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## Education

- 2018 - 2020     **University of Texas at Austin**, Austin, TX  
*Postdoctoral Fellow in Computer Science*. Host: Prof. Vijay Chidambaram.  
Research: Investigated the impact of GDPR compliance on database systems.
- 2014 - 2018     **University of Massachusetts Amherst**, Amherst, MA  
*PhD in Electrical and Computer Engineering*. Advisor: Prof. David Irwin.  
Thesis: System Support for Managing Risk in Cloud Computing Platforms.
- 2006 - 2009     **Columbia University**, New York, NY  
*MS in Computer Science and Electrical Engineering*. Advisor: Prof. Henning Schulzrinne.  
Research: VoIP system for training ATCs at the US Federal Aviation Administration.
- 1998 - 2002     **PES Institute of Technology** (now PES University), Bangalore, India  
*BE in Computer Science*. Advisor: Prof. Shylaja Sharath.  
Senior project: Image reconstruction software for ASTROSAT (India's first space observatory).

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## Professional Experience

- 2020 – cur.     **University of Iowa**, Iowa City, IA  
*Assistant Professor*, Department of Computer Science
- 2010 – 2014     **Cisco Systems**, San Jose, CA  
*Software Engineer*, Datacenter Switching Group
- Summer 2009     **Philips Research**, Briarcliff Manor, NY  
*Research Intern*, Energy Efficient Networking Group
- Summer 2008     **NEC Labs**, Princeton, NJ  
*Research Intern*, Mobile Communications and Networking Department
- 2005 – 2006     **ARM**, Bangalore, India & Cambridge, UK  
*Software Engineer*, Embedded Software Division
- 2003 – 2005     **Ittiam Systems**, Bangalore, India  
*Multimedia Software Engineer*
- 2002 – 2003     **Infosys Technologies**, Bangalore, India  
*Software Engineer*
- Summer 2002     **Raman Research Institute**, Bangalore, India  
*Research Intern*, Department of Astronomy and Astrophysics

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## Publications

### Preprint

In submission Daniel Lehmann, Chen Sun, Evan Jacobs, Andrew Crouse, and **Supreeth Shastri**. GDPRxiv: Tracking GDPR Enforcement in the Wild. Preprint at <https://shastri.info/GDPRxiv.pdf>

### Peer-reviewed Conferences

- VLDB 2020 **Supreeth Shastri**, Vinay Banakar, Melissa Wasserman, Arun Kumar, and Vijay Chidambaram. Understanding and Benchmarking the Impact of GDPR on Database Systems. In *Proceedings of Very Large Data Bases 13(7)*, 2020.
- SoCC 2018 **Supreeth Shastri** and David Irwin. Cloud Index Tracking: Enabling Predictable Costs in Cloud Spot Markets. In *ACM Symposium on Cloud Computing*, 2018.
- SoCC 2017 **Supreeth Shastri** and David Irwin. HotSpot: Automated Server Hopping in Cloud Spot Markets. In *ACM Symposium on Cloud Computing*, 2017.
- SC 2016 **Supreeth Shastri**, Amr Rizk, and David Irwin. Transient Guarantees: Maximizing the Value of Idle Cloud Capacity. In *ACM/IEEE International Conference for High Performance Computing, Networking, Storage and Analysis*, 2016.
- SoCC 2015 **Supreeth Subramanya**, Tian Guo, Prateek Sharma, David Irwin, and Prashant Shenoy. SpotOn: A Batch Computing Service for the Spot Market. In *ACM Symposium on Cloud Computing*, 2015.

### Peer-reviewed Journals

- CACM 2021 **Supreeth Shastri**, Melissa Wasserman, and Vijay Chidambaram. GDPR Anti-Patterns. In *Communications of the ACM*, 64(2), 2021.
- IEEE Comm. Mag. 2009 **Supreeth Subramanya**, Xiaotao Wu, Henning Schulzrinne, and Susan Buriak. VoIP-Based Air Traffic Controller Training. In *IEEE Communications Magazine*, 47(11), 2009.

### Peer-reviewed Workshops

- HotCloud 2019 **Supreeth Shastri**, Melissa Wasserman, and Vijay Chidambaram. The Seven Sins of Personal-Data Processing Systems under GDPR. In *USENIX Workshop on Hot Topics in Cloud Computing*.
- HotStorage 2019 Aashaka Shah, Vinay Banakar, **Supreeth Shastri**, Melissa Wasserman, and Vijay Chidambaram. Analyzing the Impact of GDPR Compliance on Storage Systems. In *USENIX Workshop on Hot Topics in Storage and File Systems*, 2019.
- HotCloud 2017 **Supreeth Shastri** and David Irwin. Towards Index-based Global Trading in Cloud Spot Markets. In *USENIX Workshop on Hot Topics in Cloud Computing*, 2017.
- HotCloud 2016 **Supreeth Subramanya**, Amr Rizk, and David Irwin. Cloud Spot Markets are Not Sustainable: The Case for Transient Guarantees. In *USENIX Workshop on Hot Topics in Cloud Computing*, 2016.
- LIMITS 2015 **Supreeth Subramanya**, Zain Mustafa, David Irwin, and Prashant Shenoy. Energy-Agility: A New Grid-centric Metric for Evaluating System Performance. In *ACM Workshop on Computing within Limits*, 2015.

## Invited Papers

- ICCCN 2019 David Irwin, Prashant Shenoy, Pradeep Ambati, Prateek Sharma, and **Supreeth Shastri**. The Price is (Not) Right: Reflections on Pricing for Transient Cloud Servers. In *IEEE International Conference on Computer Communications and Networks*, 2019.
- ICCCN 2017 David Irwin, Prateek Sharma, **Supreeth Shastri** and Prashant Shenoy. The Financialization of Cloud Computing: Opportunities and Challenges. In *IEEE International Conference on Computer Communications and Networks*, 2017.

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## Teaching

- Fall 2021 **University of Iowa**, CS5630 *Cloud Computing*  
Instructor for the graduate course on computing and data analytics on the cloud (34 students). Developed the course from scratch. More details at <https://shastri.info/teaching/cs5630/>
- Spring 2021 **University of Iowa**, CS3640 *Introduction to Networking*  
Instructor for the introductory networking course for undergraduates (59 students). Redesigned the course for online delivery. More details at <https://shastri.info/teaching/cs3640/>
- Fall 2008 **Columbia University**, COMS 4995 *VoIP Security*  
Teaching assistant to Prof. Henning Schulzrinne. Graduate course with 30 students. Handled all course logistics including lab supervision, project advising and course grading.
- Spring 2008 **Columbia University**, *VoIP Workshop*  
Conceived and conducted a 4-day workshop on VoIP technologies for a delegation of system administrators from the US Federal Aviation Administration. I taught 5 (out of 8) technical sessions and 6 (out of 8) hands-on lab exercises.

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## Advising and Mentoring

### Advising at University of Iowa

- 2021 - Chen Sun (PhD advisor)
- 2020 - Umar Iqbal, Hammad Mazhar, Adnan Ahmad (PhD committee member)
- Fall 2021 Evan Jacobs (Undergraduate research advisor)
- Spring 2021 Alex Pang, Logan Vogt (Undergraduate research advisor)

### Mentoring at University of Texas at Austin

- 2018-2020 Aashaka Shah (PhD); Vinay Banakar (Visiting Fellow);  
Daniel Lehmann, Abby Krishnan, Anirudh Goyal (Undergraduate research)

### Mentoring at University of Massachusetts Amherst

- 2015-18 Pradeep Ambati (PhD)
- 2014-15 Zain Mustafa, Jiannan Tian (MS)

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## Professional Service

### Organizing Committee

2021	ACM SoCC (Web chair)
2020	ACM SoCC (Publicity chair)
2019	ACM SOSP (Artifact evaluation co-chair), ACM SoCC (Social media chair)
2018	NSF workshop on Cloud Economics (webmaster), ACM SoCC (Social media chair)

### Program Committee

2020	ACM SoCC, USENIX HotStorage
2019	IEEE CLOUD, IEEE ICDCS, ACM SoCC

### Other Service

2010-20	Journal reviewer for IEEE Communications magazine, IEEE Transactions on Parallel and Distributed Systems (TPDS), Elsevier Future Generation Computer Systems (FGCS)
2022	Reviewer, Graduate Research Fellowship Program (GRFP) at NSF
2021 -	Alumni relations chair (CS) at University of Iowa
2020	Graduate admission committee member (CS) at UT Austin
2017-19	Shadow program committee member for ACM EuroSys 2017, ACM IMC 2018, ACM EuroSys 2019

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## Public/Research Talks

9/2021	Panel on Law and Computing, Invited panelist at GECON 2021 (virtual)
11/2020	Legalizing Personal-Data Systems, Invited talk at Grinnell College (virtual)
9/2020	Understanding and Benchmarking the Impact of GDPR on Database Systems at VLDB (virtual)
4/2020	When Computing Meets Law and Economics, Invited talk at the University of Edinburgh
3/2020	When Computing Meets Law and Economics, Invited talk at the University of Iowa
3/2020	When Computing Meets Law and Economics, Invited talk at George Washington University
3/2020	When Computing Meets Law and Economics, Invited talk at College of William and Mary
7/2019	The Seven Sins of Personal-Data Processing Systems under GDPR at HotCloud (Renton, WA)
7/2019	Analyzing the Impact of GDPR Compliance on Storage Systems at HotStorage (Renton, WA)
10/2018	Cloud Index Tracking: Enabling Predictable Costs in Spot Markets at SoCC (Carlsbad, CA)
1/2018	Financializing Cloud Computing, Invited talk at the University of Illinois (Chicago, IL)
9/2017	HotSpot: Automated Server Hopping in Cloud Spot Markets at SoCC (Santa Clara, CA)
7/2017	Towards Index-based Global Trading in Cloud Spot Markets at HotCloud (Santa Clara, CA)
11/2016	Transient Guarantees: Maximizing the Value of Idle Cloud Capacity at SC (Salt Lake City, UT)
6/2016	Cloud Spot Markets are Not Sustainable: A Case for Transient Guarantees at HotCloud (Denver, CO)
8/2015	SpotOn: A Batch Computing Service for the Spot Market at SoCC (Kohala Coast, HI)
6/2015	Energy-Agility: A New Grid-centric Metric for Evaluating System Performance at LIMITS (Irvine, CA)