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Interests

200 University Ave W Waterloo, ON N2L 3G1

RESEARCH Machine Learning Theory, Algorithmic Statistics, Privacy

EDUCATION University of Waterloo, (Waterloo, Ontario, Canada)

PhD in Computer Science, Sept. 2020 - Present

Advisor: Gautam Kamath

National Technical University of Athens, (Athens, Greece)

Diploma (5 - year degree) in Electrical and Computer Engineering, Nov. 2019

Thesis: Learning Techniques for Ranking Distributions

Advisor: Dimitris Fotakis

GPA: 9.1/10 (Excellent) - ranked 17th among 290 graduates of 2019

Publications and Private Mean Estimation with Person-Level Differential Privacy

Manuscripts Sushant Agarwal, Gautam Kamath, Mahbdo Majid, Argyris Mouzakis, Rose Silver,

Jonathan Ullman

Symposium on Discrete Algorithms (SODA), 2025

Not All Learnable Distribution Classes are Privately Learnable

Mark Bun, Gautam Kamath, Argyris Mouzakis, Vikrant Singhal International Conference on Algorithmic Learning Theory (ALT), 2024

A Bias-Variance-Privacy Trilemma for Statistical Estimation

Gautam Kamath, Argyris Mouzakis, Matthew Regehr, Vikrant Singhal

Thomas Steinke, Jonathan Ullman

arXiv:2301.13334, 2023

In Submission to Journal of the American Statistical Association (JASA) Workshop on Theory and Practice of Differential Privacy (TPDP), 2023

New Lower Bounds for Private Estimation and a Generalized Fingerprinting Lemma

Gautam Kamath, Argyris Mouzakis, Vikrant Singhal

Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS), 2022 Workshop on Theory and Practice of Differential Privacy (TPDP), 2022

A Private and Computationally Efficient Estimator for Unbounded Gaus-

sians

Gautam Kamath, Argyris Mouzakis, Vikrant Singhal, Thomas Steinke, Jonathan Ull-

man

Conference on Learning Theory (COLT), 2022

Workshop on Theory and Practice of Differential Privacy (TPDP), 2022

Research Intern, University of Cambridge (Summer 2023)

EXPERIENCE Mentors: Po-Ling Loh, Varun Jog

Research Intern, Max Plank Institute for Informatics (Summer 2020)

Mentors: Vasileios Nakos, Themis Gouleakis

Honors and Awards Onassis Foundation Scholarship for PhD Students (Onassis Foundation, awarded Sept. 2023 - Dec. 2025)

Cheriton Graduate Scholarship for Incoming Students (University of Waterloo, awarded Sept. 2020 - Aug. 2022)

Third Prize in the International Mathematics Competition for University Students (IMC, 2019)

Bronze Medal in the South Eastern European Mathematical Olympiad for University Students (SEEMOUS, 2015)

Distinctions in the Panhellenic Physics Competition (ranked 19th, 31st and 23rd respectively, 2012 - 2014)

Bronze Medals in the Greek Mathematical Olympiad (2011, 2014)

Runner-up for the Junior Balkan Mathematical Olympiad (2011 - tied in positions 8 - 10 in the selection process for the Greek team)

TEACHING EXPERIENCE At the University of Waterloo:

CS480: Introduction to Machine Learning (Fall 2023, Spring 2024)

CS370: Numerical Computation (Winter 2023)

CS341: Algorithms (Fall 2022, Winter 2024)

CS245: Logic and Computation (Spring 2022, 2023)

CS246: Object-Oriented Software Development (Spring 2021, Fall 2021, Winter 2022)

At the National Technical University of Athens

Algorithms & Complexity (Fall 2019)

Computer Programming (Fall 2015 - 2018)

Professional Service Conference Reviewer: AISTATS 2025, ITCS 2025, SODA 2025, COLT 2024, STOC 2024, ITCS 2024, SODA 2024, FOCS 2023, ICML 2022, NeurIPS 2021-2023

Journal Reviewer: JMLR, IEEE Transactions on Information Theory

Organizer: University of Waterloo Algorithms & Complexity Seminar (Winter 2022 - present), Student Seminar (Fall 2021 - Winter 2022)

VOLUNTEERING

 $\bf Moderator$ for the ECE NTUA students' forum and its associated Wikipedia-style project (2016 - 2021)

SKILLS **Programming**: C/C++, Python, Matlab/Octave

Languages: Greek (Native), English (Cambridge C2 Proficiency), French (Sorbonne C2)