Science Writing with focus on mathematics and computer science

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Your responsibilities

Communication of scientific topics to the non-scientific public is a core task of our division Communications & Events. As part of the Communications team, you will create content based on scientific projects and research at IST Austria with a focus on mathematics and computer science.

- Network and build relationships with scientists on campus
- Read and research scientific papers and articles in scientific journals, as well as scientific context and background and proofread various English texts
- Conduct interviews with our scientists to gather information about results, projects, awards, etc.
- Translate research results into clear, concise, accurate texts that are accessible to a general audience
- Write general institute texts for various audiences (from children to politicians) and with different purposes (including advertising and reporting)

Your profile

- University degree (Master or PhD) in computer science, mathematics, or physics
- Proven experience in science writing, ideally with focus on mathematics or computer science
- Strong interest in science and a good understanding of scientific trends
- Excellent English and very good German skills (in verbal and written)
- Ability to understand complex scientific information, theories and practices
- Methodical and detail-oriented approach to work
- Ability to work efficiently, especially under pressure, and as part of a team

To submit your application, please e-mail recruiting@ist.ac.at

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