CONOR O'SULLIVAN

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RESEARCH INTERESTS

First year PhD researcher in theoretical computer science on the algorithmic theory of Big Data computation, streaming algorithms and quantum algorithms.

EDUCATION

PhD Computer Science

2024 to 2028

University of Bristol

- · Supervisor: Christian Konrad.
- · Ongoing project: Graph Reconstruction via Maximal Independent Set Query Algorithms.

MSci Theoretical Physics (First Class)

2020 to 2024

University of Bristol

- · Masters Research Project: Efficient Simulation of Quantum Circuits using Tensor Networks: Approximating Grover's Algorithm as a Matrix Product Operator.
- · Masters Computational Project: Parallel Methods in Simulating Ising Model Evolution.

PAPERS AND MANUSCRIPTS

Graph Reconstruction via MIS Queries, C. Konrad, C. O'Sullivan, V. Traistaru (2024)

· Pre-print: https://arxiv.org/abs/2401.05845

FUNDING AND GRANTS

PG Scholarship/Studentship: Funded by EPSRC

2024-2028

For PhD in Computer Science

University of Bristol: Funding of £1800

Jun - Aug 2023

School of Computer Science Internship in Algorithmic Theory

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

University of Bristol, School of Computer Science

- · COMS20017 Algorithms and Data, Teaching Assistant 2024, 2025.
- · COMS10017 Object-Oriented Programming and Algorithms, Teaching Assistant 2024, 2025.

LEADERSHIP AND VOLUNTEERING

Bristol Old Vic Theatre Front of House Staff	2021 to 2023
University of Bristol Boat Club Fundraiser	2022 to 2023
Bristol Philosophy Society Treasurer	2021 to 2023

SKILLS

Python (NumPy, SciPy, Pandas, TensorFlow, Qiskit), R, C/C++, Julia

REFERENCES

Dr. Christian Konrad, Senior Lecturer in Computer Science

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