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Personal Information

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Education

Ph.D., Electrical Engineering, Kyoto University, 1980.

M.E., Electrical Engineering, Kyoto University, 1975.

B.E., Electrical Engineering, Kyoto University, 1973.

Employment

Project Professor, RIMS, Kyoto University, 2016–present.

Professor, School of Informatics, Kyoto University, 1997–2016.

Professor, Department of Information Science, Kyushu University, 1992–1997.

Associate Professor, Department of Information Science, Kyushu University, 1990–1992.

Visiting Associate Professor, Computer Science Division, UC Berkeley, 1983–1984.

Associate Professor, School of Science, Kyoto Sangyo (Industrial) University, 1982–1990.

Assistant Professor, School of Science, Kyoto Sangyo (Industrial) University, 1978–1982.

Highlights of Activities and Honors

Organizing Committee Chair: ICALP/LICS 2015, Kyoto, Japan, 2015.

Editor-in-Chief: Bulletin, European Association for Theoretical Computer Science (EATCS), 2013–.

Member, Academia Europae, 2012–.

Organizing Committee Chair: 23rd ACM-SIAM Symposium on Discrete Algorithms (SODA 2012), Kyoto, Japan, 2012.

Honorary Doctorate. University of Latvia, 2008.

Founder and President: Asian Association for Algorithms and Computation (AAAC), 2007–.

Invited Talks, Lectures and Short Courses

Keynote Speech

8th IEEE Symposium on Parallel Architectures, Algorithms, and Networks, (ISPAN 2005), December 7-9, 2005, Las Vegas, Nevada, USA.

10th Scandinavian Workshop on Algorithm Theory (SWAT 2006), Riga, Latvia, July 6-8, 2006.

17th International Symposium on Algorithms and Computation (ISAAC 2006), Kolkata, India, December 18-20, 2006.

11th International Conference on Theory and Applications of Satisfiability Testing (SAT 2008), May 12 - 15 2008, Guangzhou, P. R. China.

6th Workshop on Algorithms and Computation (WALCOM 2012). February 15-17, 2012, Dhaka, Bangladesh.

16th International Conference on Developments in Language Theory (DLT 2012), August 14-17, 2012, Taipei, Taiwan.

11th Annual International Conference on Combinatorial Optimization and Applications (COCOA'17), December 16-18, 2017, Shanghai, China.

Seminar Talks

MIT, Yale University, University of Toronto, McGill University, Brown University, IBM Watson Research, Microsoft Research, University of Maryland, Indiana University, University of California (Berkeley), University of Washington, University of Paris, University of Tuebingen, MPI (Saarbrücken), Lund University, University of Leicester, University of Jena, ETH and more

Major Invited Talks

Dagstuhl-Seminar (1998, 1999, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2012, 2013), FoCM 2008, Spring School at Zhejiang University (2005), EQIS(2001, 2003), MS+S2004, 2nd Japanese-Hungarian Symposium on Discrete Mathematics and Its Applications (Budapest, 2001), Workshop on Meta-Arithmetic and Computation (Sendai, 1997), DIMACS Workshop on Satisfiability Problem: Theory and Application(1996), JSPP'93 (1993).

Professional Activities

Academic Organizations and Conferences

Organizing Committee Chair: 23rd ACM-SIAM Symposium on Discrete Algorithms (SODA 2012), Kyoto, Japan, 2012.

Organizing Committee Chair: ICALP/LICS 2015, Kyoto, Japan, 2015.

Founder and President: Asian Association for Algorithms and Computation (AAAC), 2007-2016.

Editor-in-Chief: Bulletin, European Association for Theoretical Computer Science (EATCS), 2013-.

Council Member: EATCS, 2002-2006.

Steering Committee Member: European Symposium on Algorithms (ESA), 2003-2007.

Organizing Committee co-Chair:

Dagstuhl Seminar 08431 on Moderately Exponential Time Algorithms, 2008.

MATCH-UP: Matching Under Preferences -Algorithms and Complexity- (Satellite workshop of ICALP 2008).

Asian Conference on Quantum Information Science (AQIS 2007)

14th International Symposium on Algorithms and Computation (ISAAC 2003).

1997 Japan-Korea Joint Workshop on Algorithms and Computation, 1997.

Program Committee Chair or co-Chair: PDCAT 2014, QIT 2012, AAAC (2009-2011), ISAAC 1992.

Program Committee: SWAT2000, ISAAC2000, FCT2001, ISAAC2001, ESA2002, IFIP-TCS2002, ICALP2003, CIAC'03, CIAA'03, ICALP2006, TAMC2007, WG2007, MFCS2007, STACS2008, ICALP2009, ISAAC2009, COCOON2009, SAT2009, ICALP2010, SAT2010, WG2010, CIAC2010, COCOON2012, CSR2012, ISAAC2012, MFCS2012, SAT2012, TAMC2012, ICALP2013 and more.

Editorial Board:

Algorithmica, 2012-.

ACM Transactions on Computation Theory, 2007-2017.

International Journal of Foundations of Computer Science, 2005-.

Information Processing Letters, 1998-2010.

Parallel Computing, 1998-2005.

Journal on Satisfiability, Boolean Modeling and Computation, 2005-.

Encyclopedia of Algorithms (Springer), 2005-.

Book Series, Theoretical Computer Science (World Scientific), 2008-.

Research Grants

Major Projects

Chair: New Horizons in Computing (NHC), Ministry of Education, Science, Sports and Culture of Japan (Monbusho), 2004-2008.

Group-Leader: Quantum Computation and Information, ERATO (Exploratory Research for Advanced Technology, Japan Science and Technology), 2000-2005

KAKENHI, Ministry of Education, Japan

Algorithmic randomness for incomplete big data (Principal Investigator, 2016-2020, 16,120,000 JPY).

Approximated computation for incomplete big data (Principal Investigator, 2013-2015, 47,320,000 JPY).

Research on algorithms enhancing spatial information augmentation (Principal Investigator, 2010-2012, 42,470,000 JPY).

Design and analysis of algorithms enhancing information augmentation (Principal Investigator, 2007-2009, 33,410,000 JPY).

Research on engineering-based performance guarantee of discrete algorithms (Principal Investigator, 2004-2006, 11,100,000 JPY).

Research on engineering-based performance augmentation of discrete algorithms (Principal Investigator, 2001-2003, 12,100,000 JPY).

Developments of high-speed routing algorithms based on randomization and adaptation (Principal Investigator, 1998-2001, 10,900,000 JPY).

High-speed search of feasible and approximated solutions for real-world problems (Principal Investigator, 1998-2000, 6,500,000 JPY).

Solving Real-World Combinatorial Problems using High-Speed SAT-Algorithms (Principal Investigator, 1997-1999, 6,200,000 JPY)

Research and Development of Advanced Database Systems for Integration of Media and User Environments (Principal Investigator, 1996-1998, 12,000,000 JPY).

Fast and Mass Generation of Random Benchmark Circuits That Are Not Too Artificial (Principal Investigator, 1996-1998, 4,000,000 JPY).

Studies on How to Generate Random Benchmark-Test Instances (Principal Investigator, 1995-1997, 3,600,000 JPY).

Honors

Member, Academia Europae, 2012-.

Honorary Doctorate from University of Latvia, 2008.

Member, Science Council of Japan, 2005.

PhD Students

Chuzo Iwamoto (Hiroshima University)

Eiji Miyano (Kyushu Institute of Technology)

Shuichi Miyazaki (Kyoto University)

Byungki Cha (Kyushu Institute of Information Sciences)

Manzur Morshed

Yuichi Asahiro (Kyushu Sangyo University)

Takuya Yoshihiro (Wakayama University)

Akihiro Matsuura (Tokyo Denki University)

Kouki Yonezawa (Nagahama Institute of Bio-Science and Technology)

Akinori Kawachi (Tokushima University)

Akihiro Uejima (Osaka Electro-Communication University)

Hiroshi Fujiwara (Shinshu University)

Suguru Tamaki (Kyoto University)

Takeyuki Tamura (Kyoto University)

Rudy Raymond HP (IBM Tokyo Research)

Tomokazu Imamura

Xin Han (Dalian University of Technology)

Kenya Sugihara (Mitsubishi Electric Corporation)

Hiroki Yanagisawa (IBM Tokyo Research)

Hiroki Morizumi (Shimane University)

Yuichi Yoshida (National Institute of Informatics)

Junichi Teruyama (National Institute of Informatics)

Atsuki Nagao (University of Electro-Communications)

Research Topics

Stable Matchings: Most well-known research group together with the one at University of Glasgow. Algorithms and complexity of most general version of the stable marriage problems with incomplete lists and ties, including the first approximation bound less than 2.0.

Boolean Satisfiability: Long history for improving the upper bound for the complexity of 3SAT, one of the most important and popular NP-complete problems. Two time (currently, too) world records.

Circuit Complexity: Obtaining lower bounds for the number of logic gates for Boolean circuits has been popular in the sense that it is one of the direct approach for proving $P \neq NP$. The $5n$ lower bound for general circuits given by us in 2002 is still world best.

Online Algorithms: Wide variety of results, including auction algorithms, online knapsack problems, online randomized k -server problems and average-case analysis of several online problems.

Quantum Computation: First introduction of design theory for quantum circuits. Series of results on quantum query complexity including the one for the counterfeit coin problems.

Approximation Algorithms : For several graph problems other than for the above stable matching problems.

Parallel and Distributed Algorithms : PRAM algorithms and mesh routing algorithms.

Major Publications

K. Iwama, A. Nagao: Read-Once Branching Programs for Tree Evaluation Problems. *ACM TOCT* 11(1): 5:1-5:12 (2019)

K. Iwama, Y. Yoshida: Parameterized Testability. *ACM TOCT* 9(4): 16:1-16:16 (2018)

K. Iwama, J. Teruyama: Improved Average Complexity for Comparison-Based Sorting. *WADS 2017*: 485-496 (2017)

K. Hamada, K. Iwama, S. Miyazaki: The Hospitals/Residents Problem with Lower Quotas. *Algorithmica* 74(1): 440-465 (2016)

A. Ambainis, K. Iwama, M. Nakanishi, H. Nishimura, R. Raymond, S. Tani, S. Yamashita: Quantum Query Complexity of Almost All Functions with Fixed On-set Size. *Computational Complexity* 25(4): 723-735 (2016)

Chien-Chung Huang, K. Iwama, S. Miyazaki, H. Yanagisawa: A Tight Approximation Bound for the Stable Marriage Problem with Restricted Ties. *APPROX-RANDOM 2015*: 361-380 (2015)

K. Iwama, S. Miyazaki, H. Yanagisawa: A $25/17$ -Approximation Algorithm for the Stable Marriage Problem with One-Sided Ties. *Algorithmica* 68(3): 758-775 (2014)

K. Iwama, Y. Yoshida: Parameterized testability. *ITCS 2014*: 507-516

K. Iwama, A. Nagao: Read-Once Branching Programs for Tree Evaluation Problems. *STACS 2014*: 409-420

N. Bansal, Xin Han, K. Iwama, M. Sviridenko, Guochuan Zhang: A Harmonic Algorithm for the 3D Strip Packing Problem. *SIAM J. Comput.* 42(2): 579-592 (2013)

K. Iwama, S. Miyazaki, H. Yanagisawa: Improved approximation bounds for the Student-Project Allocation problem with preferences over projects. *J. Discrete Algorithms* 13: 59-66 (2012)

K. Iwama, H. Nishimura, R. Raymond, J. Teruyama: Quantum counterfeit coin problems. *Theor. Comput. Sci.* 456: 51-64 (2012)

R. Cleve, K. Iwama, F. Le Gall, H. Nishimura, S. Tani, J. Teruyama, S. Yamashita: Reconstructing Strings from Substrings with Quantum Queries. *SWAT 2012*: 388-397

H. Fujiwara, K. Iwama, Y. Sekiguchi: Average-case competitive analyses for one-way trading. *J. Comb. Optim.* 21(1): 83-107 (2011)

W. Bein, K. Iwama, J. Kawahara, L. Larmore, J. Oravec: A randomized algorithm for two servers in cross poly-

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- K. Iwama, S. Miyazaki, H. Yanagisawa: A $25/17$ -Approximation Algorithm for the Stable Marriage Problem with One-Sided Ties. *ESA (2)* 2010: 135-146
- K. Iwama, S. Miyazaki, H. Yanagisawa: Approximation algorithms for the sex-equal stable marriage problem. *ACM Transactions on Algorithms* 7(1): 2 (2010)
- David Manlove, Robert W. Irving, Kazuo Iwama: Guest Editorial: Special Issue on Matching Under Preferences. *Algorithmica* 58(1): 1-4 (2010)
- K. Iwama, Guochuan Zhang: Online knapsack with resource augmentation. *Inf. Process. Lett.* 110(22): 1016-1020 (2010)
- K. Iwama, K. Seto, S. Tamaki: The complexity of the Hajos calculus for planar graphs. *Theor. Comput. Sci.* 411(7-9): 1182-1191 (2010)
- K. Iwama, H. Morizumi, J. Tarui: Negation-Limited Complexity of Parity and Inverters. *Algorithmica* 54(2): 256-267 (2009)
- K. Hamada, K. Iwama, S. Miyazaki: An improved approximation lower bound for finding almost stable maximum matchings. *Inf. Process. Lett.* 109(18): 1036-1040 (2009)
- K. Iwama, E. Miyano, H. Ono: Drawing Borders Efficiently. *Theory Comput. Syst.* 44(2): 230-244 (2009)
- Xin Han, K. Iwama, Guochuan Zhang: Online Removable Square Packing. *Theory Comput. Syst.* 43(1): 38-55 (2008)
- K. Iwama, H. Morizumi, J. Tarui: Reductions for monotone Boolean circuits. *Theor. Comput. Sci.* 408(2-3): 208-212 (2008)
- H. Fujiwara, K. Iwama, K. Yonezawa: Online chasing problems for regular polygons. *Inf. Process. Lett.* 108(3): 155-159 (2008)
- K. Iwama, S. Miyazaki, N Yamauchi: A $(2-c(1/\sqrt{N}))$ -Approximation Algorithm for the Stable Marriage Problem. *Algorithmica* 51(3): 342-356 (2008)
- Bein, W., Iwama K., Kawahara, J., "Randomized Competitive Analysis for Two-Server Problems," *Proc ESA* 2008, 2008.
- Iwama K., Nishimura, Paterson, M., H., Raymond, R., and Yamashita S., "Polynomial-Time Construction of Linear Network Coding," *Proc ICALP* 2008, 2008.
- Iwama, K., Lingas, A., Okita M., "Max-Stretch Reduction for Tree Spanners," *Algorithmica* 50(2), 223-235, 2008.
- Iwama, K., Guochuan Zhang, "Optimal Resource Augmentations for Online Knapsack," *APPROX-RANDOM* 2007, 180-188, 2007.
- Iwama, K., Miyano, E., and Ono H., "Drawing Borders Efficiently," *FUN* 2007, 213-226, 2007.
- Iwama K., Nishimura, H., Raymond, R., and Yamashita S., "Unbounded-Error One-Way Classical and Quantum Communication Complexity," *ICALP* 2007, 110-121, 2007.
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- Ambainis A., Iwama K., Kawachi A., Raymond R., and Yamashita, S. "Improved algorithms for quantum identification of Boolean oracles," *Theor. Comput. Sci.* 378(1), 41-53, 2007.
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- Bansal N., Han X., Iwama K., Sviridenko M. and Zhang G. "Harmonic Algorithm for 3-Dimensional Strip Packing Problem," Proc. SODA 2007, 1197-1206, 2007.
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- Iwama K., "Classic and Quantum Network Coding" (invited talk) Proc. SWAT 2006, 3-4, 2006.
- Ambainis A., Iwama K., Kawachi A., Raymond R., and Yamashita, S. "Improved Algorithms for Quantum Identification of Boolean Oracles," Proc. SWAT 2006, pp. 280-291, 2006.
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- Fujiwara, H. and Iwama K. "Average-Case Competitive Analyses for Ski-Rental Problems," Algorithmica 42(1): 95-107 (2005).
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- Ambainis, A., Iwama, K. Kawachi, A., Masuda, H., Putra, R., Yamashita, S. "Quantum Identification of Boolean Oracles," Proc. STACS 2004, 105-116, 2004.
- Iwama, K. and Tamaki, S., "Improved Upper Bounds for 3-SAT," Proc. SODA 2004, 2004.
- K. Iwama, and M. Okita, "Compact Routing for Flat Networks," Proc. DISC 2003, pp.196-210, Oct. 2003.
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