

Doctoral Degrees Conferred

1997-1998

ALABAMA

Auburn University, Auburn (9)

DISCRETE AND STATISTICAL SCIENCES

Grant, Carrie, An n to $2n$ embedding of incomplete idempotent latin squares for small value of n .

Parker, Carol, Complete bipartite graph path decompositions.

Wehrung, Lloyd B., Maximum packings of K_n with fish.

MATHEMATICS

Choi, Jongsool, Cohomological properties of compacta.

Clark, Alex, Linear flows on solenoids, exponents and denjoids.

Kornman, Paul, ARI and refinable maps on CANR spaces.

Lamar, Tuwaner, Analysis of a $2n$ -th order differential equations with Lidstone boundary.

Larsen, Eric, Large intersection of continuous nowhere monotone functions with smooth functions.

Weathers, Tony, Weak solutions to a system of equations arising from MHD theory.

University of Alabama, Birmingham (4)

BIOSTATISTICS

Fox, Liesl M., An exploration of the pseudo-binomial distribution with applications to survival curve confidence intervals.

Peschell, Kenneth J., Likelihood-ratio-based asymptotic fiducial and Bayesian methods for therapeutic equivalence assessment (TEA) using survival distributions.

Zaidi, Akbar A., A family of confluent hypergeometric distributions.

MATHEMATICS

Yung, Joyce, Mathematical applications of diffusion equations in cancer tumor growth.

University of Alabama, Huntsville (2)

MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

Lampert, Douglas, Independence related graph theory parameters.

Youree, Roger, Convergence of discrete-time European option problems with hereditary price structures to continuous time versions.

University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa (6)

MANAGEMENT SCIENCE AND STATISTICS

Bauskar, Milind E., Special models for a multi-item, multi-location, multi-echelon, multi-period inventory system with centralized replenishments and restricted transshipment.

Dale, Cheryl, Sequence dependent production scheduling using the p -media integer linear programming model and hierarchical clustering techniques: an empirical study.

Dyer, John N., Evaluation of control charting techniques for monitoring autocorrected processes.

Jones, Lady Allison (L. Allison), Topics on data intensive and computationally intensive control charting methods.

Raina, Sidhartha, Multi-criteria decision analysis approach to evaluation of inter-organizational systems.

Solis, Adriano, Evaluation of the negative binomial approximation and stochastic leadtimes in a multi-echelon inventory model.

ARIZONA

Arizona State University (9)

MATHEMATICS

Diaz-Rivera, Ivonne, The dynamics of queues of re-entrant manufacturing systems.

Ding, Xiaohong, Theoretical and numerical evaluation of convergence acceleration for the Stokes problem.

Hong, Kang, Robust multivariate analysis: principal components analysis and discriminant analysis.

Le, Dung, Nonlinear parabolic systems and attractors.

Little, Leigh, A finite element Navier-Stokes solver using an adaptive BICGSTAB(L) algorithm.

Sieben, Nandor, Actions of inverse semi-groups on C^* -algebras.

Siefker, Andrew, Characteristics of non-uniformly spaced discrete-time signals from their Fourier phase.

Van Wieren, Jack, Using diagonally implicit multistage integration methods for solving ordinary differential equations.

Yan, Lirong, On part decompositions of graphs.

University of Arizona (7)

APPLIED MATHEMATICS

Abbey, Craig, Assessment of reconstructed images.

Brazier, Richard, Seismic wave propagation stitching: matching local and global techniques.

Ghamasae, Rahman, A neural network approach for the solution of traveling salesman and basic vehicle routing problems.

Gifford, Howard, Theory and application of Fourier crosstalk: an evaluator for digital-system design.

Horsch, Karla, Attractors for Lyapunov cases of the complex-Ginsburg Landau equation.

MATHEMATICS

Gillis, Gregory, Design considerations in composite conductors: an exposition of percolation theory.

Simek, Olga, Heat trace asymptotics for domains with singular boundaries.

The above list contains the names and thesis titles of recipients of doctoral degrees in the mathematical sciences (July 1, 1997, to June 30, 1998) reported in the 1998 Annual Survey of the Mathematical Sciences by 227 departments in 153 universities in the United States. Each entry

contains the name of the recipient and the thesis title. The number in parentheses following the name of the university is the number of degrees listed for that university. A supplementary list, containing names received since compilation of this list, will appear in a summer 1999 issue of the *Notices*.

ARKANSAS

University of Arkansas, Fayetteville (1)

MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

Alhami, Kifah, Cyclic vectors for the shift on Bergman spaces.

CALIFORNIA

California Institute of Technology (8)

APPLIED MATHEMATICS

Hill, David J., Part I: Vortex dynamics in wake models; Part II: Wave generation.

Meloon, Mark R., Models of Richtmyer-Meskhov instability in continuously stratified fluids.

Rudnon, Mikhail K., Exponentially small splicing of separatrices and the Arnold's diffusion problem.

Sgourev-Philippakos, Russina, Nonlinear effects in elastic Raleigh waves.

MATHEMATICS

Ajoodani-Namini, Shahin, Large sets of tau-designs.

Bloom, Anthony, The perturbation of Hamiltonian systems with a non-Abelian symmetry.

Choi, Yanglim, (3, 1)-Surfaces via branched surfaces.

Mitsis, Themistokus, On a problem in geometric measure theory related to sphere and circle packing.

Claremont Graduate University (3)

MATHEMATICS

Besnard, Eric, Prediction of high lift flows with separation.

Elshihabi, Azzam, Disturbance decoupling with stability for nonlinear systems using static/output feedback: a geometric approach.

Giray, Okten, Contributions to the theory of Monte Carlo and quasi-Monte Carlo methods.

Naval Postgraduate School (1)

MATHEMATICS

Beaver, Philip F., On the quasimonotonicity of a square linear operator with respect to a nonnegative cone.

Stanford University (8)

MATHEMATICS

Bray, Hubert Lewis, The Penrose inequality in general relativity and volume comparison theorems involving scalar curvature.

Entov, Mikhail, Surgery on Lagrangian and Legendrian singularities.

Iga, Kevin Mitsuo, Moduli spaces of Seiberg-Witten flows.

Kurlberg, Par Martin, A local Riemann hypothesis.

Lien, Wen-Ching, Hyperbolic conservation laws with a moving source.

Pezzoli, Elena, Complexity of type-two functionals and of logical games on finite structures.

Ryzhik, Leonid V., High frequency waves and transport in a random medium.

Tsalenko, Anna M., Stochastic stability of Bernoulli flows.

University of California, Berkeley (29)

BIOSTATISTICS

Hubbard, Alan Edward, Applications of locally efficient estimation to censored data models.

Peterson, Derick Randall, Missing data models and the selection of explanatory variables in regression.

INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING AND OPERATIONS RESEARCH

Chitchachornvanich, Thawee, Optimizing semiconductor fabrication scheduling in the face of uncertainties.

Jang, Woosung, Markovian quality control for multiple processes under capacity constraints.

Kuo, William, Adaptive sampling strategies for semiconductor manufacturing.

Liu, Ting-Yun, Equipment acquisition planning in the semiconductor industry—considering learning effects in equipment efficiency.

Shen, Youxun, Stochastic water fabrication scheduling.

MATHEMATICS

Alvarez, Catherine, Inverse nodal problems with mixed boundary conditions.

Badoian, Leslie, Flow equivalence of shifts of finite type and flow K -theory.

Bhattacharyya, Bina, Krishnan-Sunder subfactors and a new countable family of subfactors related to trees.

Bromberg, Kenneth, Rigidity of hyperbolic 3-manifolds with geometrically finite ends.

Burlakov, Yuri, The phase space of a focusing cubic Schroedinger equation: a numerical study.

Dreier, Roland, On p -adic properties of families of curves.

Jones, David, Results on modular representations of $\text{Gal}(\bar{Q}/Q)$ in characteristic 3.

Kathotia, Vinay, Universal formulae for deformation quantization and the Campbell-Baker-Hausdorff formula.

Kleber, Michael, Finite-dimensional representations of quantum affine algebras.

Krapp, Donald, The applicability of certain Monte Carlo methods of the analysis of interacting polymers.

Larson, Paul, Variations of P_{\max} forcing.

Magidin, Arturo, Dominions in varieties of groups.

Mitchell, Julie, Hodge decomposition and expanding maps on flat tori.

Shiyakhtenko, Dimitri, Free quasi-free states.

Staddon, Jessica, A combinatorial study of communication storage and traceability in broadcast encryption systems.

Steinberg, Benjamin, Decidability and hyperdecidability of joins of pseudovarieties.

Takahashi, Shuzo, Degrees of parametrizations of elliptic curves by modular curves and Shimura curves.

Terr, David, The distribution of shapes of cubic orders.

Tucker, Thomas, Some diophantine properties of points on curves.

Tvedt, Brian, Global existence of solutions and propagation of regularity of quasilinear viscoelastic systems of differential type.

Wilkerson, Daniel, Communication on networks of finite automata: three instances of wormhole routing.

Xaba, Enoch, Robust iterative solvers for linear and nonlinear finite element equations.

University of California, Davis (6)

MATHEMATICS

Rutaganira, Thomas, Numerical simulation of blood flow in arteries: effect of elastic walls.

Zaboronsky, Oleg, Localization and supergeometry.

STATISTICS

Chiou, Jeng-Min, Nonparametric quasi-likelihood and curve data modelling.

Vestrup, Eric, A comparison of Bayesian and frequentist shrinkage.

Wood, Matthew, Analysis of the effects of missing data in the NAS data set.

Yee, Julie, Large and small sample Bayesian inference and diagnostics for models with latent variables.

University of California, Irvine (1)

MATHEMATICS

Ni, Lei, Vanishing theorems on complete Kahler manifolds and their applications.

University of California, Los Angeles (21)

MATHEMATICS

Afshartous, David, Prediction in multi-level models.

Blomgren, Peter, Total variation methods for restoration of vector valued images.

Carrero, Jesus, Lie theoretical aspects of self gravitating Riemann ellipsoids.

Cowden Vassilev, Janet, Test ideals in Gorenstein isolated singularities and F -finite reduced rings.

Gao, Su, The isomorphism relation between countable models and definable equivalence relations.

Go, Susie, Multilevel methods on unstructured grids.

Graber, Thomas, Enumerative geometry of hyperelliptic plane curves.

Grassi, Michele, Characteristic cohomology of smooth manifolds.

Guerrini, Luca, Construction and deformation of infinite dimensional Lie algebras.

Hacon, Christopher, Divisors on principally polarized Abelian varieties. Seshadri constants of ample vector bundles.

Hui, Unkit, Cocycle conjugacy of one parameter automorphism of AFD factors of type III.

Lin, Chi-Tien, On approximate solutions for hyperbolic conservation laws and Hamilton-Jacobi equations.

Matheos, Peter, Failure of compactness for the \bar{d} -bar Neumann problem for two complex dimensional Hartogs domains with no analytic disks in the boundary.

Miller, Brian, Improvements in multiple phase flow computations.

Puha, Amber, A reversible interacting particle system on homogeneous tree.

Sharapov, Ilya, Multilevel subspace correction for large scale optimization problems.

Strong, David, Adaptive total variation minimizing image restoration.

Wald, Linda, Minimal inherently non-finitely based varieties of groupoids.

Wan, Wing-Lok, Scalable and multilevel iterative methods.

Wang, Caitlin, Calderon-Zygmund inequality for differential forms on a compact Riemannian manifold.

Yeung, Man-Chung, Probability and symmetry in computational linear algebra.

University of California, Riverside (9)

MATHEMATICS

Dimitrov, Ivan, Weight modules of infinite-dimensional Lie algebras and Lie superalgebras.

Fisher-Vasta, Tammy, Presentations of Z -forms for the universal enveloping algebras of affine Lie algebras.

Guu, Ching, The circular wirelength of cubes.

Hanley, William, On the Lorenz zonoid representation of distributional variability.

Mohanty, Sara, Invariants of degree 1 of almost generic plane curves.

Vasta, Joseph, Orthogonal product of simplices.

Wallace, Laura, Graded Mori rings.

STATISTICS

Fairchild, Lisa, Testing interactions between treatments and subgroups within groups in a two-period crossover trial.

Liu, Thomas, Optimal mixture designs in orthogonal blocks.

University of California, San Diego (10)

MATHEMATICS

Agol, Ian, Topology of hyperbolic 3-manifolds.

Brockman, William Bennett, The atomic decomposition of the q -Kostka polynomials in combinatorics and geometry.

Carlson, Stephen John, Normal bases in class fields over real Abelian number fields.

Chang, Carol Haekyung, Geometric interpretations of the Macdonald polynomials and the $n!$ conjecture.

Gamst, Anthony Collins, Stochastic Burgers flow.

Garibaldi, Ryan Lee, Trialitarian algebraic groups.

Hunziker, Markus, Harish-Chandra systems on a reductive Lie algebra and the Zuckerman functor.

Lucia, Ned F., A center of mass method with applications to the solution of the two-dimensional Stokes equations in a channel.

Miller, Wendy L., Counting points on certain CM elliptic curves modulo primes.

Zabrocki, Michael Alan, On the action of the Hall-Littlewood vertex operator.

University of California, Santa Barbara (12)

MATHEMATICS

Bart, Anneke, Some results concerning surface groups in surgered manifolds.

Calvo, Jorge, Geometric knot theory: the classification of spatial polygons with small number of edges.

Ebert, Todd, Applications of recursive operators to randomness and complexity.

Gaulter, Mark, Characteristic vectors of unimodular lattices over the integers.

Shell, Glenn, Locally nonconical convex sets.

Sola, Dino, Essential surfaces with non-meridian boundary in the complement of an alternating link.

Woodward, Scot, The global dimension of a q -skew polynomial ring.

STATISTICS AND APPLIED PROBABILITY

Gallagher, Colin, Fitting ARMA models to heavy-tailed data.

Ghosh, Kaushik, Some contributions to inference using spacings.

Haynatzka, Vera, An application of probability metrics in epidemiology.

Lund, Ulric, Regression and goodness of FIT for circular data.

Schumacher, Norbert, Option pricing with definitely divisible returns.

University of California, Santa Cruz (2)

MATHEMATICS

Hoyle, Mark, Perfect Morse functions on the moduli space of parabolic bundles.

Ortega, Juan-Pablo, Symmetry reduction and stability in Hamiltonian systems.

University of Southern California (5)

MATHEMATICS

Bodine, Sigrun, A dynamical systems approach to asymptotic diagonalization and integration of linear differential systems.

Hoffman, Corneliu, On some problems in representation theory of finite Chevalley groups.

Kojima, Tetsuro, Positive definite unimodular forms as trace forms.

Ouyang, Min, Actions of Hopf algebras.

Pappacena, Christopher, Some problems in the representation theory of associative algebras.

COLORADO

Colorado School of Mines, Golden (2)

MATHEMATICS AND COMPUTER SCIENCES

Goktas, Unal, Algorithmic computation of symmetries, invariants and recursion operators for systems of nonlinear evolution and differential-difference equations.

Knudson, David, A piecewise Hermite bicubic finite element Galerkin method for the biharmonic Dirichlet problem.

Colorado State University (7)

MATHEMATICS

Adair, Ronnie Jr., Simulations of Taylor-Couette flow.

Marak, Tyrel, A filtration for K_0 of the inverse limit of a diagram of rings.

STATISTICS

Al-Karni, Said H. M., On the distribution of quadratic forms and of their ratios.

Chu, Jui-Yuan, Model identification in factorial experiment.

Delgado-Saldivar, Jaime, Optimal design of experiments in nested variance components models.

Smith, David, Adjusting for publication bias and quality effects in Bayesian random effects meta-analysis.

Ueng, Chang-Yue, Confidence intervals for variance components in two components mixed models.

University of Colorado, Boulder (8)

APPLIED MATHEMATICS

Bernard, Deconinck, The initial-value problem for multiphase solutions of the Kadomtsev-Petviashvili equation.

Billings, Lora Merck, Dynamical systems methods applied to polynomial factorization families: a study of chaotic attractors.

Coult, Nicholas, A multiresolution strategy for homogenization of partial differential equations.

MATHEMATICS

Ream, Robert, Distribution of additive functions (mod 1) over intervals and representations of integers as products and quotients of given sets.

Sallam, El-Sayed Kamel Morsey, Cohomology of groupoid structure.

Shaulis, Delphy Tsuyuko, Torsion points on the hyperelliptic rational image of Fermat curves.

Taggart, Jennifer Lyn, Relations among hypergeometric series of type ${}_4F_3(1)$.

Vestal, Donald, Generalized Dedekind eta functions with applications to additive number theory.

University of Colorado, Denver (3)

MATHEMATICS

Brezina, Marian, Robust iterative methods on unstructured meshes.

Dillon, Mark, Conditional coloring.

Tezaur, Radek, Analysis of Lagrange multiplier based domain decomposition.

CONNECTICUT

University of Connecticut (9)

MATHEMATICS

Caggiano, Jay, Sets of interpolation for Fourier transforms of Frechet measures.

Dai, Hong, Measuring and analyzing volatility risk in disability income.

Hill, Sharon, Numerical and theoretical investigation of the variational formulation of a water.

Xia, Shiqin, Fast numerical schemes for Fredholm integral equations of the second kind.

STATISTICS

Chen, Jie, Approximations and inequalities for discrete scan statistics.

Chu, Hui-May, Computation approach to Bayesian inference for risk assessment.

Ecker, Mark, Bayesian variogram modeling.

Iyengar, Malini K., Compositional data analysis for independent and serially correlated observations: a Bayesian approach.

Niverthi, Murali, Bayesian methods in statistical quality control.

Wesleyan University (3)

MATHEMATICS

Hirschberg, Alan, Vector-valued marginal problems.

Silberger, Sylvia, Subshifts of the three-dot system.

Widman, Jack, Groups and algebras convergence and order.

Yale University (5)

MATHEMATICS

Hui, Tai-Hing Dennis, Mixing and certain integral point problems on semi-simple Lie groups.

Lifschitz, Lucy, Superrigidity theorems in positive characteristics.

Styrkas, Konstantin A., Quantum groups, conformal field theories, and duality in tensor categories.

Vu, Van Ha, Anti-Hadamard matrices, extremal set systems and nibble method.

STATISTICS

Cheang, Gerald, Neural network approximation and estimation of functions.

DELAWARE

University of Delaware (4)

MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

Collins, Joseph, Functional estimation: the asymptotic regression approach.

Gorka, Sandra, Several set functions and set maps.

Zack, Charles, ARC-length quadrature domains.

Zhang, Xiaosha, Bootstrap based goodness of fit test for non-location/scale families of statistics.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

George Washington University (6)

MATHEMATICS

Fitzkee, Thomas, Weakly mixing tiling flows arising from interval exchange transformations.

Kouatchou, Jules, High-order multigrid techniques for partial differential equations.

McDaniel, Michael, Subspaces of Vassiliev invariants using cabling.

STATISTICS

Anand, Ravinder, Sequential monitoring of informatively censored longitudinal data.

Friedlin, Boris, Change point tests and other statistical problems common to legal and medical applications.

Hu, Ming-Xiu, Robust estimating functions with nuisance parameters.

Howard University (2)

MATHEMATICS

Nkwanta, Asamoah, Lattice, paths, generating functions and the Riordan group.

Ombolo, Remi, Deformation of Leibnitz algebras and Lie bi-algebras.

FLORIDA

Florida State University (7)

MATHEMATICS

Auriault, Laurent, Jet mixing noise from fine scale turbulence.

Darcy, Isabel, Biological metrics on DNA knots and catenanes.

Dinov, Ivaylo, Mathematical and statistical techniques for modeling and analysis of medical data.

Kurbatski, Konstantin, Solid wall boundary conditions for computational aerocoustics problems.

Liao, Xiaozhong, Compact Riemann surfaces with symmetry using symbolic computation.

Shen, Hao, Numerical simulation of the jet research phenomenon.

STATISTICS

Stein, Jeffrey W., A class of space-time models for monitoring station data with application to El Nino events.

University of Central Florida (2)

MATHEMATICS

Kelly, Deborah, Temporal propagation characteristics of ultrashort space-time Gaussian pulses in a laser satellite communication system.

Minkler, Jing, On the regularity of probabilistic convergence and filter spaces.

University of Florida (14)

INDUSTRIAL AND SYSTEMS ENGINEERING

Akansel, Mehmet, Solution techniques for single-job lot streaming problems in flow shops.

MATHEMATICS

Du, Zhaowei, Schur indices of projective representations of hyperoctahedral groups.

Finn, Robert, Homological features of rings of continuous functions.

Krishnamurthi, Chithra, Self similar sets in complete metric spaces.

Lone, Amjad, Generalized Poisson distributions.

McGovern, Warren, Algebraic and topological properties of $C(X)$ and the F -topology.

Muthu, Muthiah, The stochastic integral of process measures.

STATISTICS

Ajmani, Vivek, Robust multivariate control charts.

Coull, Brent, Subject-specific modelling of capture-recapture.

Dallas, Michael, Permutation tests for randomly right censored data consisting of both paired and unpaired observations.

Tanaka, Yoko, A proportional hazards model for informatively censored survival times.

Teng, Chi-Hse, Two-stage genome search design in affected-sib-pair method.
Yin, Ming, Noninformative priors with applications.
Zheng, Beiyao, Summarizing the predictive power of a generalized linear model.

University of Miami (1)

MATHEMATICS AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

Fernandez, Higinio, Span and real functional diameter of metric continua.

University of South Florida (3)

MATHEMATICS

Dragnev, Peter, Constrained energy problems for logarithmic potentials.
Markov, Lubomir, An L^2 approach to second order functional evolutions in Banach spaces.
Simeonov, Plamen, Weighted polynomial and rational approximation with varying weights.

GEORGIA

Emory University (5)

BIostatISTICS

Golm, Gregory, Semiparametric methods for mismeasured exposure information in HIV vaccine trials.
Stiger, Thomas, Small-sample performance and validation of the proportional odds model for correlated ordinal data fitted with GEE.

MATHEMATICS AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

Krzastek, Kathleen, Describing convex sets in R^2 .
Lu, Xiaowu, Symplectic integration for Hamiltonian systems and applications.
Nardo, John, Equilateral random polygons are globally knotted.

Georgia Institute of Technology (12)

MATHEMATICS

Belogay, Eugene, Construction of smooth orthogonal wavelets with compact support.
Bin, Tan, Invariant manifolds, invariant foliations and linearization theorems in Banach spaces.
Carbinatto, Maria do Carmo, The Conley index and chaos.
Keeve, Michael, Study and implementation of Gauss Runge-Kutta schemes and application to Riccati equations.
Kuhn, Wolfgang, Rigorous and reasonable error bounds for the numerical solution of dynamical systems.
Kuhn, Zuzana, Ranges of vector measures and valuations.
Lara, Teodoro, Controllability of cellular neural networks.

Liu, Weishi, Center manifold theory for smooth invariant manifolds.
O'Connell, W. Richard Jr., Estimates for the St. Petersburg game.
Pederson, Steven, Homoclinic tangencies and families of interval maps with non-constant topological entropy.
Salazar-Gonzalez, Jose Domingo, Boundary and internal layers in a semilinear parabolic problem.
Yang, Xue-Feng, Extensions of Sturm-Liouville theory: nodal sets in both ordinary and partial differential equations.

University of Georgia (9)

MATHEMATICS

Fox, Glenn, A P -adic l -function of two variables.
James, Kevin, On congruences for the coefficients on modular forms and some applications.
Park, Mu Yeol, Classification of stable cut loci of surfaces.
Penniston, David, The unipotent part of the generalized Jacobian of a curve.
Rushton, Joseph, On exact finite dimensional filters in mixed time.

STATISTICS

Allen, Michael, Bootstrap and inference for some linear time series models.
Day, Bann-Mo, Bayes and empirical Bayes estimation with application to small area estimation.
Kim, Sahmyeong, Inference for nonlinear time series models via estimating functions.
Srivastava, Anjali, Parameter estimation and saddlepoint distributions for models in plant disease epidemics.

HAWAII

University of Hawaii (1)

MATHEMATICS

Hanson, Jason, Algebraic realization of smooth group actions.

IDAHO

Idaho State University (2)

MATHEMATICS

Darrow, Jeffrey, Revitalizing the curriculum: using original sources, history, and writing in undergraduate mathematics.
Thornburg, Mark, Order intervals of matrices and linear transformations.

University of Idaho (1)

MATHEMATICS

Johnson, Kathrine, Sufficiency and maximum likelihood estimation for a class of population genetic models.

ILLINOIS

Illinois State University (2)

MATHEMATICS

Hassani, Sarah, Calculus students knowledge of the composition of functions and the chain rule.
Kersaint, Gladis, Preservice elementary teachers ability to generalize functional relationships.

Northern Illinois University (2)

MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

Manning, Gregory, The $m(4)$ problem of Erdős and Hajnal.
Ran, ShiaoHong, Choosing smoothing parameters in nonparametric curve fitting using kernel contrasts.

Northwestern University (13)

INDUSTRIAL ENGINEERING AND MANAGEMENT SCIENCE

Abeyasinghe, Rasika, External effects on firm technology strategy in Sri Lanka: an analysis of firm technology strategy in local and global context.
Berger, Rosemary, Location-routing models for distribution systems design.
Creticos, Peter, Task and skill based job matching.
Johnson, Michael, Jr., An optimization model for location of subsidized housing in metropolitan areas.
Kaminsky, Philip, Probabilistic analysis and effective algorithms for large scale machine scheduling problems.
Owen, Jonathan H., Disjunctive approaches for solving general mixed-integer linear programs.
Wigal, Cecelia M., Introducing SAGT: A methodology for evaluating large complex systems. A case study application.

MATHEMATICS

Choi, Youngna, One dimensional Lorenz-like attractors.
Douma, Jason, Automorphisms of products of finite p -groups with applications to algebraic topology.
Garcia-Rodríguez, Antonio, Arnold diffusion near elliptic-hyperbolic fixed points.
Richeson, David, Connection matrix pairs for the discrete Conley index.
Tran, Thy, Function-theoretic operator theory on finitely connected planar domains.
Yagunov, Sergei, Geometrically originated complexes and the homology of the pair (GL_n, Gm_n) .

Southern Illinois University, Carbondale (2)

MATHEMATICS

Arriojas, Mercedes, A stochastic calculus for functional differential equations.

Wu, Funeng, α -unimodal discrete distributions.

University of Chicago (18)

MATHEMATICS

- Basterra, Maria, André Quillen cohomology of commutative S-algebras.
- Belorousski, Pavel, Chow rings of moduli spaces of pointed elliptic curves.
- Brosnan, Patrick, Topics in algebraic geometry: an algebraic Napier-Ramachandran theorem and Steenrod operations on Chow groups.
- Clair, Bryan, Residual amenability and the approximation of L^2 -invariants.
- Coffman, Adam, Enumeration and normal forms of singularities in Cauchy-Riemann structures.
- Dimitrov, Alexander, Aspects of cortical information processing.
- Haines, Thomas, On connected components of Shimura varieties.
- Huntsinger, Reid, Some aspects of invariant harmonic analysis on the Lie algebra of a reductive P-adic group.
- Kresch, Andrew, Chow homology for Artin stacks.
- Rolvung, Christian, Nonisotropic Schrödinger equations.
- Schrag, Matthew, Poincaré inequalities with radial weights.
- Shirokova, Nadya K., Some applications of embedding theory.
- Sreekantan, Ramesh, Higher Chow groups and CM cycles in families of Abelian surfaces.
- Taback, Jennifer, Quasi-isometric rigidity for $PSL_2(\mathbb{Z}[\frac{1}{p}])$.
- Vemuri, Murali, Realizations of the canonical representation.
- Whyte, Kevin, Discrete metric spaces, bilipschitz equivalence and coarse characteristic classes.
- Yuhan, Zha, A general arithmetic Riemann-Roch theorem.
- Zhang, Yongmin, Numerical solution of variational inequalities.

University of Illinois, Chicago (11)

MATHEMATICS, STATISTICS AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

- Chen, Jan-Jo, Concurrent processing in distributed systems: algorithms, database, and networking.
- Fabijonas, Bruce, Secondary instabilities of linear flows with elliptic streamlines.
- Hu, GuoQing, Finite dimensional filters with nonlinear drift.
- Jiao, Juhui, Hypothesis testing in competing risks theory.
- Krebes, David, An obstruction to embedding A-tangles in links.
- LaFalce, Silvia, On the equivalence operation in algebras of logic.
- Park, Henry, Optimality of selection procedures.

Porter, Diann, William Fogg Osgood: agent of a transformation of mathematics.

Tsaparas, Irene, On learnability of atomic formulas.

Wu, Julin, Structural characterizations of graphs, chordality and balance.

Xiang, Niandi, Normal estimates of Banach based valued random series and their applications in harmonic analysis.

University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign (17)

MATHEMATICS

- Amini, Massoud, Local structure of operator algebras.
 - Colliander, James Ellis, The initial value problem for the Zakharov equations.
 - Hartman, Christopher M., Extremal problems in graph theory.
 - Iskra, Boris, Families of rank zero twists of elliptic curves.
 - Kim, Dong-Hyun, Topics in the theory of q-additive and q-multiplicative functions.
 - Liow, Yihsiang, The local-global structure of the Galois deformation space.
 - Mason, Alan Gregory, An application of stochastic flows to Riemannian foliations.
 - McCreary, Paul Robert, Visualizing Riemann surfaces, Teichmüller spaces, and transformation groups on hyperbolic manifolds using free time interactive animator (RTICA) graphic.
 - Meyer, Jeffrey Lyle, Analogues of Dedekind sums.
 - Miller, Claudia Marie, Hypersurface sections: a study of divisor class groups and of the complexity of tensor products.
 - Murray, John Cyril, Dade's conjecture for the McLaughlin's simple group.
 - Rohde, Gareth Scott, Alternating automata and the temporal logic of ordinals.
 - Shim, Jae-Kwan, The Baum-Connes map for a smooth groupoid.
 - Stankewitz, Rich Lawrence, Completely invariant Julia sets of rational semigroups.
 - Wu, Yu-Fen, Groups in which commutativity is a transitive relation.
 - Xiao, Mingqing, H-infinity control in infinite dimensional spaces and related partial differential equations.
- STATISTICS
- Gao, Furong, DIMTEST enhancements and some parametric IRT asymptotics.
- INDIANA**
- Indiana University, Bloomington (12)**
- MATHEMATICS
- Brin, Leon, Numerical proof of stability for viscous shock waves.

Caithamer, Peter, Distribution and sample path continuity of self-similar processes defined by multiple Wiener-Ito integrals.

Costa, Bruno, Time marching techniques for the nonlinear Galerkin method.

Daniel, Arthur Mark, A splitting formula for spectral flow.

Grujic, Zoran, Estimates of the space and time analyticity radii for semilinear parabolic PDE's.

Huang, Fuqing, On Edgeworth expansions for sums of weakly dependent random vectors.

Lai, Raymond, On the relativistic Vlasov-Maxwell-Fokker-Planck system.

Prunaru, Bebe, Dual algebras and invariant subspaces.

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