

# Aakash Sharma

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## EDUCATION

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2024     **Ph.D. in Computer Science**, UiT – The Arctic University of Norway, Norway.  
Thesis: *Lohpi: A System for Compliant Research Data Sharing and Processing*.  
Supervisors: Prof. Dag Johansen, Prof. Håvard Dagenborg.
- 2017     **M.Sc. in Distributed Software Systems**, Technical University of Darmstadt, Germany.  
Thesis: *Differential Map Updates for Highly Automated Driving and Enhanced Driver Assistance Services*.  
Supervisors: Prof. Dr.-Ing. Ralf Steinmetz, Dr. Florian Jomrich.
- 2009     **B.Eng. in Information Technology**, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University, India.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- 2023–     **Researcher**, UiT – The Arctic University of Norway, Norway
- 2017–21   **Ph.D. Candidate**, UiT – The Arctic University of Norway, Norway.
- 2016–17   **Student Employee**, Polytech Domilens GmbH, Germany.
- 2015–16   **Student Research Assistant**, Ubiquitous Knowledge Processing (UKP) Lab, Technical University of Darmstadt, Germany.
- 2013–14   **Web Developer**, Digital India Corporation (*formerly* Media Lab Asia), India.
- 2010–13   **Systems Software Engineer**, IBM India Software Labs, India.
- 2009–10   **Software Engineer**, Persistent Systems Limited, India.
- 2009–9    **Trainee**, Persistent Systems Limited, India.

## HONORS & AWARDS

- 2023     Winner of ICE Creative North Hackathon [https://www.linkedin.com/posts/ice-kirkenes\\_iceif2024-changemakers-arctic-activity-7121113712349855744-Zhnf](https://www.linkedin.com/posts/ice-kirkenes_iceif2024-changemakers-arctic-activity-7121113712349855744-Zhnf)
- 2018     Winner of Reading Group Competition at ICVSS 2018 <https://iplab.dmi.unict.it/icvss2018/>

## PUBLICATIONS

- 2023 **Aakash Sharma**, Katja P. Czerwinska, Dag Johansen, and Håvard Dagenborg. Capturing Nutrition Data for Sports: Challenges and Ethical Issues, *MultiMedia Modeling. MMM 2023. Lecture Notes in Computer Science, vol 13833. Springer, Cham..* doi:[10.1007/978-3-031-27077-2\\_47](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-27077-2_47)
- 2022 Pietro Randine, **Aakash Sharma**, Gunnar Hartvigsen, Håvard D. Johansen and Eirik Årsand. Information and Communication Technology-based Interventions for Chronic Diseases Consultation: Scoping Review, *International Journal of Medical Informatics.* doi:[10.1016/j.ijmedinf.2022.104784](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijmedinf.2022.104784)
- 2021 **Aakash Sharma**, Thomas B. Nilsen, Sivert Johansen, Dag Johansen and Håvard D. Johansen. Designing a Service for Compliant Sharing of Sensitive Research Data, *Risks and Security of Internet and Systems. CRiSIS 2021. Lecture Notes in Computer Science, vol 13204. Springer, Cham..* doi:[10.1007/978-3-031-02067-4\\_10](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-02067-4_10)
- 2021 **Aakash Sharma**, Thomas B. Nilsen, Lars Brenna, Dag Johansen and Håvard D. Johansen. Accountable Human Subject Research Data Processing using Lohpi, *Proceedings of the International Conference on ICT enhanced Social Sciences and Humanities (ICTeSSH).* doi:[10.21428/7a45813f.80ebd922](https://doi.org/10.21428/7a45813f.80ebd922)
- 2021 **Aakash Sharma**, Thomas B. Nilsen, Katja P. Czerwinska, Daria Onitiu, Lars Brenna, Dag Johansen and Håvard D. Johansen. Up-to-the-minute Privacy Policies via gossips in Participatory Epidemiological Studies, *Frontiers in Big Data.* doi:[10.3389/fdata.2021.624424](https://doi.org/10.3389/fdata.2021.624424).
- 2020 **Aakash Sharma**, Katja P. Czerwinska, Lars Brenna, Dag Johansen, Håvard D. Johansen. Privacy Perceptions and Concerns in Image-Based Dietary Assessment Systems: Questionnaire-Based Study, *JMIR Hum Factors* doi:[10.2196/19085](https://doi.org/10.2196/19085).
- 2019 Florian Jomrich, **Aakash Sharma**, Tobias Rückelt, Doreen Böhnstedt, Ralf Steinmetz. Intelligent Offloading Distribution of High Definition Street Maps for Highly Automated Vehicles, *Smart Cities, Green Technologies, and Intelligent Transport Systems, Springer, Cham* doi:[10.1007/978-3-030-02907-4\\_11](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-02907-4_11).
- 2017 Florian Jomrich, **Aakash Sharma**, Tobias Rückelt, Daniel Burgstahler, Doreen Böhnstedt. Dynamic Map Update Protocol for Highly Automated Driving Vehicles, *Proceedings of the International Conference on Vehicle Technology and Intelligent Transport Systems (VEHITS)*, doi:[10.5220/0006279800680078](https://doi.org/10.5220/0006279800680078).

## INVITED TALKS

- 2021 Compliant Sharing of Sensitive Data with Lohpi, *BBChain Project Meeting, University of Stavanger, Norway.*
- 2021 Compliant Sharing of Sensitive Data with Dataverse and Lohpi, *Dataverse Community Meeting, Session - Sensitive Data.* <https://youtu.be/q3irpQ4r0yU?t=3521>

2021 Up-to-the-minute Data Policy Updates for Participatory Studies, *Befolkningsundersøkelser i Nord (BiN) Project Technical Meeting, Norway*.

## TEACHING AND SUPERVISION

2021 Master Thesis Co-supervision : [Sivert Johansen](#)  
2020 Completed the course *Teaching and Learning in Higher Education*.  
2020 Teaching Assistant for Advanced Distributed Systems (INF-3203).  
2019-20 Teaching Assistant for Distributed Systems Fundamentals (INF-3200).

## OPEN-SOURCE SOFTWARE

**WebAnno 3.0** – <https://webanno.github.io/webanno/>  
A Flexible, Web-based and Visually Supported System for Distributed Annotations.  
**osm2pgrouting** – [osm2pgrouting on GitHub](#)  
Import tool for OpenStreetMap data to pgRouting database.

## ACADEMIC SERVICE

2018– **Social Media Editor** ACM SIGOPS.  
2020–23 **Artifact Evaluation Committee** SOSP '20, OSDI '21, WOOT '23.  
2022 **PC Member** 29th International Conference on Multimedia Modeling.  
2020 **Shadow PC** European Conference on Computer Systems (EuroSys) 2020.  
2018–19 **Vice Board-Chair** Doctoral Students at UiT – The Arctic University of Norway.  
2018 **Poster Chair** 1<sup>st</sup> ACM SIGOPS Summer School on Advanced Topics in Systems.  
2016 **Student Volunteer** ISC High Performance Conference.

## WORKSHOPS AND SCHOOLS

2020 2<sup>nd</sup> Human Behavior and Machine Intelligence (HUMAIN) Winter School.  
2018 1<sup>st</sup> ACM SIGOPS Summer School on Advanced Topics in Systems (SATIS).  
2018 12<sup>th</sup> International Computer Vision Summer School (ICVSS).  
2018 12<sup>th</sup> European Conference on Computer Systems (EuroSys) Doctoral Workshop.  
2017 2<sup>nd</sup> International Workshop on Personal Data Systems (PDS).

## LANGUAGES

English (*Fluent*), Norwegian Bokmål (*Intermediate*), German (*Basic*), Hindi (*Native*).