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Professional Interests

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Teaching: Occupational Ergonomics, Occupational Safety, Operations Management, Engineering Economy, Manufacturing Processes, Numerical Control Programming, Machine Design and Industrial Statistics.

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Editorial Activities

Dr. Sengupta is an Editorial Board Member of Occupational Ergonomics, IOS press, Amsterdam, The Netherlands from 2005- present. He reviews scholarly articles for journals (Ergonomics, Applied Ergonomics, Occupational Ergonomics, Manufacturing Systems, Collegium Anthropologicum) and various conference proceedings. He has acted as the News letter editor of International Society of Occupational Ergonomics and Safety (ISOES) from 2002 to 2004. He has also reviewed several text books and technical grant proposals.

- Recent reviewing activities of scholarly articles of journals and conference proceedings:
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1. PI, for the project "Occupational Safety and Health Training Grant: Occupational Safety Engineering" from the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), grant # T 42OH008422. Effective 1/7/2005-6/30/2010, \$532,301. Objective of this training grant is to train engineering and science graduates in safety engineering.
2. PI for the project "Occupational Safety Program - NORA Research Grant", from NIOSH, Effective 7/1/05-6/30/10, \$120,164. Objective of this research grant is to conduct research in the selected areas of The National Occupational Research Agenda (NORA).
3. PI for the project "Occupational Safety Program - Nora Research Grant", sponsored by the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH)/ Mount Sinai School of Medicine, \$ 188,788 effective from July 1, 2003 to June 30, 2005.
4. "Data Analysis and Experimental Validation of an Assisted Patient Transfer Study", PI (with Co-PI Dr. Jeng and Mr. Reichert), NY-NJ NIOSH ERC pilot project grant, \$12,000, August 15, 2001 to August 14, 2002.
5. "Logistics problems in warehousing and distribution of perishable goods at Tropicana's Northeast distribution center", PI (with Co-PI Dr. Bladikas and Dr. Yang), NCTIP, \$189,692, June 1, 2000 to May 31, 2001.
6. "Assessment of Spinal Loading and Back Pain Risks in Assisting Patient Transfers", PI (with Co-PI Dr. Jeng and Mr. Reichert). NY-NJ NIOSH ERC pilot project grant, \$8,500, August 15, 2000 to August 14, 2001.
7. "Occupational Safety and Health Training Grant: Occupational Safety Engineering", Co-PI (with Dr. Jeng). National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), \$253,871, July 1, 2000 to June 30, 2003.
8. "Occupational Safety and Health Training Grant: Occupational Safety Engineering", Co-PI (with Dr. Jeng). National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), \$78,654, July 1, 1999 to June 30, 2000.
9. "Occupational Safety and Health Training Grant: Occupational Safety Engineering", Co-PI (with Dr. Jeng). National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), \$78,900, July 1, 1998 to June 30, 1999.
10. "Concurrent Engineering Design & Manufacturing", Co-PI, Gateway Coalition, NSF Grant, \$80,000, 1997.
11. "Computer Aided Human-Machine Interface Design", PI, NJIT SBR Grant A/c # 421490, \$14,139, 1997.
12. "Computer Aided Human-Machine Interface Design", PI, NJIT SBR Grant A/c # 421490 and 421780, \$20,463, 1996.

Other Professional Activities

1. Member of Faculty Council of New Jersey Institute of Technology, 2003-05, and 2009- present
2. Executive Council Member and Newsletter Editor, 2002-2004, International Society of Occupational Ergonomics and Safety (ISOES), 10621 Jones Street, Suite 301-A, Fairfax, Virginia 22030.
3. Session Chair of Session#35: Grip Forces and Ergonomic Hand Tool Design - in the Conference "Quality of Work and Products in Enterprises of the Future", held in Munich, Germany, May 9, 2003.