



## GUEST OF HONOUR



**Prof. Ritabrata Munshi**

Prof. Ritabrata Munshi received his undergraduate and early graduate education at the Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata. He pursued his doctoral studies at Princeton University in the US with Prof. Andrew Wiles. After receiving his Ph.D., he spent a few post-doctoral years in the US before returning to India to join the Tata Institute of Fundamental Research. Currently, he is affiliated to Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata.

Prof. Munshi has been internationally recognized for his outstanding contributions to analytic number theory. He has worked across the breadth of analytic number theory, ranging from applying analytic number theory to Diophantine problems, to making remarkable progress in modern analytic number theory related to L-functions arising from automorphic forms.

He was awarded the Mark Swarna-Jayanti fellowship

by the Department of Science and Technology, Government of India in 2012. He is the recipient of many awards including the Birla Science Prize in 2013, and the Shanti Swarup Bhatnagar Prize for Science and Technology, the highest science award in India, for the year 2015 in mathematical science category. He was elected a Fellow of the Indian Academy of Sciences in 2016. For his outstanding contributions to analytic aspects of number theory, he was awarded the Infosys Prize 2017 in Mathematical Sciences. He was awarded the ICTP Ramanujan Prize in 2018. He has been recognized for his work with an invited lecture at the International Congress of Mathematicians 2018 which was held at Rio, Brazil.

He serves in the editorial board of The Journal of the Ramanujan Mathematical Society and the Hardy-Ramanujan journal.