

## CURRICULUM VITAE FOR SURYANSH KUMAR

*Assistant Professor, Texas A&M University, College Station*

*Founder and Director of Visual and Spatial AI Lab at TAMU*

*« My Dijkstra and Erdős number: 4 »*

### EDUCATION

**Ph.D. in Engineering and Computer Science**, Australian National University (ANU), Dec. 2019.

Advisor: Prof. Yuchao Dai, Prof. Hongdong Li, (Em.) Prof. Richard Hartley (FRS)

**M.S. Computer Science and Engineering**, IIIT-H, July 2013.

Advisor: Prof. K Madhava Krishna

### ACADEMIC POSITIONS HELD

**Assistant Professor**, Texas A&M University, College Station (since 2023)

**Professorship (Computer Vision)**, ETH Zurich (2019-23), Appointed by: (Em.) Prof. Dr. Luc Van Gool

**Visiting Scientist**, INRIA Grenoble (2013-2014), Appointed by: Prof. Dr. Christian Laugier

**Research Assistant**, Robotics Research Center (2011-2013), Appointed by: Prof. K Madhava Krishna

### STUDENTS AND POSTDOCS ADVISED

**Currently primary advisor** of 1 Ph.D. student, 1 M.S. thesis, 2 graduate research assistant.

**Alumni:** Former Postdoc (1), Ph.D. students (2), and M.S. Students (24) joined Apple, Google, Oracle, Bosch, ETH Zurich, University of Oxford, TUM, UIUC, NASA, and others.

### TEACHING (SELECTED)

VIZA 701 – Introduction to Research in VCIM (Fall 2026)

VIZA 689 – Mathematics for Visual Computing (Fall 2026)

VIZA 689 – Generative AI for Art (Spring 2024-2026)

VIST 172 – Foundations of Visual Computing (Fall 2024, Fall 2025)

### ACADEMIC HONORS AND RECOGNITIONS (SELECTED)

Gold Reviewer Award at ICML 2026 and Outstanding Reviewer Award at CVPR 2026.

Texas A&M Institute for Data Science Course Development Awardee 2024

Google Focused Research Award Grant 2019

Invited Talks: CVPR 2019, Samsung Research America, Warren Grundfest Lecture, Google Zurich

J.G. Crawford Award Nomination for Best Interdisciplinary Ph.D. Thesis, ANU 2019

Best Algorithm Award from Disney Research, IEEE CVPR 2017

Higher Degree Merit Scholarship Student, ANU, Funded by: Australian Research Council 2015

### PROFESSIONAL SERVICES (SELECTED)

**MEMBER**, IEEE Computer Society (2025-), IEEE (2017-)

**REVIEWER** for Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR): frequent

**REVIEWER** for European Conference on Computer Vision (ECCV): frequent

**REVIEWER** for the International Conference on Machine Learning (ICML) 2024-2026

**REVIEWER** for the Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS) 2023-2026

**REVIEWER** for the International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR) 2023-2026

Program Committee Member AAAI 2025

**REVIEWER** for the Robotics and Automation Letter (RAL): frequent

**REVIEWER** for the Pattern Recognition (PR): frequent

### PUBLICATIONS

**Bibliographic indicators** (Google Scholar May 2026). Citations: 1521, h-index: 22.

More than 30 publications at top conferences and journals *c.f.*, [publications](#)