

Curriculum Vitae

1 Personal Information

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| Address | Norman, Oklahoma, US, ZIP - 73071 |
| Languages | Bangla (native), English (fluent), Hindi (fluent) and Sanskrit (intermediate) |

2 Research Interests

I'm interested in Algebraic Number Theory, specifically L-functions of modular forms and elliptic curves.

3 Work Experience

3.1 The University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK, US (ongoing since 2021)

I currently work here as a Graduate Teaching Assistant. I've served as a discussion leader or grader in many semesters. Below are the classes that I taught as an Instructor of Record:

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| Summer 2024 | Calculus and Analytic Geometry III (Math-2433) |
| Fall 2023 | Precalculus and Trigonometry (Math-1523) |
| Summer 2022 | Precalculus and Trigonometry (Math-1523) |

4 Education

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| 2021-2019-2021 | PhD in Mathematics from The University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK, US M. Math. Mathematics (First Division with Distinction) from Indian Statistical Institute, Bengaluru, Karnataka, India |
| 2016-2019 | B.Sc. (Hons.) Mathematics (First Class) from Ramakrishna Mission Residential College, Narendrapur, Kolkata, WB, India |
| 2016 | Grade O in Higher Secondary examination |
| 2014 | Grade AA in Secondary Examination |

5 Awards and Achievements

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| Spring 2024 | I was the recipient of the 2024 C. Eugene Springer Scholarship. |
| Spring 2021 | I was among the 9 students selected for PhD at the prestigious TIFR (Tata Institute for Fundamental Research), Mumbai. |
| Fall 2019 | I got into the top quartile in Simon Marais Mathematics Competition and received a special mention. |
| Fall 2019 | I secured a nationwide rank 10 in CSIR-UGC NET, December 2019. |
| Spring 2019 | I secured nationwide rank 2 in the M. Math. entrance test of ISI (Indian Statistical Institute). |
| Spring 2019 | I was among the 15 students selected for interview at the prestigious CMI (Chennai Mathematical Institute) for M.Sc. in Mathematics. |
| Spring 2019 | I secured nationwide rank 87 in JAM 2019 and was among the 5 students selected for admission in the prestigious IISc (Indian Institute of Science) for integrated PhD in Mathematics. |
| 2016 | I received the prestigious INSPIRE SHE scholarship (for the period 2016-2019). |

6 Programming

I have experience with the languages SageMath, Lean 4, Rust, Haskell, C, Python, OCaml, JavaScript, C++, HTML, \LaTeX , and some SQL. I'm also familiar with Linux, Docker, and shell programming.

7 Projects and Internships

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| Summer 2023 | Formalization of Mathematics Summer School from 5-16 June in SLMath (formerly MSRI), Berkeley, CA [We learned about the Lean 4 proof assistant and I, as part of a team, did a project to prove a bunch of theorems related to Krull dimension to be put into Mathlib.] |
| Fall 2022 | PAWS (Preliminary Arizona Winter School): Heights in Diophantine Geometry under the guidance of Dr. Padmavathi Srinivasan of ICERM |
| Summer 2022 | Research project on statistical trends of coefficients of L-functions of elliptic curves under the guidance of Dr. Kimball Martin of the University of Oklahoma |
| Spring 2021 | Project titled “Primes of the form $p = x^2 + ny^2$ ” under the guidance of Dr. Ramesh Sreekantan of ISI Bengaluru |
| Fall 2020 | Category Theory course under Dr. Amit Kuber of IIT Kanpur |
| Summer 2017 | NPTEL course in Graph Theory (2017) : Got 93% in the certification exam |
| 2015 | INSPIRE Internship during class XI |

8 Presentations/Talks

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| Spring 2024 | “Proof Formalization in Lean, or: how to trick your computer into doing (even) more math” with Dr. Mario Morán Cañón in OU Math Club at the University of Oklahoma |
| Spring 2024 | “Exceptional Primes and Where to Find Them” in MathFest at the University of Oklahoma |
| Spring 2024 | “A (very) Brief Introduction to Lean 4” in Student Algebra Seminar at the University of Oklahoma |
| Fall 2023 | “On Congruences of Coefficients of Modular Forms” in the ARTS (Algebra and Representation Theory Seminar) at the University of Oklahoma |
| Fall 2023 | “On Congruences of Coefficients of Modular Forms” in Student Presentation Seminar at the University of Oklahoma |
| Spring 2023 | “Elliptic Curves and Integer Factorization” in Student Presentation Seminar at the University of Oklahoma |
| Fall 2022 | “Motivations and Consequences of the Prime Number Theorem” in SPS (Student Presentation Seminar) at the University of Oklahoma |
| Fall 2021 | “Primes of the Form $p = x^2 + ny^2$ ” in Student Algebra Seminar at the University of Oklahoma |
| Spring 2021 | “Primes of the Form $p = x^2 + ny^2$ ” for final semester project presentation at the Indian Statistical Institute |
| Spring 2019 | “Planar Graphs and n-Holed Tori” at RKMRC Narendrapur |

9 Conferences Attended

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| Fall 2024 | Building Bridges: 6th EU/US Summer School & Workshop on Automorphic Forms and Related Topics at Centre International de Rencontres Mathématiques (CIRM), Marseille, France |
| Spring 2024 | TORA (Texas-Oklahoma Representations and Automorphic forms) XIII at University of North Texas, Denton, TX, US |
| Spring 2024 | Hybrid Conference on AI-Math organized by UERJ, RJ, Brazil |
| Fall 2023 | TORA (Texas-Oklahoma Representations and Automorphic forms) XII at University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK, US |
| Spring 2023 | SLAM (Southwest Local Algebra Meeting) 2023 at University of North Texas, Denton, TX, US |
| Fall 2022 | TORA (Texas-Oklahoma Representations and Automorphic forms) XI at Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, OK, US |
| 2016,17,18 | Analytica at St. Xavier’s College, Kolkata, India |

10 Standardised Tests

- **TOEFL iBT (November 2019)**
Reading (29), Listening (30), Speaking (25) and Writing (26)
Total - **110/120**

11 Extracurricular Activities

11.1 Organization and Leadership

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| Spring 2024 | Organized the Student Algebra Seminar |
| Fall 2020 | Organized Mathletics (an online math event during the pandemic) with some like minded friends |
| Spring 2018 | Organized Infinity (a two day inter-college math competition organized by the Department of Mathematics and the Department of Statistics) in Spring as a representative of the Department of Mathematics |

11.2 Hobbies

- I'm a hobbyist programmer and a firm believer of the FOSS philosophy.
- I'm a coffee enthusiast. I love making and drinking coffee; and also have interest in learning about the science and history of coffee-making.
- I like to participate in quizzes, having competed in state level competitions and won awards in district level competitions.
- I'm also interested in literature. I've published several poems in both my native language Bangla and English. Also, like most people, I love music and movies.

12 Declaration

I hereby declare that the details and information given above are complete and true to the best of my knowledge.

Date : September 5, 2024
Place : Norman, OK, US

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Signature