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This special issue of the ACM Transactions on Parallel Computing (TOPC) contains selected papers from the 33rd ACM Symposium on Parallelism in Algorithms and Architectures (SPAA 2021), which was held July 6–8, 2021. Based on the conference reviews, we invited a selection of the papers accepted at the conference for this special issue. The papers submitted for this special issue then went through TOPC's own review process. The end result is the following set of outstanding papers in this issue:

- (1) Daniel Anderson; Guy E Blelloch. [Parallel Minimum Cuts in \$O\(m \log^2 n\)\$ Work and Low Depth.](#)
- (2) Sungjin Im; Ravi Kumar; Mahshid Montazer Qaem; Manish Purohit. [Non-Clairvoyant Scheduling with Predictions.](#)
- (3) Susanne Albers; Jens Quedenfeld. [Algorithms for Right-Sizing Heterogeneous Data Centers.](#)
- (4) Yannic Maus. [Distributed Graph Coloring Made Easy.](#)
- (5) Zafar Ahmad; Rezaul A. Chowdhury; Rathish Das; Pramod Ganapathi; Aaron Gregory; Yimin Zhu. [A Fast Algorithm for Aperiodic Linear Stencil Computation using Fast Fourier Transforms.](#)

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