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University of Waterloo & McMaster University (jointly)

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Research funding

- 12. **PI** (100%), NSF IIS-1814931, \$349,986 08/15/2018-07/31/2022 Network analysis and anomaly detection via global curvatures
- 11. **PI** (100%), NSF IIS-1160995, \$356,222 09/01/2012–08/31/2017 *Combinatorial Analysis of Biological and Social Networks*
- 10. Co-PI (23%), NSF IIS-1064681, \$954,730 08/01/2011-07/31/2017 Scalable kinship inference in wild populations across years and generations
- 9. PI (50%), NSF DBI-1062328, \$408,140 05/15/2011–12/31/2015 Algorithms and Software for Discovery of Non-sequential Protein Structure Similarities
- 8. PI (34%), NSF CCF-1216096, \$200,000 09/01/2012-08/31/2015 Dynamic Parking Assignment Games
- 7. PI (100%), NSF IIS-0346973, \$400,001 4/15/2004–9/30/2010 CAREER: Efficient Algorithms for Computational Problems in Bioinformatics Via Combinatorial and Geometric Techniques
- 6. **Co-PI** (37.5%), NSF DBI-0543365, \$399,602 7/1/2006–6/30/2010 Bioinformatics Tools Enabling Large-Scale DNA Barcoding
- 5. **Co-PI** (25%), NSF IIS-0610244, \$608,205 7/1/2006–6/30/2010 Computational Methods for Kinship Reconstruction
- 4. PI (100%), NSF CCR-9800086/0296041/0220502, \$127,484 8/15/1998–7/31/2004 A proposal for Research on Computing with Neural Models of Computation
- 3. PI (100%), NSF CNS-0206795, \$99,960 8/15/2002-8/31/2005 Piecewise Linear Hybrid Systems
- 2. PI (100%), NSF CCF-0208749, \$144,131 9/1/2002–12/31/2005 Efficient Combinatorial Algorithms for Several Tiling, Packing and Covering Problems With Rectangles and Hyper-rectangles
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 Designing Efficient Algorithms For Computing Distances Between Evolutionary Trees or Genome Sequences Computational Molecular Biology

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Keynote and invited talks

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- ▶ (keynote) **B. DasGupta**, Models and Algorithmic Tools for Computational Processes in Cellular Biology: Recent Developments and Future Directions, in *International Symposium on Bioinformatics Research and Applications* **LNBI 7292**, L. Bleris *et al.* (eds.), 84-86, Springer (2012)

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- 1. P. Berman, **B. DasGupta** and J. Liang (eds.), Foreword to the special issue on Algorithmica Methodologies for Processing Protein Structures, Sequences, and Networks. *Algorithmica* **48** (4), pp. 301 (2007)

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- 67. **B. DasGupta**, M. V. Janardhanan and F. Yahyanejad, Why did the shape of your network change? (On detecting network anomalies via non-local curvatures), *Algorithmica* **82**(7), 1741-1783 (2020)
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- 64. **B. DasGupta**, N. Mobasheri and I. G. Yero, On analyzing and evaluating privacy measures for social networks under active attack. *Information Sciences* 473, 87-100 (2019)
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- 62. **B. DasGupta**, M. Karpinski, N. Mobasheri and F. Yahyanejad, Effect of Gromov-hyperbolicity Parameter on Cuts and Expansions in Graphs and Some Algorithmic Implications. *Algorithmica* **80**(2), 772-800 (2018)
- 61. **B. DasGupta** and N. Mobasheri, On optimal approximability results for computing the strong metric dimension. *Discrete Applied Mathematics* **221**, 18-24 (2017)
- 60. A. D. M. Gunawan, **B. DasGupta** and L. Zhang, A Decomposition Theorem and Two Algorithms for Reticulation-Visible Networks, *Information and Computation* **252**, 161-175 (2017)
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- B. DasGupta and L. Kaligounder, On Global Stability of Financial Networks. *Journal of Complex Networks* 2(3), 313-354 (2014)
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- 41. K. Apichonbancha, B. Dasgupta, J. Jun, I. Mandoiu and E. Mendonca, A review of the Primer Approximation Multiplex PCR technique for detecting large-scale cancer genome lesions. *Current Bioinformatics* 4(1), 1-7 (2009)
- 40. R. Albert, **B. DasGupta**, R. Dondi and E. D. Sontag, Inferring (Biological) Signal Transduction Networks via Transitive Reductions of Directed Graphs. *Algorithmica* 51(2), 129-159 (2008)
- 39. S. Kachalo, R. Zhang, E. D. Sontag, R. Albert and **B. DasGupta**, NET-SYNTHESIS: A software for synthesis, inference and simplification of signal transduction networks. *Bioinformatics* 24(2), 293-295 (2008)

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- 37. J. Dundas, T.A. Binkowski, **B. DasGupta** and J. Liang, Topology Independent Protein Structural Alignment. *BMC Bioinformatics* **8**, 388 (2007)
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- 22. **B. DasGupta**, K. Konwar, I. Mandoiu and A. Shvartsman, DNA-BAR: Distinguisher Selection for DNA Barcoding. *Bioinformatics* 21(16), 3424-2426 (2005)
- 21. **B. DasGupta** and B. Hammer, On Approximate Learning by Multi-layered Feedforward Circuits. *Theoretical Computer Science* **348**(1), 95-127 (2005)
- 20. P. Berman, P. Bertone, B. DasGupta, M. Gerstein, M.-Y. Kao and M. Snyder, Fast Optimal Genome Tiling with Applications to Microarray Design and Homology Search. *Journal of Computational Biology* 11(4), 766-785 (2004)
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- FIN-STAB an interactive software for shock simulator for financial networks
- DNA-BAR Distinguisher Selection for Robust DNA Barcoding
- Software for decomposing a biological network into monotone subsystems
- **NET-SYNTHESIS** a software for synthesis of biological signal transduction networks from indirect experimental evidences
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- CPalign Software and web server for topology independent protein structural alignment
- Software for causal network inference via set-covering method

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Semester & Year			Course number and title	Enrollment	Overs comparisons	
F Fall S Spring		Fall Spring			Teaching effectiveness	Teaching quality
	F	2024	CS 301: Languages and Automata	146		
	S	2024	CS 401: Computer Algorithms I	92	4.28	4.36
	F	2023	CS 506: Introduction to Quantum Computing	33	4.57	4.52
	F	2023	CS 401: Computer Algorithms I	85	4.38	4.37
	S	2023	CS 401: Computer Algorithms I	69	4.70	4.74
	F	2022	CS 506: Introduction to Quantum Computing	32	4.86	4. 77
	F	2022	CS 401: Computer Algorithms I	60	4.67	4.72
	S	2022	CS 301: Languages and Automata	56	4.33	4.13
	F	2021	CS 502: Design and Analysis of Efficient Algorithms	29	4.80	4.50
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Semester & Year		Course 1	number and title	Enrollment	Overa comparisons	
F S	Fall Spring				Teaching effectiveness	Teaching quality
			in Computational Molecular Biology			
F	F 2021	CS 401:	Computer Algorithms I	68	4.38	4.61
S	S 2021	CS 506:	Introduction to Quantum Computing	34	4.30	4.30
F	F 2020	CS 503:	Applied Graph Theory	31	4.75	4.78
S	S 2020	CS 594:	Randomized Techniques for Designing Algorithms and Proving Lower Bounds	25	4.67	4.71
S	S 2020	CS 506:	Introduction to Quantum Computing	32	4.52	4.59
F	F 2019	CS 501:	Computer Algorithms II	30	4.59	4.59
S	S 2019	CS 506:	Introduction to Quantum Computing	32	4.70	4.50
S	S 2019	CS 401:	Computer Algorithms I	102	4.32	4.29
F	F 2018	CS 501:	Computer Algorithms II	29	4.57	4.48
S	S 2018	CS 506:	Introduction to Quantum Computing	21	4.25	4.19
S	S 2018	CS 401:	Computer Algorithms I	108	3.94	3.81
F	F 2017	CS 301:	Languages and Automata	166	4.18	4.03
S	S 2017	CS 594:	Introduction to Quantum Computing	30	4.39	4.30
F	F 2016	CS 401:	Computer Algorithms I	50	4.25	4.25
F	F 2016	CS 151:	Mathematical Foundations of Computing	183	3.78	3.69
S	S 2016	CS 501:	Computer Algorithms II	34	4.68	4.70
F	F 2015		Sabbatical leave			
S	S 2015	CS 501:	Computer Algorithms II	24	4.31	4.31
S	S 2015	CS 502:	Design and Analysis of Efficient Algorithms in Computational Molecular Biology	30	4.31	4.25
F	F 2014	CS 501:	Computer Algorithms II	30	4.33	4.29
S	S 2014	CS 502:	Design and Analysis of Efficient Algorithms in Computational Molecular Biology	26	4.70	4.26
S	S 2014	CS 501:	Computer Algorithms II	28	4.37	4.32
F	F 2013	CS 501:	Computer Algorithms II	30	4.60	4.32
S	S 2013	CS 502:	Design and Analysis of Efficient Algorithms in Computational Molecular Biology	28	4.45	4.74
F	F 2012	CS 401:	Computer Algorithms I	66	3.85	3.98
	F 2012		Computer Algorithms II	28	4.13	4.19
	S 2012		Design and Analysis of Efficient Algorithms in Computational Molecular Biology	26	4.50	4.30
S	S 2012	CS 501:	Computer Algorithms II	28	4.35	4.43
F	F 2011	CS 501:	Computer Algorithms II	30	4.33	4.70
S	S 2011		Computer Algorithms I	45	4.23	4.47
F	F 2010		Computer Algorithms I	47	4.05	4.38
F	F 2010	CS 501:	Computer Algorithms II	32	3.80	4.00
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F S	Fall Spring				Teaching effectiveness	Teaching quality
S	2010	Č	lysis of Efficient Algorithms al Molecular Biology	29	4.54	4.69
F	2009	CS 501: Computer Algori	ithms II	28	4.28	4.45
F	2009	CS 301: Languages and A	Automata	36	4.39	4.78
S	2009		Sabbatical leave			
F	2008		Sabbatical leave			
S	2008	· ·	lysis of Efficient Algorithms al Molecular Biology	10	4.00	4.50
F	2007	CS 301: Languages and A	Automata	35	4.45	4.55
F	2007	CS 201: Discrete Structur	res I	59	3.62	4.03
S	2007	CS 401: Computer Algori	ithms I	19	3.93	3.93
S	2007	O	lysis of Efficient Algorithms al Molecular Biology	19	4.39	4.72
F	2006	CS 501: Computer Algori	<u> </u>	24	4.59	4.71
S	2006	CS 201: Discrete Structur	res I	39	3.45	3.82
F	2005	CS 201: Discrete Structur	res I	38	3.94	4.06
F	2004	CS 401: Computer Algori	ithms I	30	4.41	4.63
F	2004	CS 501: Computer Algori	ithms II	22	4.71	4.76
S	2004	- C	lysis of Efficient Algorithms al Molecular Biology	27	4.20	4.32
F	2003	CS 401: Computer Algori	ithms I	32	3.94	4.00
S	2003	CS 501: Computer Algori	ithms II	20	4.41	4.59
F	2002	CS 401: Computer Algori	ithms I	53	3.89	4.18
S	2002	CS 594: Introduction to (Computational Molecular Biology	34	4.21	4.38
F	2001	CS 401: Computer Algori	ithms I	60	3.86	4.14

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Semester & Year			Overall comparisons (Max=5)			
F Fall			Teaching e	valuation	Course qu	ıality
S Spring			instructor	dept.	instructor	dept.
Su Summ	er Course title	Enrollment	1	mean		mean
S 2001	Introduction to Computer Science using C++	50	4.55	4.20	4.30	4.10
F 2000	Design and Analysis of Algorithms	27	4.00	3.86	3.95	3.85
F 2000	Introduction to Computer Science using C++ (Section 1)	35	3.79	3.86	3.63	3.85
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Semester & Year			Overall	compar	isons (Max	x=5)
F Fall			Teaching e	valuatio	n Course o	quality
S Spring			instructor	dept.	instructo	r dept.
Su Summ	er Course title	Enrollment	i .	mean		mean
F 2000	Introduction to Computer Science using C++ (Section 2)	31	3.53	3.86	3.56	3.85
S 2000	Design and Analysis of Algorithms	32	3.88	4.02	3.80	3.93
S 2000	Senior Design Project	3	_	_	_	_
F 1999	Sabbatio	cal leave				
S 1999	Design and Analysis of Algorithms	17	4.18	4.12	4.20	4.09
S 1999	Computer Organization and Assembly Language	38	3.48	4.12	3.45	4.09
F 1998	Design and Analysis of Algorithms	30	_	_	_	_
F 1998	Introduction to Unix O/S	11	4.13	4.09	4.14	4.04
F 1998	Introduction to Programming Methods Using FORTRAN	/ 11	4.60	4.09	4.20	4.04
Su 1998	Advanced C and Unix	14	3.57	4.15	3.43	3.98
Su 1998	Introduction to Programming Using C	30	_	_	_	_
S 1998	Introduction to Programming Methods Using FORTRAN	<i>I</i> 26	3.40	3.89	3.20	3.86
S 1998	Advanced C and Unix	35	_	_	_	_
F 1997	Introduction to Programming Methods Using FORTRAN	<i>I</i> 10	_	_	_	_
F 1997	Design and Analysis of Algorithms	25	_	_	_	_
F 1997	Data Structures	35	_	_	_	_
Su 1997	Advanced C and Unix	13	4.30	4.17	4.20	4.10
Su 1997	Introduction to Programming Using C	24	4.08	4.17	4.13	4.10
S 1997	Design and Analysis of Algorithms	33	4.26	3.81	3.84	3.72
S 1997	Introduction to Programming Using C	43	3.85	3.81	3.80	3.72
S 1997	Introduction to Programming Methods Using FORTRAN	29	3.77	3.81	3.77	3.72
F 1996	Introduction to Computer Science using C (Section 1)	34	3.44	4.05	3.28	3.97
F 1996	Introduction to Computer Science using C (Section 40)	15	3.92	4.06	4.00	3.97

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8. Area editor, Encyclopedia of Algorithms, 2nd edition, Springer	
7. Member of editorial board, New Journal of Science	05/2013-07/2017
6. Member of editorial board , <i>International Journal of Data Mining and Bioinformatics</i>	09/2009–12/2018

- 5. Associate editor, IEEE Transactions on Neural Networks 07/2009–12/2010
- 4. Member of editorial board, Theoretical Biology Insights 03/2008-03/2015
- 3. **Guest editor** (with H. Al-Mubaid and F. Saeed) of a special issue of Journal of Bioinformatics and Computational Biology
- 2. **Guest editor** (with H. Al-Mubaid and F. Saeed) of a special issue of Journal of Bioinformatics and Computational Biology
- 1. Guest editor (with P. Berman and J. Liang) of a special issue of Algorithmica 08/2007

Services Outreach

Workshop organizer

▶ (with J. Liang) DIMACS Workshop on Information Processing by Protein Structures in Molecular Recognition (2005)

Conference Chair (reverse chronological order)

- Workshop co-Chair, 8th ACM Conference on Bioinformatics, Computational Biology & Health Informatics (2017)
- 14. **Program Co-Chair**, 6th International Conference on Bioinformatics & Computational Biology (2014)
- 13. **Best Student Paper Competition Chair**, IEEE World Congress on Computational Intelligence (2014)
- 12. **Organizing Committee co-Chair**, International Conference on Brain Inspired Cognitive Systems (2013)
- 11. **Program Co-Chair**, $5^{\rm th}$ International Conference on Bioinformatics & Computational Biology (2013)
- 10. Plenary Sessions co-Chair, 9th International Symposium on Neural Networks (2012)
- 9. Program co-Chair, International Symposium on Neural Networks (2011)
- 8. Co-Chair of Cross-Cutting Computational Methods & Bioinformatics Infrastructure track, IEEE International Conference on Bioinformatics & Biomedicine (2009)
- 7. Finance Chair, IEEE/INFORMS International Conference on Service Operations, Logistics & Informatics (2009)
- 6. Workshop co-Chair, $9^{\rm th}$ IEEE International Conference on Bioinformatics & Bioengineering (2009)
- 5. Finance chair, IEEE International Conference on Networking, Sensing & Control (2008)
- 4. Registration co-Chair, 4th International Symposium on Neural Networks (2007)
- 3. Co-Chair of Algorithm & software system for bioinformatics technical track of the Computational Biology & Bioinformatics theme, 28th International Conference of IEEE Engineering in Medicine & Biology Society (2006)
- 2. Co-Chair of Algorithm & software system for bioinformatics technical track of the Computational Biology & Bioinformatics theme, 27th International Conference of IEEE Engineering in Medicine & Biology Society (2005)
- 1. Co-Chair of Algorithm & software system for bioinformatics technical track of the Computational Biology & Bioinformatics theme, $26^{\rm th}$ International Conference of IEEE Engineering in Medicine & Biology Society (2004)

Workshop advisory board

▶ International Workshop on ANN & Elusive Machine Intelligence (2010)

Tutorial for students

► Tutorial on **Systems Biology** to selected undergraduate and graduate students in 5th

International Summer School on Biocomplexity from System to Gene 06/2005

Conference program committee membership (reverse chronological order)

- 117. 30th International Computing & Combinatorics Conference (2024)
- 116. 18th Annual Conference on Theory and Applications of Models of Computation (2024)
- 115. 29^{th} International Conference on Computing & Combinatorics (2023)
- 114. 16th Workshop on Biomedical & Bioinformatics Challenges for Computer Science (2023)
- 113. 15th Great Lakes Bioinformatics conference (2023)
- 112. 28th International Conference on Computing & Combinatorics (2022)
- 111. 15th Workshop on Biomedical & Bioinformatics Challenges for Computer Science (2022)
- 110. 9th International Work-Conference on Bioinformatics & Biomedical Engineering (2022)
- 109. 15th International Conference on Algorithmic Aspects in Information & Management (2021)
- 108. 10th International Conference on Complex Networks and their Applications (2021)
- 107. 15th International Conference on Combinatorial Optimization & Applications (2021)
- 106. $1^{\rm st}$ International Applied Bioinformatics Conference (2021)
- 105. 14th Great Lakes Bioinformatics conference (2021)
- 104. 14^{th} International Conference on Combinatorial Optimization & Applications (2020)
- 103. 26^{th} International Conference on Computing & Combinatorics (2020)
- 102. 9^{th} International Conference on Complex Networks and their Applications (2020)
- 101. International Conference on Computational Science (2020)
- 100. 46th International Conference on Current Trends in Theory & Practice of Computer Science (2020)
- 99. 8th International Conference on Complex Networks and their Applications (2019)
- 98. Foundations of Algorithmic Computational Biology track, 46th International Conference on Current Trends in Theory and Practice of Computer Science (2019)
- 97. IEEE International Conference on Bioinformatics & Biomedicine (2019)
- 96. 7th International Work-Conference on Bioinformatics & Biomedical Engineering (2019)
- 95. International Conference on Computational Science (2019)
- 94. Great Lakes Bioinformatics Conference (2019)
- 93. 10th International Workshop on Biological Knowledge Discovery from Big Data (2019)
- 92. Distributed Algorithms and Theory track, 39th IEEE International Conference on Distributed Computing System (2019)
- 91. 25th International Conference on Computing & Combinatorics (2019)
- 90. 13th International Conference on Algorithmic Aspects in Information & Management (2018)
- 89. IEEE International Conference on Bioinformatics & Biomedicine (2018)

- 88. 7th International Conference on Complex Networks and their Applications (2018)
- 87. $6^{\rm th}$ International Work-Conference on Bioinformatics & Biomedical Engineering (2018)
- 86. 11th Workshop on Biomedical & Bioinformatics Challenges for Computer Science (2018)
- 85. 24th International Conference on Computing & Combinatorics (2018)
- 84. 29th International Workshop on Combinatorial Algorithms (2018)
- 83. IEEE International Conference on Bioinformatics & Biomedicine (2017)
- 82. 9th International Conference on Social Informatics (2017)
- 81. 6th International Conference on Complex Networks and their Applications (2017)
- 80. International School and Conference on Network Science (2017)
- 79. 8th International Workshop on Biological Knowledge Discovery & Data Mining (2017)
- 78. 5th International Work-Conference on Bioinformatics & Biomedical Engineering (2017)
- 77. 7th ACM Conference on Bioinformatics, Computational Biology & Health Informatics (2016)
- 76. IEEE International Conference on Bioinformatics & Biomedicine (2016)
- 75. 10th International Conference on Combinatorial Optimization & Applications (2016)
- 74. 7th International Workshop on Biological Knowledge Discovery & Data Mining (2016)
- 73. 22nd International Conference on Computing & Combinatorics (2016)
- 72. 11th International Conference on Algorithmic Aspects in Information & Management (2016)
- 71. IEEE Symposium on Foundations of Computational Intelligence (2015)
- 70. 9th International Conference on Combinatorial Optimization & Applications (2015)
- 69. IEEE International Conference on Bioinformatics & Biomedicine (2015)
- 68. 6th International Workshop on Biological Knowledge Discovery & Data Mining (2015)
- 67. 8th Workshop on Biomedical & Bioinformatics Challenges for Computer Science (2015)
- 66. 8th International Conference on Combinatorial Optimization & Applications (2014)
- 65. IEEE International Conference on Bioinformatics & Biomedicine (2014)
- 64. 4th IEEE International Conference on Computational Advances in Bio & medical Sciences (2014)
- 63. 20th International Computing & Combinatorics Conference (2014)
- 62. 1st International Conference on Algorithms for Computational Biology (2014)
- 61. International Conference on Applied Algorithms (2014)
- 60. IEEE International Conference on Bioinformatics & Biomedicine (2013)
- 59. 7th International Conference on Combinatorial Optimization & Applications (2013)
- 58. 11th Brazilian Congress on Computational Intelligence & 1st BRICS School on Computational Intelligence (2013)
- 57. 3rd IEEE International Conference on Computational Advances in Bio & medical Sciences (2013)
- 56. Protein Structure & Function area, $21^{\rm st}$ International Conference on Intelligent Systems for Molecular Biology & $12^{\rm th}$ European Conference on Computational Biology (2013)
- 55. IASTED International Conference on Advances in Computer Science & Engineering (2013)

- 54. 23rd International Conference on Genome Informatics (2012)
- 53. International Symposium on Network Enabled Health Informatics, Biomedicine & Bioinformatics (2012)
- 52. 23rd International Symposium on Algorithms & Computation (2012)
- 51. IEEE International Conference on Bioinformatics & Biomedicine (2012)
- 50. 8th International Symposium on Bioinformatics Research & Applications (2012)
- 49. International Conference on Networking Sensing & Control (2012)
- 48. 7th IASTED International Conference on Advances in Computer Science & Engineering (2012)
- 47. $4^{\rm th}$ International Conference on Bioinformatics & Computational Biology (2012)
- 46. 2nd IEEE International Conference on Computational Advances in Bio & Medical Sciences (2012)
- 45. Foundations of Computer Science track, $38^{\rm th}$ International Conference on Current Trends in Theory & Practice of Computer Science (2012)
- 44. IEEE International Conference on Bioinformatics & Biomedicine (2011)
- 43. 5th International Conference on Combinatorial Optimization & Applications (2011)
- 42. 6th International Conference on Future Information Technology (2011)
- 41. 7th International Conference on Algorithmic Aspects in Information & Management (2011)
- 40. $7^{\rm th}$ International Symposium on Bioinformatics Research & Applications (2011)
- 39. $3^{\rm rd}$ International Conference on Bioinformatics & Computational Biology (2011)
- 38. IEEE/ICNSC International Conference on Networking Sensing & Control (2011)
- 37. IEEE Symposium on Foundations of Computational Intelligence (2011)
- 36. 10th Workshop on Algorithms in Bioinformatics (2010)
- 35. IEEE International Conference on Bioinformatics & Biomedicine (2010)
- 34. 8th International Bioinformatics Workshop (2010)
- 33. $6^{\rm th}$ International Symposium on Bioinformatics Research & Applications (2010)
- 32. Algorithms & Bioinformatics Track, ACS/IEEE International Conference on Computer Systems & Applications (2010)
- 31. Bioinformatics & Bio-Inspired Computing track, FutureTech (2010)
- 30. IEEE International Conference of Networking, Sensing & Control (2010)
- 29. $2^{\rm nd}$ International Conference on Bioinformatics & Computational Biology (2010)
- 28. IASTED International Conference on Advances in Computer Science & Engineering (2010)
- 27. $20^{\rm th}$ International Symposium on Algorithms & Computation (2009)
- 26. 20th International Conference on Genome Informatics (2009)
- 25. 5th International Symposium on Bioinformatics Research & Applications (2009)
- 24. 3rd International Frontiers of Algorithmics Workshop (2009)
- 23. 8th Computational Systems Bioinformatics Conference (2009)
- 22. $15^{\rm th}$ International Conference on Computing & Combinatorics (2009)
- 21. $1^{\rm st}$ International Conference on Bioinformatics & Computational Biology (2009)

- 20. IASTED International Conference on Computational Biology & Bioinformatics (2008)
- 19. 19th International Conference on Genome Informatics (2008)
- 18. IEEE International Conference on Bioinformatics & Biomedicine (2008)
- 17. International Conference on Wireless Algorithms, Systems & Application (2008)
- 16. 4th International Symposium on Bioinformatics Research & Applications (2008)
- 15. 2nd International Frontiers of Algorithmics Workshop (2008)
- 14. 3rd International Conference on Algorithmic Aspects in Information & Management (2007)
- 13. International Symposium on Bioinformatics Research & Applications (2007)
- 12. IEEE International Conference On Networking, Sensing & Control (2007)
- 11. IASTED International Conference on Computational & Systems Biology (2006)
- 10. 18th IEEE International Conference on Tools with Artificial Intelligence (2006)
- 9. 2nd International Workshop on Bioinformatics Research & Applications (2006)
- 8. IEEE International Conference on Networking, Sensing & Control (2006)
- 7. 4th Asia Pacific Bioinformatics Conference (2006)
- 6. 17th IEEE International Conference on Tools with Artificial Intelligence (2005)
- 5. Intelligent Systems in Design & Manufacturing VI (2005)
- 4. 11th International Computing & Combinatorics Conference (2005)
- 3. International Workshop on Bioinformatics Research & Applications (2005)
- 2. 16th IEEE International Conference on Tools with Artificial Intelligence (2004)
- 1. 2nd International Workshop on Biological Data Management (2004)

Local organizing committee

► ACM Symposium on Theory of Computing (2004)

NIH study section involvement

- ► NIH study section *Small Business: Computational, Modeling, and Biodata Management* [IMST(14)]
- ▶ NIH study section *Biomedical Computing and Health Informatics* [BCHI]

Other review panel activities

- ► Reviewer for many NSF panels
- ► Reviewer for the European Commission

Selected Invited Presentations

Keynote speech

► Models and Algorithmic Tools for Computational Processes in Cellular Biology: Recent Developments and Future Directions, International Symposium on Bioinformatics Research & Applications, Dallas, TX

05/2012

Other presentations

- 34. Removing partisan bias in redistricting: computational complexity meets the science of gerrymandering
 - ► Combinatorics and Complexity Seminar, Department of Mathematics, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA 12/2020
- 33. On the Computational Complexities of Three Privacy Measures for Large Networks

	Under Active Attack	
	▶ 9 th Slovenian Conference on Graph Theory, Bled, Slovenia	06/2019
32.	Synthesis, Simplification and Analysis of Biological Networks Using High Topological Connectivities	ner Order
	 Network biology workshop, Simons Institute for the Theory of Compu Berkeley, Berkeley, CA 	o4/2016
31.	On optimal approximability results for computing the strong metric dimens	ion
	 Minisymposium on metric dimension and related parameters, 8th Sloven national Conference on Graph Theory, Kranjska Gora, Slovenia 	nian Inter- 06/2015
30.	Topological implications of negative curvature for biological networks	
	► Protein Network Workshop, National University of Singapore,	
	Singapore	06/2015
	➤ 2018 IEEE 8 th International Conference on Computational Advances in Bio and medical Sciences, Dallas, TX	10/2018
29.	Topological implications of negative curvature for biological and social netw	orks
	► Applied Mathematics and Computational Science, University of Pen	•
	Philadelphia, PA	10/2014
	Department of Physics, Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Physics, Phys	-
20	► Lewis-Sanger Institute for Integrative Genomics, Princeton University, N	J 12/2014
28.	On Measuring and Evaluating Global Stability of Financial Networks	
	 Department of Computer Science, Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago, IL 	04/2013
	► DIMACS/CS Light Seminar, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ	10/2014
27.	Models and Algorithmic Tools for Computational Processes in Cellular Biolog Developments and Future Directions	y: Recent
	► Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, China	07/2012
	► Northwestern Polytechnical University, Xi'an, China	07/2012
26.	Global Stability of Banking Networks Against Financial Contagion: Measure tions and Implications	es, Evalua-
	 Annual Meeting of the Canadian Applied and Industrial Mathematic Toronto, Canada 	cs Society, 06/2012
25	Synthesizing and Simplifying Biological Networks from Pathway Level Information	
2).	► SIAM Conference on Applications of Dynamical Systems, Utah	05/2011
	► IEEE International Conference on Bioinformatics & Biomedicine, W	_
	D.C.	11/2009
	► Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA	10/2009
	University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA	03/2009
24.	On approximating quadratic optimization problems in modularity cluster	ering and

stochastic budget optimization

	 Workshop in Graph Theory and Combinatorics in memory of Uri Pele ment of Mathematics, Statistics and Computer Science, University of 	-
	Chicago	02/2010
23.	Transitive reduction problems on graphs and Horn formula optimization pr	oblems
	▶ Johann Wolfgang Goethe-Universität Frankfurt, Germany	06/2009
	➤ Columbia University, New York	04/2009
	► DIMACS/CS Light Seminar, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ	12/2008
22.	Signal Transduction Network Inference from Double Causal Experimental	
	► INFORMS Annual meeting, Washington D.C.	10/2008
	► Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago, IL	10/2007
	► Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA	07/2007
21.	Randomized approximations for offline and online set-multicover problems	
	► University of Maryland, College Park, MD	10/2008
	► Universität Bonn, Bonn, Germany	01/2008
	► Toyota Technological Institute at Chicago, Chicago, IL	03/2006
20.	Synthesizing and Minimizing Signal Transduction (and Social) Networks	
	► DyDAn Homeland Security Seminar, Rutgers University,	
	New Brunswick, NJ	10/2008
	 Mount Sinai School of Medicine, New York 	09/2008
	Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ	09/2008
19.	Approximating Four Covering & Packing Problems with applications to Bioin	nformatics
	► University of Toronto, Toronto, Canada	07/2008
	► University of Waterloo, Waterloo, Canada	07/2008
18.	Reverse Engineering of Networks Via the Modular Response Analysis Meth	od
	► Networks: Biological, Social and Internet Workshop, SIAM Annual	
	Meeting, San Diego, CA	07/2008
17.	A Novel Method for Signal Transduction Network Inference from Indirect Exp	perimental
	Evidence	
	▶ 1 st Bertinoro Systems Biology Meeting, Italy	05/2007
	► DIMACS Workshop on Discrete Mathematical Problems in Computation	
	edicine, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ	04/2007
	 Università Degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca, Italy 	05/2007
16.	Randomized Approximation Algorithms for Set Multicover Problems with Ap to Reverse Engineering of Protein and Gene Networks	plications
	► Minisymposium on Identifiability and Inference in Biochemical Pathw	ays, SIAM
	Conference on Life Sciences, Montreal, Canada	08/2006
	► Symposium on Computational Science of Biomolecules: Applications in	Medicine
	and Therapeutics, University of Illinois at Chicago	10/2004
15.	Grouped String Barcoding and related problems	

	▶ DIMACS Workshop on Combinatorial Group Testing, Rutgers Un	iversity, New
	Brunswick, NJ	05/2006
14.	Inferring (Biological) Signal Transduction Networks via Transitive Redu	ctions of Di-
	rected Graphs	
	University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT	04/2006
13.	On Approximate Consistent Labeling of Biological Dynamical Systems	
	► IEEE-EMBC Satellite Symposium on Bioinformatics and Computati	onal Biology,
	Shanghai, China	08/2005
12.	Several Geometric Tiling and Packing Problems with Applications	
	University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA	11/2004
	University of Wisconsin at Milwaukee, WI	09/2003
	► Pennsylvania State University, University Park, PA	02/2003
11.	Several Geometric Tiling and Packing Problem With Applications To Norlocal alignments, DNA microarray designs and Homology Searches	noverlapping
	► Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago, IL	11/2002
10.	Algorithmic Problems Related to Sequences and Phylogentic Trees	
	► UIC-UIUC Symposium on Bioinformatics in Medicine and Biology	,
	Chicago, IL	04/2002
9.	Throughput Maximization Problems in Real-time Scheduling	
	University of Osnabrück, Germany	11/2000
	► Yale University, New Haven, CT	01/2000
8.	On Approximate Learning by Multi-layered Feedforward Circuits	
	► NeuroCOLT Workshop on New Perspectives in the Theory of Neura	al Nets, Graz,
	Austria	05/2000
7.	On Computing Distances Between Evolutionary Trees	
	▶ DIMACS Workshop on Discrete Mathematical Problems and Medical	Applications,
	Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ	12/1999
	▶ DIMACS Workshop on Computational Biology as part of the $50^{\rm th}$	Anniversary
	for ENIAC, Princeton University, NJ	05/1996
6.	Provably Good Algorithms for Transmission Scheduling in WDM Optica	al Networks
	University of Waterloo, Waterloo, Canada	07/1999
5.	Complexity of Algorithms (in Segmented-Channel Routing)	
	► CALCE Electronic Packaging Research Center, University of Maryl	and, College
	Park, MD	09/1995
4.	Analog versus Discrete Neural Networks	
	► McMaster University, Hamilton, Canada	06/1995
	► IIT Kharagpur, India	04/1995
3.	Approximation & Learning by Neural Networks with Continuous Activation	on Functions

▶ Workshop in Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems 6,

Vail, CO 12/1993

2. Approximation by Neural Networks

► Workshop in Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems 4, Vail, CO

12/1991

1. Segmented-Channel Routing Problems

▶ Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN

07/1993

Students supervised at UIC

Doctoral students (reverse chronological order)

► Nasibeh Heshmati Molaei

continuing

► Katie Kruzan (MCS PhD student)

continuing

► Nazanin Azarhooshang

12/2024

- Thesis title: Exploring Ricci Curvature and Ricci Flow in Social and Biological Graphs and Hypergraphs
- ► Prithviraj Sengupta

10/2024

- Thesis title: Ricci Curvature and Ricci Flow for Graphs and Hypergraphs

► Tanima Chatterjee

03/2021

- Thesis title: Two Novel Network Measures and their applications with a case study on ADHD for Human Brain Networks
- Recipient of best student oral presentation award for the Computer Science Division at the 109th annual meeting of the Illinois State Academy of Science (03/31/2017–04/01/2017) based on her oral presentation On the Computational Complexities of Three Privacy Measures for Large Networks Under Active Attack
- ► Farzane Yahyanejad

02/2019

- Thesis title: Curvature Analysis in Complex Networks: Theory and Application
- Recipient of best student poster award for the Computer Science Division at the 109th annual meeting of the Illinois State Academy of Science (03/31/2017–04/01/2017) based on her poster Effect of Gromov-Hyperbolicity Parameter on Cuts and Expansions in Graphs and Some Algorithmic Implications
- ▶ Nasim Mobasheri

07/2018

- Thesis title: Geodesic-Based Properties in Complex Networks
- Recipient of the annual *Fifty for the Future* award by the Illinois Technology Foundation (2018)
- ► Venkatkumar Srinivasan

04/2017

- Thesis title: Analysis of Privacy Measures for Multi-Agent and Networked Systems
- ► Lakshmi Kaligounder

04/2014

- Thesis title: Global Stability of Financial Networks: Measures, Evaluations and Policy Implications
- Recipient of best student poster award for the Computer Science Division at the 105th annual meeting of the Illinois State Academy of Science (04/05/2013–04/06/2013) based on her poster *On the Stability of Banking Networks*

Master's thesis (reverse chronological order)

► Laura Palmieri Spring 2018

- Thesis title: An Algorithmic Approach to Redraw US Gerrymandered District Boundaries by Minimizing Wasted Votes
- Recipient of best student oral presentation award for the Computer Science Division at the 111th annual meeting of the Illinois State Academy of Science (04/13/2018–04/14/2018) based on her oral presentation Alleviating Partisan Gerrymandering: Can Math and Computers Help to Eliminate Wasted Votes?
- ► Santhoshi Jagadeeshan

Fall 2007

- Thesis title: Implementation of an Efficient Algorithm for Inferring Haplotype Configuration on Pedigrees
- ➤ Paolo Beretta Spring 2007
 - Thesis title: Model Driven Developments of Applications Based on Active Objects
- ► Tanu Garg Summer 2007
 - Thesis title: Experimental evaluation of an algorithm in reverse engineering of biological networks
- ► Haripriya Rajamani

Spring 2006

- Thesis title: A Survey of the Protein Folding and the Inverse Protein Folding Problems
- Sergio Ferrarini

Spring 2005

- Thesis title: Inapproximability Results for the Lateral Gene Transfer Problem
- ► Tanuja Bompada

Fall 2004

- Thesis title: CHISEL: Data Mining Tool for Clustering and Classification of Protein **Functions**
- ▶ Venkatram Vishwanath

Fall 2003

- Thesis title: Efficient Implementations of Combinatorial Algorithms for String Barcoding Problems in Bioinformatics

Master's project (reverse chronological order)

➤ Satabdi Aditya

Spring 2016

- Project title: Network Transitive Reduction Problems and Their Applications To Biological Networks
- Recipient of best student poster award for the Computer Science Division for the 106th annual meeting of the Illinois State Academy of Science (04/25/2014-04/26/2014) based on her poster Algorithmic Perspectives of Network Transitive Reduction Problems and Their Applications to Synthesis and Analysis of Biological Networks
- ► Nihan Tokac Summer 2012
 - Project title: Compressed Graphs with Floyd-Warshall Algorithm
- ► Mounika Mummaneni

Spring 2012

- Project title: Parallel processing for protein structure alignment
- ► Swapna Kolachina

Spring 2012

- Project title: Topology Independent Protein Structural Alignment
- ► Tamar Makatsaria
 - Fall 2011
 - Project title: Models of 3-Dimensional Electrocardiogram

Fall 2011 ► Gowri Sangeetha Sivanathan - Project title: Measure of Topological Redundancy of Networks ► Kedsuda Apichonbancha Fall 2009 - Project title: Transitive Reductions of Networks ► Pavan Maguluri Summer 2008 - Project title: Generalizations and Applications of Secretary Problem ► Vamseedheeras Kanagala Spring 2008 - Project title: Random Variables, Strategies, and Hiring Problems ► Prasanth Goriparthi Spring 2008 - Project title: A Study on Scheduling Problems ► Kunduru Charanjithm Spring 2008 - Project title: The Complexity of Simplex Algorithm for Linear Programming – A survey ▶ Vindhya Vunnam Fall 2006 - Project title: Search Algorithms with Local Sensory Information ► Sharad Choudhury Fall 2006 - Project title: String Barcoding Problem – Analysis ► Nisha Raj Paryani Fall 2006 - Project title: Phylogenetic Networks Fall 2006 ► Manoj Tulala - Project title: A survey on Algorithms for Imprefect Phylogeny Haplotyping (IPPH)

➤ Sushma Dokku Spring 2006

- Project title: Distributed Algorithm for Connected Sensor Cover Problems

► Reem Jaglith (Baridi)

Fall 2004

- Project title: Finding recurrent sources in sequences

► Vinay Kumar Venkatachalapathy

Summer 2003

- Project title: Online Algorithms for Scheduling Packets in Wavelength-Division Multiplexed Optical Networks

► Balaji Gandhi

Spring 2003

- Project title: Transmission Scheduling in Wavelength Division Multiplexed Optical Networks

▶ Vandana Gummuluru

Spring 2003

- Project title: Scheduling Jobs Using the Two Phase Algorithm to Obtain Maximum Throughput

▶ Gowri Venkatesh

Spring 2003

- Project title: Implementation of a Two Phase Algorithm to Improve the Throughput of Off-line Scheduling Problem

Undergraduate project (CS 398)

► Asna M. Khan and Alfonzo Clark

Spring 2011

- Project title: Airline Reservation Systems

Students supervised at Rutgers-Camden

Undergraduate independent study project (reverse chronological order)

► Curtis Saal

Summer 2000 & Fall 2000

- Project title: Implementing algorithms related to binary space partitioning of geometric objects
- ► Joseph Russell

Summer 1999 & Fall 1999

- Project title: Investigating properties of Neural Networks
- Supported by NSF grant CCR-9800086
- ► Valentino Lopez and Mingwei Wang

Fall 1998 & Spring 1999

- Project title: Implementing an algorithm for State Equivalence in Hybrid PL Systems
- Supported by NSF grant CCR-9800086
- ► Antony Donlon

Spring 1998

(past)

- Project title: Studying JAVA

Course and Curriculum development

UIC

- Development of a new graduate-level course with the title *Introduction to Quantum Computing* (CS 506)
- Development of a new graduate-level course with the title *Introduction to Computational Molecular Biology* (CS 502)
- ▶ Participation in the development of a new bioinformatics PhD program in the Bioengineering department

Rutgers-Camden

▶ Participation in the revision of the undergraduate curriculum

▶ Member of the scholastic learning committee

▶ Participation in the development of an anticipated Master's program

Participation in University or Departmental Committees

UIC

OIC.	
▶ Member of the graduate college executive committee	2024–2026
> Member of the departmental promotion and tenure committee	(current)
Chair of the departmental colloquium committee	(current)
> Chair of the departmental bioinformatics faculty search committee	2021-2023
▶ Member of the UIC faculty senate	(past)
> Member of the departmental graduate committee	(past)
▶ Member of the college of engineering executive committee	(past)
> Member of the departmental graduate admissions committee	(past)
> Chair of the departmental Web & Public Relations committee	(past)
> Co-chair of the departmental faculty search committee	2016–2017
Member of the departmental undergraduate committee	(past)
Rutgers-Camden	
> Member of the faculty senate	(past)