# Bishwamittra Ghosh

#### **Research Interests**

My research applies formal methods to machine learning, with a focus on advancing the foundational understanding of large language models and improving the trustworthiness of machine learning systems through enhanced fairness and interpretability.

# **Appointment**

- Since 04.24 **Postdoctoral Researcher**, *Max Planck Institute for Software Systems*, Germany. Advisor: Dr. Krishna P. Gummadi
- 06.23 03.24 **Scientist**, Institute of High Performance Computing (IHPC), A\*STAR, Singapore.
- 01.18 06.23 Graduate Research Assistant, National University of Singapore (NUS), Singapore.

CS2030: Programming Methodology II, 2018 – 2021

CS3243: Introduction to Artificial Intelligence, 2020

10.17 - 01.18 Lecturer, Department of CSE, United International University (UIU), Bangladesh.

#### Education

01.18 – 09.23 **PhD in Computer Science**, *National University of Singapore (NUS)*, Singapore.

Thesis: Interpretability and Fairness in Machine Learning: A Formal Methods Approach

Advisor: Dr. Kuldeep S. Meel

02.13 – 09.17 **BSc in Computer Science and Engineering**, Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology (BUET),

Bangladesh, CGPA: 3.83 out of 4 (with Honours).

Thesis: The Flexible Socio Spatial Group Queries

Advisor: Dr. Mohammed Eunus Ali

### **Publications** (sorted by publication year)

#### **Conference Papers**

- ICLR-25 Logical Consistency of Large Language Models in Fact-checking Bishwamittra Ghosh, Sarah Hasan, Naheed Anjum Arafat, Arijit Khan
- AAAI-25 Active Fourier Auditor for Estimating Distributional Properties of ML Models Ayoub Ajarra, <u>Bishwamittra Ghosh</u>, Debabrota Basu
- WSDM-25 Towards Reliable Latent Knowledge Estimation in LLMs: Zero-Prompt Many-Shot Based Factual Knowledge Extraction

Qinyuan Wu, Mohammad Aflah Khan, Soumi Das, Vedant Nanda, <u>Bishwamittra Ghosh</u>, Camila Kolling, Till Speicher, Laurent Bindschaedler, Krishna P. Gummadi, Evimaria Terzi

- CAI-24 Split Learning of Multi-Modal Medical Image Classification

  <u>Bishwamittra Ghosh</u>, Yuan Wang, Huazhu Fu, Wei Qingsong, Yong Liu, Rick Goh
- FAccT-23 "How Biased are Your Features?": Computing Fairness Influence Functions with Global Sensitivity Analysis Bishwamittra Ghosh, Debabrota Basu, Kuldeep S. Meel
- VLDB-23 Neighborhood-based Hypergraph Core Decomposition Naheed Anjum Arafat, Arijit Khan, Arpit Kumar Rai, <u>Bishwamittra Ghosh</u>
- AAAI-22 Algorithmic Fairness Verification with Graphical Models <u>Bishwamittra Ghosh</u>, Debabrota Basu, Kuldeep S. Meel
- AAAI-21 Justicia: A Stochastic SAT Approach to Formally Verify Fairness Bishwamittra Ghosh, Debabrota Basu, Kuldeep S. Meel
- AAAI-20 A MaxSAT-based Framework for Group Testing
  Lorenzo Ciampiconi, Bishwamittra Ghosh, Jonathan Scarlett, Kuldeep S. Meel

- ECAI-20 Classification Rules in Relaxed Logical Form
  Bishwamittra Ghosh, Dmitry Malioutov, Kuldeep S. Meel
- AIES-19 IMLI: An Incremental Framework for MaxSAT-Based Learning of Interpretable Classification Rules Bishwamittra Ghosh, Kuldeep S. Meel
- VLDB-18 The Flexible Socio Spatial Group Queries
  <u>Bishwamittra Ghosh</u>, Mohammed Eunus Ali, Farhana M. Choudhury, Sajid Hasan Apon, Timos Sellis, Jianxin Li
  - **Journal Papers**
- JAIR-22 Efficient Learning of Interpretable Classification Rules
  Bishwamittra Ghosh, Dmitry Malioutov, Kuldeep S. Meel
- TSAS-21 Social-Spatial Group Queries with Keywords Sajid Hasan Apon, Mohammed Eunus Ali, Bishwamittra Ghosh, Timos Sellis

# **Professional Experiences**

#### **Tutorials**

IJCAI-23 Auditing Bias of Machine Learning Algorithms: Tools and Overview

#### **Talks**

- Invited Talks Trustworthy Machine Learning: A Formal Methods Approach
  - Microsoft Research (24), University of Michigan, Dearborn (23), MPI-SWS, Germany (22), INRIA, France (22), IHPC, Singapore (22)

Conference ICLR (25), FAccT (23), AAAI (22, 21, 20), ECAI (20), CP (19), VLDB (19), IJCAI (19), AIES (19) Talks

#### **Program Committee**

AAAI (25)

#### Reviewer

NeurIPS, ICML, AAAI, TMLR, KDD (outstanding reviewer), JAIR, AIES, CAV, TNNLS, TMI, TKDE

# **Research Visit**

- 03.23 05.23 Max Planck Institute For Software Systems, Saarbrücken, Germany
- 11.21 02.22 INRIA, Lille-Nord, France
- 06.21 08.21 Goldman Sachs, Singapore
- 03.20 06.20 Max Planck Institute For Software Systems, Kaiserslautern, Germany

#### — Awards and Honors

- 2026 Invited to Dagstuhl seminar on User-Aligned Assessment of AI Systems
- 2025 Invited to Dagstuhl seminar on Interactions in Constraint Optimization
- 2021 Moblilex Scholarship, Université de Lille, France
- 2018 2023 NUS Research Scholarship, Singapore
- 2013 2017 University Deans List, BUET, Bangladesh
- 2011, 2012 National Math Olympiad winner, Bangladesh
  - 2012 National Chemistry Olympiad winner, Bangladesh

# References

# o Krishna P. Gummadi

Scientific Director MPI-SWS, Germany

# • Kuldeep S. Meel

Associate Professor Department of Computer Science University of Toronto, Canada

#### o Debabrota Basu

Faculty (equivalent of Associate Professor) Scool Team INRIA at Université de Lille and CNRS, France