# **Rohan Goyal**

**CONTACT INFORMATION** 

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RESEARCH **INTERESTS** 

I am broadly interested in theoretical computer science. In particular, I focus on notions of robustness: error-correcting codes, expander graphs, proof systems etc.

**EDUCATION** 

Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA, USA

September 2024-Present

**Advisor:** Yael Tauman Kalai

PhD. in Computer Science

**CGPA**: 5.0/5.0

Chennai Mathematical Institute, Chennai, India B.Sc.(Honours) in Mathematics and Computer Science September 2021-April 2024 CGPA: 9.62/10.0

INTERNSHIPS, RESEARCH **PROJECTS** 

Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Navy Nagar, Mumbai, India

Intern May 2023 - August 2023

Worked under Prahladh Harsha and Mrinal Kumar on problems related to error-correcting codes.

ENS Paris, 45 Rue d'Ulm, 75005 Paris, France

May 2024 - June 2024

Worked under David Saulpic and Frédéric Magniez on problems related to clustering algorithms. This internship was a part of the CMI-ENS exchange program.

Writing and **PUBLICATIONS** 

### **Publications**

• Fast list-decoding of univariate multiplicity and folded Reed-Solomon codes [ArXiV] [ECCC]

[FOCS 2024, Chicago]

with Prahladh Harsha, Mrinal Kumar, and Ashutosh Shankar. • Efficiently Batching Unambiguous Interactive Proofs

[FOCS 2025, Sydney]

with Bonnie Berger, Matthew Hong, and Yael Tauman Kalai.

#### **Manuscripts**

• Fast list-recovery of univariate multiplicity and folded Reed-Solomon codes with Prahladh Harsha, Mrinal Kumar, and Ashutosh Shankar.

**Talks** 

## Fast list-decoding of univariate multiplicity and folded Reed-Solomon codes:

• University of Copenhagen; BARC Research Center

January 2025

• Chennai Mathematical Institute, Computer Science Seminar

January 2025

# **Efficiently Batching Unambiguous Interactive Proofs:**

• MIT CIS Seminar

October 2025

Service

Subreviewed for FOCS and ACM Transactions on Algorithms.

TAing Experience

I have served as a TA at CMI for:

• Discrete Mathematics

Spring 2023, 2024

• Complexity Theory

Spring 2023

• Theory of Computation

Fall 2022

HONORS AND AWARDS	Deputy Leader India, European Girls Mathematics Olympiad 2023 Indian team	2023
	Observer A India, International Mathematical Olympiad	2024
	Bronze Medal at International Mathematical Olympiad (IND1)	2021
	Sriram Scholarship: Complete tuition fee waiver for attending CMI	2021-2024
	Kishore Vigyanik Pratyogita Yojana (KVPY) Scholarship	2021-2024

# MATH TEACHING EXPERIENCE AND OUTREACH

I have been heavily involved with various mathematics competitions, training programs, and Olympiads. I have taught, helped set exams, proposed problems, and been a leader for various Indian Mathematical Olympiad teams as well including the EGMO team in 2023 and the IMO team in 2024. For more information or to discuss opportunities, please write to me.