Curriculum Vitae

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1 Education

MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, Cambridge, MA.

Ph.D., Computer Science August 2001

Dissertation: List Decoding of Error-Correcting Codes Winner, ACM Doctoral Dissertation Award, 2002.

Advisor: Professor Madhu Sudan

Master of Science, Computer Science May 1999

Thesis: Query-efficient Checking of Proofs and Improved PCP Characterizations of NP.

INDIAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, MADRAS (Chennai, India)

Bachelor of Technology (B.Tech), Computer Science and Engineering

June 1997

Postdoctoral fellowship

MILLER RESEARCH FELLOW

Miller Institute for Basic Research in Science
University of California, Berkeley, CA.

2 Employment

Computer Science Department

Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA.

• Director of Ph.D. program

June 2019 - present

• Professor July 2014 - present

• Associate Professor (tenured)

July 2009 - June 2014

• Visiting Associate Professor Sept 2008 - June 2009

VISITING RESEARCHER March-May 2018

Center for Mathematical Sciences and Applications, Harvard University.

Visiting Professor July 2017-Feb 2018

School of Physical & Mathematical Sciences, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore.

VISITING RESEARCHER January-June 2014

Microsoft Research New England.

Member, School of Mathematics Sept 2007 - May 2008

Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton, NJ.

Department of Computer Science and Engineering

University of Washington, Seattle, WA.

• Associate Professor (tenured; on leave) Sept 2007 - June 2009

• Assistant Professor Sept 2002 - Sept 2007

3 Research Interests

I am broadly interested in Algorithms, Computational Complexity, and Coding/Information Theory. Specific areas of interest include error-correcting codes, approximation algorithms and hardness of approximation, probabilistically checkable proofs, fast exponential time algorithms and fine-grained complexity, explicit

combinatorial constructions, the theory of pseudorandomness, computational and communication complexity, streaming and sub-linear computation, and algebraic algorithms.

4 Awards and Honors

Simons Investigator, 2020.

IEEE Fellow, 2019.

ACM Fellow, 2017.

EATCS Presburger Award, 2012.

Invited speaker, International Congress of Mathematicians, August 2010.

Best paper award (joint with C. Umans and S. Vadhan), Computational Complexity Conference, 2007.

David and Lucile Packard Fellowship for Science and Engineering, 2005. (One out of 16 fellows.)

Alfred P. Sloan Foundation Fellow, 2005.

Work on algebraic error-correction featured by the National Science Foundation in its "Discoveries" section. Original article, dated August 11, 2004, available at:

http://nsf.gov/discoveries/disc_summ.jsp?cntn_id=100256&org=NSF.

NSF Faculty Early Career Development (CAREER) Award, 2004.

Association for Computing Machinery (ACM) Doctoral Dissertation Award, 2002, for best doctoral thesis in Computer Science and Engineering.

George M. Sprowls Award, MIT, 2002, for best Ph.D thesis submitted to the Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, MIT.

Miller Research Fellowship, 2001.

IEEE Information Theory Society Paper Award (joint with Madhu Sudan), 2000.

IBM Graduate Research Fellowship, 1999-2001.

AT&T Leadership Award, 1997

3rd position, Indian National Mathematical Olympiad, 1992.

National Board for Higher Mathematics (NBHM) scholarship, India, 1993-97.

National Talent Search Scholar, India, 1991.

5 Professional activities

- Simons Institute Scientific Advisory Board, Feb 2020-present.
- President, Computational Complexity Foundation, June 2018-July 2021.
- ArXiv moderator, cs.IT, April 2018-present.
- Editor-in-Chief, ACM Transactions on Computation Theory, 2017-2019.
- Conference Program Committee Chair (Technical)
 - 41st IARCS Conference on Foundations of Software Technology and Theoretical Computer Science (FSTTCS, Track A), 2022.

- 2018 IEEE International Symposium on Information Theory (ISIT, co-chair)
- 56th IEEE Conference on Foundations of Computer Science (FOCS 2015).
- 27th IEEE Conference on Computational Complexity (CCC'12), June 2012.

• Journal Editorial Boards:

- Journal of the ACM, 2015-present.
- SIAM Journal on Computing, 2009-17.
- Research in the Mathematical Sciences, 2016-present.
- IEEE Transactions on Information Theory, 2010-2013.
- ACM Transactions on Computation Theory, 2008-2015.

• Workshop/program organization

- Co-organizer, Durham Symposium on Mathematics of Constraint Satisfaction, Summer 2021 (postponed from July 2020 due to Covid-19).
- Co-organizer, Dagstuhl Seminar in June 2018 on The Constraint Satisfaction Problem: Complexity and Approximability.
- Co-organizer, Workshop on Mathematics of Information-Theoretic Cryptography, Institute of Mathematical Science, National University of Singapore, September 2016.
- Co-organizer, Program on Information Theory (Spring 2015 semester), Simons Institute for the Theory of Computing.
- Co-organizer, Dagstuhl Seminar in July 2015 on The Constraint Satisfaction Problem: Complexity and Approximability.
- Co-organizer, School and Workshop on Mathematics of Information-Theoretic Cryptography,
 Lorentz Center, Leiden, May 13-17 and May 21-25, 2013,
- Co-organizer, Summer Thematic Program on Constraint Satisfaction, Fields Institute, Toronto, July-August 2011.
- Member, Board of Trustees and Awards Chair, Computational Complexity Foundation, Inc., August 2014-present.
- SIGACT executive committee member, July 2012-June 2015.
- Conference Steering Committee, IEEE Conference on Computational Complexity (CCC), July 2012-August 2014.
- Scientific board member, Electronic Colloquium on Computational Complexity, 2009-present.
- Area editor (Coding algorithms), Encyclopedia of Algorithms (published by Springer)
- Guest editorshop for journal special issues:
 - Guest co-editor (with S. Chawla and C. Dwork), SIAM J. Computing, special issue on selected papers from STOC 2008.
 - Guest co-editor (with V. Kabanets), *Computational Complexity*, **16**(2), 2007. Special issue on selected papers from CCC 2006 the 21st IEEE Conference on Computational Complexity.
 - Guest co-editor (with E. Cohen), Journal of Computer and System Sciences, **68**(4), June 2004. Special issue on selected papers from FOCS 2002.

• Conference Program Committee memberships:

- (i) STOC 2022, 54th ACM Symposium on Theory of Computing, June 2022.
- (ii) FOCS 2019, 60th Annual IEEE Symposium on Foundations of Computer Science, November 2019.
- (iii) APPROX 2017, 20th Intl. Workshop on Approximation Algorithms for Combinatorial Optimization Problems, August 2017.

- (iv) STOC 2015, 47th ACM Symposium on Theory of Computing, June 2015.
- (v) ISITA 2012, International Symposium on Information Theory and its Applications, October 2012.
- (vi) ISIT 2012, IEEE International Symposium on Information Theory, July 2012.
- (vii) STOC 2011, 43rd ACM Symposium on Theory of Computing, June 2011.
- (viii) CCC 2010, 25th IEEE Conference on Computational Complexity, June 2010.
- (ix) SODA 2010, ACM-SIAM Symposium on Discrete Algorithms, January 2010.
- (x) FSTTCS 2008, 28th Annual Conference on Foundations of Software Technology and Theoretical Computer Science, December 2008.
- (xi) STOC 2008, 40th ACM Symposium on Theory of Computing, May 2008.
- (xii) ITW 2008, Information Theory Workshop, May 2008.
- (xiii) LATIN 2008, 8th Latin American Theoretical Informatics Symposium, April 2008.
- (xiv) CATS 2008, Computing: The Australasian Theory Symposium, January 2008.
- (xv) APPROX 2007, 10th Intl. Workshop on Approximation Algorithms for Combinatorial Optimization Problems, August 2007.
- (xvi) ISIT 2006, IEEE International Symposium on Information Theory, July 2006.
- (xvii) CCC 2006, 21st IEEE Conference on Computational Complexity, July 2006.
- (xviii) FOCS 2005, 46th Annual IEEE Symposium on Foundations of Computer Science, October 2005.
- (xix) FSTTCS 2005, 25th Annual Conference on Foundations of Software Technology and Theoretical Computer Science, December 2005.
- (xx) FOCS 2002, 43rd Annual IEEE Symposium on Foundations of Computer Science, November 2002.
- Organizer, Minisymposium on coding theory, DM 2006: SIAM Conference on Discrete Mathematics, June 2006.
- NSF panel member for Computing and Communication Foundations (CCF) and Division of Mathematical Sciences (DMS), various years.
- Reviewer of research proposals for Israel Science Foundation (ISF), various years.
- Reviewer of research proposals for United States-Israel Binational Science Foundation (BSF), various years.

6 Graduate student and postdoc supervision

Current Ph.D. students

- Peter Manohar
- Sai Sandeep Pallerla
- Andrii Riazanov

Graduated Ph.D. students

- Atri Rudra, June 2007.

Dissertation title: List decoding and property testing of error-correcting codes. Co-winner of the William Chan Memorial Dissertation Award at the University of Washington. Atri is a Professor at University at Buffalo, The State University of New York.

- Prasad Raghavendra, August 2009.

Dissertation title: Approximating NP-hard problems: Efficient algorithms and their limits. Co-winner of the William Chan Memorial Dissertation Award at the University of Washington. Prasad is an Associate Professor at the University of California, Berkeley.

- Ali Kemal Sinop, May 2012.

Dissertation title: Graph partitioning and semidefinite programming hierarchies.

Ali Kemal is currently a faculty member at Nazarbayev University in Nur-Sultan (previously Astana), Kazakhstan.

- Yuan Zhou, August 2014.

Dissertation title: New Directions in Approximation Algorithms and Hardness of Approximation. Yuan is currently an Assistant Professor of Industrial and Enterprise Systems Engineering at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

- Carol Wang, September 2015.

Dissertation title: Beyond unique decoding: topics in error-correcting codes. Carol was till recently a postdoc at the National University of Singapore.

- Ameya Velingker, August 2016.

Dissertation title: New Directions in Coding Theory: Capacity and Limitations Ameya is currently a research scientist at Google.

- Euiwoong Lee, May 2017.

Dissertation title: Optimal Approximabilities beyond CSPs

Euiwoong is currently a postdoctoral fellow at New York University, and will start in Fall 2020 as an Assistant Professor at the University of Michigan.

- Vijay Bhattiprolu, June 2019.

Dissertation title: On the Approximability of Injective Tensor Norm

Vijay is currently a postdoc at Princeton University and the Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton.

- Nicolas Resch, May 2020.

Dissertation title: List-Decodable Codes: (Randomized) Constructions and Applications Nic is headed to a postdoc at CWI, Amsterdam.

Postdocs

- Jonathan Mosheiff, Oct 2019-present.
- Mary Wootters, Sept 2014-July 2016.

Current employment: Stanford University (Assistant Professor)

- Ankit Singh Rawat, Sept 2015-August 2016.

Current employment: Research Scientist, Google (New York)

- Aravindan Vijayaraghayan (Simons postdoctoral fellow), Sept 2012-July 2014.

Current employment: Northwestern University.

- Mahdi Cheraghchi, Sept 2011-June 2013.

Current employment: University of Michigan (Assistant Professor)

- Krzysztof Onak (Simons postdoctoral fellow), Sept 2010-Aug 2012.

Current employment: IBM T.J. Watson Research Center (Research scientist)

- Rishi Saket, Sept 2009-Aug 2010.

Current employment: IBM Research India (Researcher)

- Parikshit Gopalan, March 2007-June 2008.

Current employment: VMWare Research (Research scientist)

7 Selected invited talks/lecture series

(since 2010)

- T1) "Recent Progress on Binary Deletion-Correcting Codes," Highlights of Algorithms, Survey Talk, June 2021.
- T2) "The polymorphic gateway between structure and algorithms: Constraint Satisfaction and Beyond," Shanghai Jiao Tong University Colloquium, April 2021.
- T3) "Strong refutation of semi-random Boolean CSPs," CSDM seminar, Institute for Advanced Study, March 2021.
- T4) 'Arıkan meets Shannon: Polar codes with near-optimal convergence to channel capacity," Shanghai Jiao Tong University (virtual seminar), September 2020.
- T5) "Arıkan meets Shannon: Polar codes with near-optimal convergence to channel capacity," TCS-plus seminar series, April 2020.
- T6) "Sub-packetization of Minimum Storage Regenerating codes: A lower bound and a work-around," Google Research, Mountain View, August 2019.
- T7) "The polymorphic gateway between structure and algorithms: Constraint Satisfaction and Beyond," TCS-IITM Colloquium, Indian Institute of Technology Madras, March 2019.
- T8) "Sub-packetization of Minimum Storage Regenerating codes: A lower bound and a work-around", Theory seminar, Stanford University, February 2019.
- T9) "Solving a linear system with a global congruency constraint," Institute of Mathematical Sciences, Chennai, India, January 2019.
- T10) "Algebraic CSP dichotomy theorem: A polymorphic gateway between structure and algorithms," Plenary lecture, Oberwolfach Complexity Theory meeting, Mathematisches Forschungsinstitut Oberwolfach, November 2018.
- T11) "Lossless dimension expanders," Oberwolfach Complexity Theory meeting, Mathematisches Forschungsinstitut Oberwolfach, November 2018.
- T12) "The polymorphic gateway between structure and algorithms: CSPs and beyond," Distinguished Lecture, Department of Computer Science, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, October 2018.
- T13) "The polymorphic gateway between structure and algorithms: Beyond CSPs," Algorithms and Randomness Center Colloquium, Georgia Tech, December 2018.
- T14) "How many deleted bits can one recover?", Georgia Tech undergraduate "big-O" theory club, December 2018.
- T15) "Polymorphic inquiries: (Promise) constraint satisfaction, fine-grained complexity, and more," Lecture series $(5 \times 1.5 \text{ hours})$, Institute of Mathematical Sciences, Chennai, India, July-August 2018.
- T16) "Improved bounds for perfect hashing," MIT Algorithms and Complexity seminar, May 2018.
- T17) "Polymorphisms beget algorithms: Promise CSP, fine-grained complexity, and more," 3 hour lecture, Harvard University (Center of Mathematical Sciences and Applications), May 2018.
- T18) "Ta-Shma's explicit construction of near optimal low-rate binary codes," 3 hour lecture, Harvard University (Center of Mathematical Sciences and Applications), March 2018.
- T19) "A lower bound for maximally recoverable codes with locality," CQT, National University of Singapore, February 2018.

- T20) "Promise Constraint Satisfaction," CQT, National University of Singapore, January 2018.
- T21) "Subspace evasion, list decoding, and dimension expanders," Harvard CMSA workshop on algebraic methods in combinatorics, Nov 2017.
- T22) "Promise Constraint Satisfaction," MIT Theory Colloquium, Nov 2017.
- T23) "Progress in Error-Correction: A Survey," Mathematics Colloquium, Nanyang Technological University, September 2017.
- T24) "Linear-algebraic pseudorandomness: Subspace designs and dimension expanders," Simons Institute Workshop on Proving and Using Pseudorandomness, Berkeley, March 2017.
- T25) "Progress in error-correction: New codes for old noise models," Distinguished Lecture Series, School of Computer and Communication Sciences, École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne, November 2016.
- T26) " $(2 + \epsilon)$ -SAT is NP-hard, and further results on promise constraint satisfaction," Krannert School of Management Speaker Series, Purdue University, November 2016.
- T27) "Progress in error-correction: New codes for old noise models," Distinguished Lecture Series, College of Information and Computer Sciences, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, October 2016.
- T28) "Repairing Reed-Solomon codes," Dagstuhl seminar on Coding Theory in the time of big data, August 2016.
- T29) "Recent progress on codes for worst-case deletions," ICERM Workshop on Algorithmic Coding Theory, June 2016.
- T30) "An Improved Bound on the Fraction of Correctable Deletions," Simons Institute Information Theory reunion workshop, June 2016.
- T31) "Analysis of polymorphisms and promise constraint satisfaction," Simons Symposium on Analysis of Boolean Functions, Schloss Elmau, April 2016.
- T32) "Coloring low-discrepancy hypergraphs, Weak Polymorphisms, and Promise Constraint Satisfaction," NII Shonan Meeting on Current Trends in Combinatorial Optimization, April 2016.
- T33) "Recent progress on codes for worst-case deletions," Algorithms and Computation Theory Seminar, University of Texas at Austin, February 2016.
- T34) "Repairing Reed-Solomon Codes," Oberwolfach Complexity Theory Meeting, November 2015.
- T35) "Progress in error-correction: New codes for old noise models," EECS Distinguished Speaker Series, Northwestern Universty, October 2015.
- T36) "Progress in error-correction: New codes for old noise models," ECE Colloquium, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, October 2015.
- T37) "List and local error-correction," 8th North American School of Information Theory, 3 hour tutorial, August 10-13, 2015.
- T38) "Advances in Error-correction: List decoding and polar coding," Swedish Summer School in Computer Science, Five 2.5 hour lectures, June 28-July 4, 2015.
- T39) "Communication with Imperfectly Shared Randomness," Banff workshop on Communication Complexity and Applications: August 2014.
- T40) "Reed-Muller testing: implications for small set expansion & hypergraph coloring," Bertinoro Workshop on Sublinear Algorithms, Bertinoro, Italy: May 2014.
- T41) "Polar codes: Reliable communication with complexity scaling polynomially in the gap to Shannon capacity," Invited talk, New York area Theory Day, Columbia University: April 2014.

- T42) "Polar codes: Reliable communication with complexity polynomial in the gap to Shannon capacity," Coding Theory Workshop, AUB Center for Advanced Mathematical Sciences, Beirut, Lebanon: April 2014.
- T43) "List error-correction with information-theoretically minimal redundancy," 3 hour invited lecture, 2014 IEEE European School of Information Theory, Tallinn, Estonia: April 2014.
- T44) "Superlinear lower bounds for multipass graph processing," Brown ICERM Theory Seminar: April 2014.
- T45) "Polar codes: Reliable communication with complexity polynomial in the gap to Shannon capacity," Invited talk at 33rd Conference on Foundations of Software Technology and Theoretical Computer Science (FSTTCS), Guwahati, India: December 2013.
- T46) "List decoding by evading subspaces," 3 hour lecture, Microsoft Research New England/MIT theory reading group: February 2014.
- T47) "Polar codes: Reliable communication with complexity scaling polynomially in the gap to Shannon capacity," MIT Theory Colloquium: February 2014.
- T48) Simons Symposium on New Approaches in Approximation Algorithms for NP-hard problems, "Rounding Lasserre SDPs using column selection for spectrum-based guarantees," February 2013.
- T49) University of Warsaw, Phdopen lectures, "Algorithmic coding theory: Some recent advances," 7 hours of lectures, November 2012.
- T50) University of Maryland, Invited lecture in theory day, "Linear-algebraic list decoding and subspace-evasive sets," October 2012.
- T51) Tsinghua-MIT-CUHK Research Center Workshop on Theoretical Computer Science, "Lasserre hierarchy, higher eigenvalues, and graph partitioning," July 2012.
- T52) Presburger Award lecture, ICALP 2012, "List decoding and pseudorandomness: A web of connections," July 2012.
- T53) Institute for Advanced Study, CSDM seminar, "Lasserre hierarchy, higher eigenvalues, and graph partitioning," Feb 2012.
- T54) Charles University, KAM Mathematical Colloquium, "List error-correction algorithms: A survey," Nov 2011.
- T55) Chennai Mathematical Institute, Workshop on Pseudorandomness, 4 lectures on algebraic list decoding, locally decodable codes, and related pseudorandomness, August 2011.
- T56) Princeton center for computational intractability, Workshop on Approximation Algorithms: The Last Decade and the Next, " PCPs and Inapproximability: Recent Milestones, and New and Continuing Challenges," June 2011.
- T57) MIT Theory Colloquium, "Bridging Shannon and Hamming: Codes for computationally simple channels," March 2011.
- T58) Institut Henri Poincare, Workshop on Metric embeddings, algorithms and hardness of approximation, "Bypassing UGC: Inapproximability of Subspace Approximation," January 2011.
- T59) Weizmann Institute, Walmart Lecture Series in Cryptography and Complexity, "Bridging Shannon and Hamming: Codes for computationally simple channels," December 2010.
- T60) 3rd Eastern Great Lakes Theory of Computation Workshop, University at Buffalo, "Bridging Shannon and Hamming: Codes for computationally simple channels," October 2010.

- T61) Koetterfest, Workshop on Facets of Coding Theory: from Algorithms to Networks, "On the list-decodability of random linear codes," September 2010.
- T62) ICM 2010 Satellite Conference On Algebraic and Probabilistic Aspects of Combinatorics and Computing, "List-decodability of random linear codes," August 2010.
- T63) International Congress of Mathematicians (ICM), Invited sectional talk (Mathematical aspects of Computer Science), "Bridging Shannon and Hamming: List Error-Correction with Optimal Rate," August 2010.

8 Publications

8.1 Books

- [B1] V. Guruswami. Algorithmic Results in List Decoding, volume 2 of Foundations and Trends in Theoretical Computer Science (FnT-TCS). NOW publishers, January 2007.
- [B2] V. Guruswami. List decoding of error-correcting codes. Springer, Lecture Notes in Computer Science 3282, 2004. (Winning Thesis of the 2002 ACM Doctoral Dissertation Competition).

8.2 Journal Publications

- [J1] J. Brakensiek and V. Guruswami. Promise constraint satisfaction: Algebraic structure and a symmetric Boolean dichotomy. SIAM Journal on Computing, 2021. Accepted for publication.
- [J2] V. Guruswami, N. Resch, and C. Xing. Lossless dimension expanders via linearized polynomials and subspace designs. *Combinatorica*, 2021. Pubished online at https://doi.org/10.1007/s00493-020-4360-1.
- [J3] V. Guruswami and J. Håstad. Explicit two-deletion codes with redundancy matching the existential bound. *IEEE Transactions on Information Theory*, 2021. Accepted for publication.
- [J4] J. Brakensiek, V. Guruswami, M. Wrochna, and S. Zivný. The power of the combined basic linear programming and affine relaxation for promise constraint satisfaction problems. SIAM J. Comput., 49(6):1232–1248, 2020.
- [J5] V. Guruswami, S. Lokam, and S. Vikneshwar. epsilon-MSR codes: Contacting fewer code blocks for exact repair. *IEEE Transactions on Information Theory*, 66(11):6749–6761, 2020.
- [J6] V. Guruswami, L. Jin, and C. Xing. Constructions of maximally recoverable local reconstruction codes via function fields. *IEEE Trans. Inf. Theory*, 66(10):6133–6143, 2020.
- [J7] S. Gopi, V. Guruswami, and S. Yekhanin. Maximally recoverable LRCs: A field size lower bound and constructions for few heavy parities. *IEEE Trans. Inf. Theory*, 66(10):6066–6083, 2020.
- [J8] V. Guruswami and S. Sandeep. Rainbow coloring hardness via low sensitivity polymorphisms. SIAM J. Discret. Math., 34(1):520–537, 2020.
- [J9] V. Guruswami and R. Li. Coding against deletions in oblivious and online models. *IEEE Trans. Inf. Theory*, 66(4):2352–2374, 2020.
- [J10] M. Dalai, V. Guruswami, and J. Radhakrishnan. An improved bound on the zero-error list-decoding capacity of the 4/3 channel. IEEE Trans. Information Theory, 66(2):749–756, 2020.
- [J11] V. Guruswami and R. Li. Polynomial time decodable codes for the binary deletion channel. IEEE Trans. Information Theory, 65(4):2171–2178, 2019.
- [J12] V. Guruswami, C. Xing, and C. Yuan. How long can optimal locally repairable codes be? IEEE Trans. Information Theory, 65(6):3662–3670, 2019.

- [J13] A. S. Rawat, I. Tamo, V. Guruswami, and K. Efremenko. MDS code constructions with small sub-packetization and near-optimal repair bandwidth. *IEEE Trans. Information Theory*, 64(10):6506–6525, 2018.
- [J14] J. Brakensiek, V. Guruswami, and S. Zbarsky. Efficient low-redundancy codes for correcting multiple deletions. *IEEE Trans. on Information Theory*, 64(5):3403–3410, 2018.
- [J15] V. Guruswami and E. Lee. Strong inapproximability results on balanced rainbow-colorable hypergraphs. *Combinatorica*, 38(3):547–599, 2018.
- [J16] V. Guruswami, C. Xing, and C. Yuan. Constructions of subspace designs via algebraic function fields. Trans. Amer. Math. Soc., 370:8757–8775, 2018.
- [J17] V. Guruswami and E. Lee. Inapproximability of *H*-transversal/packing. *SIAM J. Discrete Math.*, 31(3):1552–1571, 2017.
- [J18] V. Guruswami and M. Wootters. Repairing Reed-Solomon codes. *IEEE Trans. Information Theory*, 63(9):5684–5698, 2017.
- [J19] P. Austrin, V. Guruswami, and J. Håstad. $(2 + \epsilon)$ -SAT is NP-hard. SIAM Journal on Computing, 46(5):1554-1573, 2017.
- [J20] C. L. Canonne, V. Guruswami, R. Meka, and M. Sudan. Communication with imperfectly shared randomness. *IEEE Trans. Information Theory*, 63(10):6799–6818, 2017.
- [J21] V. Guruswami and E. Lee. Towards a characterization of approximation resistance for symmetric CSPs. *Theory of Computing*, 13(1):1–24, 2017.
- [J22] B. Bukh, V. Guruswami, and J. Håstad. An improved bound on the fraction of correctable deletions. *IEEE Transactions on Information Theory*, 63(1):93–103, 2017.
- [J23] V. Guruswami and C. Wang. Deletion codes in the high-noise and high-rate regimes. *IEEE Trans. Information Theory*, 63(4):1961–1970, 2017.
- [J24] V. Guruswami and E. Lee. Nearly optimal NP-hardness of unique coverage. SIAM J. Comput., 46(3):1018–1028, 2017.
- [J25] V. Guruswami, L. Jin, and C. Xing. Efficiently list-decodable punctured reed-muller codes. *IEEE Trans. Information Theory*, 63(7):4317–4324, 2017.
- [J26] V. Guruswami, P. Harsha, J. Håstad, S. Srinivasan, and G. Varma. Super-polylogarithmic hypergraph coloring hardness via low-degree long codes. SIAM J. Comput., 46(1):132–159, 2017.
- [J27] M. Cheraghchi and V. Guruswami. Non-malleable coding against bit-wise and split-state tampering. Journal of Cryptology, 30(1):191–241, 2017.
- [J28] V. Guruswami and A. Smith. Optimal rate code constructions for computationally simple channels. Journal of the ACM, 63(4):35:1–35:37, 2016.
- [J29] V. Guruswami, C. Wang, and C. Xing. Explicit list-decodable rank-metric and subspace codes via subspace designs. *IEEE Trans. Information Theory*, 62(5):2707–2718, 2016.
- [J30] V. Guruswami and E. Lee. Simple proof of hardness of Feedback Vertex Set. *Theory of Computing*, 12(6):1–11, 2016.
- [J31] V. Guruswami and K. Onak. Superlinear lower bounds for multipass graph processing. *Algorithmica*, 76(3):654–683, 2016.
- [J32] V. Guruswami and E. Lee. Complexity of approximating CSP with balance / hard constraints. *Theory Comput. Syst.*, 59(1):76–98, 2016.

- [J33] M. Cheraghchi and V. Guruswami. Capacity of non-malleable codes. *IEEE Transactions on Information Theory*, 62(3):1097–1118, 2016.
- [J34] V. Guruswami and S. Kopparty. Explicit subspace designs. Combinatorica, 36(2):161–185, 2016.
- [J35] V. Guruswami, P. Raghavendra, R. Saket, and Y. Wu. Bypassing UGC from some optimal geometric inapproximability results. *ACM Trans. Algorithms*, 12(1):6, 2016.
- [J36] I. Dinur and V. Guruswami. PCPs via low-degree long code and hardness for constrained hypergraph coloring. *Israel Journal of Mathematics*, 209(2):611–649, 2015.
- [J37] V. Guruswami and C. Xing. Optimal rate algebraic list decoding using narrow ray class fields. J. Comb. Theory, Ser. A, 129:160–183, 2015.
- [J38] V. Guruswami and P. Xia. Polar codes: Speed of polarization and polynomial gap to capacity. *IEEE Transactions on Information Theory*, 61(1):3–16, 2015.
- [J39] V. Guruswami, S. Sachdeva, and R. Saket. Inapproximability of minimum vertex cover on k-uniform k-partite hypergraphs. SIAM Journal on Discrete Mathematics, 29(1):36–58, 2015.
- [J40] V. Guruswami, A. K. Sinop, and Y. Zhou. Constant factor Lasserre integrality gaps for graph partitioning problems. SIAM Journal on Optimization, 24(4):1698–1717, 2014.
- [J41] V. Guruswami and S. Narayanan. Combinatorial limitations of average-radius list-decoding. *IEEE Transactions on Information Theory*, 60(10):5827–5842, 2014.
- [J42] M. Cheraghchi, V. Guruswami, and A. Velingker. Restricted isometry of Fourier matrices and list decodability of random linear codes. *SIAM Journal on Computing*, 42(5):1888–1914, 2013.
- [J43] V. Guruswami and C. Wang. Linear-algebraic list decoding for variants of Reed-Solomon codes. *IEEE Transactions on Information Theory*, 59(6):3257–3268, 2013.
- [J44] V. Guruswami and A. K. Sinop. Improved inapproximability results for maximum k-colorable subgraph. Theory of Computing, 9(11):413–435, 2013.
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