

## **Rajasekar Karthik, *Research Scientist***

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### Education

M.S., Computer Science, Purdue University (2011).

B.S., Computer Science and Mathematics, Purdue University (2006).

### Professional Experience

2013 – present

- Research Scientist, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Oak Ridge, TN

2011 – 2013

- Post-Masters Research Associate, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Oak Ridge, TN

2010 – 2011

- Graduate Research Assistant, Department of Computer Science, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN

2006 – 2009

- Research Application Developer, Discovery Park, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN

### Professional Interests

Scalable and High-Performance architectures, Geographic Information Systems (GIS), Emerging technologies such as Node.js, HTML5, and NoSQL, and Cloud computing

### Awards

- Co-PI for ORNL's Laboratory Directed Research and Development (LDRD) R&D grant titled "Urban Typologies: Towards an ORNL Urban Information System" 2016 – 2018
- R&D 100 Awards Finalist – CoNNECT 2.0: Activity-Based Recommender System for Energy Services 2015
- Urban Dynamic Institute – Inaugural Member 2015 – present

- ORNL's Computational Sciences and Engineering Division Annual Award – Accelerated Settlement Detection using High Performance Computing Methods 2015
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Best Poster Award for BioenergyKDF at ACM SIGSPATIAL Conference 2014
- Co-Inventor- Invention Disclosure (ORNL) for the Development of World Spatio-Temporal Analytics & Mapping Project (W-STAMP) 2014
- Significant Event Award for the W-STAMP 2014

## Selected Publications

**Karthik**, R., and Lu, W. 2014. Scaling an Urban Emergency Evacuation Framework: Challenges and Practices. Big Data and Urban Informatics (BDUIC' 14).

**Karthik**, R., Patlolla, D., Sorokine, A., White, D., and Myers, A. 2014. Building a Secure and Feature-rich Mobile Mapping Service App using HTML5: Challenges and Best Practices. 12<sup>th</sup> ACM International Symposium on Mobility Management and Wireless Access (ACM MobiWac' 14).

Myers, A., Movva, S., **Karthik**, R., Bhaduri, B., White, D., Thomas, N., and Chase, A. 2014. BioenergyKDF: Enabling Spatiotemporal Data Synthesis and Research Collaboration. 22<sup>nd</sup> ACM SIGSPATIAL International Conference on Advances in Geographic Information Systems (ACM SIGSPATIAL' 14)

Bhaduri, B., Patlolla, D., Vatsavai, R., Cheriyyadat, A., Lu, W., and **Karthik**, R. Emerging Trends in Monitoring Landscapes and Energy Infrastructure with Big Spatial Data. ACM SIGSPATIAL Special Volume 6, Issue 3 (2014).

**Karthik**, R. 2014. SAME4HPC: A Promising Approach in Building a Scalable and Mobile Environment for High-Performance Computing. 3<sup>rd</sup> ACM SIGSPATIAL International Workshop on Mobile Geographic Information Systems (ACM MobiGIS' 14)