# Saeed Odak

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### **Educational Background**

Ph.D. in Computer Science Ottawa. Canada University of Ottawa, 2021-present

**B.Sc in Mathematics** Tehran, Iran

K. N. Toosi University of Technology, GPA: 18.35 / 20.00 **B.Sc in Electrical Engineering** Tehran, Iran

K. N. Toosi University of Technology, GPA: 17.21 / 20.00 2015-2020

#### **Research Interests**

• Data Structures and Algorithms • Structural Graph Theory

• Combinatorics and Optimization • Discrete and Computational Geometry

## **Research Experiences and Publications**

#### 2024 Euclidean Freeze-Tag Problem on Plane, submitted to SWAT 2024

Authors: Nicolas Bonichon, Cyril Gavoille, Nicolas Hanusse, and Saeed Odak.

#### **Connected Dominating Sets in Triangulations**, submitted to SoCG 2024

https://arxiv.org/abs/2312.03399

Authors: Prosenjit Bose, Vida Dujmović, Hussein Houdrouge, Pat Morin, and Saeed Odak.

#### On Separating Path and Tree Systems in Graphs, submitted to journal of DMTCS

https://arxiv.org/abs/2312.14295

Authors: Ahmad Biniaz, Prosenjit Bose, Jean-Lou De Carufel, Anil Maheshwari, Babak Miraftab, Saeed Odak, Michiel Smid, Shakhar Smorodinsky, and Yelena Yuditsky.

#### 2022 An Optimal Algorithm for Product Structure in Planar Graphs, accepted in SWAT 2022

https://arxiv.org/abs/2202.08870

Authors: Prosenjit Bose, Pat Morin, and Saeed Odak.

#### **Odd Colourings of Graph Products**

https://arxiv.org/abs/2202.12882

Authors: Vida Dujmović, Pat Morin, and Saeed Odak.

#### BSc. Thesis: Routing and Wavelength Assignment(RWA) in Optical Networks

K. N. Toosi University of Technology — Supervisor: Lotfollah Beygi.

## **Honors and Awards**

2023: PhD Mobility Program in France (MDF) Research Scholarship at University of Bordeaux, France

2021-2024: University of Ottawa Doctorate Admission Scholarship and International Doctorate Scholarship

**2018**: Bronze Medal in International Mathematics Competition(IMC)

**2018**: Silver Medal in Iranian Mathematics Competition

**2017**: Bronze Medal in Iranian Mathematics Competition

2015-2020

2024

2023

2022

2020

2014-2020: Ranked 2nd among all BSc students of Mathematics

2018: 7th Place in ACM ICPC Asia Tehran Regional Contest

2017: 9th Place in ACM ICPC Asia Tehran Regional Contest

**2021**: 29th Place in IEEE-Xtreme 15.0 International Programming Contest

2018: 27th Place in IEEE-Xtreme 12.0 International Programming Contest

### **Teaching Experience**

#### Teaching as Contract Instructor, Course: 1805D - Discrete Structures I

School of Computer Science, Carleton University

Winter 2023

#### Teaching Assistant at University of Ottawa

Design and Analysis of Algorithms, Data Structures and Algorithms,

Discrete Structures, Introduction to Computing I, and Introduction to Formal Languages.

2021-2023

#### Coaching K. N. Toosi University of Technology ICPC Team

K. N. Toosi University of Technology

2019-2020

### Teaching Assistant at K. N. Toosi University of Technology

Algorithm Design, Data Structures, Calculus I and Calculus II.

2016-2020

### Languages

• Persian Native

• Turkmen Native

• English Advanced

### References

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#### **Professor, Carleton University**

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