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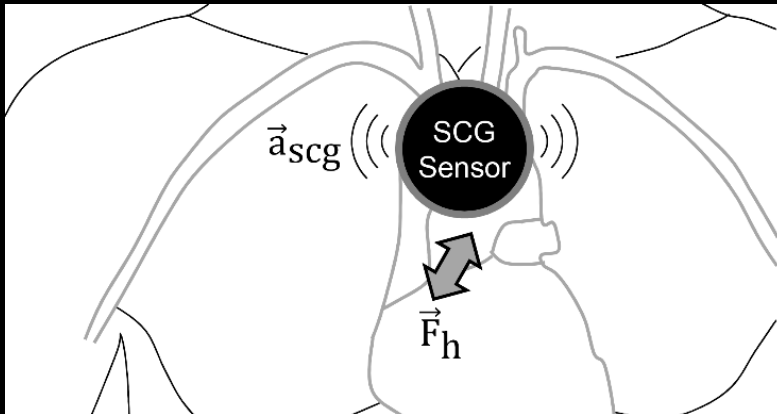
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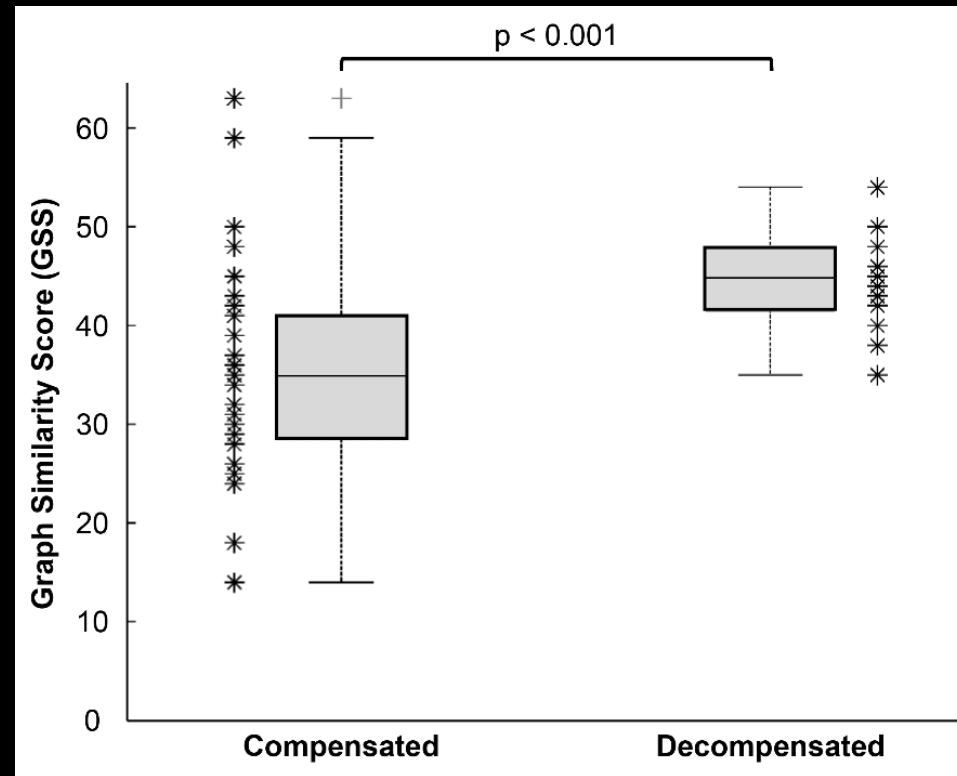
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# WEARABLE SEISMOCARDIOGRAM SENSING FOR PATIENTS WITH HEART FAILURE

Collaboration with Dr. Liviu Klein at UCSF and Dr. Mozzi Etemadi at Northwestern



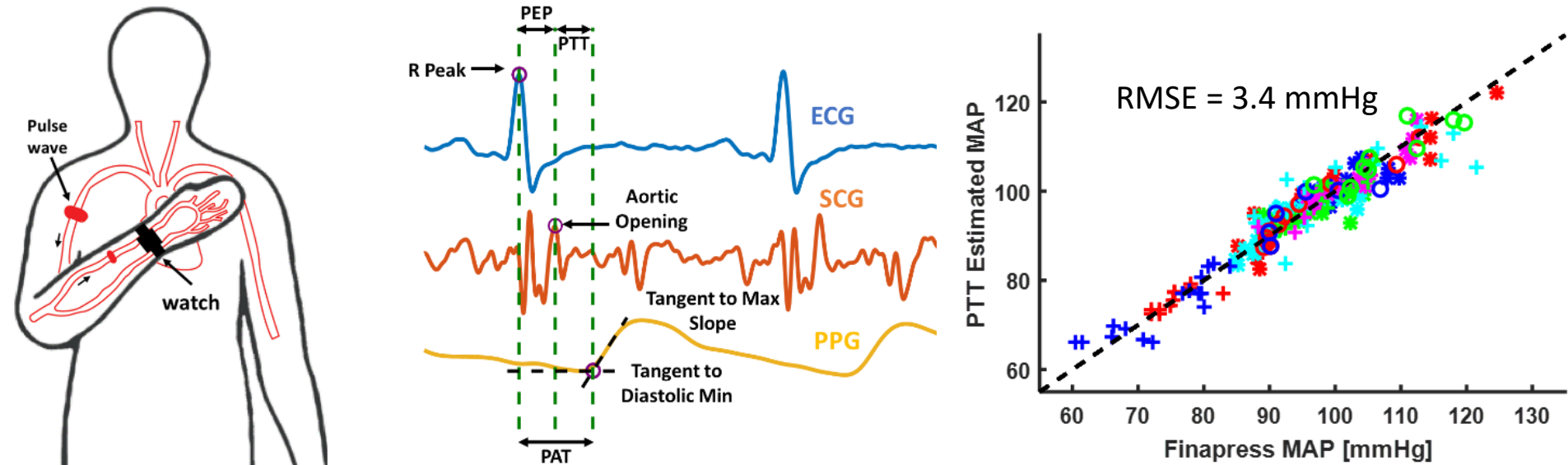
- Seismocardiogram (SCG) signals are measured with a wearable chest patch
- Measurements before and after six minute walk test exercise are used to assess patients' clinical state
- *Goal: Predicting and preventing heart failure exacerbations with home monitoring*



Inan, et al. Circulation: Heart Failure, 2018.

# CUFFLESS BLOOD PRESSURE MEASUREMENT USING SEISMOWATCH

Collaboration with Dr. Rama Mukkamala at MSU and Dr. Jin-Oh Hahn at UMD



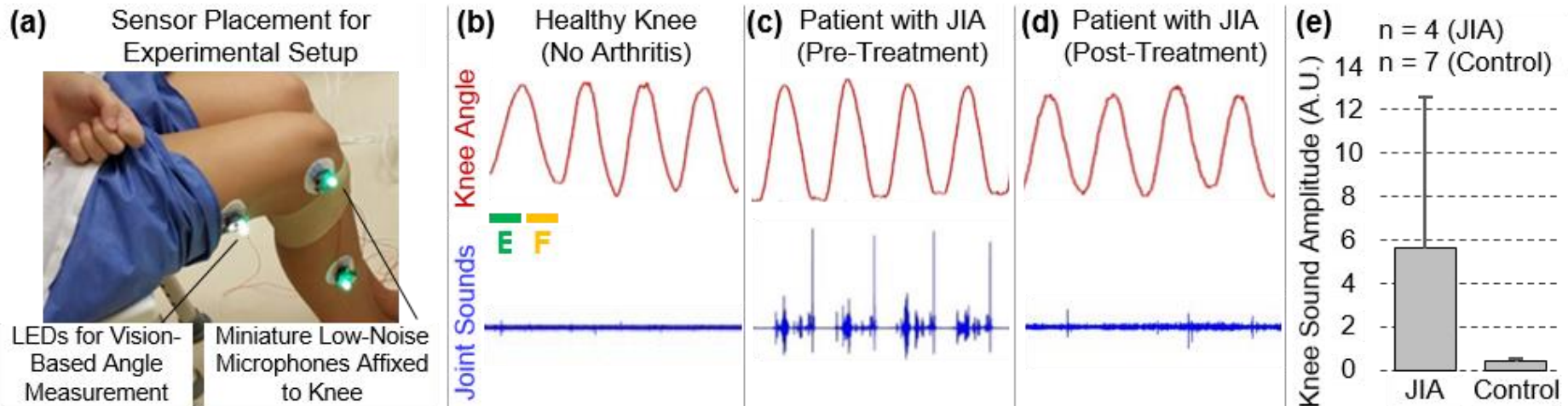
- Pulse transit time (PTT) is measured using a watch form factor with the user placing the device against the chest.
- After initial calibration, PTT based blood pressure estimation yields low error for a wide range of perturbations.

Carek, et al. ACM IMWUT, 2017.

# NSF CAREER: WEARABLE JOINT SOUNDS SENSING FOR KIDS WITH ARTHRITIS



Collaboration with Dr. Sampath Prahalad at Children's Healthcare of Atlanta



- 50,000 children in US have juvenile idiopathic arthritis (JIA)
- Many therapies exist, but matching a therapy to each patient is currently based on trial and error
- Continuous monitoring would allow for therapies to be personalized to each patient using objective data
- *Wearable joint sounds measurements can address this clinical need*

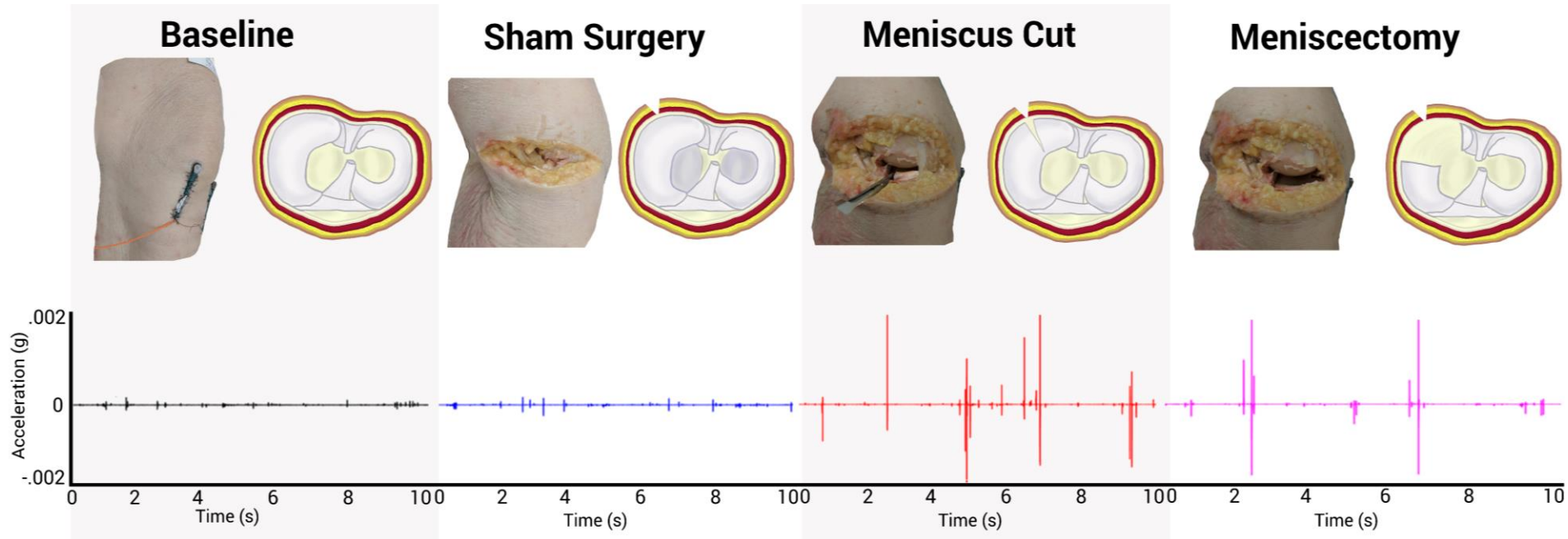


Joint swelling is common for JIA

Semiz, et al. IEEE Sensors Journal, 2018.



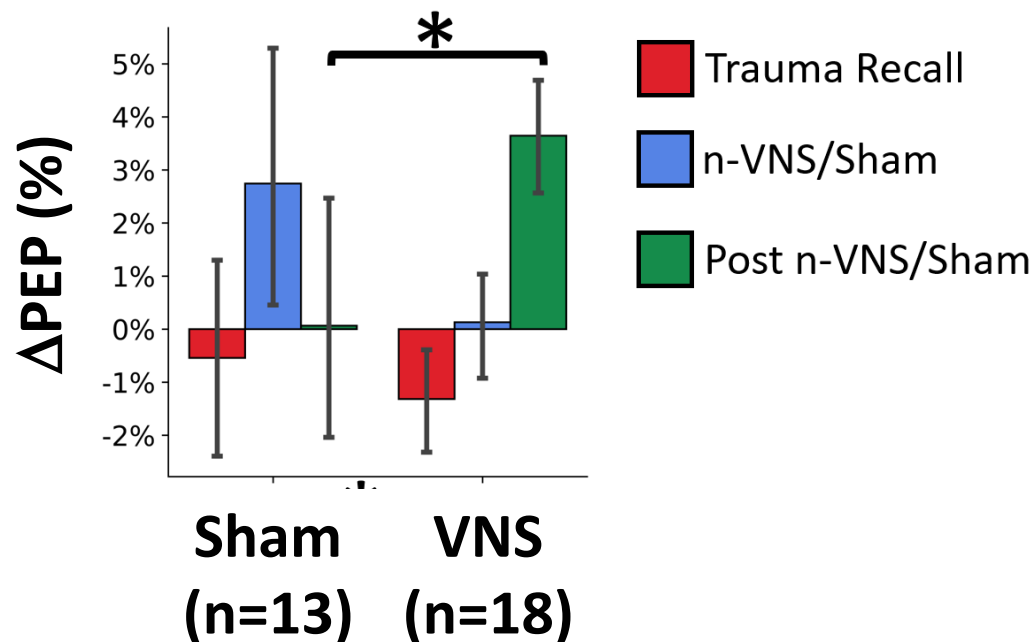
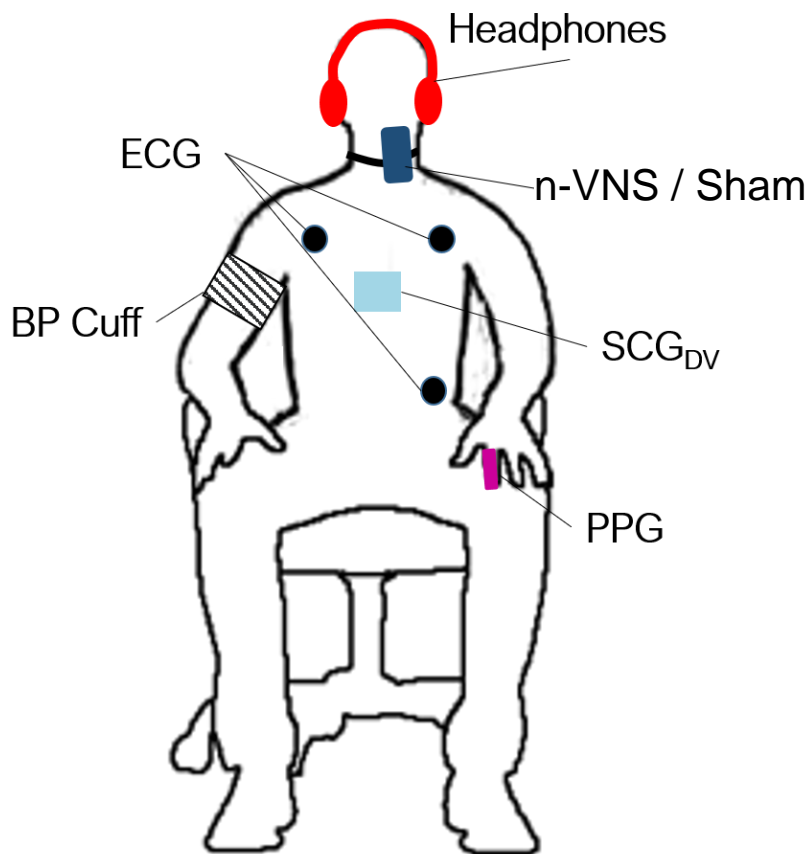
# ELUCIDATING THE MECHANISMS OF JOINT SOUNDS WITH A CADAVER MODEL



- We used fresh frozen cadaver models such as those employed in training for orthopedic surgery.
- A total of  $n=9$  limbs were studied to better understand the origin of joint acoustic emissions and to provide a clean dataset for algorithm development.

# NON-INVASIVE VAGUS NERVE STIMULATION IN PATIENTS WITH PTSD

Collaboration with Dr. Doug Bremner at Emory University



- Sympathetic arousal in response to the recall of the traumatic event is blunted with VNS
- Brain imaging results show similar patterns

Gurel, et al. IEEE Body Sensor Networks Conf, 2018.

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