



# COMPUTATIONAL COMPLEXITY FOUNDATION

## Minutes of the Continuous Board Meeting 2025-2026

**Members:** Shachar Lovett (President), Raghu Meka (Secretary), Mahdi Cheraghchi (Treasurer), David Zuckerman (Awards Chair), Pooya Hatami (Budget Chair), Susanna de Rezende (Paper Chair), Antonina Kolokolova (Registration Chair), Benjamin Rossman (Past Awards Chair), Shubhangi Saraf (Past Budget Chair)

**Chair:** the President

**Scribe:** the President

- **Motion:**  
The proceedings of the 2025 Business Meeting are approved.
  - Moved by the President on August 11, 2025
  - Adopted by unanimous consent on August 18, 2025
- **Motion:**  
The proceedings of the 2025 Annual Board Meeting are approved.
  - Moved by the President on August 11, 2025
  - Adopted by unanimous consent on August 18, 2025
- **Appointment:**  
Bruno Loff signed the CCF conduct statement on August 28, 2025 and is confirmed as the chair of the Local Arrangements Committee for CCC 2026.
- **Appointment:**  
Anup Rao signed the CCF conduct statement on August 27, 2025 and is confirmed as the chair of the Local Arrangements Committee for CCC 2027.
- **Closing:**  
On March 28, 2024, the books for CCC '23 are closed with a deficit of \$3724, resulting from a registration income of \$20880 and conference expenses of \$24604 (leftover item from the 2023-24 minutes)

- Motion:  
ITCS asked for our help in a financial matter. They currently have about 25k saved in a bank account managed by Columbia university. They were asked to move it somewhere else. As they don't have their own foundation or bank account, they wondered if it can be moved to the CCF bank account temporarily.  
We investigated this option but decided against it, as it would make our non-for-profit status more complicated. This is because there is a 25k contribution limit for NJ CRI-200 needed to maintain the non for profit status.
  - Discussion started by board on August 11, 2025
  - Decision made by President in consultation with board on September 29, 2025
  - Adopted by unanimous consent on October 6, 2025
- Motion:  
The CCF website (<https://computationalcomplexity.org/>) infrastructure was upgraded to help maintain it moving forward. All code was made static (converted php code to html), hosting moved to github with version control, and published through github pages.
  - Moved by the President on September 30, 2025
  - Adopted by unanimous consent on October 7, 2025
- Motion:  
The CCF board decided to start a CCC Test of Time award and appointed a committee to decide on the process and select the paper. The committee decided that eligible papers should have been published in CCC or its older versions at least 10 years ago. There will be a single award with no monetary award. The winner will give an award talk at CCC. Nominations can come from the committee, the CCF board, or CCC community.
  - Moved by the President on October 20, 2025
  - Adopted by unanimous consent on October 27, 2025
- Motion:  
The CCF board approved the budget for CCC'26
  - Moved by the President on January 8, 2026
  - Adopted by unanimous consent on January 15, 2026
- Motion:  
The best student award is renamed to "The Luca Trevisan Award for the Best Student Paper at CCC"
  - Moved by the President on September 30, 2025
  - Approved by unanimous consent on October 14, 2025
  - Approved by EATCS (who financially support the award) on January 1, 2028
- Motion:  
Dana Moshkovitza (CCC'26 PC chair) asked to add a couple more PC members to handle the larger than expected number of submissions (135)
  - Moved by the President on February 8, 2026

- Approved by unanimous consent on February 9, 2026
- Motion
 

The Test of Time Committee for CCC '26 met on March 23, 2026 and selected as the winner the paper “Unbalanced Expanders and Randomness Extractors from Parvaresh–Vardy Codes” by Venkat Guruswami, Chris Umans and Salil Vadhan, that was published in CCC'07. The authors will give an invited talk at CCC '26.

  - Moved by the President on March 30, 2026
  - Adopted by unanimous consent on April 7, 2026
- Motion:
 

Eshan Chattopadhyay was selected by the board as the next treasurer (term 2026-29)

  - Moved by the president on May 7, 2026
  - Adopted by unanimous consent on May 14, 2026
- Motion:
 

Raghu Meka will step down as secretary after CCC '26 based on his request. Jiapeng Zhang will replace him for the remainder of his term (one year, until CCC '27).

  - Moved by the president on July 14, 2026
  - Adopted by unanimous consent on July 21, 2026
- Motion:
 

Nutan Limaye term as the CCC representative for TheoretiCS ends in August 2026. The board nominates her for another 3-year term, 2026-29.

  - Moved by the president on July 16, 2026
  - Adopted by unanimous consent on July 31, 2026
- Motion:
 

Joshua Grochow was selected by the community as the next paper chair (term 2026-29)

  - Moved by the president on August 1, 2026
  - Adopted by unanimous consent on August 5, 2026