



# Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur

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Academic Section

## Student Awards and Honours

<b>Student's Name:</b> Mr. Pranjal Dutta
<b>Programme and Department:</b> PhD/CSE
<b>Thesis Supervisor/Mentor:</b> Prof. Nitin Saxena
<b>Award/Honour:</b> CSR Best Paper Awards
<b>Host Organization:</b>
<b>Brief Description of the Award:</b> Mr. Pranjal's paper "Real tau-Conjecture for sum-of-squares: A unified approach to lower bound and derandomization" has been chosen by the CSR 2021 Program Committee to receive both the Best Student Paper award and the Best Paper award this year. This is the first time in the history of CSR that a single paper has been chosen to receive both awards.

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