



*Dear EATCS members,*

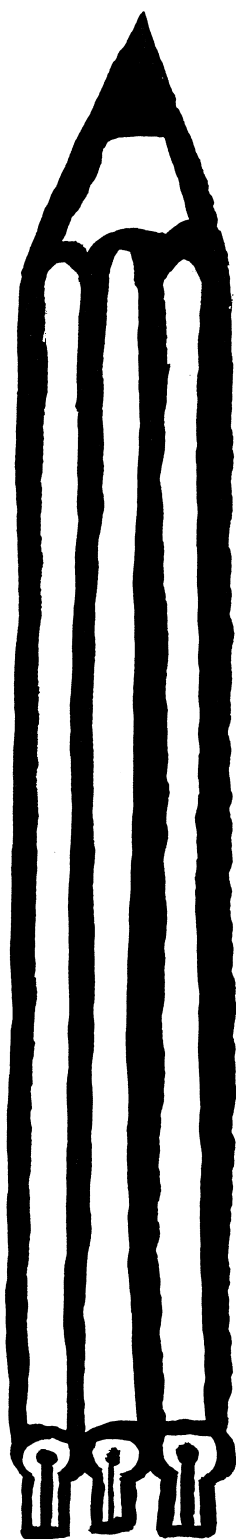
*As the vibrant energy of summer 2025 unfolds, I extend my warmest greetings and heartfelt wishes to each and every one of you. I hope this message finds you well and thriving, immersed in the fascinating world of theoretical computer science.*

*The anticipation is building, as the June issue of our Bulletin is poised for release, arriving just in time for our flagship event: ICALP 2025. Like every year, our annual general assembly will be held alongside the conference, and I sincerely hope that many of you will join us in the beautiful city of Aarhus, Denmark, from July 8th to 11th.*

*Ioannis Caragiannis, Kasper Green Larsen, and their dedicated team at the University of Aarhus have poured their hearts and minds into crafting what promises to be a truly exceptional ICALP. Their tireless efforts are ensuring a scientifically stimulating and personally enriching experience for all attendees. I am confident that this will be a truly memorable event, brimming with opportunities for discovery and connection.*

*Beyond the compelling invited and contributed talks, ICALP 2025 will be a moment to celebrate the extraordinary achievements within our community. We are immensely proud to announce the recipients of this year's prestigious awards:*

- *The EATCS Award 2025 will be presented to the distinguished Rajeev Alur.*
- *The Presburger Award 2025 will honor*



*the remarkable contributions of Sepehr Assadi and Tomasz Kociumaka.*

- *The EATCS Distinguished Dissertation Award will recognize the outstanding doctoral research of Joakim Blikstad, Christoph Grunau, and Tuukka Korhonen.*

*Furthermore, we will have the distinct pleasure of inducting the EATCS Fellows Class of 2025, celebrating individuals who have made profound and lasting impacts on our field:*

- *Kasper Green Larsen, for his "outstanding contributions in many areas of theoretical computer science, including the theory of machine learning, data structures, lower bounds, and cryptography."*
- *Anca Muscholl, for her "seminal contributions to the study of automata and logic and for her outstanding service to the community."*

*My deepest gratitude goes to the members of the award and fellow committees for their diligent and thoughtful work in selecting this stellar group of awardees and fellows. It will be a tremendous honor to collectively celebrate their inspiring work and dedication during ICALP 2025.*

*I also warmly invite you to attend the EATCS General Assembly, which will take place on Wednesday evening during the ICALP week in Aarhus. This is a vital opportunity to gain detailed insights into the EATCS's activities over the past year and our exciting plans for the year ahead. Your presence and*



engagement are invaluable as we shape the future of our association.

*I eagerly anticipate seeing many of you in Aarhus, not only to share in the intellectual vibrancy of ICALP 2025 but also to engage in meaningful discussions at the general assembly about how we can collectively enhance the EATCS impact within the computer science community.*

*As always, please know that my door, or rather, my inbox, is always open. Your comments, constructive criticisms, and innovative suggestions are not just welcome, but actively sought. We are a community, and your insights are crucial in helping us refine our efforts and maximize the EATCS's positive influence on our beloved field. Every suggestion will be carefully considered.*

*I genuinely look forward to connecting with you, whether in Aarhus or through your thoughtful correspondence.*

*With warm regards and anticipation,*

*Giuseppe F. Italiano*  
*Luiss University, Rome*  
*President of EATCS*  
*president@eatcs.org*

*June 2025*