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CURRENT POSITION

Postdoc at the Institute of Mathematics of the Czech Academy of Sciences in Prague, Czech Republic hosted by Professor Pavel Pudlák with a grant from the Knuth and

Alice Wallenberg Foundation

RESEARCH INTERESTS Computational complexity, proof and circuit complexity, communication complexity,

graph theory

EMPLOYMENT School of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, KTH Royal Insti-AND EDUCATION tute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden

Ph.D. in Theoretical Computer Science, August 2014 – August 2019

o PhD Thesis: Lower Bounds and Trade-offs in Proof Complexity

o Advisor: Prof. Jakob Nordström

Simons Institute for the Theory of Computing, Berkeley CA, USA

Research Fellow, August – December 2018

Program: Lower Bounds in Computational Complexity

Institute of Mathematics and Statistics, University of São Paulo, Brazil

M.Sc. in Computer Science, March 2012 – May 2014

- o Master's Dissertation: Longest Paths in Graphs
- o Advisor: Prof. Yoshiko Wakabayashi
- Funding: Grant from Fapesp 11/16348-0

B.Sc. in Computer Science, February 2008 – December 2011

- o GPA 8.8 (out of 10)
- o Scientific Initiation Scholarship, August 2009 February 2012
 - Title: Topics in Combinatorics and Graph Theory
 - o Advisor: Prof. Yoshiko Wakabayashi
 - o Funding: Grant from CNPq 116402/2009-1, 123740/2010-0, 800430/2011-5

AWARDS

- Prize for Excellent Doctoral Dissertation 2018/2019 awarded by SMC (Stockholm Mathematics Centre).
- M.Sc. thesis selected by CSBC (Congress of the Brazilian Society of Computer Science) among the top 10 in Brazil in the area of Computer Science in 2014
- B.Sc. degree awarded with Honorable Mention for Outstanding Achievement, April 2012
- Gold Medal in the V National Symposium of Scientific Initiation held at the Institute of Pure and Applied Mathematics (IMPA), Rio de Janeiro, November 2010

PARTICIPATION

Conferences

IN EVENTS

- CCC 2019 New Brunswick, NJ, USA, July 18 20, 2019
 - o Oral Presentation: Nullstellensatz Size-Degree Trade-offs from Reversible Pebbling
- STOC 2018 Los Angeles, CA, USA, June 25 29, 2018
 - o Oral Presentation: Clique is Hard on Average for Regular Resolution
- ITCS 2017 Berkeley, CA, USA, January 8 11, 2017
 - Accepted paper: Cumulative Space in Black-White Pebbling and Resolution
- o FOCS 2016 New Brunswick, NJ, USA, October 9 11, 2016
 - Oral Presentation: How Limited Interaction Hinders Real Communication (and What It Means for Proof and Circuit Complexity)
- o ICGT 2014 Grenoble, France, June 30 July 4, 2014
 - Accepted extended abstract: On the Proper Orientation Number of Bipartite Graphs
- o EuroComb 2011 Budapest, Hungary, August 29 September 2, 2011
 - Oral Presentation: Intersection of Longest Paths in a Graph

Workshops

- Algebraic Techniques in Computational Complexity held at Banff International Research Station (BIRS), Canada, July 7 - 12, 2019
 - Oral Presentation: Lifting with Simple Gadgets and Applications to Circuit and Proof Complexity
- Theory and Practice of Satisfiability Solving held at Casa Matemtica Oaxaca (CMO), Mexico, August 26 31, 2018
 - Oral Presentation: Clique is Hard for State-of-the-Art Algorithms
- Proof Complexity and Beyond held at Mathematisches Forschungsinstitut Oberwolfach, Germany, August 13 19, 2017
 - Oral Presentation: Clique is Hard on Average for Regular Resolution
- Low-Depth Complexity Workshop held at Chebyshev Laboratory, St. Petersburg, Russia, May 21 - 25, 2016
- Proof Complexity Workshop held at Chebyshev Laboratory, St. Petersburg, Russia, May 15 - 20, 2016
- Dagstuhl Seminar 14421 Optimal algorithms and proofs held at Dagstuhl,
 Germany, October 12 17, 2014

PUBLICATIONS

- 1. Susanna F. de Rezende, Jakob Nordstrm, Dmitry Sokolov, and Kilian Risse, "Exponential Lower Bounds for Weak Pigeonhole Principle and Perfect Matching Formulas over Sparse Graphs", Technical Report TR19-174 Electronic Colloquium on Computational Complexity (ECCC), 2019.
- Susanna F. de Rezende, Or Meir, Jakob Nordström, Toniann Pitassi, Robert Robere, Marc Vinyals, "Lifting with Simple Gadgets and Applications for Cutting Planes", Submitted manuscript, 2019.
- 3. Susanna F. de Rezende, Or Meir, Jakob Nordström, Robert Robere, "Null-stellensatz Size-Degree Trade-offs from Reversible Pebbling", In Proceedings of the 34th Computational Complexity Conference (CCC 2019), 2019.
- Albert Atserias, Ilario Bonacina, Susanna F. de Rezende, Massimo Lauria, Jakob Nordström, Alexander Razborov, "Clique is Hard on Average for Regular Resolution", In Proceedings of the 50th Annual ACM Symposium on Theory of Computing (STOC 2018), 2018.

- Joël Alwen, Susanna F. de Rezende, Jakob Nordström, Marc Vinyals, "Cumulative Space in Black-White Pebbling and Resolution", in Proceedings of the 8th Innovations in Theoretical Computer Science Conference (ITCS 2017), 67:38:1–38:21, 2017.
- Susanna F. de Rezende, Jakob Nordström, Marc Vinyals, "How Limited Interaction Hinders Real Communication (and What It Means for Proof and Circuit Complexity)", In Proceedings of the 57th Annual IEEE Symposium on Foundations of Computer Science (FOCS 2016), 295–304, 2016.
- 7. Julio Araujo, Nathann Cohen, **Susanna F. de Rezende**, Frédéric Havet, Phablo F.S. Moura, "On the proper orientation number of bipartite graphs", *Theoretical Computer Science*, 566:59–75, 2015.
- 8. Susanna F. de Rezende, Cristina G. Fernandes, Daniel M. Martin, Yoshiko Wakabayashi, "Intersecting Longest Paths", *Discrete Mathematics*, 313(12):1401–1408, 2013.
- 9. **Susanna F. de Rezende**, Cristina G. Fernandes, Daniel M. Martin, Yoshiko Wakabayashi, "Intersection of Longest Paths in a Graph", *Electronic Notes in Discrete Mathematics*, 38:743–748, 2011.

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Swedish and French Intermediate
German Basic