

Curriculum Vitae for Mikkel Thorup (generated October 7, 2017)

Birth: Copenhagen, Denmark, February 13th, 1965.

Citizenships: Denmark and United States of America.

Education

1986–1990 *Technical University of Denmark*. Ba.Sc+M.Sc. Thesis work supervised by Prof. D. Bjørner. Degree awarded October 31, 1990.

1989–1990 *University of Oxford*. Visiting student at the Computing Laboratory with Prof. C.A.R. Hoare as supervisor.

1990–1993 *University of Oxford*. Doctor of Philosophy in the Faculty of Mathematical Sciences. Supervised by Dr. W.F. McColl (Computing Laboratory), Dr. C. McDiarmid (Dept. of Statistics), and partly by Prof. D. Welsh (Dept. of Mathematics). Degree awarded March 5, 1994.

1992–1993 *DIMACS*. Visiting Research Fellow during special year in Combinatorial Optimization organized by Prof. L. Lovazs and Prof. P. Seymour, invited by P. Seymour. I was the only Research Fellow invited without a completed PhD.

Employment

1993–1998 *University of Copenhagen*. Associate Professor. The last half year, I was a visitor at *Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT)*.

1998–2013 *AT&T Labs Research*. Lead Member of Technical Staff.

Since 2013 *University of Copenhagen*. Full Professor.

2013-2018 Head of Center for *Efficient Algorithms and Data Structures (EADS)* supported by an Advanced Grant of €1.3 million from the Danish Council for Independent Research under the Sapere Aude research carrier programme.

2017–2023 VILLUM Investigator and Head of Center for *Basic Algorithms Research Copenhagen (BARC)* supported by a €5.3 million grant from the VILLUM Foundation.

Honorary

1997 *Distinguished Visiting Professor at Max-Planck-Institut für Informatik*. Presented as a kind of award which included giving some award lectures.

2003 *AT&T Research Excellence Award*. Internal award.

2005 *Fellow of the ACM—for contributions to algorithms and data structures*. ACM is the main academic society of computer science, publishing most of the top journals. The ACM Fellows Program was established by the Council in 1993 to recognize and honor outstanding ACM members for their achievements in computer science and information technology and for their significant contributions to the mission of the ACM. The ACM Fellows serve as distinguished colleagues to whom the ACM and its members look for guidance and leadership as the world of information technology evolves. About 30 fellows are named each year for all of Computer Science.

2006 *Member of the Royal Danish Academy of Sciences and Letters*.

2010 *AT&T Fellow Honor*—for outstanding innovation in algorithms, including advanced hashing and sampling techniques applied to AT&T’s Internet traffic analysis and speech services.

AT&T annually acknowledges those individuals in its technical community who have made continual, outstanding and unique contributions to AT&T and the world through their technical and scientific achievements. These men and women are bestowed with the AT&T Fellows Honor for making a great impact on the business and the scientific world. In 2010 AT&T gave three such honors.

2011 *MAA Robbins Prize*. The prize is given once every three years to the author or authors of an outstanding paper in algebra, combinatorics, or discrete mathematics. Co-winner for [111]. *The papers describe an impressive result in discrete mathematics; the problem is easily understood and the arguments, despite their depth, are easily accessible to any motivated undergraduate.*

2015 *Villum Kann Rasmussen Annual Award for Technical and Scientific Research*. The biggest individual research prize in Denmark.

Other appointments

2001 – 2003 *IT-University of Copenhagen*. Member of Foresight Panel.

2009–2015 *Octoshape*. Member of Advisory Board until it got sold to Akamai.

Research

My main area of research is algorithms and data structures. While working at AT&T, I have also worked a lot with applications within the Internet. Besides publishing papers on the Internet, I got many patents granted, and I had several algorithms running on the AT&T backbone.

Publication venues

To help the reader from a different field appreciate the record, let me point to the top journals and conferences from an algorithms perspective. The *Association for Computing Machinery (ACM)* is the main academic society of computer science and the *Journal of the ACM* is the flagship journal on principles of computing. The second best journal is *SIAM Journal of Computing*. Below these two top journals there are many good options such as the best specialized journals *ACM Transactions on Algorithms* (former *Journal of Algorithms*) and *Algorithmica* as well as general computer science journals such as *Information and Computation* and *Journal of Computer and Systems Sciences*.

In computer science, publication in very selective refereed conference proceedings is crucial for impact. The two top conferences are the general theory conferences *ACM Symposium on Theory of Computing (STOC)* and *IEEE Symposium on Foundations of Computer Science (FOCS)*. Below these, on the second highest level, we have the more European *International Colloquium on Automata Languages, and Programming (ICALP)* as well as the more specialized *ACM-SIAM Symposium on Discrete Algorithms (SODA)*. The above is only the hit list for algorithms which is my main area. I publish in several other areas, e.g., in applied Internet research where *ACM/IEEE Transactions on Networking* is the top specialized journal while the two top conferences are *SIGCOMM* and *INFOCOM*.

Editorial Boards

- Associate Editor of *Journal of Discrete Algorithms* 1998-2004.
- Associate Editor of *Journal of Algorithms*¹ 1999–2004.
- Associate Editor of *ACM Transactions on Algorithms* since 2004–2015.
- Associate Editor of *SIAM Journal on Computing* since 2004.
- Area Editor of Algorithms and Data Structures for *Journal of ACM* since 2004.
- Associate Editor of *Theory of Computing* — an open access journal, since 2005.

Program Committees

- The 29th Annual ACM Symposium on Theory of Computing (STOC), El Paso, Texas, May 4–6, 1997.
- The 25th International Colloquium on Automata Languages, and Programming (ICALP), Aalborg, Denmark, July, 1998.
- The 24th International Symposium on Mathematical Foundations of Computer Science (MFCS), September 6–10, 1999, Szklarska Poreba, Poland
- The 34th Annual ACM Symposium on Theory of Computing (STOC), Montréal, Québec, Canada, May 19–21 2002.
- The 36th Annual ACM Symposium on Theory of Computing (STOC), Chicago, Illinois, USA, June 13–15 2004.
- The 46th Annual IEEE Symposium on Foundations of Computer Science (FOCS), Pittsburgh, USA, October 23–25, 2005
- The 39th Annual ACM Symposium on Theory of Computing (STOC), San Diego, CA, USA, June 11–13 2007.
- The 41st Annual ACM Symposium on Theory of Computing (STOC), Bethesda, MD, USA, May 31–June 2, 2009.
- The 51st Annual IEEE Symposium on Foundations of Computer Science (FOCS), Las Vegas, NV, USA, October 23–26, 2010.
- The 23rd Annual ACM-SIAM Symposium on Discrete Algorithms (SODA), Kyoto, Japan, January 17–19, 2012.
- The 45th Annual ACM Symposium on Theory of Computing (STOC), Palo Alto, CA, USA, June 1–4, 2013.
- The 46th Annual ACM Symposium on Theory of Computing (STOC), New York, NY, USA, May 31–June 3, 2014.
- The 43rd International Colloquium on Automata Languages, and Programming (ICALP), Rome, Italy, 12–15 July, 2016.
- The 28th Annual ACM-SIAM Symposium on Discrete Algorithms (SODA), Barcelona, Spain, January 16–19, 2017.

¹Participated in the *J. Algorithms* editorial board resignation against high commercial prizing, creating *ACM Trans. Algorithms* instead.

Students

While at University of Copenhagen in 1993-1998 I supervised the thesis work of 9 Master's students and 1 PhD student. The average mark for the Master's thesis I supervised was 10.9 which is excellent in the Danish system. My thesis supervision was mostly research oriented and resulted in several publications with students [9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 87, 88]. My PhD student, Stephen Alstrup first became Associate Professor at the IT-University in Copenhagen. Then he became CEO for his upstart company Octoshape doing streaming algorithms, streaming content to more than 100 million customers before it got sold to Acamai. I was myself on the Technical Advisory Board for Octoshape. He is now a full professor in my group at DIKU.

While at AT&T I have been mentor for Mihai Pătraşcu from MIT who was awarded the 2005 Outstanding Male Undergraduate Award by the Computing Research Association. After he finished his PhD at MIT, he joined my group at AT&T, continuing our productive collaboration. He is one of two co-winners of the 2012 EATCS Presburger Award for young scientists.

Since I returned to DIKU in 2013 I have (co-)supervised 4 PhD-students that all finished in 2017, all with outstanding publication records: Søren Dahlgaard and Mathias Bæk Tejs Knudsen who co-founded a start-up Supwiz, Eva Rotenberg who is now Associate Professor at the Technical University of Denmark, and Mikkel Abrahamsen who joined 3shape. My current PhD students are Jacob Holm and Anders Aamand.

Publications

H-factor 55 according to Google Scholar on October 7, 2017, with 13,297 citations. In my field, we normally follow the tradition of alphabetic ordering of authors to indicate equal authorship. This tradition is only broken in extreme cases.

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- [2] Ittai Abraham, Cyril Gavoille, Dahlia Malkhi, Noam Nisan, and Mikkel Thorup. Compact name-independent routing with minimum stretch. *ACM Transactions on Algorithms*, 4(3):Article 37, 2008. Announced at SPAA'04.
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