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#### Education

2013-• Research Scholar, Physics,

International Centre for Theoretical Sciences, Bangalore.

2015, 17 Visiting Research Scholar,

Dept. of Physics, University of Massachusetts, Amherst.

2012-13 M.S. in Fluid Mechanics,

École Polytechnique, Palaiseau.

AVERAGE: 16.03/20

2008-12 B. Tech in Mechanical Engineering,

Indian Institute of Information Technology, Chennai.

CGPA: 9.02/10

2007-08 AISSCE (All India Senior School Certificate Examination)

DAV-BHEL School, Ranipet.

## Research interests

Mechanics of soft elastic materials • Geometry driven instabilities

Instabilities of particle laden flows • Sedimentation of complex structures

#### **Publications**

Vishal Vasan, **Ganga Prasath**, **S.**, and Rama Govindarajan.

Boundary-bulk extension of fractional derivatives with application to Maxey-Riley equations. *SIAM Journal of Applied Mathematics. (under preparation)*.

2018 Ganga Prasath, S., Vishal Vasan, and Rama Govindarajan.

Maxey-Riley equation as modified Robin condition to heat equation: Solution using Unified Transform Method. *Journal of Fluid Mechanics.* (to be submitted soon).

- Ganga Prasath, S., Joel Marthelot, Rama Govindarajan, and Narayanan Menon. Wetting properties of a droplet in contact with a highly-bendable elastic filament. *Soft matter.* (to be submitted soon).
- Fabian Brau, **Ganga Prasath, S.**, and Benny Davidovich.

  Morphologies of bendable solids: Insights from a two-dimensional, inextensible model.

  Soft matter. (to be submitted).

- Ganga Prasath, S., Joel Marthelot, Rama Govindarajan, and Narayanan Menon. Relaxation of a highly deformed elastic filament at a fluid interface. *Physical Review Fluids*, 1, 033903. [arXiv]
- Oranga Prasath, S., Stephane Fauve, and Marc Brachet. Dynamo action by turbulence in absolute equilibrium. Europhysics Letters, 106(2), 29002 (pdf).
- Ganga Prasath, S., Sudharsan, M., Vinodh Kumar, V., Diwakar, S. V., Sundararajan, T., and Tiwari, S.

Effects of aspect ratio and orientation on the wake characteristics of low Reynolds number flow over a triangular prism.

Journal of Fluids and Structures, 46, 59-76 (pdf).

#### Summer schools

- Institut d'études scientifiques de Cargèse school on "Physics and Mechanics of Soft Complex Materials".
- Boulder school for condensed matter and materials physics on "Soft Matter In and Out of Equilibrium".
- 2015 University of Massachusetts Amherst school on "Soft solids and complex fluids".

## Conference, invited talks

- Poster on "Elastic and hydrodynamic instabilities" in Global Young Scientists Summit (GYSS 2018) at Nanyang Technological University, Singapore.
- 2016 CompFlu (Complex Fluids) on "Relaxation of a highly deformed elastic filament at a fluid interface" at Indian Institute of Technology, Hyderabad.
- 2015 APS March meeting 2015 on "Large-deformation dynamics of an elastic filament at a fluid interface at San Antonio, Texas.

### Awards and achievements

- 2015,16 Secured APS-IUSSTF travel grant for exchange program at UMass Amherst and ICAM travel grant for attending PHASME school in Cargese, Corsica.
  - Selected to attend month long *Boulder school for condensed matter and materials physics* at University of Colorado, Boulder.
  - 2012 Recipient of *Charpak Scholarship of Excellence* by Institut Français/Embassy of France in India.
  - Received Best thesis award for B. Tech report titled "Control of effects of vortex shedding using active and passive mechanisms".

# References

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