

**PROFILE:** Graduate student interested in application of numerical fluid dynamics across scales to understand and use systems involving fluid-structure interaction

**RESEARCH INTERESTS:** Fluid physics, applied mathematics, numerical algorithms, high performance computing, flow and instability control, aeroacoustics

## 🎓 EDUCATION

**2016 - Present** **Masters**  
**University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign (UIUC)**  
 Major : Mechanical Sciences  
 Cumulative GPA : **4.00/4.00**

**2012 - 2016** **B.Tech. (Honours)**  
**Indian Institute of Technology, Madras (IITM)**  
 Major : Mechanical Sciences  
 Cumulative GPA : **9.67/10.00**  
 Rank : **2/160**

## 📖 PUBLICATIONS

**T Parthasarathy**, FK Chan and M Gazzola  
 Viscous streaming for transport enhancement at finite Reynolds numbers (submitted)  
*Journal of Fluid Mechanics*, 2018

**T Parthasarathy** and SP Das  
 Effect of synthetic jet parameters on controlled flow over an airfoil  
*International Journal of Fluid Mechanics Research*, 2017

**T Parthasarathy** and SP Das  
 Some aspects of flow control over a NACA0015 airfoil using synthetic jets  
*Journal of Physics: Conference Series*, 2017

**T Parthasarathy**, VS Ragavan and S Santhanakrishnan  
 ADAMS-MATLAB co-simulation of a serial manipulator  
*MATEC Web of Conferences*, 2017

## 🗣️ CONFERENCES

**T Parthasarathy** and M Gazzola  
 Scaling for flows induced by oscillating cylinders  
*Bulletin of the Americal Physical Society*, 2017

M Gazzola and **T Parthasarathy**  
 Viscous streaming for locomotion and transport  
*Bulletin of the Americal Physical Society*, 2017

## 🏆 AWARDS

**MechSE Distinguished Fellowship (UIUC)** **2016**  
 Awarded to select graduate students for scholastic aptitude

**Dr. Vivekanand Kochikar Award** **2016**  
 Best academic record in the 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> semester of B.Tech.

**Dr. Dinesh Balagangadhar Prize** **2016**  
 Best academic record in the first seven semesters of B.Tech.

**Z-Wing Award** **2016**  
 Best overall performance in the Narmad dormitory (B.Tech.)

**Nissan Global Foundation Scholarship** **2014**  
 Best scholastic & extra-curricular performance across IITM

**KVPY Fellowship & DST-Inspire Fellowship** **2012**  
 Awarded to select students in India for scientific aptitude

**National Olympiad (Physics, Astronomy) finalist** **2011**  
 Finalist among all high-schools across India

## 🔍 RESEARCH PROJECTS

**Simulation and applications of viscous streaming (Masters)**  
 Dr. Mattia Gazzola, UIUC (2016-Present)  
 » Constructed and validated numerical tools to simulate viscous streaming flows across the dynamical parameter spectrum  
 » Investigated streaming physics and harnessed it for enhancing transport in a representative drug-delivery system

**Flow control over airfoils using synthetic jets**  
 Dr. Shyama Prasad Das, IIT Madras (2015-2016)  
 Executed a numerical parametric study exploring the physics and quantitative benefits of synthetic-jet based fluid flow control

**Virtual environment for robotics education**  
 Dr. Soundarapandian S, IIT Madras (2014-2015)  
 Designed a game engine to simulate varied manipulator arms, coupling it with path-planning and control algorithms to virtually recreate robotic environments—for use as visual teaching aids

## 📁 COURSE PROJECTS

**A solver for the steady stokes PDE using integral equation methods coupled with fast algorithms**  
 Prof. Andreas Klöckner, CS598, UIUC

**A solver for the steady stokes PDE using hybrid Finite Element Methods (FEM)**  
 Prof. Paul Fischer, CS555, UIUC

**A Navier Stokes solver for simulation of atmospheric phenomenon**  
 Prof. Brian Jewett, CSE566, UIUC

**Analytical solutions for inviscid flow past arbitrarily distributed circular cylinders**  
 Prof. Arul Prakash, AM5530, IITM

## 🔧 RELEVANT SKILLS

**Languages:** C, C++, Python, Matlab, Bash and  $\LaTeX$

**Software:** Version Control (Git), Parallelism APIs (OpenMP, TBB)

## 📁 EXPERIENCE

**May 2015 - July 2015** **Engineering Intern, India**  
**Hindustan Unilever Ltd.** **Soaps division**

» Designed and implemented an automatic reel-changing mechanism for soap tablet wrapping, reducing downtime from 41 s per reel change to 4 s thus saving \$ 11000 per annum (p.a.) per line  
 » Initiated the rollout of the above universal, safe and maintainable design across affiliated soap factories in India  
 » Investigated and solved the issue of tablet infeed jamming, reducing the incidence by 90% thus recovering \$ 6314 p.a. in direct costs  
 » Secured the TechTris award for holistic performance

## 👤 ACTIVITIES

**Head, Marketing & Student Relations**  
**Shaastra 2016, Annual Technical Festival of IITM**

» Managed one of Asia's biggest technical festival, with a budget of \$165000 & footfall of 30000, as part of its steering committee  
 » Spearheaded a team of 40 and organised 21 events across India to reach out to 20000 students directly  
 » Extended professional hospitality services to 1500 participants despite logistical difficulties caused by the 2015 South India floods