

# Aravind Reddy Talla

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## EDUCATION

<b>Northwestern University</b> Ph.D. in Computer Science, Advisors: Konstantin Makarychev, Aravindan Vijayaraghavan. M.S. in Computer Science, GPA: 4.0	Evanston, IL June 2023 (Expected) March 2021
<b>Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Kanpur</b> Bachelor of Technology (B.Tech.) in Computer Science with minor in Physics, <i>Distinction</i>	2018

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

<b>Research Scientist Intern</b> , Adobe Research Primary mentor: Ritwik Sinha Primary mentors: Ryan Rossi and Zhao Song, resulted in an ICML 2022 publication and patent filing.	San Jose (remote) Summer 2022 Summer 2021
<b>Research Intern</b> , Paris Centre for Quantum Computing, <i>Université Paris Diderot</i> Mentors: Eleni Diamanti and Iordanis Kerenidis, partly funded by Charpak Scholarship	Summer 2017 <i>Paris, France</i>
<b>Research Intern</b> , Centre for Quantum Technologies, <i>National University of Singapore</i> Mentor: Hartmut Klauck	Summer 2016 <i>Singapore</i>

## PUBLICATIONS

<b>Dynamic Tensor Product Regression</b> with Zhao Song and Lichen Zhang	<i>NeurIPS 2022 (to appear)</i>
<b>One-Pass Algorithms for MAP Inference of Nonsymmetric Determinantal Point Processes</b> with Ryan Rossi, Zhao Song, Anup Rao, Tung Mai, Nedim Lipka, Gang Wu, Eunye Koh, and Nesreen Ahmed, <a href="#">link</a>	<i>ICML 2022</i>
<b>Beyond Perturbation Stability: LP Recovery Guarantees for MAP Inference on Noisy Stable Instances</b> with Hunter Lang, David Sontag, and Aravindan Vijayaraghavan, <a href="#">arXiv</a>	<i>AISTATS 2021</i>
<b>Improved Guarantees for k-means++ and k-means++ Parallel</b> with Konstantin Makarychev and Liren Shan, <a href="#">link</a>	<i>NeurIPS 2020</i>

## PATENT

<b>Online Inference and Learning for Nonsymmetric Determinantal Point Processes</b> with Ryan Rossi, Zhao Song, Anup Rao, Tung Mai, Nedim Lipka, Gang Wu, and Eunye Koh	2022 <i>Filed at USPTO</i>
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## SELECTED AWARDS & GRANTS

<b>Peter and Adrienne Barris Outstanding Teaching Assistant Award</b> , Northwestern, <a href="#">press release</a>	2022
<b>Adobe Research Gift Grant (\$20,000)</b>	2022
<b>Charpak Scholarship for Research Internship</b> , Government of France	2017
<b>National Initiative on Undergraduate Science Scholarship</b> , HBCSE (TIFR)	2015
<b>Gold Medallist</b> , Indian National Physics Olympiad, <i>National top 35</i>	2014

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Programming Languages:** C, Python | **Tools:**  $\text{\LaTeX}$ , Git, Gurobi  
**Natural Languages:** Native/Bilingual Proficiency - English, Telugu, Hindi; Limited Working Proficiency - Korean

## SERVICE

**Teaching Assistant:** Mathematical Foundations of Computer Science (NU) - Spring 2022, Fall 2020, Fall 2019;  
Design & Analysis of Algorithms (NU) - Winter 2019; Fundamentals of Computing (IITK) - Winter 2018  
**Conference Reviewer:** NeurIPS (2022, 2021), ICML 2022, ICLR (2023, 2022), AISTATS 2023  
**Conference Volunteer:** STOC 2021, 2020, AISTATS 2021, NeurIPS 2020, FSTTCS 2017  
**Volunteer Math Tutor:** For a Chicago area middle-school student, for the 2021-22 academic year.  
**Board Member:** CS PhD Advisory Council (NU, 2020 - 2022) | **Webmaster:** CS Theory group (NU, 2018 - Present)