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Challenge:

- Design non-contact, robust
 - **ASL-sensitive user interfaces:**
 - Non-contact, ambient
 - > Minimize impact on privacy
 - Operational in dark

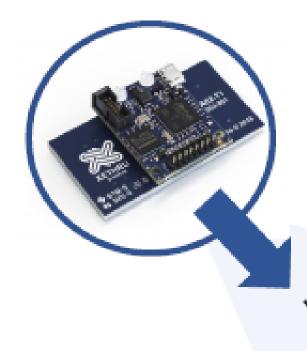
Solution:

- Exploit RF sensing, which offers greater temporal accuracy in range, velocity and angle measurements
- Design novel deep learning approaches for classification of high dimensional RF data representations

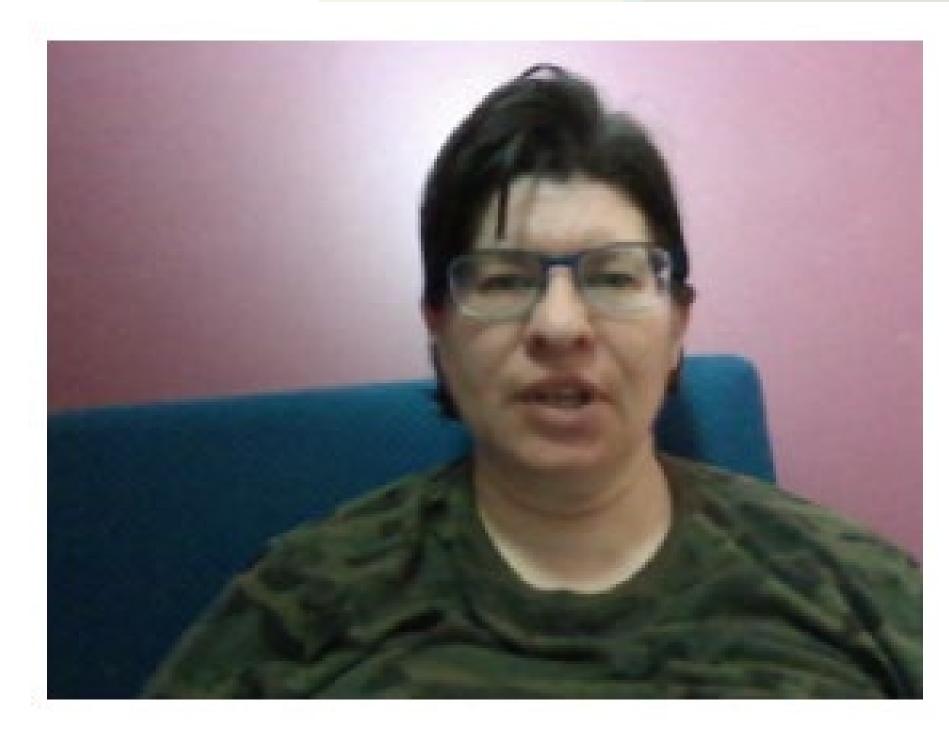
CPS: Small: Collaborative Research: RF Sensing for Sign Language Driven Smart Environments

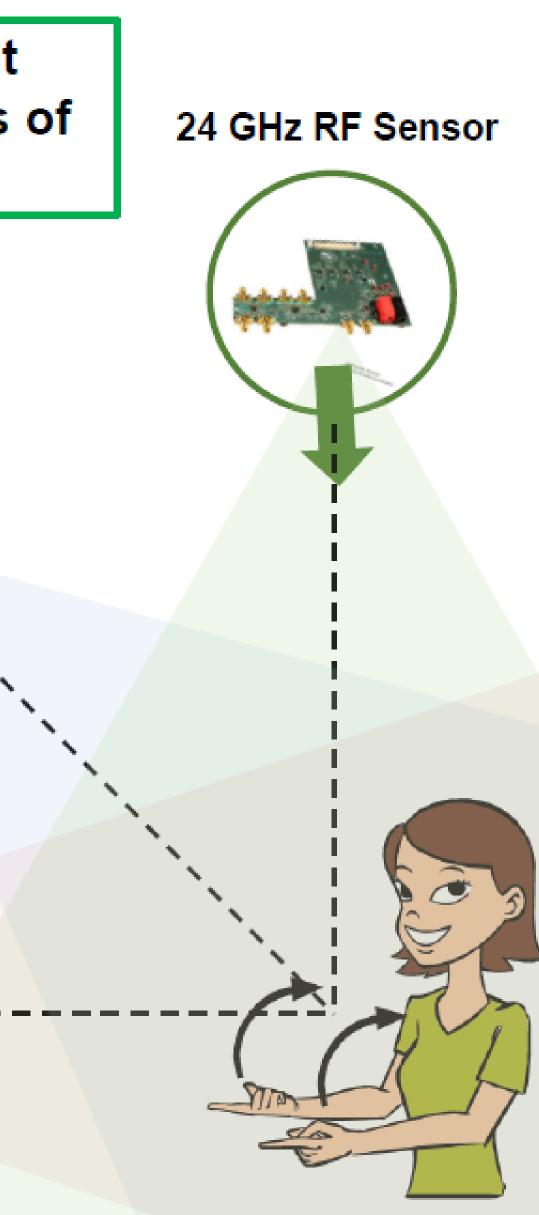
Vision: A Smart Environment that can Respond to the Needs of Deaf/HoH Individuals

UWB RF Sensor









Scientific Impact:

- Improved accuracy and intelligence
- language using radar

Broader Impact:

- Collaboration with Deaf
- context of daily activity

robustness in fine-scale human motion recognition for ambient

Linguistic studies of sign

 Increased access to technology for the Deaf community and ASL users community partners towards research and STEM education >97% top-2 accuracy of 100 ASL

signs and sequential recognition in