# Doctoral Degrees Conferred 

## ALABAMA

Auburn University (10)
Discrete and Statistical Sciences
Abueida, Atif Aliyan, The full embedding problem.
Ashe, David James, Partial 6-cycle systems with any specified forest or 2 regular leave.
Foster, Michelle J., Operations on probalistic finite state source automata.

## MATHEMATICS

De Pasquale, Horacio, Dual Riesz bases and the canonical operator.
Goeden-Fick, Kathleen, 2nth order boundary value problems with alternating order boundary.
Metcalf, Leigh, An extension of the Reidemeister intersection classes.
Nwogbaga, Agashi, New characterizations of Besov and Triebel-Lizorkin space.
Nyuydinkong, Griffith, On location of zeros and polar derivatives of polynomials.
Peterson, Lisa, Convergence of random measures on Polish spaces.
Zhang, Chaowen, Simple modules with character height zero and exceptional weight for the restricted special, Hamiltonian, and contact algebras.

## University of Alabama, <br> Tuscaloosa (6)

Information Systems, Statistics, And Management Science
Busby, Kevin, Interpreting out-of-control signals from Hotelling's $T^{2}$ chart.
Kaddoura, Mawla, Density estimation through kernel estimation-based empirical characteristic function.
Meleth, Sreelatha, Analyzing data sets with a mixture of Mar and Ninr data: assessing the impact of sample size and proportion missing on estimates.
Wang, Lei, Longitudinal ecologic study with temporal-spatially correlated data: comparison of alternative models.

## MATHEMATICS

Barov, Stoyu, On sets with convex shadows.
Krishnan, Srilal, Principal ideals in subalgebras of groupoid $C^{*}$-algebras.

## ARIZONA

## Arizona State University (5)

## APPLIED MATHEMATICS

Fosser, Cecilia, Statistics in stochastic automata model for the spread of disease among mobile individuals.
Rao, Anиpama, Titan, Triton, Pluto and Kuiper belt objects: a study of past and present atmospheres with grey and nongrey models.

## MATHEMATICS

Shetty, Sachin, Characterization and reconstruction of finite signals using spectral information.
Wang, Chengde, Sequenceabiliity, $R$-sequenceability, and harmoniousness of finite groups.
Yang, Jinling, An evolutionary epidemic model with application to type A influenza.

## University of Arizona (5)

## MATHEMATICS

Cunningham, Geoffrey, Sums of squares in function fields of elliptic curves.
Edmunds, Jeffrey, A study of a stagestructured model of two competing species.
Kim, Seog Young, Vector bundles on an elliptic curve over a discrete valuation ring.
Marshall, David, Galois groups and Greenberg's conjecture.
Marshall, Susan Hammond, Crystalline representations and Neron models.

## ARKANSAS <br> University of Arkansas (2)

Mathematical Sciences
Aberra, Dawit, The reflection principle, the Schwarz potential and quadrature.
Mann, Casey, On Heesch's problem and other tiling problems.

## CALIFORNIA California Institute of Technology (4)

APPLIED MATHEMATICS
Hu, Gang, Singularity formation in threedimensional vortex sheets.
Louie, Michael, Numerical study of pattern forming processes in models of rotating Rayleigh-Bénard convection.
Tokman, Mayya, Magnetohydrodynamic modeling of solar magnetic arcades using exponential propagation methods.

MATHEMATICS
Killip, Rowan, Perturbations of onedimensional Schrodinger operators preserving the absolutely continuous spectrum.

## Claremont Graduate University (2)

## Mathematics

Verzi, Diana W., A mathematical description of diagrammatic models for structural changes in dendritic spines.
Villasana de villegas, Minaya, A delay differential equation model for tumor growth.

## Stanford University

## MATHEMATICS

Bertelson-Volckaert, Melanie, Foliations associated to regular Poisson structures.
Butscher, Adrian, Deformation theory of minimal Lagrangian submanifolds.

The above list contains the names and thesis titles of recipients of doctoral degrees in the mathematical sciences (July 1, 2000, to June 30, 2001) reported in the 2001 Annual Survey of the Mathematical Sciences by 212 departments in 151 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 2002 issue of the Notices.

Castelvecchi, Davide, The foliated Morse inequalities.
Choi, Young-tun, Positively oriented ideal triangulations of hyperbolic three-manifolds.
Cotton, Peter, An analytic approach to Ornstein-Uhlenbeck processes with fluctuating parameters and applications in the modeling of fixed income securities.
Ha, Seungyeal, L'stability for systems of conservation laws with a non-resonant moving source.
Lee, Roger, Implied and local volatilities under stochastic volatility.
Sha, Xin Wei, Differential geometric performance and the technologies of writing.
Wang, Xiaodong, On the geometry of conformally compact Einstein manifolds.

SCientific Computation \&
Computational
Wang, Gao Feng, Coupled electromagnetic and device level investigations of metal-insulator-semiconductor interconnects.

## University of California, Berkeley (32)

Biostatistics
Bryan, Jennifer, Methods for gene expresion analysis using DNA microarrays.
Bureau, Alexandre, Genetic linkage analysis based on identity by descent in large pedigrees using Markov chain Monte Carlo Methods.
Pavlic, Maja, Estimating the number of components in a mixture and analysis of recurrent events with time dependent covariates in the presence of dependent censoring.
Quale, Christopher, Nonparametric and semiparametric methods for three incomplete data structures.
Weingart, Michal, Edge effect correction for the nearest neighbor method.

## Mathematics

Abhyankar, Kashi, Smale strategies for prisoner's dilemma type games.
Buraztyn, Henrique, Morita equivalence in deformation quantization.
Clemens, John Daniel, Description set theory, equivalence relations, and classification problems in analysis.
Davis, Benjamin L., On Poisson spaces associated to finitely generated Poisson $R$-algebras.
Edwards, Karen E., Stabilizations of Heegaard splittings with respect to connectsumms of 3-manifolds.
Flynn, John, Near-exceptionality over finite fields.
Gomez, Concetta, Definability in $p$-adic power series rings.
Greene, Devin, On certain invariants in multivariable operator theory.

Grinshpan, Anatolii, Electrostatics and Dirichlet spaces.
Heitsch, Christine, Computational complexity of generalized pattern matching.
Huang, Hsiang-Ping, Commutators associated to a subfactor and its relative commutants.
King, Oliver Davis, A mass formula for unimodular lattices with no roots.
Li, Cheng, Model-based analysis of oligonuckofide arrays.
McMurdy, Kenneth, A splitting criterion for Galonic representative associated to exceptional modular forms.
Murray, Will, Frobenius algebras, independence of field, and quadratic forms.
Mustata, Mircea, Singularities and jet schemes.
Olsson, Martin, Log algebraic stacks and moduli of log schemes.
Portilheiro, Manuel, Weak solutions for contractive nonlinear equations and prabolic relaxation limits.
Pramanik, Malabika, Weighted integrals in RZ and the maximal conjugated Calderon-Zygmund operator.
Schleimer, Saul David, Almost normal Heegard splittings.
Schneiderman, Robert Roland, 4-dimensional intersection numbers of knots and links in 3-manifolds.
Shomron, Noam, Representations of Cartan type Lie superalgebras.
Smith, Greg, Computational methods for studying sheaves.
Vladimirsky, Alexander, Fast methods for static Hamilton-Jacobi partial differential equations.
Wasserman, David Robert, Epimorphisms and dominions in varities of lattices.
Yakimov, Milen, Geometry of complex reductive Poisson-Lie groups.
Zoble, Aaron, Stationary reflection and the determinacy of inductive games.

## University of California, Davis <br> (11)

## MATHEMATICS

Casey, Michael, Stochastic limit laws for stochastic programming.
Henry, Jennifer, On generating a diminimal set of polyhedral maps on the torus.
Parsons, Regina, The effects of increased attention to the calculus foundations when teaching definite integrals.
Starr, Shannon, Some properties for the low-lying spectrum of the ferromagnetic, quantum XXZ spin system.
Thoo, John, Nonlinear waves in random media.
Tyler, Eiko, Manifolds on which analysis meets topology-a historical approach.
Williams, Matthew, Numerical methods for tracking interfaces with surface tension in 3-D mold-filling processes.

## Statistics

Chang, Lin Jen-Jen, Simulation and synthesis of high-dimensional data and related issues.
Dubin, Joel, Nonparametric methods for multivariate longitudinal data.
Hanson, Timothy, Applied Bayesian semiparametric methods with special application to the A.F.T. model and to hierarchical models for screening.
Nguyen, Danh, Statistical analysis of gene expression data from DNA mocroarrays based on partial least squares and related dimension reduction.

## University of California, Irvine (2)

## MATHEMATICS

Landrigan, Michael, Log-dimensional properties of spectral measures.
Yang, Roger, Newton polygons of $L$ functions of polynomials of the form $X^{d}+\lambda X$.

## University of California, Los Angeles (14)

## MATHEMATICS

Barakat, Wissam, Levy randon fields on symmetric Riemannian spaces of noncompact type.
Barquero, Pedro, Norm principle for algebraic group.
Caibou, Frederic, Rate equations in materials sciences and simulation of multiphase flows.
Carter, Jamylle, Dual method for total variation-based image restoration.
Emerson, Nathaniel, The combinatorics of polynomials with disconnected Julia sets.
Fischman, Ami, On the image of lambdaadic Galois representations.
Gray, Maolison, Remote sensing of atmospheric parameters using forward scattering.
Kisisel, Ali, The hamiltonian structure of discrete KP equations.
Li, Chun Che, Kuznietsov trace formula and asymptotic behaviour of Hecke eigenvalues.
Nguyen, Duc, A boundary condition capturing method for incompressible flame discontinuities.
Nikshych, Deritri, Quantum groupoids, their representation categories, symmetries of von Neumann factors, and dynamical quantum groups.
Sherman, David, The application of modular algebras to relative tensor products and noncommutative $L^{p}$ modules.
Wu, Hsin Tai, On $p$-adic Hilbert modular adjoint $L$-functions.
Zarikian, Vrej, Complete one-sided $M$ ideals in operator spaces.

## University of California, San Diego (11)

Mathematics
Aksoylu, Burak, Adaptive multilevel numerical methods with applications in diffusive bimolecular reactions.
Gallo, Teresa, Combinatorial bases for modules of coinvariants.
Halleck, Ezra, Magic square subclasses as linear diophantine equations.
Langley, Thomas, The plethysm of two Schur functions at hook, near-hook, and two-row shapes and a class of ( $q, t$ )-symmetric functions arising from plethysm.
Little, David, q-enumeration of classical combinatorial structures.
Marquez, Francisco, On Cayley graphs for subgroups of $G L(3, p)$.
McElroy, Tucker, Statistical inference for model parameters of time series exhibiting the Noah and Joseph effects.
Minei, Marvin, Three block diagonalization methods for the finite graph.
Ribando, Jason, Probabilistic methods for efficient triangulations of the $n$-cube.
Szczepanski, Amy, From Jacobson rings to the Jacobson conjecture.
Tuba, Imre, Braid representations and tensor categories.

## University of California, Santa Barbara (5)

Statistics \& Applied Probability
Acharyya, Suddhasatta, Some problems in nonparametric resampling inference.
Hau, Seonkoo, Portfolio mangement with stable distributions.
Karcher, Peter, Markov chain Monte Carlo stochastic approximation algorithms and generalized non-parametric mixed effects models.
Ke, Chunlei, Semi-parametric nonlinear regression and mixed effects models.
Mackey, Howard, Diagnostic for binary response mixed models.

## University of Southern California (6)

MATHEMATICS
Goukasian, Levon, Lyapunov exponents for small perturbations of nilpotent and Hamiltonian systems.
Nestler, Andrew, Algebraic K-theory of curves and surfaces over finite fields.
Stroila, Matei, Arithmetic rigidity and algebraic cycles.
Uzun, Hasan, On maximum local roughness of random droplets in two dimensions.
Will, Oliver, Statistical inference in the fossil record.
Zou, Xiaorong, Geometry of the frame bundle.

COLORADO

## Colorado School of Mines (1)

Mathematical and Computer Sciences
Wang, Lan, Estimation of multi-valued Green's function by dynamic ray tracing and true amplitude Kirchoff inversion in 4-D heterogeneous media.

## Colorado State <br> University (6)

## MATHEMATICS

Erdmann, Melissa Claire, Cell exclusion algorithms.
Martin, Shawn Bryan, Techniques in support vector classification.

Statistics
Bronson, Douglas, Bootstrapping stochastic systems in survival analysis.
Streett, Sarah, Some observation driven models for time series.
Thompson, Sandra, Bayesian model averaging and spatial prediction.
Trindade, Adao Alexandre, Modified algorithms for multivariate subset autoregression.

## University of Colorado, Boulder (8)

## Applied Mathematics

Akmaev, Slava, Phylogenetic approach to molecular structure prediction.
Bloechle, Brian, On The Taylor dispersion of reactive solutes in a parallel-plate fracture-matrix system.
Chartier, Timothy, Element-based algebraic multigrid (AMGe) and spectral AMGe.
Codd, Andrea, Elasticity-fluid coupled systems and elliptic grid generation (ECG) based on first-order system least squares (FOSLS).
Jarman, Ken, Stochastic immiscible flow with moment equations.
MacMillan, Hugh, First-order system least squares and electrical impedance tomography.
Robins, Vanessa, Computational topology at multiple resolutions.
Trubatch, David, Topics in solitons and inverse scattering: I. Discretization of the vector nonlinear Schrödinger equation. II. A new class of "reflectionless" potentials of the nonstationary Schrödinger equation and solutions of the Kadomtsev-Petviashvili I equation.

## University of Colorado, Denver (7)

## Biostatistics

Ellison, Misoo, Estimation of responder cell frequency and binomial three-level nonlinear mixed effects model in limiting dilution assays.

Joseph, Coll, Multivariate generalized linear mixed models with serial correlation: a state space approach with applications in HIV/AIDS.
Mikulich, Susan, Application of multivariate growth curve and univariate mixed models approaches to the cosinor analysis of spontaneous motility data.
Tooze, Janet, Analysis of repeated measures data with clumping at zero.
Xu , Xuesheng, The analysis of longitudinal binary data using a state space approach.

## MATHEMATICS

Doherty, Faun, Topics on domination graphs of tournaments.
Emsermann, Markus, Variance reduction with quasi control variates.

## University of Northern Colorado

## MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

Fatholah, Kassemi, Pre-service teacher's conceptual understanding of rational numbers.
Medina, Elsa, Student understanding of span, linear independence, and basis in an elementary linear algebra class.
Perrine, Vicki, Effects of a problemsolving mathematics classroom on the proportional reasoning of preservice teachers.
Zderad, Jon, Understanding a student's oral, written and pictoral mathematical voice through engagement in and reflection on classroom episodes.

## CONNECTICUT

University of Connecticut (11)

## Mathematics

Englert, Burkhard, A necessary and sufficient condition for embedding principally decomposable finite lattices into the c.e. degrees preserving greatest element.
Galperin, Yevgeniy, Uncertainty principles as embeddings of modulation spaces.
Han, Lixing, Trust region methods for unconstrained optimization.
Kang, Sheon Young, Numerical solution of integral equations with non-smooth kernels and applications.
Kanuni, Muge, Dense ideals and maximal quotient rings of incidence algebras.
Pascu, Mihai, Probabilistic approaches to eigenvalue problems.
Rasoanaivo, Guy, Stochastic modeling for long-term care insurance.
Stricevic, Slaven, Continuous time models.

## Statistics

Banerjee, Sudipto, Multivariate spatial modeling in Bayesian settings.
Kottas, Athanasios, Bayesian nonparametric and semiparametric modeling using dirichlet process mixing: full inference with novel applications.
Patra, Kaushik, Innovative approaches to reliability and survival analysis.

## Wesleyan University (2)

MATHEMATICS
Recoder-Nunez, Luis, Three classes of dense subspaces of products.
Tysdal, Kimberly, Dependent edges in acyclic orientations of graphs.

## Yale University <br> (6)

MATHEMATICS
Comerford, Mark D., Properties of Julia sets for the arbitrary composition of monic polynomials with uniformly bounded coefficients.
Coppi, Andreas, Least-square generalized quadratures and a fast stable numerical method for the Calderon commutator.
Liakhovskaia, Anna V., Structure and representations of small quantum groups. Malkin, Anton, Geometric methods in the theory of Hall algebrasCT;Yale University;Mathematics.
Yun, Aaram, Discrete subgroups of the special linear group with thin limit sets.

## Statistics

Novak, Laura, Classification and prediction of stock price behavior.

## DELAWARE

University of Delaware (3)
Mathematical Sciences
Berensel Tanoglu, Gamze, Phase boundaries and anisatrophy via multiple order parameter theory for an FCC alloy.
Li, Pingqian, Boundary value problems for generalized $n$ hypercomplex equations. Naire, Shailesh, Gravitationally-driven drainage of thin films.

## DISTRICT OF

COLUMBIA
George Washington University (2)
MATHEMATICS
Ankney, Rachelle, The geometries PG(n$1, q) \backslash P G(k-1, q)$.
Pirnazar, Amir, Girth, genus, and fractional chromatic number.

## Howard University (2)

Mathematics
Farmer, Shurron M., The analysis of a two-age-class single species, discretetime climax population model.

Fleming, Jeffrey S., Weighted and parameter dependent Bergman projection, Bergman kernel, and $D$-bar equations on weakly pseudo convex complete Kahler manifolds.

## FLORIDA

## Florida Institute of Technology ${ }_{(2)}$

## Mathematical Sciences

Terbeche, Mekki, Sequential design for estimation.
Yakar, Coskun, Stability analysis of nonlinear differential systems with initial time difference.

## Florida State University

 (7)MATHEmATICS
Arsuaga, Javier, Using knots as an assay for DNA organization inside bacteriophase P4 capsids.
Denny, Jeffrey, Geometry of proteins with applications to solid-state NMR.
Felkel, Brian, Decay estimates on oscillatory integrals with polynomial phase.
Jia, Hong-qi, Classification of QC Hopf algebras.
Szecsei, Denise, A convolution property of some measures with self similar fractal support.
Vazquez, Maria, Tangle analysis of sitespecific recombination: Gen and Xer systems.

## Statistics

Zhang, Shaojun, Building tracking portfolios and modeling risk management programs.

## University of Central Florida (2)

## Mathematics

Al-Habash, Ammar, The aperture averaged scintillation of the intensity of a gaussian laser beam propagated through strong optical turbulence and reflected by various targets.
Boissy, Young, Parameter estimates for fractional autoregressive spatial processes.

## University of Florida (9)

MATHEMATICS
Bodmann, Bernhard, Path integrals.
Riazati, Farzan, On the lattice of $\Pi_{1}^{0}$ classes.
Shaska, Tanush, Curves of genus two covering elliptic curves.
Tomerlin, Andrew, Representation and realization of bounded holomorphic functions defined on a polydomain.
White, Richard, An algebraic characterization of Minkowski space.
Yi, Tae-il, A classification of tree and applicaton of topology and graph theory to neurosurgery.

## Statistics

Cantrell, Amy, On the strong law of large numbers for sums of random elements in Banach spaces.
McGoff, Philip, A unified approach to process optimization.
Robinson, Kevin, Quantile dispersion graphs for design comparisons for logistic models and other modelling issues.

## University of South <br> Florida (6)

Mathematics
Benko, David, Approximation by weighted polynomials.
Dai, Ming, Identification of the parameters of a multivariate normal distribution by the distributions of maximum.
Jelsovsky, Daniel, Quandle cohomology and state-sum invariants of knots.
Maymeskul, Victor, On some problems in complex and multivariate approximation and interpolation.
Roberts, Henry, Predicting the performance of software via the power law process.
Yanez, George, Statistical modeling of epidemic disease propagation via branching processes and bayesian inference.

## GEORGIA

Emory University ${ }^{(9)}$

## Biostatistics

Allen, Andrew, Multivariate random length and missing data.
Price, Dionne, Survival models for heterogeneous populations with cure.

## Mathematics \& Computer Science

Bailey, Dionne, Computational approaches to representation theorems for finitely generated real algebras.
Brania, Abdelkrim, The controlled modulus condition and quasiconformality in metric spaces.
Hynds, Emily, 2-factors and line graphs.
Kanarsky, Margarita, On quasicircles and dilatations of quasisymmetric homeomorphisms.
Robinson, Maria, Classification of Heegaard splittings for (compact nonorientable surface) $\times S^{1}$.
Skokan, Jozef, Uniformity of set systems. Xu, Taixi, Finite dimensional completely integrable Hamiltonian systems associated with soliton equations.

## Georgia Institute of Technology (9)

## MATHEMATICS

Baker, Anthony, Bounding entropy and finding symbolic dynamics via the spectrum of the Conley index.

Gonzalez, Luis, Some generalizations of the Knaster-Kuratowski-Mazurkiewics theorem.
Harrelson, Dyana, Dependence and limit theorems for stationary infinitely divisible sequences.
Jacobs, Denise, Multiwavelets in higher dimensions.
Labate, Demetrio, Time-frequency analysis of pseudodifferential operators.
McShine, Lisa, Random sampling of combinatorial structures.
Rivera, Roberto, On properties of completely flexible loops.
Thomson, Jan McDonald, Cyclically 5connected graphs. Their relevance to Tutte's 4-flow conjecture.
Vougalter, Vitali, Diamagnetic behavior of sums of Dirichlet eigenvalues.

## University of Georgia (11)

Mathematics
Croot, Ernest, Unit fractions.
Cutter, Pamela, Finding prime pairs with particular gaps and square free parts of polynomials.
Khalil, Dina, On the $p$-divisibility of class numbers of quadratic fields.
$X u$, Xiangming, Construction of two dimensional non separable orthonormal wavelets of short support.
Zhang, Mucheng, Calculation of transfer maps and associated primes.

## Statistics

Berenhaut, Kenneth, Geometric renewal conversion rates and discrete life time distribution class.
Fukasawa, Takeshi, Inference for nonlinear state space models.
Lee, Li-Jen, Modeling the malaria epidemic.
Qi, Yongcheng, Abyesian minimum helligner distance approaches to inference with application.
Smith, David, Bayesian \& minimum hellinger distance approaches to inference of applications.
Smith, Wendy, Asymptotic \& small sample properties for dependent bootstrappling.

## HAWAII

## University of Hawaii

## MATHEMATICS

Higa, Jonathan, Application of logic to probability.

## IDAHO

## Idaho State University

## MATHEMATICS

Priddy, Jerry, An algorithm to construct generator matrices for shortened cyclic codes.

Skoug, Muriel, On certain classes of cones of linear transformations on matrices.

## ILLINOIS

## Illinois State University (6)

## MATHEMATICS

Benson, Carol, Assessing students' thinking in modeling probability contexts.
Lannin, John, Developing middle school students' understanding of recursive and explicit reasoning.
Leonard, Bill, Implementation of a computer algebra system in the calculus classroom: a multiple case study.
Marshall, Gerald, Using the history of mathematics to improve secondary student's attitudes toward mathematics.
Muckerheide, Paul, Becoming standardslike: changes in elementary preservice teachers through reflective intervention.
Polaki, Victor, Using instruction to trace Basotho elementary students' growth in probabilistic thinking.

## Northern Illinois <br> University (5)

## Mathematical Sciences

Butler, Svetlana, $Q$-functions, extreme points and density theorems in the space of quasi measures.
Molefe, Daniel, Survival function estimation when lifetime and censoring time are dependent.
Park, Hyung Kor, Studies on matrices under phi maps.
Riehl, Suzanne, Spectral functions associated with Sturm-Liouville and Dirac equations.
Weiss, Matthias, Limit point action of discrete Mobius groups.

## Northwestern University (1)

## MATHEMATICS

Mauger, Justin, The cohomology of Lie algebras associated with $p$-groups.
Moar, Scott, Trapping regions for unstable manifolds via prime ends.
Pushin, Oleg, Steenrod operations in motivic cohomology.
Qian, Tifei, Heteroclinic orbits and chaotic invariant sets for monotone twist maps. Stawiska, Margarete, Repellers for regular polynomial endomorphisms $C^{k}$.
Thatcher, Scott, Rank-two Hecke eigenfunctions on elliptic curves.
Wiseman, James, Sofic shifts and the Conley index.
Wu, Tao, On Grayson's motivic complexes.

## Statistics

Huang, Shuguang, Higher-order inference in models for census survival data.
Li, Hиa, An exponential response model for bivariate association.
Liu, Xian-Iang, Model selection in unbiased equations.

## University of Chicago

MATHEMATICS
Bolt, Michael, Vanishing properties and spectral analysis in the Kerzman-Stein theory.
Cushman, Matthew, The motivic fundamental group.
Fausk, Halvard, The non-positive equivariant stems.
French, Christopher, The equivariant $J$ homomorphism.
Hemmer, David, Extensions of hook and completely splittable modules for the symmetric group.
Li, Paul, On the universal embeddings of the binary symplectic and unitary dual polar spaces.
Oberman, Adam, Level set motion by advection, growth, and mean curvature as a model for combustion.
Ou, Winston, Natural extremal operators on BMO and $A^{\infty}$ : symmetries and nearreciprocities.
Prasad, Amritanshu, The almost unramified discrete spectrum for split groups over a rational function field.
Schmitz, David, Finite subgroups of formal groups.
Statistics
Craiu, Virgil Radu, Multivalent framework for approximate and exact sampling and resampling.
Song, Seongjoo, Options and discontinuity: an asymptotic decomposition for trading algorithms.
Wit, Ernst, The categorical imperative: extendibility considerations for statistical models.
Zhang, Lan, From Martingales to ANOVA: implied and realized volatility.

## University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign (23)

MATHEMATICS
Baxter Bauer, Kristine, On Hopf algebra type and rational decompositions of functors.
Chaoha, Phichet, Obstructions for constructing the Taylor tower of finite degree functions of spectra.
Chiang, River, Complexity one Hamiltonian $\mathrm{Su}(2)$ actions.
Choi, Geumlan, A certain generalization of Rogers Ramanujan continued fraction.
Hill, Christopher, Uniform distribution, Behrend sequences, and some spaces of arithmetic functions.

Ho, Kejia, Kolmogorov complexity, strong reducibilities, and computably enumerable sets.
Hyeon, Donghoon, Moduli questions for augmented bundles.
Jiang, Tao, Some problems in structural and extremal graph theory.
Kahng, Byunqik, Dynamics of sympletic piecewise affine elliptic rotation maps on tori.
Kapitza, Paul, On small geometric invariants of 3-manifolds.
Kilmurray, Donough, Geometry on affine actions.
Lee, Donghi, Some conjectures on free groups in combinatorial group theory.
Pomper, Markus, Double dual types of Banach spaces.
Retzlaff, Todd, The rate of decay of concentration functions on locally compact groups.
Scalari, Alberto, Stationary discs and CR geometry.
Sohn, Jaebum, q-continued fractions and related $q$-series.
Steichen, Jennifer, Heavy traffic limit theorems for the closed Lu-Kumar network.
Yi, Jinhee, The construction and applications of modular equations.
Yifan, Yang, Topics in analytic, combinatorial and probabilistic number theory.

## Statistics

Froelich, Amy Goodwin, Assessing unidimensionality of test items and some asymptotics of parametric item response theory.
Galfalvy, Hanga, Censored regression models with applications for infrastructure degradation studies.
Liu, Li, Building a nonparametric model after dimension reduction.
Trachtenberg, Felicia, Contributions to estimation in item response theory.

## INDIANA

## Indiana University, Bloomington ${ }_{(7)}$

## MATHEMATICS

Jadallah, Hala, The onset of superconductivity in a domain with a corner
Jakelic, Dijana, Structure of some representations of quantum groups, their crystal bases and completions.
Kim, Se-Goo, Polynomial splittings of Casson-Gordon invariants.
Kostov, Stoyko, Norm-ideal perturbations and simultaneous diagonalization of sets of operators.
Oh, Myunghyun, Stability analysis of periodic solutions ov viscous conservation laws.
Perdomo, Oscar, First eigenvalue and index: two characterizations of Clifford minimal hypersurfaces of spheres.

Wojnar, Gregory, Generalized Wishart distributions on convex homogeneous cones.

## Purdue University <br> (13)

## Mathematics

Asgari, Mahdi, On holomorphy of local Langlands $L$-functions.
Jackson, Michael, Vector bundles over BG whose Euler classes are effective.
Ko, Yangsuk, Analysis of solutions to a Ginzburg-Landau system for layered superconductors.
Mendez, Pedro, Sharp estimates of Dirichlet heat kernels of the Laplacian, fractional Laplacian and applications.
Osawa, Ryo Ichi, A surface, integral points an automorphism groups.
Patyi, Imre, Analytic cohomology vanishing in infinite dimensions.
Shin, Eunjee, On the analysis of a nonisothermal model for superconductivity.
Vassilev, Dimiter, Yamabe equations on Carnot groups.
Wu, Lih-Ing, On bifurcations of codimension greater than two arising from a childhood disease model.
Zhuang, Gongyuan, Convergence analysis of a domain decomposition method for separable PDE.

## Statistics

Mukhopadhyay, Nitai Das, Bayesian model selection for high dimensional models with prediction error loss and 0-1 loss.
Tsai, Wen-Chi, Some contributions to stochastic geometry.
Yan, Liqing, Convergence of the Euler scheme for stochastic differential equations with irregular coefficient.

## University of Notre Dame (3)

## MATHEMATICS

Arana, Rebekah, A Jordan algebraic approach to primal-dual algorithms and an exterior point algorithm for linear programming.
Brown, Karen, Extensions of "thickened" verma modules of the Virasoro algebra.
Vassiliev, Evgueni, Expansions of rank 1 structures.

## IOWA

## Iowa State University (10)

MATHEMATICS
Dai, Jack, Some results in probability and theoretical computer science.
Majumdar, Ruchira, On relationships between the Lyapunov spectrum and the Morse spectrum.
Thompson, Heather, Investigating and representing inquiry in a college mathematics course

## Statistics

deMacedo, Marcia Maria Almeida, Modern applied statistics and animal populations in geographically complex landscapes: data visualization and modeling.
Kim, Jae-Kwang, Variance estimation after imputation.
Liu, Ho Hиi Grace, Efficiency of Markov chain Monte Carlo algorithms for Bayesian inference in random regression models.
Peiris, Laknath, Comparison of halfsib and full-sib reciprocal recurrent selection and their modifications in simulated populations.
Wallendorf, Michael John, Finite mixture models of heterogeneous capture probabilities for mark-recapture estimation of closed population size.
Wang, Junyuan, Topics in small area estimation with application to the National Resources Inventory.
Zhu, Jun, Asymptotic inference for spatial distribution function.

## University of Iowa (8)

ApPL. MATH. \& Computational
Iancu, Mirela, On the null space method for solving differential-algebraic equations.
Schuette, Matthew, Modeling the transmission of the varicella-zoster virus.

## BIOSTATISTICS

Ludington, Elizabeth, Sex-specific recombination in linkage analysis.
Nichols, Sara, Iterative logistic ridge regression.

Statistics \& Actuarial Science
Chen, Yeh-Fong, The aspects of order restricted statistical inference.
Jiang, Yanming, Likelihood based methods for detecting linkage in the presence of linkage disequalibrium.
Li, Ming-Chung, Multivariate non-linear time series modeling.
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