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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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**CNRS Postdoctoral Researcher**

*October 2024 - Present*

LaBRI, Université de Bordeaux

**Senior Project Associate**

*June 2024 - September 2024*

Department of Computer Science and Engineering, Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur

## EDUCATION

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**Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur**

*July 2018 - June 2024*

Ph.D. & Master of Technology (M.Tech) in Computer Science and Engineering

CPI: 10/10

Department of Computer Science and Engineering

Advisors: Dr.Satyadev Nandakumar and Dr.Sunil Simon

**National Institute of Technology Calicut**

*July 2014 - May 2018*

Bachelor of Technology (B.Tech) in Computer Science and Engineering

CGPA: 9.53/10

Department of Computer Science and Engineering

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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- Algorithmic Information Theory.
- Computational Complexity Theory.
- Meta-complexity and Pseudorandomness.
- Computability and Complexity in Analysis.
- Ergodic Theory and Symbolic Dynamical Systems.
- Effective Fractal Dimension and Finite-State Dimension.

## PUBLICATIONS

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1. **Point-to-set Principle and Constructive Dimension Faithfulness** (with Satyadev Nandakumar and Akhil S), *49th International Symposium on Mathematical Foundations of Computer Science (MFCS) 2024*, Bratislava, Slovakia.
2. **Finite-state relative dimension, dimensions of A. P. subsequences and a finite-state van Lambalgen's theorem** (joint work with Satyadev Nandakumar and Akhil S), *Information and Computation*, Volume 298, June 2024, 105156.
3. **A Weyl Criterion for Finite-State Dimension and Applications** (joint work with Jack H. Lutz and Satyadev Nandakumar), *48th International Symposium on Mathematical Foundations of Computer Science (MFCS) 2023*, Bordeaux, France.
4. **Real numbers equally compressible in every base**, (with Satyadev Nandakumar), *40th International Symposium on Theoretical Aspects of Computer Science (STACS) 2023*, Hamburg, Germany, 2023.
5. **Finite-State Relative Dimension and the Dimensions of AP Subsequences**, (with Satyadev Nandakumar and Akhil S), *The 17th Annual Conference on Theory and Applications of Models of Computation (TAMC) 2022*, Tianjin, China.

6. **Ergodic Theorems and Converses for PSPACE Functions**, (with Satyadev Nandakumar), *Theory of Computing Systems* (2022).
7. **Ergodic Theorems for PSPACE functions and their converses**, (with Satyadev Nandakumar), *46th International Symposium on the Mathematical Foundations of Computer Science (MFCS) 2021, Tallinn, Estonia*.
8. **An analogue of Pillai's theorem for continued fraction normality and an application to subsequences** (with Satyadev Nandakumar, Prateek Vishnoi and Gopal Viswanathan), *Bulletin of the London Mathematical Society, Volume 53, Issue 5, October 2021, Pages 1414-1428*.

## PREPRINTS

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1. **One-Way Functions and Polynomial Time Dimension** (with Satyadev Nandakumar, Akhil S and Suranjona Sarma), *ArXiv* : <https://arxiv.org/abs/2411.02392>.
2. **The Agafonov and Schnorr-Stimm theorems for probabilistic automata** (with Laurent Bienvenu and Hugo Gimbert), *ArXiv* : <https://arxiv.org/abs/2502.12307>.

## RESEARCH VISITS

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**Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Mumbai**

May 2018 - July 2018

*Visiting Students' Research Programme (VSRP 2018)*

- Research supervised by Dr.Piyush Srivastava, Reader, School of Technology and Computer Science, TIFR, Mumbai.

**Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur**

May 2017 - July 2017

*Students-Undergraduate Research Graduate Excellence (SURGE 2017)*

- Research supervised by Dr.Satyadev Nandakumar, Associate Professor, CSED, IITK.

## WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

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**IMS Graduate Summer School in Logic**

July 2022

- Summer School in Mathematical Logic at Institute of Mathematical Sciences (IMS), National University of Singapore.

**CSA50 - Pratiksha Trust Workshop on Theoretical Computer Science**

January 2019

- Venue: Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, India

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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**Graduate Teaching Assistantship**

IIT Kanpur

- Principles of Programming Languages (2018 and 2019)
- Computer Organization (2018)
- Algorithmic Information Theory (2019)
- Theory of Computation (2020)
- Mathematics for Computer Science (2020 and 2021)
- Computational Complexity (2021)
- Quantum Computing (2022)

## INVITED TALKS

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1. **On the Compressibility of Real Numbers: New insights using exponential sums**, *Automates Seminar, Institut de Recherche en Informatique Fondamentale (IRIF), Paris (17 January 2025)*
2. **On the Compressibility of Real Numbers: New insights using exponential sums**, *Logic Seminar, Department of Mathematics, National University of Singapore (5 March 2025)*

## SEMINAR AND CONFERENCE TALKS

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1. **On the Compressibility of Real Numbers: Certain insights using Fourier analytic methods**, *M2F Seminar, LaBRI, Université de Bordeaux (12 November 2024)*.
2. **A Weyl Criterion for Finite-State Dimension and Applications**, *48th International Symposium on Mathematical Foundations of Computer Science (MFCS) 2023, Bordeaux, France (August 29 2023)*.
3. **Real numbers equally compressible in every base**, *40th International Symposium on Theoretical Aspects of Computer Science (STACS) 2023, Hamburg, Germany, (March 9 2023)*.

## REPORTS / DISSERTATIONS

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### **On resource bounded ergodic theorems and the utility of exponential sums in Algorithmic Information Theory**

*PhD Thesis (IIT Kanpur)*

- Supervised by Dr. Satyadev Nandakumar and Dr. Sunil Simon

### **On certain applications of Fourier Analysis in the theory of Finite-State Dimension**

*MTech Thesis (IIT Kanpur)*

- Supervised by Dr. Satyadev Nandakumar and Dr. Sunil Simon

### **On Finite State Ergodic Markov Chains**

*B.Tech Major Project (NIT Calicut)*

- Supervised by Dr. K. Murali Krishnan

## ACADEMIC HONORS AND AWARDS

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- Gold Medal for the highest CGPA in Bachelor of Technology (B.Tech) Computer Science and Engineering 2018, National Institute of Technology Calicut.
- Best Student Project Award 2018 by Tata Consultancy Services Limited (TCS) for the B.Tech project titled *On Finite State Ergodic Markov Chains*.
- Best Project Award in B.Tech Computer Science and Engineering 2018 by C.R.E.C. Parent Teacher Association, National Institute of Technology Calicut for the B.Tech project titled *On Finite State Ergodic Markov Chains*.

## REFERENCES

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Available upon request.