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Education

2020 - 2022 MSc. in Computer Science

École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne (EPFL)

2016 - 2020 BTech. in Computer Science & Applied Mathematics

Indraprastha Institute of Information Technology (IIITD)

Publications

FOCS'21 Unambiguous DNFs and Alon-Saks-Seymour

(Invited to Special Issue)

with Mika Göös (EPFL), Shalev Ben-David (UWaterloo), Robin Kothari

(Microsoft Research), Kaspars Balodis (ULatvia)

CCC'22 Further Collapses in TFNP

with Mika Göös, Gilbert Maystre (EPFL), Alexandros Hollender (Oxford),

Robert Robere, Ran Tao, William Pires (McGill)

We show the surprising collapse: $EOPL = PLS \cap PPAD$. A talk by Mika on Nov 22.

In submission Separations in Proof Complexity and TFNP

with Mika Göös, Gilbert Maystre (EPFL), Alexandros Hollender (Oxford),

Robert Robere, Ran Tao, William Pires (McGill)

We show new oracle separations and characterisations for TFNP subclasses.

In submission Communication Complexity of Collision

with Mika Göös (EPFL)

We prove a polynomial randomised communication lower bound for a natural two party

version of the Collision problem: decide whether a given function is 2-1 or 1-1.

Projects

Unsupervised Preprocessing for Clustering

with Shay Ben-Elazar (Microsoft Research), Vincent Cohen-Addad

(Google Research), Karthik CS (Rutgers)

Working on practical preprocessing algorithms inspired by error-correcting codes.

Probabilistic & Interactive Proofs

with Alessandro Chiesa (UC Berkeley, EPFL)

Semester project which involved studying both classical and modern results in Proba-

bilistic Proofs.

Employment

2021-2022 MSc. Research Scholar | EPFL

Part of the Research Scholar program by the IC department, working with

Mika Göös (EPFL).

Last update: May 6, 2022

2019 Research Intern | ITCS Shanghai

Summer intern with Bundit Laekhanukit (SUFE).

Honors & Awards

Paper invited to SICOMP Special Issue of FOCS 2021
MSc. Research Scholar (EPFL)
Graduation with Honors (IIITD)
Scholarship: Quantum Computation Winter school (IIAS)
Scholarship: Data Science Summer school (IISc)
Dean's list (IIITD)

Miscellaneous

Languages Hindi: native

> English: fluent (written and spoken)

French: beginner

Programming Python, LaTeX, Java (intermediate), scala (intermediate)

Service (external ICALP22

reviewer)

Advanced Algorithms (6/6), Probabilistic Methods in Combinatorics Coursework (EPFL)

(5.75/6), Computational Complexity (6/6), Information Theory & Coding

(6/6)

Modern Algorithm Design (A), Randomised Algorithms (A-), Combina-Coursework (IIITD)

torics and Its Applications (A), Complexity Theory (A), Theory of Compu-

tation (A), Discrete Structures (A), Abstract Algebra (A), Number Theory

(A+)