

## Priyank Jaini

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EDUCATION	<b>University of Waterloo</b> <i>Ph.D. in Computer Science</i> Advised by Prof. Pascal Poupart GPA : 91.50%  <b>Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur</b> <i>M.Sc.(Integrated) in Mathematics and Statistics</i> GPA : 8.4/10	Fall 2015 - present     2010 - 2015
PUBLICATIONS	<b>Accuracy Maximization Analysis for Natural Tasks with Class-Conditional Gaussian distributions</b> <i>Priyank Jaini, Johannes Burge</i> <i>Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems (NIPS) 2016 under review</i>  <b>Accuracy Maximization Analysis for Natural Tasks and Principles of Multiplicative Noise and Filter Correlation in Neural Coding</b> <i>Johannes Burge, Priyank Jaini</i> <i>Public Library of Science - Computational Biology (PLOS) 2016 under review</i>  <b>Online Algorithms for Sum-Product Networks with Continuous Variables</b> <i>Priyank Jaini, Abdullah Rashwan, Han Zhao, Yue Liu, Ershad Banijamali, Chen Zhitang and Pascal Poupart</i> <i>International Conference on Probabilistic Graphical Models 2016 under review</i>	
INTERNSHIPS	<b>University of Pennsylvania</b> Research Assistant, Neuroscience Group <i>Mentored by Dr.Johannes Burge</i> Developed mathematical tools enabling characterization of task-relevant properties of natural stimuli.  <b>University of Waterloo</b> Research Assistant, Artificial Intelligence Lab <i>Mentored by Dr.Pascal Poupart</i> Developed tractable Bayesian algorithm for parameter estimation of Gaussian Mixture Models.  <b>Kyoto University</b> Research Assistant, Department of Systems Science <i>Mentored by Dr.Shin-ichi Maeda</i> Developed probabilistic method for fast and robust recognition of QR codes.	Summer 2015        Summer 2014        Summer 2013
TEACHING EXPERIENCE	<b>CS 234 : Data Types and Structures</b> Teaching Assistant <b>CS 486/686 : Machine Learning</b> Teaching Assistant	Fall 2015  Winter 2016

