# MEENA JAGADEESAN

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#### **EDUCATION**

UC Berkeley, **Ph.D. Computer Science** 2020-

Selected Honors: Berkeley EECS Excellence Award

Harvard University, **S.M. Computer Science** 2019-2020

Harvard University, A.B. Computer Science and Mathematics, summa cum laude

2016-2020

Secondary Field: Statistics

Selected Honors: Phi Beta Kappa, Hoopes Prize, Detur Book Prize, Certificate of Distinction in Teaching

Phillips Exeter Academy, High School Diploma

2012-2016

Selected Honors: Cox Medal, Williams Cup, Early Cum Laude Inductee, Departmental prizes in 8 subjects

#### **SELECTED AWARDS**

PD Soros Fellowship for New Americans (2020-2024)

Berkeley Fellowship (2020-2024)

CRA Outstanding Undergraduate Researcher Award (2020)

Siebel Scholarship (2019-2020)

Barry Goldwater Scholarship (2018-2020)

Intel Science Talent Search, 2<sup>nd</sup> Place in Basic Research (2016)

Davidson Fellow Laureate (2016)

## **PUBLICATIONS**

(\* denotes alphabetical ordering)

- 1. Christina Ilvento\*, Meena Jagadeesan\*, and Shuchi Chawla. "Multi-Category Fairness in Sponsored Search Auctions." *Proceedings of the 3rd ACM Conference on Fairness, Accountability and Transparency (FAT\*)*, 2020, pp. 348–358.
- 2. Cynthia Dwork\*, Christina Ilvento\*, and Meena Jagadeesan\*. "Individual Fairness in Pipelines." *Proceedings of the 1st Conference on Foundations of Responsible Computation (FORC)*, pp. 7:1–7:22, 2020.
- Meena Jagadeesan. "Understanding Sparse JL for Feature Hashing." Proceedings of the 33rd Annual Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS), 2019, pp. 15177-15187. Oral presentation (given to ~3% of accepted papers).
- 4. Meena Jagadeesan. "Simple Analysis of Sparse, Sign-Consistent JL." *Proceedings of the 23rd International Conference on Randomization and Computation* (RANDOM), pp. 61:1–61:20, 2019.
- 5. Meena Jagadeesan\* and Alexander Wei\*. "Varying the Number of Signals in Matching Markets." Proceedings of the 14th International Conference on Web and Internet Economics (WINE), pp. 232-245, 2018.
- 6. Elaine Hou\* and Meena Jagadeesan\*. "Dyson's Partition Ranks and their Multiplicative Extensions." *The Ramanujan Journal*, Vol. 45, Issue 3, April 2018, pp. 817–839.
- 7. Meena Jagadeesan and Susan Durst. "Mobius Polynomials of Face Posets of Convex Polytopes." *Communications in Algebra*, Vol. 44, Issue 11, 2016, pp. 4945-4972.

#### **Short Papers**

 Meena Jagadeesan\* and Garrett Tanzer\*. "From Worst-Case to Average-Case Analysis: Accurate Latency Predictions for Key-Value Storage Engines". Proceedings of the ACM International Conference on Management of Data (SIGMOD), 2020, pp. 2853-3855. (2-Page Extended Abstract.) 1st Place at SIGMOD SRC.

#### THESES

Meena Jagadeesan. "The Performance of Johnson-Lindenstrauss Transforms: Beyond the Classical Setting." *Undergraduate Thesis (advised by Prof. Jelani Nelson)*. **Awarded Hoopes Prize.** 

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#### **SELECTED PRESENTATIONS**

1. "Fairness in Advertising Auctions" at Algorithmic Game Theory Mentoring Workshop at ACM EC, 6/15/20 (Talk)

- 2. "Multi-Category Fairness in Sponsored Search Auctions" at ACM FAT\*, 1/29/20 (Talk)
- 3. "Understanding Sparse JL for Feature Hashing" at NeurIPS, 12/12/19 (Talk)
- 4. "Simple Analysis of Sparse, Sign-Consistent JL" at RANDOM, 9/21/19 (Talk)
- 5. "Multi-Category Fairness in Sponsored Search Auctions" at Workshop on Mechanism Design for Social Good at ACM EC, 6/28/19 (Poster)
- 6. "Analyzing Johnson-Lindenstrauss Transforms" at U. Wisconsin-Madison Theory Seminar, 5/17/19 (Talk)
- 7. "Varying the Number of Signals in Matching Markets" at WINE, 12/17/18 (Talk)
- 8. "Varying the Number of Signals in Matching Markets" at Workshop on Frontiers of Market Design at ACM EC, 6/22/18 (Talk)

## **EMPLOYMENT/POSITIONS**

Undergraduate Research Intern at Microsoft Research	Summer 2020
Harvard College Research Program Fellow	Summer 2019
Teaching Fellow, Harvard CS 61 (Systems Programming and Machine Organization)	Fall 2018
Software Engineer/Program Manager at Microsoft	Summer 2018
Harvard Herchel Smith & PRISE Fellow	Summer 2017
Emory Research Experience for Undergraduates	Summer 2016
Participant in the Research Science Institute (RSI)	Summer 2015

# PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Reviewer for Journal of Artificial Intelligence Research (JAIR) and Management Science