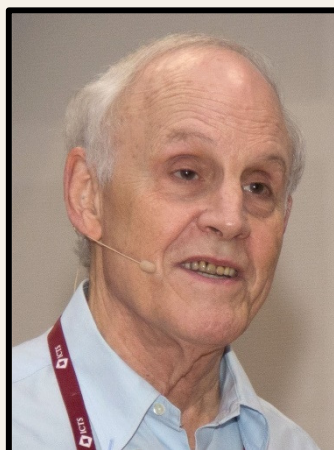
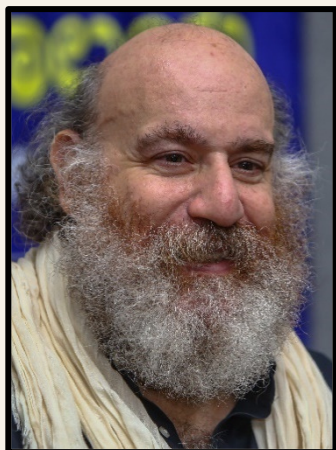


ACTIVITY REPORT

(May-August 2025)





WILLIAM BIALEK was elected to the prestigious American Academy of Arts and Sciences (AAA&S).

DAVID J. GROSS was awarded the 2025 Basic Science Lifetime Award (BSLA) in Physics by the International Congress of Basic Science (ICBS).

ICTS-TIFR signed a new collaboration with Ashoka University's Meetings and Workshops Office. This partnership marks an important step towards fostering interdisciplinary research and academic exchange.

ICTS-TIFR launched the Pushkala and Ramani Travel Fellowship for ICTS Women Researchers for the year 2025-26.

I | ICTS ACTIVITIES

Summary of Programming Activities *(For details see following pages)*

Programs/Discussion Meetings held: 12

Academic visitors to ICTS-TIFR: 83

Seminars and colloquia: *(For details see Annexure – A)*

Summary of Research Activities *(For details see Annexure - B)*

Papers published: 49

arXiv submissions: 44

Ia. PROGRAMS

Geometry and Analysis of Minimal Surfaces

Organizers: Rukmini Dey (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru), Rafe Mazzeo (Stanford University, USA), Charles Ouyang (Washington University, USA) and Franz Pedit (University of Massachusetts, Amherst, USA) | 18-29 August 2025

Data Science: Probabilistic and Optimization Methods II

Organizers: Jatin Batra (TIFR, Mumbai), Vivek Borkar (IIT Bombay, Mumbai), Sandeep Juneja (Ashoka University, India), Praneeth Netrapalli (Google DeepMind, India) and Devavrat Shah (MIT, Cambridge, USA) | 4-15 August 2025

Unifying Theories in High-Dimensional Biophysics

Organizers: Marianne Bauer (Delft University of Technology, Netherlands), Akshit Goyal (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru), Sidhartha Goyal (University of Toronto, Canada) and Gautam Reddy (Princeton University, USA) | 21 July-1 August 2025

Advanced Machine Learning for Earth System Modeling

Organizers: Roxy Mathew Koll (IITM Pune), Bipin Kumar (IITM Pune), Adway Mitra (IIT Kharagpur) and Shikha Singh (IITM Pune) | 7-18 July 2025

Summer School on Gravitational-Wave Astronomy

Organizers: Parameswaran Ajith (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru), K.G. Arun (CMI, Chennai), Bala R. Iyer (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru) and Prayush Kumar (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru) | 7-18 July 2025

Summer School for Women in Physics 2025

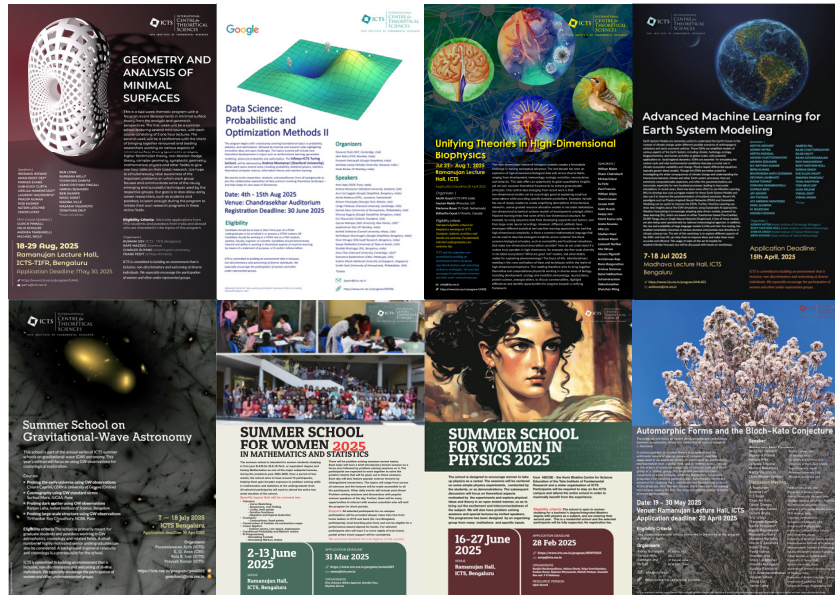
Organizers: Ranjini Bandyopadhyay (RRI, Bengaluru), Mahua Ghosh (Mount Carmel College, Bengaluru), Kripa Gowrishankar (APU, Bengaluru), Sushan Konar (NCRA Pune), P.K. Mohanty (IISER Kolkata), Rajaram Nityananda (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru), Shirish Pathare (HBCSE Mumbai) and Sumathi Rao (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru) | 16-27 June 2025

Summer School for Women in Mathematics and Statistics

Organizers: Nikita Agarwal (IISER Bhopal), Siva Athreya (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru), Rhythm Grover (IIT Guwahati) and Dootika Vats (IIT Kanpur) | 2-13 June 2025

Automorphic Forms and the Bloch-Kato Conjecture

Organizers: Ashay Burungale (University of Texas, Austin, USA), Haruzo Hida (University of California, Los Angeles, USA), Somnath Jha (IIT Kanpur) and Ye Tian (MCM, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China) | 19-30 May 2025



II. DISCUSSION MEETINGS

Discussion Meeting on Fractionalized Quantum Matter

Organizers: Subhro Bhattacharjee, Rajesh Gopakumar, Sumathi Rao and Shitadhi Roy (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru), Arindam Ghosh (IISc, Bengaluru) | 28-29 July 2025

Harmonic Maass Forms, Mock Modular Forms and Their Applications

Organizers: Ajit Bhand (IISER Bhopal) and Karam Deo Shankhadhar (IISER Bhopal) | 30 June-4 July 2025

Geometry, Probability, and Algorithms

Organizers: Akash Kumar (IIT Bombay, Mumbai), Anand Louis (IISc, Bengaluru) and Piyush Srivastava (TIFR, Mumbai) | 12-16 May 2025

Gravitational Wave Open Data Workshop 2025

Organizers: Parameswaran Ajith (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru), Ankur Barsode (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru), Bala Iyer (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru), Alorika Kar (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru), Prayush Kumar (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru), Akash Maurya (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru) and Koustav Narayan Maity (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru) | 12-14 May 2025



Ic. LECTURE SERIES

TURING LECTURES

The Mathematics of Large Machine Learning Models

Andrea Montanari (Stanford University, USA) | 11 August 2025

DISTINGUISHED LECTURES

A Strange New Universe: Where Bizarre Quantum Particles Rule

Jainendra Jain (Pennsylvania State University, USA) | 11 July 2025

PUBLIC LECTURES

Frontiers of Science

David Gross (Kavli Institute for Theoretical Physics, University of California, Santa Barbara, USA) | 4 August 2025



Id. VISITS OF SCIENTISTS

The following researchers visited ICTS during May-August 2025.

1. **Arul Lakshminarayan**, IIT Madras, Chennai
2. **Kartik Prabhu**, Raman Research Institute, Bengaluru
3. **Bhaskar Mukherjee**, S.N. Bose National Centre for Basic Sciences, Kolkata
4. **R. Shankar**, Institute of Mathematical Sciences, Chennai
5. **Aradhita Chattopadhyay**, Chennai Mathematical Institute, Chennai
6. **Manish**, Institute of Mathematical Sciences, Chennai
7. **Arindam Bhattacharya**, Harvard University, USA
8. **Pratik Wagle**, Max Planck Institute for Gravitational Physics, Germany
9. **Srijan Kumar**, Indian Institute of Science, Bengaluru
10. **Trishen Gunaratnam**, TIFR, Mumbai
11. **Tejaswi Venumadhav Nerella**, University of California, Santa Barbara, USA
12. **Ankur Renduchintala**, Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Rajasthan
13. **Ajay Mohan**, TIFR, Mumbai
14. **Satyam Sinha**, IISER, Pune
15. **Shakti Aishvarya**, St Joseph's University, Bengaluru
16. **Sudeshna Bhattacharjee**, Indian Institute of Science, Bengaluru

17. **Pankaj Sekhsaria**, Centre for Technology Alternatives for Rural Areas (CTARA)
18. **Supritha Bhowmick**, IISER Pune
19. **Suvendu Giri**, Perimeter Institute, Canada
20. **Apan Dinda**, IIT Hyderabad
21. **Pranay Agarwal**, University of Toronto, Canada
22. **Md Arif Shaikh**, Vivekananda Satavarshiki Mahavidyalaya, Jhargram
23. **Praful Gagrani**, University of Tokyo, Japan
24. **Tousif Islam**, Kavli Institute for Theoretical Physics, USA
25. **Biswajit Sahoo**, King's College London, UK
26. **Bhaswar Bhattacharya**, University of Pennsylvania, USA
27. **Aditya Vijaykumar**, Canadian Institute for Theoretical Astrophysics, Canada
28. **Sayak Bhattacharjee**, Stanford University, USA
29. **Srinivas Raghu**, Stanford University, USA
30. **Sourendu Gupta**, TIFR, Mumbai
31. **Ritam Mallick**, IISER Bhopal
32. **Sudipta Sarkar**, IIT Gandhinagar
33. **Debdipta Goswami**, Ohio State University, USA
34. **Dibyendu Roy**, Raman Research Institute, Bengaluru
35. **Udit Khanna**, Physical Research Laboratory, Ahmedabad
36. **Sreeman Reddy Kasi Reddy**, Weizmann Institute of Science, Israel
37. **Dootika Vats**, IIT Kanpur
38. **Sunil Mukhi**, IISER Pune
39. **Jainendra Jain**, Pennsylvania State University, USA
40. **Kshitij Gajjar**, International Institute of Information Technology, Hyderabad
41. **Nihar B Shah**, Carnegie Mellon University, USA
42. **Vikramaditya Giri**, ETH Zurich, Switzerland
43. **Ranveer Kumar Singh**, Rutgers University, USA
44. **Ajit Bhand**, IISER Bhopal
45. **Trishen Gunaratnam**, TIFR, Mumbai
46. **Ashvin Vishwanath**, Harvard University, USA
47. **Prashant Kocherlakota**, Harvard University, USA
48. **Vidyanand Nanjundiah**, Centre for Human Genetics, Bengaluru
49. **Priya Subramanian**, University of Auckland, New Zealand
50. **Adhip Agarwala**, IIT Kanpur
51. **Carmen Coelho**, Centre for Human Genetics, Bengaluru
52. **Mahesh M. Bandi**, Okinawa Institute of Science and Technology Graduate University, Japan
53. **K. G. Arun**, Chennai Mathematical Institute, Chennai
54. **Dhruv Shah**, IISER Mohali
55. **Abhiram Kidambi**, Max Planck Institute for Mathematics in the Sciences, Germany
56. **Satyen Patel**, IISER Pune
57. **Pradip Kumar**, Shiv Nadar university, Delhi
58. **Rahul Kumar Singh**, IIT Patna
59. **Manan Bhatia**, MIT, USA
60. **Ganpathy Murthy**, University of Kentucky, USA
61. **Archak Purkayastha**, IIT Hyderabad
62. **Satyam Sinha**, IISER Pune

63. **Trishen Gunaratnam**, TIFR, Mumbai
64. **Dipankar Roy**, Université Côte d'Azur, France
65. **Siddhartha Mukherjee**, IIT Kanpur
66. **Sreejith G.J.**, IISER Pune
67. **Shivaji Roy Chowdhury**
68. **Khushi**, IIT Mandi
69. **Yenisi Das**, ISI Kolkata
70. **Priyadarshini Pandit**, IIT Kanpur
71. **Sangeeth Krishnan**, NIT Calicut
72. **Bikram Pal**, IISER Kolkata
73. **Anubhav Ganguly**, IISER Mohali
74. **Navin Sridhar**, Stanford University, USA
75. **Adith Sai Aramthottil**, Jagiellonian University, Poland
76. **Arjun Mandyam Dhati**, IISER Pune
77. **Joe P. Ninan**, TIFR Mumbai
78. **Donal O'Connell**, University of Edinburgh, Scotland
79. **Akshatha Suresh**, National Institute of Technology, Calicut
80. **Sayantan Mandal**, IISER, Tirupati
81. **Shraddhanjali Choudhury**, IIT Madras, Chennai
82. **Shivani Choudhury**, Bangalore University, Bengaluru
83. **Kush Coshic**, Max Planck Institute of Biophysics, Germany

I.e. NEWS ON GRANTS, AWARDS AND FELLOWSHIPS



RAMA GOVINDARAJAN received the **Outstanding Referee Award of the American Physical Society (APS)**. She was awarded **J.C. Bose grant** of ANRF (Anusandhan National Research Foundation).



SIVA ATHREYA, JAIKUMAR RADHAKRISHNAN and ASHOKE SEN were awarded the prestigious 2025 **INSA Distinguished Lecture Fellowship**.



MANAS KULKARNI, ANUPAM KUNDU AND ICTS postdoctoral fellow JITENDRA KETHEPALLI (along with Herbert Spohn of Technische Universität, München, Germany)'s publication in the Journal of Statistical Mechanics, titled "Lax Random Matrices from Calogero Systems," was selected for the **Highlights collection by the JSTAT Scientific Directors**.



PARAMESWARAN AJITH and PRAYUSH KUMAR, in collaboration with their Italian partners at Gran Sasso Science Institute in L'Aquila (Jan Harms and Andrea Maselli), were awarded a **joint Indo-Italian research grant** under the international bilateral Science & Technology program of the DST.



ICTS Senior Visiting Professor GAUTAM MANDAL was awarded the prestigious **DAE Raja Ramanna Chair**.



ICTS Endowed Visiting Professor SRIRAM RAMASWAMY was elected as an **international member of the prestigious National Academy of Sciences (NAS) of the USA.**



ICTS graduate student SANTHIYA PS was selected for the spring term of the **predoctoral program at the Center for Computational Astrophysics (CCA)** at the Flatiron Institute, Simons Foundation, USA.

II | ICTS PEOPLE

IIa FACULTY

1. AAVISHKAR PATEL (currently at Flatiron Institute, USA) will join the ICTS-TIFR faculty on 1 September 2025. He uses theoretical and computational techniques to study strongly correlated gapless quantum states of matter, focusing on their dynamical properties and on the role of inhomogeneities
2. B. SURY (retired as professor at Indian Statistical Institute, Bengaluru) joined ICTS-TIFR as visiting faculty in July 2025.
3. The following scientists have joined ICTS-TIFR as Faculty Associates:
 PRASHANT KUMAR (IIT Bombay, Mumbai)
 JUNAID MAJEED BHAT (University of Kashmir, Kupwara)
 BALA IYER (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru)
 ASHWIN NAYAK (University of Waterloo, Canada)
 RAJU VENUGOPALAN (Brookhaven National Laboratory, USA)
 RAJARAM NITYANANDA (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru)

IIb STUDENTS

GRADUATE PROGRAM

1. Fourteen students joined the 2025 graduate studies program on August 1, 2025. The breakup is as follows:

Program	No. of students joined
Physics	8
Applied and Computational Mathematics	1
Mathematics	1
Physics of Life	4

2. This semester ICTS-TIFR is offering 15 courses (including elective, reading and core courses). Please refer to the website for more details: <https://courses.icts.res.in/course/index.php?categoryid=27>
 Students from other institutions can enroll for ICTS courses. Apart from the ICTS courses, students have registered for courses from IISc, TIFR Colaba, CAM-TIFR, NCBS.
3. An orientation session for new students was held on 5 August 2025. As part of the orientation week held between 4-8 August 2025, various research groups offered an open hour, where some of the faculty/postdocs had an informal chat with the new students about the research that they do.
4. Following students registered for their PhD via Datanet 2.0:

- a. **2022 Integrated PhD batch:** Kunal Kumar, Manish Jain, Neha Sharma, Priyanka Sinha, Sunit Ranjan Banerjee, Anikat Kankaria, Atharva Sanjay Naik
 - b. **2023 PhD batch:** Sam K Mathew, Shaibal Karmakar, Anjali Kundalpady, Anwesha Dey, Babli Khatun, Debanjan Karan, Devadevan M M, Naveen Kumar D, Pradeeptha R Jain, Ritesh Purushottam Harshe, Seema, Jyotirmoy Barman,
5. The following students defended their thesis.
 - a. **Souvik Jana** (GS 2019 PhD Batch) defended his thesis on 04 June 2025.
 - b. **Saurav Pandey** (GS 2018 Int. PhD Batch) defended his thesis on 16 June 2025.
 - c. **Aditya Kumar Sharma** (GS 2018 Int. PhD Batch) defended his thesis on 15 July 2025
6. The following students submitted their thesis.
 - a. **Shivam Kumar Sharma** (Advisor: R. Loganayagam)
 - b. **Uddeeptha Deka** (Advisor: P Ajith)
7. The following students submitted their synopsis.
 - a. **Sparsh Gupta** (Advisor: Manas Kulkarni)
 - b. **Aditya Singh Rajput** (Advisor: Vijaykumar Krishnamurthy)
 - c. **Harshit Joshi** (Advisor: Rama Govindarajan)
8. Graduate Studies Admissions 2025
 - a. Offline interviews for the Graduate Studies in Physical Sciences Program 2025 via GATE/CSIR stream was conducted on 16, 17 and 18 June 2025. One offer was made.
 - b. Offline interviews for the Graduate Studies in Physics of Life Program 2025 via GATE/CSIR stream was conducted on 20 June 2025. Anoop T of Cochin University of Science and Technology has joined the program.
9. The summer 2025 semester commenced on 1 May 2025 and graduate students have registered for the following summer projects and reading courses.
 - a. Reading course on Introduction to Atmospheric and Oceanic Flows (Rama Govindarajan).
 - b. Reading course on Modern Theory of Turbulence (Samriddhi Sankar Ray).
 - c. Reading course on Problem Solving Techniques in Analysis (Siva Athreya).
 - d. Reading course on Visual Geometry and Topology (Pranav Pandit).

POSTDOCTORAL PROGRAM

1. Postdoctoral applications for the summer cycle 2026 is currently in the screening stage:
<https://www.icts.res.in/academic/postdoctoral-fellowships>
2. Subsequent affiliations of postdocs who finished their tenure at ICTS-TIFR between May-August 2025

- a. **Athira P.V.:** Postdoctoral fellow at Institute of Mathematical Sciences, Chennai
 - b. **Arun Kumar Varanasi:** Assistant Professor at Saintgits College, Kerala
 - c. **Subham Ghosh:** Postdoctoral fellow at Asia Pacific Centre for Theoretical Physics (APCTP), South Korea
 - d. **Rohit Sarma Sarkar:** Postdoctoral fellow at N3Cat-Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya in Barcelona
3. From the Fall 2025 hiring cycle, 4 candidates have joined ICTS as postdoctoral fellows: Amit Kumar, Shrinit Singh, Venkata Sai Saketh Muddu and Kaushik Paul.

LONG-TERM VISITING STUDENTS PROGRAM

Applications were invited for the ICTS Long-Term Visiting Students Program 2025. <https://www.icts.res.in/academic/long-term-visiting-student-program>.

Following students have joined the program in August 2025:

Name	Current Affiliation	Faculty Mentor
Aditi Anand	Institute of Chemical Technology, Mumbai	Vishal Vasan
Aman Kushwaha	University of Delhi	Siva Athreya
Aniket Nath	NISER, Bhubaneswar	Pallavi Bhat
Anuraag Reddy	IISER, Pune	Prayush Kumar
Anwasha Malla	IISc, Bengaluru	Sthitadhi Roy
Arjun Mandyam Dhati	IISER, Pune	Akshit Goyal
Kaustav Choubey	Universite Paris-Saclay, Orsay, France	Riddhipratim Basu & Anirban Basak
Priyanka Karmakar	ISI, Bengaluru	Siva Athreya
Rajit Sen	IISER, Kolkata	Anupam Kundu
Sai Anirudh Kumar Korukonda	IISc, Bengaluru	Sumathi Rao
Satyen Patel	IISER, Pune	Rukmini Dey
Shashank Singh	IIT Dhanbad	Jim Thomas
Trinanda Bhuyan	Tezpur University, Assam	Sumathi Rao

ICTS - S. N. BHATT MEMORIAL EXCELLENCE FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

The ICTS - S. N. Bhatt Memorial Excellence Fellowship Program 2025 was conducted between 12 May 2025 to 4 July 2025. Seven students joined the eight-week long program. For more details, please visit <https://www.icts.res.in/academic/summer-research-program>

Name	Affiliation	Faculty Mentor	Project title
Adrija Chatterjee	ISI, Bengaluru	Siva Athreya	Box Dimension of Fractals
Aishee Bhattacharya	ISI, Kolkata	Anirban Basak & Riddhipratim Basu	Ising model and phase transition: on locally tree-like graphs
Naman Mishra	IISc, Bengaluru	Anirban Basak & Riddhipratim Basu	Fast Mixing for Graph Colorings
Nishant Lamboria	ISI, Kolkata	Anirban Basak & Riddhipratim Basu	Cutoff for the Ising Model on Finite Regular Graphs via Information Percolation
Reet Jaiswal	IISER, Mohali	Brato Chakrabarti	Flows in hairy channels
Siddhesh Patil	IISc, Bengaluru	Trishen Gunaratnam	Weakly self-avoiding walks in high dimensions
Soumyadip Niyogi	IISER, Thiruvananthapuram	Pallavi Bhatt	Detectability of Simulated Synchrotron Emission from Magnetic Reconnection in Galaxy Clusters

III | OUTREACH

PUBLIC LECTURE

Frontiers of Science

David Gross (Kavli Institute for Theoretical Physics, University of California, Santa Barbara, USA) | 4 August 2025

KAAPI WITH KURIOSITY

The Mathematics of Soap Bubbles

Franz Pedit (University of Massachusetts, Amherst, USA) | 24 August 2025

How to Read a Genome

Michael Desai (Harvard University, USA) | 27 July 2025

What's in your DNA? Tales from the Human Genome

Shweta Ramdas (Centre for Brain Research, IISc campus, Bengaluru) | 22 June 2025

Coding Theory: Error-Resilience via Judicious Redundancy

Venkatesan Guruswami (University of California, Berkeley, USA) | 10 May 2025

MATHS CIRCLE INDIA

ICTS conducted five online Maths Circle India sessions during May-August 2025.

Session 82

Conducted by: Mainak Ghosh, R. Nandagopal and B. Sury | **Interactive session:** 22 August 2025

Session 81

Conducted by: Abhishek Bhattacharjee | **Interactive session:** 18 July 2025

Session 80

Conducted by: Abhishek Bhattacharjee | **Interactive session:** 4 July 2025

Session 79

Conducted by: Akash Kumar | **Interactive session:** 26 June 2025

Session 78

Conducted by: Akash Kumar | **Interactive session:** 12 June 2025

ICTS-RRI MATHS CIRCLE

During May-August 2025, seven maths circle sessions were held at the Raman Research Institute, Bengaluru.

Session 51

Conducted by: Disha Kuzhively, Joseph Samuel | **Interactive session:** 09 August 2025

Session 50

Conducted by: Joseph Samuel | **Interactive session:** 26 July 2025

Session 49

Conducted by: Joseph Samuel | **Interactive session:** 12 July 2025

Session 48

Conducted by: Ashwin Guha | **Interactive session:** 28 June 2025

Session 47

Conducted by: Ashwin Guha | **Interactive session:** 14 June 2025

Session 46

Conducted by: Jaikumar Radhakrishnan | **Interactive session:** 24 May 2025

Session 45

Conducted by: Jaikumar Radhakrishnan | **Interactive session:** 10 May 2025

MATHSPARK SPECIAL EVENTS**MathSpark 2025**

Conducted by: Kaushik Basu (University of California, Berkeley, USA) | **Interactive session:** 8 August 2025

How Many Digits Does the Repeating Decimal Expansion of $1/1729$ Have?

Conducted by: Apoorva Khare (IISc Bengaluru) | **Interactive session:** 8 May 2025

SCHOOL VISITS

The ICTS Outreach team visited St. Anne's School in Hesaraghatta on 3 July 2025, and conducted a workshop on Commensurables and Irrationals for 47 students of Class 10. Through hands-on activities using paper strips and string as measuring tools, students explored the idea that all positive rational numbers are commensurable with each other. They were also introduced to the technique of proof by contradiction. During the session, two students observed that the set of even numbers and the set of natural numbers can be put in one-to-one correspondence. The session ended with a note on the many open questions in mathematics that still remain unsolved, and how future researchers perhaps some among them will be needed to help find the answers.

The ICTS Outreach team also visited HSLN Global Smart School in Hesaraghatta on 1 July 2025 and conducted a short workshop for 26 students from classes 8, 9, and 10. The session focused on understanding the number π . Students explored two methods of estimating π . One method involved using a circular disc and thread to measure the ratio of the

circumference and the diameter, and the other using polygons with an increasing number of sides drawn inside and outside a circle to calculate their perimeters. Through hands-on activities and visual aids, students gained insight into how pi was estimated in ancient times using geometry.

MOVIE SCREENING

There was a special movie screening of *Galois. Story of a Revolutionary Mathematician*, a cinematic journey through the short yet extraordinary life of Évariste Galois—mathematical genius, political radical, and romantic hero on 30 July 2025.

BOOK READING

An afternoon that brought science and art together through a reading from the new book *Two Revolutions: Einstein's Relativity and Quantum Physics*, jointly authored by the late black hole physicist C. V. Vishveshwara and his daughter, theoretical physicist Smitha Vishveshwara. The book explores the twin revolutions of Einstein's relativity and quantum physics, woven through personal reflections and imaginative storytelling. The event will feature artists and physicists sharing science, dramatized dialogues spanning themes from the quantum to cosmic, and a dance performance interpreting the story of the Universe and the rhythm of scientific discovery through movement.

ANNEXURE - A

The following are the details of seminars and colloquia during the period May-August 2025:

Symmetric Tensor Scars with Tunable Entanglement from Volume to Area Law

Bhaskar Mukherjee (S.N. Bose National Centre for Basic Sciences, Kolkata) | 26 August 2025

Lensing, Not Luck! Forecasting the Efficiency of Gravitational-wave Strong Lensing Search

Ankur Barsode (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru) | 21 August 2025

Scarring and Quantum-classical Correspondence for Quantum Channels

Arul Lakshminarayan (Indian Institute of Technology Madras, Chennai) | 20 August 2025

Computing Infrared Observables in Scattering

Kartik Prabhu (Raman Research Institute, Bengaluru) | 20 August 2025

The Howe-Moore Ergodicity Theorem

T. N. Venkataramana (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru) | 19 August 2025

A Catalogue and a Warning: The Great Nicobar Betrayal

Pankaj Sekhsaria (Centre for Technology Alternatives for Rural Areas, IIT Bombay) | 18 August 2025

Probing Gravity using Black Hole Ringdown

Pratik Wagle (Max Planck Institute for Gravitational Physics, Germany) | 18 August 2025

Open Quantum Mechanics for Cosmological Observers

Omkar Sanjay Shetye (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru) | 18 August 2025

Renormalons as Saddle Points

Arindam Bhattacharya (Harvard University, USA) | 18 August 2025

A "Dictionary" to Test GR with GW: From Observations to Theory

Suvendu Giri (Perimeter Institute, Canada) | 14 August 2025

Loops in Cosmological Correlators

Supritha Bhowmick (IISER, Pune) | 13 August 2025

Dirichlet's Theorem, Continued

T. N. Venkataramana (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru) | 12 August 2025

Solitons on Vaidya Spacetime and Hypersurfaces in Pseudo-Euclidean Space

Savita Rani (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru) | 11 August 2025

Inhomogeneous Phases and Glasses - A Many-body Perspective

Zohar Nussinov (Washington University in Saint Louis, USA) | 8 August 2025

Taming Eccentricity in Binary Black Hole Mergers

Tousif Islam (Kavli Institute for Theoretical Physics, USA) | 8 August 2025

Defining Eccentricity for Spin-precessing Binaries

Md Arif Shaikh (Vivekananda Satavarshiki Mahavidyalaya, Jhargram) | 7 August 2025

Möbius Randomness in the Hartle-Hawking State

Victor Godet (Sorbonne University, France) | 6 August 2025

Dirichlet's Theorem on the Infinitude of Primes

T. N. Venkataramana (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru) | 5 August 2025

Autocatalytic Reaction Networks in Ecology, Evolutionary Biology, and Economics

Praful Gagrani (The University of Tokyo, Japan) | 4 August 2025

Magnetized Bounds for Conformal Field Theories

Biswajit Sahoo (King's College London, UK) | 1 August 2025

The Host Environments of Compact Binaries

Aditya Vijaykumar (Canadian Institute for Theoretical Astrophysics, Canada) | 31 July 2025

Dynamic Multiscaling in Turbulent Flows with Polymer Additives: A Shell Model Study

Swapan Limbu (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru) | 30 July 2025

Random Walks, Bethe Ansatz and Riemann's Zeros

Giuseppe Mussardo (Scuola Internazionale Superiore di Studi Avanzati (SISSA), Italy) | 30 July 2025

Neutron stars and Gravitational waves: Decoding dense matter systems

Ritam Mallick (IISER, Bhopal) | 25 July 2025

Beyond Einstein: Search for New Gravitational Physics

Sudipta Sarkar (Indian Institute of Technology Gandhinagar) | 24 July 2025

Literature Review of Collision-coalescence Models in Clouds

Rajarshi Chattopadhyay (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru) | 24 July 2025

Revisiting the Gelman-Rubin Diagnostic in MCMC

Dootika Vats (Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur) | 24 July 2025

Bifurcating Vortex Reconnections: A Departure from Anti-parallel Reconnection

Saumav Kapoor (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru) | 23 July 2025

Quantum Covariant Bit Threads

Sreeman Reddy Kasi Reddy (Weizmann Institute of Science, Israel) | 23 July 2025

Data-Driven Identification and Output Regulation Using Partially Observed Actuated Trajectories: A Koopman Bilinear Approach

Debdipta Goswami (Ohio State University, USA) | 17 July 2025

Quasi-characters Revisited

Sunil Mukhi (IISER, Pune) | 16 July 2025

Spectral Form Factor in Generic Many-body Quantum Chaotic Systems Across all Dyson Symmetry Classes

Dibyendu Roy (Raman Research Institute, Bengaluru) | 16 July 2025

When Waves Meet Vortices: A Topological Twist in Water

Mahesh Bandi (Okinawa Institute of Science and Technology, Japan) | 16 July 2025

Prospects of Observing Gravitational Lensing of Continuous Gravitational Waves

Aditya Kumar Sharma (ICTS-TIFR, Bengaluru) | 15 July 2025

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