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# Education and experience

### PhD in theoretical Physics

University of Porto, Portugal

Fellow of Simon's collaboration on nonperturbative Bootstrap, Grade: 18/20 2017 - present Thesis on conformal Regge theory, concerning high energy scattering in conformal field theories and its relation to string theory

Supervised by Prof. Miguel Costa, the head of the department of Physics

## Visiting student

International Center for Theoretical Science

Research assistant 2016 - 2017

Worked as a research assistant under Prof. Rajesh Gopakumar, the director of the institute Studied a novel approach to conformal bootstrap, called Polyakov bootstrap

# Master's degree in Physics

Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur

Integrated Master's degree program, Grade: 8.22/10

2011 - 2016

National rank 4948 in Joint Entrance Examination 2011

Thesis on Conformal Bootstrap, awarded 10/10 for two semesters

Relevant courses: Mathematical methods, Probability and statistics, Numerical methods, Statistical mechanics I and II, Real analysis, Complex analysis

# Research projects

- Conformal multi-Regge theory: M. Costa, V. Goncalves, AS, J. V. Boas, arXiv, 53 pages Proposed a novel 'Multi-Regge limit' for correlation functions in conformal field theories keywords: noncompact group representation theory, conformal correlation functions, partial differential equations
- Towards bootstrapping RG flows: sine-Gordon in AdS: A. Antunes, M. Costa, J. Penedones, AS, B. van Rees, arXiv, Published in: JHEP 12 (2021), 094, 62 pages
  Proposed a novel technique to study renormalization group flow by considering quantum field theories in AdS space
- keywords: conformal correlation functions, semidefinite programming, convex optimization
- The perturbative CFT optical theorem and high-energy string scattering in AdS at one loop: A. Antunes, M. Costa, T. Hansen, AS, S. Sarkar, arXiv, Published in: JHEP 04 (2021), 088, 71 pages

Proposed a perturbative generalization of Optical theorem to conformal field theories keywords: string theory, representation theory, differential equations

#### Technical skills

Tools C++, Python, Mathematica, LATEX, Vim

## Programming achievements

Competitive programming World rank 334 in Round 873, Complete profile,

Codeforces maximum rating 1535 Profile,

AtCoder max rating 1010 Profile

Heuristic programming Implemented a Simulated Annealing algorithm based on thresh-

old acceptance in AtCoder Heuristic Contest 019,

World rank 253 code

## Talks and conferences

Invited talk Tata institute of fundamental research, Mumbai, India, 2022

School LACES 2019, Galileo Galilei Institute for Theoretical Physics, Florence, Italy Annual

conferences Month long conferences on conformal bootstrap, with talks from leading re-

searchers in the field: Bootstrap 2022 (Porto, Portugal), 2020, 2021 (online), 2019

(Perimeter institute, Canada), 2018 (Caltech, USA)

Other

conferences Simons foundation meeting, New York, USA, 2021

Iberian Strings, a meeting of researchers in string theory in the Iberian region,

2022 (Gijón), 2019 (Santiago de Compostela, Spain),

Analytical and S matrix bootstrap: Azores, Portugal, 2018

Summer

research Undegraduate researcher at MPI for Gravitational Physics, Berlin in summer 2015

## Positions of responsibilty

Kshitij Asia's largest techno-management fest, the flagship even of IIT Kharagpur

Core team member, 2012-13, Head 13-14, Steering committee member 14-15,

Created and organized events such as Business plan presentation,

Managed the publicity of the event, Created new events based on Game theory,

launched a campaign to name an Android version after Lassi leading to national media

coverage,

Led the team of core team heads in the overall organization of the fest.

#### Other achievements

Olympiads Qualified for the Indian National Mathematics Olympiad in 2011 via Regionals,

Captained a team of four in the institute level Maths Olympiads in IIT Kharagpur

Chess Member of University of Porto Chess team,

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#### Languages

English, Hindi, Marathi, Portuguese (elementary proficiency)