Sept. 16
Kavita Bala
Cornell University
Computer Science Department, Chair and Professor
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Oct. 2
Natalie Enright Jerger
University of Toronto
Percy Edward Hart Professor of Electrical and Computer Engineering
1142 | 2:30-4:00

Oct. 29
Raghu Ramakrishnan
CTO for Data and Technical Fellow at Microsoft
1142 | 4:00-5:30

Nov. 5
Michael Stonebraker
Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Adjunct Professor of Computer Science
1142 | 3:30-5:00

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