# **EDUCATION**

Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Ph.D. Computer Science, August 2016 — Present

University of California, Berkeley.

Bachelor of Science with High Honors, May 2015.

Electrical Engineering and Computer Science. GPA 3.855.

# Research

#### **Publications**

"Restructuring Endpoint Congestion Control." **Akshay Narayan**, Frank Cangialosi, Deepti Raghavan, Prateesh Goyal, Srinivas Narayana, Radhika Mittal, Mohammad Alizadeh, Hari Balakrishnan. *SIGCOMM 2018*.

"Sincronia: Near-Optimal Network Design for Coflows." Saksham Agarwal, Shijin Rajakrishnan, **Akshay Narayan**, Rachit Agarwal, David Shmoys, Amin Vahdat. *SIGCOMM* 2018. **Awarded Best Student Paper.** 

"The Case for Moving Congestion Control Out of the Datapath." **Akshay Narayan**, Frank Cangialosi, Prateesh Goyal, Srinivas Narayana, Mohammad Alizadeh, Hari Balakrishnan. *HotNets* 2017.

"Network Requirements for Resource Disaggregation." Peter Gao, **Akshay Narayan**, Sagar Karandikar, Joao Carreira, Sangjin Han, Rachit Agarwal, Sylvia Ratnasamy, Scott Shenker. *OSDI 2016*.

"pHost: Distributed Near-Optimal Datacenter Transport Over Commodity Network Fabric." Peter Gao, **Akshay Narayan**, Gautam Kumar, Rachit Agarwal, Sylvia Ratnasamy, Scott Shenker. *CoNEXT* 2015.

# Teaching

MIT, Fall 2018. 6.829: Computer Networks.

Instructors: Hari Balakrishnan and Mohammad Alizadeh.

UC Berkeley, Fall 2014. CS168: Introduction to Computer Networks. Instructor: Sylvia Ratnasamy. Average Student Rating: 4.33 / 5

# EXPERIENCE

#### Microsoft

May 2018 — August 2018

Research Intern.

Microsoft Research: Mobility and Networking.

Wide-area end-to-end traffic optimization, datacenter transport.

## University of California, Berkeley

Spring 2014 — August 2016

Staff Researcher, NetSys Lab.

Datacenter transport, resource disaggregation, container orchestration.

### Microsoft

May 2014 — August 2014

Software Development Engineer Intern.

Operating Systems Group: Application Compatibility Team.

Operating systems, APIs.

#### Jive Software

May 2013 — August 2013

Engineering Intern. Platform API Team.

Web development, distributed systems.

#### NASA Ames Research Center

May 2012 — November 2012

Program Participant, Education Associates Program.

Mobile development, graphics.

# Honors and Awards

SIGCOMM Best Student Paper Award, 2018

MIT NSF Graduate Research Fellowship, 2017

MIT Jacobs Presidential Fellowship, 2016

UC Berkeley Boeing Scholar, 2014

UC Berkeley Eta Kappa Nu, 2012

UC Berkeley Regents and Chancellors Scholar, 2011