

# Mark Gillespie

## Curriculum Vitae

### Education

- 2018–2024 **PhD Computer Science**, *Carnegie Mellon University*, Pittsburgh  
Advisor: Keenan Crane. Topics: geometry processing, computer graphics
- 2014–2018 **B.S. Computer Science, Mathematics**, *California Institute of Technology*, Pasadena  
Double major. GPA: 4.1

### Journal Articles

- [6] **Mark Gillespie**, Denise Yang, Mario Botsch, and Keenan Crane. 2024. Ray tracing harmonic functions. *ACM Transactions on Graphics*, 43, 4, Article 99. DOI: 10.1145/3658201. [Best Paper, Honorable Mention].
- [5] Yuichi Hirose, **Mark Gillespie**, Angelica M. Bonilla Fominaya, and James McCann. 2024. Solid knitting. *ACM Transactions on Graphics*, 43, 4, Article 88. DOI: 10.1145/3658123. [Best Paper, Honorable Mention].
- [4] Nicole Feng, **Mark Gillespie**, and Keenan Crane. 2023. Winding numbers on discrete surfaces. *ACM Transactions on Graphics*, 42, 4, Article 36. DOI: 10.1145/3592401.
- [3] Hsueh-Ti Derek Liu, **Mark Gillespie**, Benjamin Chislett, Nicholas Sharp, Alec Jacobson, and Keenan Crane. 2023. Surface simplification using intrinsic error metrics. *ACM Transactions on Graphics*, 42, 4, Article 118. DOI: 10.1145/3592403.
- [2] **Mark Gillespie**, Nicholas Sharp, and Keenan Crane. 2021. Integer coordinates for intrinsic geometry processing. *ACM Transactions on Graphics*, 40, 6, Article 252. DOI: 10.1145/3478513.3480522.
- [1] **Mark Gillespie**, Boris Springborn, and Keenan Crane. 2021. Discrete conformal equivalence of polyhedral surfaces. *ACM Transactions on Graphics*, 40, 4, Article 103. DOI: 10.1145/3450626.3459763.

### Other Refereed Publications

- [1] Nicholas Sharp, **Mark Gillespie**, and Keenan Crane. 2021. Geometry processing with intrinsic triangulations. SIGGRAPH '21. DOI: 10.1145/3450508.3464592.

### Experience

- 2024–present **Research Assistant**, *Carnegie Mellon University*, Advisor: Keenan Crane
- 2018–2024 **Graduate Researcher**, *Carnegie Mellon University*, Advisor: Keenan Crane
- July 2023 **Visiting Researcher**, *Technische Universität Berlin, Berlin*, Host: Boris Springborn
- Summer 2022 **Visiting Graduate**, *University of California, San Diego*, Host: Albert Chern
- Summer 2017 **Arthur R. Adams Undergraduate Researcher**, *Caltech*, Mentor: Peter Schröder

Summer 2016 **Arthur R. Adams Undergraduate Researcher**, *Caltech*, Mentor: Mathieu Desbrun  
2016–2017 **Undergraduate Researcher**, *Caltech*, Mentor: Alan Barr  
Summer 2015 **Software Engineering Intern**, *Google*

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## Selected Talks

Aug. 2024 **Ray Tracing Harmonic Functions**, *ACM SIGGRAPH 2024*  
Sept. 2023 **Intrinsic Triangulations in Geometry Processing**, *IST Austria*  
Aug. 2023 **Intrinsic Triangulations in Geometry Processing**, *Geometry Workshop in Obergurgl*  
Jul. 2023 **Intrinsic Triangulations in Geometry Processing**, *TU Berlin SFB TRR 109 Colloquium*  
Apr. 2022 **Discrete Conformal Equivalence of Polyhedral Surfaces**, *UCSD Pixel Cafe*  
Nov. 2021 **Integer Coordinates for Intrinsic Geometry Processing**, *ACM SIGGRAPH Asia 2021*  
Aug. 2021 **Discrete Conformal Equivalence of Polyhedral Surfaces**, *ACM SIGGRAPH 2021*  
Aug. 2021 **Geometry Processing with Intrinsic Triangulations**, *ACM SIGGRAPH 2021 Courses*  
June 2021 **Geometry Processing with Intrinsic Triangulations**, *SIAM International Meshing Roundtable Courses (IMR 2021)*

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## Awards & Fellowships

2024 Two SIGGRAPH Best Paper Award Honorable Mentions  
2019–2022 NSF Graduate Research Fellowship  
2016–2017 Arthur R Adams SURF Fellow  
2017 SIGGRAPH ACM Turing Award Celebration Grant

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## Service

Departmental Organizer, Graphics Reading Group (2022–2023); Organizer, Graphics Seminar (2020–2021); Panel Speaker (CSD Visit Day 2020, 2023, CSD Introductory Course 2022)  
Reviewing SIGGRAPH (2019, 2022, 2023, 2024), SIGGRAPH Asia (2022, 2023, 2024), Eurographics (2024), Computer-Aided Design (2023), Transactions on Visualization and Computer Graphics (2023, 2024), Computers & Graphics (2021)  
Mentorship Summer Geometry Initiative volunteer (2024), Advising Master’s student (2022–2023), CMU Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship (2020)