503-1509, 2010.
 43. Patel, H., Gopal, S., Kaufman, K., et al. "MIDAS: A Spatial Decision Support System for Monitoring Marine Management Areas" *International Regional Science Review*, April 2011 34: 191-214, 2011.
 44. Michael Mann & Robert Kaufmann & Dana Bauer & Gopal, S. & James Baldwin & Maria Del Carmen Vera-Diaz. "Ecosystem Service Value and Agricultural Conversion in the Amazon: Implications for Policy Intervention," *Environmental & Resource Economics*, European Association of Environmental and Resource Economists, vol. 53(2), pages 279-295, October, 2012.
 45. Gopal, S., "Global synthesis of Searchlight reports using knowledge discovery and

visualization",

Foresight, Vol. 14 Iss: 6, pp.468 – 488, 2012.

46. Kaufmann, RK, Gopal, S., X. Tang, S. M. Raciti, PE Lyons, N. Geron, and F. Craig. Revisiting the weather effect on energy consumption; implications for the impact of climate change, *Energy Policy*, Volume 62, November 2013, Pages 1377–1384.
47. Chan, D. V., Helfrich, C. A., Hursh, N. C., Rogers, E. S., & Gopal, S. Measuring community integration using Geographic Information Systems (GIS) and participatory mapping for people who were once homeless. *Health & place*, 27, 92-101, 2014.
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49. Chan, Dara V., Gopal, S. and C. A. Helfrich. Accessibility patterns and community integration among previously homeless adults: A Geographic Information Systems (GIS) approach. *Social Science & Medicine*, 2014, vol. 120, issue C, pages 142-152, 2014.
50. Gopal, S., Kaufman, L., Holden, C., Ribera, M., Pasquarella, V., Shank, B., & Pitts, J. "Modeling Coastal and Marine Environmental Risks in Belize using MIDAS". *Coastal Management*, 43(3), 217- 237, 2015.
51. Gopal, S., Tang, X., Phillips, N., Nomack, M., Pasquarella, V., & Pitts, J. (2016). Characterizing urban landscapes using fuzzy sets. *Computers, Environment and Urban Systems*, 57, 212-223.
52. Kaufmann, R., Mann, M., Gopal, S., Liederman, J., Howe, P., Pretis, F., Tang, Xiaojing, and Gilmore, M. (2017). Spatial heterogeneity of climate change as an experiential basis for skepticism, *PNAS, Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences* 114(1) 67-71.
53. Ma, Y., & Gopal, S. (2018). Geographically Weighted Regression Models in Estimating Median Home Prices in Towns of Massachusetts Based on an Urban Sustainability Framework. *Sustainability*, 10(4), 1026.
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55. Gopal, S., Ma, Y., Xin, C., Pitts, J., and Were, L. (2019). Characterizing the Spatial Determinants and Prevention of Malaria in Kenya, *International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health*, 16(24), 5078; <https://doi.org/10.3390/ijerph16245078>.
56. Ma, Y., Wright, J., Gopal, S. and Phillips, N. (2020). Seeing the invisible: From imagined to virtual urban landscapes, *Cities: The International Journal of Urban Policy and Planning*, 98, 102559. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.cities.2019.102559>
57. Pitts, J., Gopal, S., Ma, Y., Koch, M., Boumans, R., and Kaufman L. (2020). Leveraging Big Data and Analytics to Improve FEWS Sustainability. *Frontiers in Big Data*. 28 April 2020, <https://doi.org/10.3389/fdata.2020.00013>.
58. Kaufmann, R. K., Newberry, D., Xin, C., & Gopal, S. (2021). Feedbacks among electric vehicle adoption, charging, and the cost and installation of rooftop solar photovoltaics. *Nature Energy*, 1-7.
59. Gopal, S., Pitts, J., Inampudi, K., Xu, Y., & Cook, G. (2021). The Evolving Landscape of Big Data Analytics and ESG Materiality Mapping. *The Journal of Impact and ESG Investing*, 2(2), 77-100.
60. Chan, D. V., Adam, M., & Sucharita, G. (2021). Applying Environmental Context to Rehabilitation Research Using Geographic Information Systems and Global Positioning Systems Geospatial Technologies. *Rehabilitation Research, Policy, and Education*, 35(1), 33-50.

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62. DiGiorgio, A. L., Ma, Y., Upton, E. M., Gopal, S., Robinson, N. J., Susanto, T., & Knott, C. D. (2022). Famished Frugivores or Choosy Consumers: A Generalist Frugivore (Wild Bornean Orangutans, *Pongo pygmaeus wurmbii*) Leaves Available Fruit for Nonfruit Foods. *International Journal of Primatology*, 1-22.
63. Wright, J., Ackley, R., Gopal, S., & Phillips, N. (2022). The BosWash Infrastructure Biome and Energy System Succession. *Infrastructures*, 7(7), 95.
64. Kelly-Fair, M., Gopal, S., Koch, M., Pancasakti Kusumaningrum, H., Helmi, M., Khairunnisa, D., & Kaufman, L. (2022). Analysis of Land Use and Land Cover Changes through the Lens of SDGs in Semarang, Indonesia. *Sustainability*, 14(13), 7592.

Refereed Book chapters and conference papers

1. Gopal, S. and Smith, T. NAVIGATOR: A psychologically based model of human way-finding in an urban environment, in M. Fischer, P. Nijkamp and Y. Papageorgiou (Eds.), *Spatial Choices and Processes*, pp. 169-200, North Holland Press: Amsterdam, 1990.
2. Gopal, S. and Fischer, M. The application of artificial neural networks in remote sensing and pattern recognition in Ernste, Huib (Ed.), *Pathways to Human Ecology*, pp. 17-35, Steiner Verlag, Wiesbaden, 1994.
3. Gopal, S. Neural network models of cognitive map in Portugali, J. (Ed.) *The Construction of Cognitive Map*, pp. 69-85, Amsterdam: Kluwer Academic Publishers, 1996.
4. Gopal, S. and Fischer, M. Fuzzy ARTMAP - A Neural Classifier for Multispectral Image Classification, in Fischer, M.M. and Getis, A. (eds.): *Recent Developments in Spatial Analysis: Spatial Statistics, Behavioural Modelling and Computational Intelligence*, pp. 306-35. Springer, Heidelberg, 1997.
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- Gopal, S., (2011). Talk on Time in Spatio-temporal processes and models - Seminar on Time at BostonUniversity, organized by Professor Steve Grossberg, April 2011.
- Valerie Pasquarella, Caroline Polger, Gopal, S., (2011). NSF GK12 Meetings in Washington DC -March 2011. Presented BU's GK12 outreach efforts to schools.
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- Kaufman, L., Gopal, S. and Altman, I. Freshwater, Floods, Fish, and the Future of a Nation," onOctober 22, 2014, Pardee Center for Longer Range Future, Boston University.
- Gopal, S. (invited talk). "GIS Mapping and Technology for Law Enforcement and Crime Intelligence,"May 14, 2014. Massachusetts Association of Crime Analysts 2014 Training Conference.
- Gopal, S. (invited talk). The Open City: How Can Open Data Serve the Public Interest? Initiative onCities - first Urban Seminar Series on Thursday, September 18th, 2014.

- Gopal, S. Images of Polar Bears and Penguins, Storms, Deforestation and More - Middle School Students Perceptions of Climate Change *AGU Meetings at San Francisco*, December 2014. Gopal, S.(PI, GLACIER, NSF GK12 Grant) Boston University, MA, Eli K Melaas (GK12 Fellow) & Yasameen Sharif(Teacher) - Baker School, Brookline Michael Malmrose (GK12 Fellow) & Yana Davis(Teacher) - Driscoll School, Brookline Asher Mullokandov (GK12 Fellow) & Hilary Schwarzenbach (Teacher) – Prospect Hill Academy, Cambridge
- Gopal, S. Spatial Dynamics and Ecosystem Tradeoff Analysis in Cambodia's Great Lake Tonle Sap. The Graduate School of Geography Fall 2015 Colloquium Speaker Series, Clark University, Worcester, MA, September 17, 2015.
- Gopal, S. Multidisciplinary Approaches to Understanding Bullying, Bullying Research Network ThinkTank, Boston University November 2015.
- Gopal, S. MIDAS framework for modeling in Cambodia. Pardee House Seminar, Freshwater, Floods, Fish, and the Future of a Nation, October 2014.
- Gopal, S. Invited Lecture, Mapping, Modeling and Measurement - Digital Humanities in the Classroom. Digital Humanities Symposium, Boston University, October 2015
- Gopal, S. Invited Lecture, GIS and Spatial Analysis for Delivery and Optimization of Telemedicine. MIT, for course HST.S58 Telehealth for Enhancing Global Healthcare: Opportunities and Challenges, March 1, 2016.
- Gopal, S. Invited Lecture, Women in Fisheries and Clothing Supply Chain in Cambodia -A Spatial Scenario Analysis, scheduled for Tuesday, May 17, 2016, WU (Vienna University of Economics and Business), Vienna, Austria.
- Gopal, S. Invited Lecture, Geospatial Technologies for Public Health Research, SRM University, Chennai, India, July 22, 2016
- Gopal, S. Invited Lecture, GIS Modeling and Analysis in Public Health, Sargent College, October 12, 2016.
- Kundargi, R., Gopal, S. and Tsay-Vogel, M. Understanding the Perception of Global Climate Change: Research into the Role of Media, AGU, and November 2016.
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- Gopal, S. and Pitts, J. Characterizing Cambodia's Food, Energy and Water Securities for People at Risk on Biodiverse Landscapes – Tonle Sap, Cambodia, MIDAS-MIMES Modeling, November 2016. Center for Khmer Studies & Apsara Authority, 2 Invited workshops in Seam Reap, Cambodia.
- Gopal, S., Anderson, B. and Foster, S. Public Health Impacts of Climate Change in India and Cambodia, Pardee Center for Longer Range Futures, Boston University, April 6, 2016.
- Gopal, S. and Pitts, J. The Greater Mekong Forum on Water, Food and Energy Workshop, Bangkok, Thailand, November 9-11, 2016.
- Gopal, S. Mapping in the 21st century - Maps, Apps, Tools & Beyond. BU Women's Guild Lunch & Learn, January 26, 2017.
- Yaxiong Ma (PhD Student), Gopal, S. and Nathan Phillips Design and Development of Open Source Mapping of Coupled Green Gray Infrastructures, Boston Area Research, Data-Driven Research, Policy & Practice: Lesson from Boston, for Boston, March 9-10, 2017.
- Gopal, S. and Pitts, J. Characterizing Cambodia's Food, Energy and Water Securities Using Unsupervised Feature Learning & Deep Learning Neural Network, Annual Association of American Geographers, Boston, April 2017. (PIN) is: 90094133.
- Yaxiong Ma, Gopal, S. & Curtis Woodcock What Determines the Median Price of Houses in Residential Areas in Massachusetts in Periods of Boom and Bust? A Geographically

WeightedRegression Approach, Annual Association of American Geographers, Boston, April 2017.

- Ma, Y., Wright, J., Gopal, S. and Phillips, N. Virtual Reality & Urban Ecology: Teleport to ExperienceUrban Infrastructure on Dorchester Avenue, Boston University, October 11, 2017.
- Gopal, S., Josh Pitts, Cambodia MIDAS Workshop Training March 14-17, 2018 at Phnom Penh,Cambodia; March 19-20, 2018, Seam Reap, Cambodia.
- Gopal, S., Josh Pitts, Jamie Baldwin, Kevin Gallagher & Zhongshu Li*. Mapping China's foreign directinvestment and M&As in the Energy Sector. 12th World Congress of the Regional Science Association International, meeting "Spatial Systems: Social Integration, Regional Development and Sustainability". Goa, India. May 31, 2018.
- Gopal, S., Josh Pitts, Jamie Baldwin, Kevin Gallagher & Zhongshu Li*. Mapping Global Patterns of Energy Investments, Research on Tap, Monday, February 12, 2018 (4-6 pm)in the Trustee Ballroom,Boston University, Boston, MA 02215.
- Invited Panelist for "The Journey to Confidence" session. Society for Women in Marine Science (SWMS) Fall 2017: The 4th Annual SWMS Symposium, Friday, November 3, 2017, 8:30 am to 5:30pm. Woods Hole, MA.
- Invited Panelist, Net Impact Boston, Impact Summit 2018 on Friday, February 9, 2018, BostonUniversity Questrom School of Business, 1 Silber Way, Boston, MA 02215. 2017
- Gopal, S. Interview for Chronicle Program - What is the centroid of New England? February 2019<https://www.wcvb.com/article/discover-the-town-of-dunbarton/26523581>
- Gopal, S., "Spatialytics in Public Health from Local to Global Scales". Panel 1, "Geographic Perspectives on Infectious Diseases in Humans, Animals, and the Environment" World-Wide HumanGeography Data (WWHGD) Working Group & the Center for Geographic Analysis at Harvard University meeting, June 18, 2019.
- Gopal, S., Chen Xin, Yaxiong Ma, & Dr. Lawrence Were. Characterizing The Spatial Determinants ofMalaria Incidences in Kenya - Geographically Weighted Regression Decision Tool, June 2019.
- Invited Lecture, Coupled Human and Natural Systems Framework to examine environmental issuesin Semarang, Universitas Diponegoro, Indonesia, July 2019
- Koch, M., Gaber, A., Darwish, N., Bateman, J., Gopal, S., & Helmi, M. (2019, July). Estimating LandSubsidence in Relation to Urban Expansion in Semarang City, Indonesia, Using InSAR and Optical Change Detection Methods. In IGARSS 2019-2019 IEEE International Geoscience and Remote Sensing Symposium (pp. 9686-9689). IEEE.
- Ma, Y., Gopal, S., Kaufman, L., & Koch, M. (2019, December). Characterizing the spatial distribution of macrophytes in Lake Kyoga based on Landsat, 1986-2018. In AGU Fall Meeting2019. AGU.H53Q-2064.
- Wright, J., Ma, Y., Gopal, S., Phillips, N., and Ackley, R. The Impacts of Leaked Natural Gas on theIntegrity of Urban Street Trees. In AGU Fall Meeting 2019. H13I-1810, San Francisco, 2019.
- DiGiorgio, A.L., Gopal, S., Susanto, T.W. and C.D. Knott. Wild Bornean Orangutan (*Pongo pygmaeus wurmbii*) Movement Ecology Suggests Foraging Goals to All Food Types Except Insects, Joint Meeting of IPS and SLAPrim in Quito, Ecuador, August 16-22, 2020. (#14449)
- Invited Lecture. Human and Physical Geography of East Asia, A View of the Past and Contemporary Issues. Lexington High School, Saturday, January 4, 2020. Sponsored by the Five College Center for East Asian Studies, Rhode Island.
- Invited Lecture. Boston University Online Earth Day 2020. Panel Discussion. Learning from Coronavirus: What does it mean for Sustainability, Climate Change, and Resilience? April 21, 4- 6:30pm

- Invited Lecture. Spatializing the incidence and mortality of Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic using AI and Big Data Geoinformatics. Maulana Maulana Abul Kalam Azad University of Technology, West Bengal. Webinar On Application of Artificial Intelligence on Geo-Spatial-Data, May 30, 2020.
- Invited Lecture. COVID-19 Pandemic Impacts on Pharmaceutical, and Agricultural Global Supply Chains. WU Vienna University of Economics and Business. Wednesday 24h June 2020.
- Yaxiong Ma, Suchi Gopal, Les Kaufman, Magaly Koch. 2021. Mapping the dynamics of aquatic vegetation in Lake Kyoga and its linkages to satellite lakes. In AGU Fall Meeting Abstracts (Vol. 2021, pp. H54F-03).
- Mira Kelly-Fair, Magaly Koch, Sucharita Gopal, Hermin Pancasakti, Muhammad Helmi, and Dinda Khairunnisa. Sustainable Urban Planning: Change Detection of Land Use and Land Cover in Semarang City, Indonesia. In AGU Fall Meeting 2021, New Orleans, December 13-17.
- Ferrucci, J., Anderson, G., O'Rourke, M., Koch, M., Gopal, S., Pancasakti, H., Helmi, M. and Khairunnisa, D. (2021) Analysis of Flood Risk Changes in Semarang, Indonesia, AGU Fall Meeting, 13-17 December 2021, New Orleans, LA, USA.
- Fishman, M., Wirasatriya, A., Koch, M., Maslukah, L., Sugianto, D.N., Haban, M.H. and Gopal, S. (2021) Analysis of Various Remote Sensing Algorithms for the Estimation of Chlorophyll-a Concentration in the Coastal Waters of Semarang, Indonesia, AGU Fall Meeting, 13-17 December 2021, New Orleans, LA, USA.
- Mazar N, Gopal S, Pankratz N, Murphy S. Scholarly presentation June17, 2021
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Public Webinars

Two Public Webinars on *The Security and Sustainability Forum (SSF)*, focused on sustainability. (over 300 people listened live and these webinars had >1000 downloads)

- Gopal, S. *Making a Big Impact in Sustainability Science with Big Data*, September 21, 2017 1:15 to 2:30 PM EDT
- Gopal, S. and Pitts, J. *How Big Data Can Quantify Community Social and Climate Risks – from neighborhoods to country levels*. Wed, Oct 16, 2019 1:15 PM - 2:45 PM EDT
- Gopal, S. *COVID-19 Pandemic Impacts on Pharmaceutical, and Agricultural Global Supply Chains*. Invited Lecture: Speaker Series. Research Institute for Supply Chain Management. Summer semester 2020. Vienna University of Economics and Business (WU Vienna). June 24, 2020.
- Moderator SSF Webinar - Future Forces That Will Disrupt Sustainable Business. Wed, Aug 5, 2020, 1:15 PM – 2:15 PM
- Gopal, S. "Did You Know You Could...?" Series at Hariri Center. Feb 18, 2021 11:00 AM.
- Gopal, S. *Rethinking Global Ocean Sustainability as Coupled Human and Natural Systems*. BU Knowledge Transfer Series. The Institute for Sustainable Energy, Boston University. March 31st 2:30pm – 4:00pm.
- Gopal, S. *Ditch the guesswork in verifying GHG emissions. The Security and Sustainability Forum (SSF)*, Science-based measurement and reporting using big data. Thursday, December 8, 2022, — 11:15 to 12:15 pm EST.

Sponsored Research Activity (Current funding 2018-2021)

- Gopal, S. (PI). NSF GK-12 Graduate STEM Fellows in K-12 Education GLACIER-Global Change Initiative-Education & Research (7 years) Agency: NSF - GK12 Award, (2011-2018). Amount: \$2.87M NSF GK12 DGE-0947950.
- Gopal, S., (with Les Kaufman, Bruce Anderson, and Susan Foster). Climate Change and Health Issues in Cambodia and India. Pardee Center for the Study of the Longer-Range Future. (2015-16). Amount \$10,000
- Gopal, S., (with Michael Walsh, and Cutler Cleveland). AI for Earth: Cloud-Based Urban Climate Action Planning, January 2018. Azure resources and partnership.
- Kaufman, L (PI) and Gopal, S. (PI). Science Support to Biscayne National Park. (2018-2019). Hoover Foundation. Amount \$30,000.
- Nathan Phillips and Gopal, S. (co-PI), CNH-S: Coupling of Physical Infrastructure, Green Infrastructure and Communities, NSF, (August 2016-2019). Amount \$484,136.00
- Kaufman, L (PI) and Gopal, S. (PI). A Landscape Analysis Partnership for Ecosystem Services in Lac Tonle Sap and the Lower Mekong Basin (PI). MacArthur Foundation. (2012-2018), Amount: \$500,000
- Kaufman, L (PI) and Gopal, S. CNH-L: The Potential for Aquaculture in Lake Victoria and Implications for Wild Fisheries and Fish Commodity Markets (BU sub-contract). (September 2015 – August 2020). Amount \$1,798,150.00.
- Koch, M., Gopal, S. (Co-PI). IRES Track I: Collaborative Research: U.S.-Indonesian Research Experience for Students on Sustainable Adaptation of Coastal Areas to Environmental Change. (October 2018- September 2021). Amount \$200K
- Were, L., Gopal, S. (Co-PI) Providence/Boston CFAR Developmental Award: Insurance Status and Health Outcomes among HIV and HIV TB Co-Infected Persons in Kenya. (June 2018- June 2019), Amount \$40,000.
- Hanchate, A. (PI). Racial and Ethnic Health Disparities Due to Ambulance Diversion [5R01HL127212-04/BMC ID 7094], NIH, 5R01HL127212-04/BMC ID 7094, 1/1/2019-12/31/2019. Amount
- Kaufman L., and Gopal, S. (co-PI). Productivity and Ecology of Sand Shoals System Modeling, Contract No. 140M0119C0013, BOEM, 2019-2021. (2019-2021). Amount \$484,136.00
- Gopal, S., (PI) with, Magaly Koch (Center for Remote Sensing), Les Kaufman (Biology) & Josh Pitts (Global Development Policy Center). AI Assisted Decision-Making for Flood Risk Mapping". Rockefeller Foundation & Data.org Inclusive Growth and Recovery Challenge. Round 1. September 2020. Awarded cloud computing support from Microsoft Azure for a year worth \$10-12K.
- Were, L., Gopal, S., and Kaufman, L. Fish for sex. Boston University Global Development Policy Center. 2021
- Gopal, S., (PI) with, Magaly Koch (Center for Remote Sensing), Les Kaufman (Biology) & Josh Pitts (Global Development Policy Center). AI Assisted Decision-Making for Flood Risk Mapping". Rockefeller Foundation & Data.org Inclusive Growth and Recovery Challenge. Round 1. September 2020. Awarded cloud computing support from Microsoft Azure for a year worth \$10-12K.

BU Faculty Business Development Funding IGNITE (2019-2020)

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powered analysis solution for fixed-income investment, insurance and risk and compliance at different regional scales such as Zip Code or State. Visit ESGAnalytics.Ai.

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Pending Proposals

- Les Kaufman (Biology) & Suchi Gopal (Co-PI). Large-Scale CoPe: Reducing Climate Risks with Equitable Nature-Based Solutions: Engaging Communities on Reef-Lined Coasts (BU Proposal) University of South Florida. 09/2022 – 08/2027. NSF 20-567 Coastlines and People (CoPe), Amount: \$2,428,316 (awarded)
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Rejected Funding Proposals of 2020-21

- Les Kaufman (Biology) & Suchi Gopal (Co-PI). Large-Scale CoPe: Connecting Communities & Co- Innovating Nature-Based Solutions to Reduce Storm Exposure and Social Vulnerabilities. PI. Maya Trotz, (University of Miami lead). 05/2021 – 04/2026. NSF 20-567 Coastlines and People (CoPe), Amount: \$2,389,899
- Nathan Phillips and Suchi Gopal (Co-PI). Collaborative Research: Geospatial Science for All - Broadening Environmental Research Participation with Accessible Sensors & Mobility. 09/2022 – 08/2024. NSF \$500,401
- Gopal, S. (PI). Comparing COVID Response Strategies, and Mitigation Across Three Countries – Lessons Learned, Moving Forward. (Proposal). Rockefeller Foundation & Data.org Inclusive Growth and Recovery Challenge. \$200,000
- Gopal, S., Kaufman, L., (2021). Transitioning to a Sustainable Blue Economy: Designing a Multi-stakeholder Interactive Participatory Digital Platform (MARIPEDIA) (BU Proposal). NSF, \$723,377
- Julio Castrillon, Mark Kon (Mathematics & Statistics), with Gopal, S., (co-PI) “ATD: A functional analysis approach to threat detection with applications to remote sensing.” NSF – SES – Methodology, Measurement and Statistics, \$ 283,785. PENDING. Feb 2021.
- Les Kaufman (Biology) & Suchi Gopal (Co-PI). Large-Scale CoPe: Connecting Communities & Co- Innovating Nature-Based Solutions to Reduce Storm Exposure and Social Vulnerabilities. PI. Maya Trotz, (University of Miami lead). 05/2021 – 04/2026. NSF 20-567 Coastlines and People (CoPe), Amount: \$2,389,899
- Gopal, S., (PI) with Mark Kon (Mathematics & Statistics), Nathan Phillips, Julio Castrillon (Mathematics & Statistics), “Towards resilient cities: uncertainty quantification of stochastic non-linear urban infrastructure networks” NSF – SES – Methodology, Measurement and Statistics, \$ 299,037.
- Gopal, S., (PI) with Mark Kon (Mathematics & Statistics), Julio Castrillon (Mathematics & Statistics), Comparing COVID Response Strategies, and Mitigation Across Three Countries –Lessons Learned, Moving Forward. Rockefeller Foundation & Data.org Inclusive Growth and Recovery Challenge. Round 1. September 2020.
- Gopal, S., (PI) with Les Kaufman (Biology), Josh Pitts (Global Development Policy Center), Magaly Koch (Center for Remote sensing), AI Assisted Decision-Making For Flood Risk Mapping. Rockefeller Foundation & Data.org Inclusive Growth and Recovery Challenge. Round 1. September 2020. Selected by Microsoft for Azure Credit.
- Gopal, S., (PI) with Nathan Phillips (Earth & Environment), Josh Pitts (Global Development Policy Center), Gas Leaks. Rockefeller Foundation & Data.org Inclusive Growth and Recovery Challenge.

Round 1. September 2020.

- Julio Castrillon, Mark Kon (Mathematics & Statistics), with Gopal, S., (co-PI) "ATD: A functionalanalysis approach to threat detection with applications to remote sensing." NSF – SES – Methodology, Measurement and Statistics, \$ 283,785. PENDING. Feb 2021.