

# Satya Prakash Nayak

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## Objective

Grad student with special interests in the intersection of Mathematics and Theoretical Computer Science. Has interests in fields of Automata theory, Game Theory, Logic and Algorithms.

## Education

<b>Master of Science (Hons.) in Computer Science</b> <b>Chennai Mathematical Institute</b> , Chennai CGPA: 9.88	Aug 2019 - Present
<b>Bachelor of Science (Hons.) in Mathematics and Computer Science</b> <b>Chennai Mathematical Institute</b> , Chennai CGPA: 8.47	Aug 2016 - Aug 2019
<b>Senior School Certificate Examination- Std 12</b> <b>BJB Junior College</b> , Bhubaneswar, Odisha 510/600 in CHSE, Odisha	2014 - 2016
<b>Secondary School Examination- Std 10</b> <b>Rtapalli Vidyapitha</b> , Bhubaneswar, Odisha 573/600 in BSE, Odisha	2009 - 2016

## Research Experience

<b>Master's Thesis Project</b> on <i>Adaptive Strategies for rLTL Games</i> Under the guidance of <b>Prof. Martin Zimmermann</b> , University of Liverpool, England and <b>Prof. Daniel Neider</b> , Max Planck Institute for Software Systems, Germany	July - Dec 2020
<b>Summer Research Internship</b> on <i>Minimization of visibly Pushdown Automata</i> at <b>Aix-Marseille University</b> , Marseille, France Under the guidance of <b>Prof. Jean Marc Talbot</b>	May - July 2019
<b>Reading Project</b> on <i>Metric Embeddings and their Algorithmic Applications</i> with <b>Prof. Prajakta Nimborkar</b> at Chennai Mathematical Institute, Chennai	Aug - Dec 2020
<b>Reading Project</b> on <i>Games on Graphs (Parity Games)</i> with <b>Prof. B Srivathsan</b> at Chennai Mathematical Institute, Chennai	Aug - Dec 2019

## Teaching Assistant

<b>Teaching Assistant at CMI:</b> Data Mining and Machine Learning Design and Analysis of Algorithms Discrete Mathematics	Aug - Nov 2019 Aug - Nov 2020 Dec 2020 - Jan 2021
<b>Faculty at Rtapalli Vidyapitha:</b> Calculus (for 12th standard) Olympiad Preparation	Sep 2017 - Aug 2018 June 2014 - April 2016

## Relevant Coursework

Theory of Computation, Games on Graphs [I,II], Game Theory, Concurrency Theory, Mathematical Logic, Logic Automata and Games, Weighted Automata, Timed Automata, Algorithmic Automata Theory, Graph Theory, Data Mining and Machine Learning, Optimization Techniques, Design and Analysis of Algorithms, Advanced Algorithms, Complexity Theory I, Matching and Network flows, Linear Optimization, Coding Theory.

## Computer Language Skills

*Programming Languages:* Python, Java, Haskell  
*Other Languages:* HTML, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X

## Achievements

- 2016 Selected to appear in *Asian Pacific Mathematical Olympiad (APMO)* ↗
- 2015 *Zonal Informatics Olympiad (ZIO)* conducted by Indian Association for Research in Computing Sciences (IARCS) ↗
- 2015 *Indian National Mathematics Olympiad (INMO)* conducted by National Board of Higher Mathematics (NBHM) ↗
- 2015 *National Standard Examination in Astronomy (NSEA)* organized by Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education (HBCSE) ↗
- 2015 *American Mathematics Competition (AMC) 12* and selected to participate in the *American Invitational Mathematics Examination (AIME)* organized by Mathematical Association of America ↗
- 2014 *Regional Mathematics Olympiad (RMO)* (State Topper) conducted by National Board of Higher Mathematics (NBHM) ↗

## Camps and Talks Attended

<b>Weekly Seminar on Games</b>	Sep 2020 - Present
Max Planck Institute for Software Systems, Germany (Remote)	
<b>Spotlight on Games</b> ↗	25th - 26th November, 2020
Remote	
<b>Complexity, Algorithms, Automata and Logic Meet</b> ↗	21st - 25th January, 2019
Chennai Mathematical Institute, Chennai	
<b>Training Program in Mathematics</b> ↗	May - June 2018
National Institute of Science Education and Research, Bhubaneswar	
<b>International Mathematics Olympiad Training Camp</b>	April - May 2015, 2016
Homi Bhabha Centre for Science Education, Mumbai	