Milind Hegde

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Education

2012 - Present Bachelor of Science, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore

Major in Mathematics, expected to graduate in May 2016. In the top 2 of the mathematics

majors group of 21.

Latest Term GPA: 7.8/8 Cumulative GPA: 7.6/8

Has taken and excelled in advanced mathematics courses including measure theory, probability theory, stochastic processes, functional analysis, algebraic topology, real & complex

analysis, commutative algebra, Galois theory, representation theory.

Exam Scores

GRE (General) Verbal Quantitative Analytic Writing

170/170 (99 percentile) 170/170 (98 percentile) 5/6 (93 percentile)

GRE Subject (Mathematics)

To fill when made available officially.

TOEFL Reading Listening Speaking Writing 30/30 30/30 30/30 28/30

Research Experience

August 2015 -

Final Year Research Project, IISc

Present

- Studying harmonic analysis, singular operators, and the Fock space.
- Working on an open problem regarding the boundedness of a certain class of integral operators on the Fock space (see Integr. Equ. Oper. Theory 81 (2015), pg. 451–454.)
- Gave a short proof of the unitary equivalence of the Hilbert transform to an integral operator on the Fock space.
- Under the guidance of Prof. S. Thangavelu.

June 8 – July 9,

Participant in Visiting Students' Research Programme, TIFR, Mumbai

2015

- Studied algebraic number theory, including Dedekind domains, unique prime factorization of ideals, finiteness of class number, and Dirichlet's unit theorem.
- Gave a twenty minute talk titled *The Sign of the Gauss Sum*.
- Under the guidance of Prof. Sandeep Varma.

May 5 – June 19,

Research Project, IIT-Bombay

2014

- Studied graph theory, extremal combinatorics, and the Complete Intersection Theorem. Wrote an expository article explaining the proof of the latter.
- Worked on a conjecture in extremal graph theory regarding the minimum size of the maximum cycle length in a certain class of graphs.
- Made some headway for small cases as well as for sufficiently large ones.
- Under the guidance of Prof. Niranjan Balachandran.

Summer 2013

Summer Project at Physics Department, IISc

- Studied fluid mechanics and the Plateau-Rayleigh Instability. Wrote a report summarizing the properties of the instability.
- Under the guidance of Prof. Arnab Rai Choudhuri.

Extracurriculars & Other Experience

2015 App Coordinator, *Pravega*, IISc's Science and Technology Festival

 Was responsible for and coordinated the development of the Pravega map with an external developer.

2014 Editorial Coordinator & Designer, Quarks Magazine, IISc UG

- Managed the editorial team and coordinated with other teams to bring out the magazine successfully and on time.
- Designed 3 articles in full, and was heavily involved with overall typography and typesetting of the magazine.

2013 Editor, Quarks Magazine, IISc UG

• Selected for skill in writing, composition, editing. Further contributed to the magazine by ensuring that typographic rules were followed throughout.

2013 Core Committee Member, Pravega

Tasked with major aspects of the fest, including website, design, events, and its founding.

• Was personally responsible for Pravega's General Quiz and complete website.

2013 Head of Web Team, Pravega

Responsible for every aspect of the website (pravega.org/pravega2014), such as designing, coding, and administration. In particular,

- Implemented a login system with industry-standard cryptographic practices.
- Learnt PHP and MySQL for the purpose.

2013 Web Designer of IISc UG Website

Designed and coded the IISc UG website (iisc.ernet.in/ug).

2013 Typesetter, Scipher, IISc UG Mock KVPY Exam

• Typeset the entire Scipher question paper for both the SA and SX question papers. Learnt to use LaTeX to write equations, chemical structures, physics diagrams.

2013 Actor, Photograph 51

• Played the role of James Watson in the play *Photograph 51* about the discovery of the structure of DNA.

Skills & Strengths

Programming Has experience programming in several languages, including *C*, *C*++, R,

Matlab, JavaScript, PHP.

Software Comfortable with Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Adobe InDesign, Adobe

Photoshop, Mathematica, Matlab, R, LaTeX, among others.

Typesetting, Sensitive to font choice, spacing, placement and arrangement of text, and over-Design, Typography all design choices of documents.

Honours & Achievements

2013, 2014 ACM ICPC

Qualified to the national level of the ACM ICPC, a prestigious international programming competition, of which approximately ten teams qualify to the international finals.

2012 – Present Kishore Vaigyanik Protsahan Yojana (KVPY) Fellow

Awarded the KVPY Fellowship through the SX Stream. Among approximately 500 top students of science in India showing an aptitude for research.

2008 – 2012 National Talent Search Examination (NTSE) Scholar

Awarded to the top 1000 students in India each year.

2012 CBSE Group Mathematics Olympiad (GMO) Awardee

Qualified the GMO to write the INMO (Indian National Mathematics Olympiad). Among 6 selected from across the country's CBSE schools.

2012 Best Outgoing Student

Honoured with the title of best outgoing student out of the 100-strong 2012 batch at Sri Kumaran Children's Home.