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ALABAMA

Auburn University (8)

MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS

- *Castellana, Vincent*, On the spectrum of minimal covers by triples.
- *Diawara, Norou,* New classes of multivariate gamma survival and reliability models.
- *Nguyen, Tung, A-*stability for two species competition diffusion systems.
- *Ozkan, Sibel*, Hamilton decompositions with primitive leaves.
- *Pettis, Carl*, The triangle intersection problem for hexagon triple systems.
- *Stone, Jennifer*, Non-metric continua that support Whitney maps.
- *Trimm, Janet*, On Frobenius numbers in three variables.
- *Tuncer, Necibe*, A novel finite element discretization of domains with spheroidal geometry.

University of Alabama at Birmingham (2)

MATHEMATICS

- Areeg, Abdalla, Monte-Carlo studies with random fuzzy numbers.
- *Childers, Douglas,* Some topological results on the influence of critical points in rational dynamics.

University of Alabama-Tuscaloosa (3)

MATHEMATICS

- Bulka, Yuriy, Multiple nonlinear Volterra integral equations.
- *Kim, Young Hee*, A hysteresis model for two-dimensional input signals.
- *Qui, Lin*, Morrey type spaces and Carleson measures.

ARIZONA

Arizona State University (9)

MATHEMATICS AND STATISTICS

- *Driver, Eric*, A targeted Martinet search. *Imran, Mudassar*, Mathematical models
- in biofilm and antibiotic treatment.
- *Infante, Nicole*, Students' understanding of related rates problems in calculus.
- *Knapp, Jessica*, Students' appropriation of proving practices in advanced calculus.
- *Lu, Yan*, Longitudinal estimation in dual frame surveys.
- *Mason, Clinton*, Modeling glucose dynamics leading to a diabetic state with simulations performed from data.
- *Shim, Eunha*, Mathematical models of rotavirus transmission in the presence of maternal antibodies and vaccination.
- *Tridane, Abdessamad*, Mathematical analysis of immunological and epidemiological models of influenza infection.
- *Wang, Hao*, Mathematical analysis of trophic interactions: From bacteria competition of lemming cycles.

University of Arizona (9)

MATHEMATICS

- *Caine, John*, Poisson structures on U/K and applications.
- *Habermas, Derek*, Compact symmetric spaces, triangular factorization and Cayley coordinates.
- *Konstantinou, Panagiota*, Homomorphisms of the fundamental group of a surface into PSU(1, 1) and the action of the mapping class group.
- *Levitt, Benjamin*, Tate-Shafarevich groups of Jacobians of Fermat curves.
- *Lo, Assane*, Witten Laplacian methods of critical phenomena.
- *Punosevac, Predrag,* Regularization of simultaneous binary collisions in some gravitational systems.

Spiegler, Adam, Stability of generic equilibria of the *2n*-dimensional free rigid body using the energy-Casimir method.

PROGRAM IN APPLIED MATHEMATICS

Garcia-Naranjo, Luis, Almost Poisson brackets for nonholonomic systems on Lie groups.

McNicholas, Erin, Embedded tree structures and eigenvalue statistics of genus zero one-face maps.

ARKANSAS

University of Arkansas at Fayetteville (2)

MATHEMATICS AND SCIENCES

Kali, Zdenka, Two extremal problems in complex function theory.

Lewis, Camille, Homotopy techniques and polynomial roots.

CALIFORNIA

California Institute of Technology (5)

Applied and Computational Mathematics

- *Bou-Rabee, Nawaf*, Hamiltonian-Pontryagin integrators on Lie groups.
- *Dondl, Patrick Werner*, Structure and evolution of Martensitic phase boundaries.
- *Latini, Marco*, Simulations and analysis of two- and three-dimensional single-mode Richtmyer-Meshkov instability using weighted essentially non-oscillatory and vortex methods.
- *Zhang, Lei*, Metric based upscaling for partial differential equations with a continuum of scales.

MATHEMATICS

Pelayo, Roberto, Diameter bounds on the complex of minimal genus Seifert surfaces for hyperbolic knots.

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Claremont Graduate University (6)

SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

- *Cadwallader-Olsker, Todd*, Proof schemes and proof writing.
- *Daneshbod, Yousef*, Mathematical models in microfluidics: Capillary electrophoresis and sessile drop physics.
- *Gasner, Scott*, Cellular pattern formation and noise in *O*(2) symmetric systems.
- *Lewis, Steven*, Bayesian parameter and order estimation in profile hidden Markov models.
- *Schmitz, Adeline*, Constructive neural networks for function approximation and their application to *CFD* shape optimization.
- *Sunahata, Hiroki*, Interaction of the quantum vacuum with an accelerated object and its contribution to inertia reaction force.

University of California, Berkeley (33)

GROUP IN BIOSTATISTICS

- *Bein, Edward*, Topics in causal inference: Analyzing psychotherapy outcome studies, convex-combination estimators, and *G*-computations model selection.
- *Petersen, Maya*, Applications of causal inference methods to improve the treatment of antiretroviral-resistant HIV infection.

MATHEMATICS

- *Alappatu, Jomy*, An analysis of randomized algorithms on trees.
- Anderson, Bernard, Relative properties of reals.
- *Assaf, Sami*, Dual equivalence graphs, ribbon tableaux and MacDonald polynomials.
- *Berbec, Ioan*, Group schemes over Artinian rings and applications.
- *Cameron, Maria*, Seismic velocity estimation from time migration.
- *Carnahan, Scott*, Monstrous Lie algebras and generalized moonshine.
- *Chen, Yanfeng*, Categorification of representations of quantum groups and invariants of tangle cobordisms.
- *Chester, Elizabeth*, Fast methods for computing all-to-all geodesic paths for the eikonal equation.
- *Christianson, Hans*, Quantum monodromy and non-concentration near a closed semi-hyperbolic orbit.
- *Franklin, Johanna*, Aspects of Schnorr randomness.
- *Goodrick, John*, When are elementarily bi-embeddable models isomorphic?
- *Greicius, Aaron*, Elliptic curves with surjective global Galois representation.
- *Hoyt, Crystal*, Kac-Moody superalgebras of finite growth.

- *Huh, Jae-Seok*, Implicit interface finite element method for elliptic interface problems.
- *Inoue, Taiyo*, Organizing volumes of right-angled hyperbolic polyhedra.
- *Kelley, James*, Homotopical syzygies in *K*-theory.
- *Kirkpatrick, Kay*, Rigorous derivation of the Landau equation in the weak coupling limit.
- *Lyo, Grace,* Semilinear actions of Galois groups and the algebraic *K*-theory of fields.
- *Marzuola, Jeremy*, A stable class of perturbations for minimal mass solitons of saturated NLSE in 3d.
- *Medvedev, Alice*, Group-like minimal sets in ACFA.
- *Miller, Carl*, Cohomology of *p*-torsion sheaves on characteristic-*p* curves.
- *Morrison, Scott*, A diagrammatic category for the representation theory of $U_q(\mathfrak{sl}_n)$.
- *Nieh, Ari*, Decategorification of local sl(2) and sl(3) Khovanov homology.
- *Shan, Ying,* Solving partial differential equations on irregular domains with moving interfaces, with applications to superconformal electrodeposition in semiconductor manufacturing.
- *Spivak, David*, Quasi-smooth derived manifolds.
- *Wang, Jiajun*, Cosmetic surgeries, nice Heegaard diagrams and Floer homology.
- *Weare, Jonathan*, Smoothing and filtering of stochastic ordinary and partial differential equations by efficient path sampling.
- *Webster, Ben*, Poisson algebraic geometry in representation theory and combinatorics.
- *Weinstein, Jared*, Automorphic representations with local constraints.
- *Yazdani, Soroosh*, Modular forms with odd congruence numbers.
- *Yu, Josephine*, Combinatorial aspects of tropical geometry.

University of California, Davis (14)

MATHEMATICS

- *Choup, Leonard*, Edgeworth expansion of the eigenvalue distribution function of GUE and LUE.
- *Kuang, Jessica*, Models of seed predation and coexistence of desert annual plant species.
- *Lankham, Isaiah*, Patience sorting and its generalizations.
- *Liao, Ben-Shan*, Subspace projection methods for model order reduction and nonlinear eigenvalue problem.
- *Pitman, Damien,* Clustering in random fitness landscapes: Conformity and incompatibility.
- *Sternberg, Philip*, Applications of crystal bases to current problems in representation theory.

Wissman, Brian, Global solutions to the ultra-relativistic Euler equations.

STATISTICS

- *Ding, Jimin*, Joint modelling of survival and longitudinal data.
- *Liao, Shanmei*, Application of bootstrap confidence region for multivariate analysis.
- *Metoyer, Candace*, Estimation methods for linear, nonlinear and multidimensional time series: Applications of statespace modeling.
- *Wang, Lu*, Penalization and rank reduction.
- *Ye, Jingjing*, Preprocessing and biomarker detection analysis for biological mass spectrometry data.
- *Zhang, Nan*, Functional data analysis for non-Gaussian longitudinal data.
- *Zhu, Shuying*, Bootstrap methods with applications in multivariate analysis.

University of California, Irvine (11)

MATHEMATICS

- *Bai, Li*, Time reversal through rough surface.
- *Bargagliotti, Anna*, An exploration of the effects of data based on ranks.
- *De Santiago, Rafael*, Interest rate derivatives and value-at-risk with multiscale stochastic volatility.
- *Egualada, Tristan*, Small-time asymptotics for multi-asset options.
- *Kang, Yang,* The Liouville equation for general ergodic magnetic Schrödinger operations.
- *Kronewetter, Jason*, Advances in topological social choice.
- *Lam, Kwan Hang*, Weighted Poincaré inequality and manifolds with Spin(9) holonomy.
- *Lin, Christopher*, Curvature-induced quantization in tubular neighborhoods about complete Riemannian manifolds.
- *Lunasin, Evelyn*, Analytical and computational study of certain sub-grid scale *L*-models of turbulence.
- *Macklin, Paul*, Toward computational oncology: Nonlinear simulation of centimeter-scale tumor growth in complex, heterogeneous tissue.
- *Natsukawa, Eisuke,* On the Weil-Peterson geometry of the moduli space of Calabi-Yau manifolds.

University of California, Los Angeles (25)

- *Boisvert, Alex,* A new definition of the Steenrod operations in algebraic geometry.
- *Chan, Stephen*, Colinking properties of Euclidean neighborhood retracts in merger manifolds.

- *Chung, Jason*, Variational image segmentation and restoration using multilayer implicit curve evolution approach.
- *Crawford, Nick*, Mean field theories and models of statistical physics.
- *Dokos, Pericles,* On the combinatorial and spectral properties of finite quotients of the Bruhat-Tits building of the type C2 by discrete subgroups of PGSP4 and the arithmetic of quaternionic hermitian forms.
- *Draganova, Anna,* Asymptotic existence of decompositions of edge-colored graphs and hypergraphs.
- *Fernandez, Rahul,* Airy functions associated to compact Lie groups and their analytic properties.
- *Gillette, Alan*, Image inpainting using a modified Cahn-Hilliard equation.
- *Handy, Jon*, Bounded analytic functions on the complements of square Cantor sets: The corona problem and related problems.
- *Ioanna, Adrian*, Rigidity results in the orbit equivalence theory of non-amenable groups.
- *Jetter, Madeleine*, Steiner equivalence of convex bodies: Analytic and algebraic perspectives.
- *Kittrel, John*, Full groups and hyperfiniteness.
- *O'Dell, Steve*, Inverse scattering for Schrödinger type operators in exterior domains containing surfaces with interfaces.
- *Ryckman, Eric*, Spectral equivalences for Jacobi matrices.
- *Skeith, William*, Homomorphic encryption and non-interactive secure computation.
- *Sun, Hae-Sang*, Non-vanishing mod *p* of special *L*-values.
- *Tanushev, Nick*, Gaussian beams: Theory and applications.
- *Upton, Margaret,* Galois representations attached to Picard curves and equidistribution of traces of Hecke operators for GL_2 .

- *Baek, Jong-Ho*, Statistical methods for a sensor rich building.
- *Erickson, Stephen*, Hierarchical empirical Bayes analysis of genomic microarrays.
- *Kriegler, Brian*, Cost-sensitive stochastic gradient boosting within a quantitive regression framework.
- *Li, Jinhui*, Analysis of longitudinal data with missing values.
- *Presson, Angela*, Statistical methods for complex disease analysis.
- *Sun, Wei*, Statistical strategies in eQTL studies.
- *Wang, Hui*, Extended homozygosity in high density genotyping.

University of California, Riverside (7)

MATHEMATICS

- *Crockett, Catherine,* On the topology, combinatorics and geometry of circle and spherical orders.
- *Daudert, Britta*, Epidemic modeling on complex networks, localization on snow-flake domains.
- *Lu, Hung, p*-adic fractal strings and their complex dimensions.
- *Morton, Jeffrey*, Extended TQFT's and quantum gravity.
- *Rock, John*, Zeta functions, complex dimensions of fractal strings and multifractal analysis of mass distributions.
- *Senesi, Jagannatha Prasad*, Finite dimensional representation of the twisted loop algebras.
- *Wise, Derek*, Topological gauge theory, Cartan geometry and gravity.

University of California, San Diego (14)

MATHEMATICS

- *Anderson, Reid,* Local algorithms for graph partitioning and finding dense subgraphs.
- Bandlow, Jason, Combinatorics of Macdonald polynomials and extensions.
- *Berg, Arthur*, Nonparametric function estimation with infinite-order kernels and applications.
- *Colarusso, Mark*, The Gelfand-Zeitlin algebra and polarizations of regular adjoint orbits for classical groups.
- *Erway, Jennifer*, Iterative methods for large-scale unconstrained optimization.
- *Farina, John*, Stability properties in ring theory.
- *Kotschwar, Brett*, Some results on the qualitative behavior of solutions to the Ricci flow and other geometric evolution equations.
- *Lebl, Jiri*, Singularities and complexity in CR geometry.
- *Musiker, Gregg*, A combinatorial comparison of elliptic curves and critical groups of graphs.
- *Smith, Barry*, On the values of equivariant and Artin *L*-functions of cyclic extensions of number fields.
- *Voden, Thomas*, Subalgebras of Golod-Shafarevich algebras.
- *Wildstrom, David*, Dynamic resource location on generalized distance metrics.
- *Wong, Aaron*, The Brauer-Siegel theorem for fields of bounded relative degree.
- *Wroblewski, David,* Non-smooth Brownian martingales and stochastic integral representations.

University of California, Santa Barbara (5)

MATHEMATICS

Dawson, Liana, Unique continuation for higher order dispersive equations.

Gunnarsson, Gunnar, Stochastic partial differential equation models for highway traffic.

STATISTICS AND APPLIED PROBABILITY

- *Paradkar, Deepali*, Some contributions to inferential tests in mixture models and model-based clustering.
- *Siddiqi, Muhammad Aleemuddin,* Statistical image and functional data analysis.
- *Villacorta, Alexander*, Information diffusion in multimedia environments.

University of California, Santa Cruz (4)

MATHEMATICS

- *Agapito, Ruben*, Study of energy decay of magnetohydrodynamics equations.
- *Berman, Abraham*, On centers of blocks of finite groups.
- *McCain, William*, Properties of the linearized Kepler operator.
- *Niche, Cesar*, On the topological entropy and periodic orbits of optical and magnetic flows.

COLORADO

Colorado School of Mines (5)

MATHEMATICS AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

- *Crabtree, John*, Design and implementation of computational automation tools for the evaluation of detailed chemical kinetic mechanisms.
- *Hyatt, John*, Domain decomposition orthogonal spline collocation with nonmatching grids.
- *Kurkowski, Stuart*, Credible mobile ad hoc network simulation-based studies.
- *McMullin, Dale*, A graphical data structure for complicated vector field properties and behavior.
- *Wang, Zhongben*, Modified nodal cubic spline collocation methods for elliptic and parabolic problems.

Colorado State University (8)

- *Cruceanu, Stefan*, Numerical solutions of nonlinear systems derived from semilinear elliptical equations.
- *Devanath, Sripriya*, Modular decomposition of *K*-hypergraphs.
- *Kull, Trent*, Coefficient recovery in parabolic initial boundary value problems.
- *Sandelin, Jeff*, Global estimate and control of model, numerical, and parameter error.

- *Coar, William*, State-space models for stream networks.
- *Merton, Andrew,* Geostatistical models: Model selection and parameter estimation under infill and expanding domain asymptotics.
- *Ozaksoy, Isin*, Modeling genetic correlation in microsatellite frequencies associated with covariates and population substructure.
- *Patterson, Paul,* Generalized inference for mixed linear models problems.

University of Colorado, Boulder (9)

APPLIED MATHEMATICS

- *Ahrens, Cory*, The asymptotic analysis of communications and wave collapse problems in nonlinear optics.
- *Jin, Chao*, Parallel domain decomposition methods for stochastic partial differential equations and analysis of nonlinear integral equations.
- *Liu, Hong*, Rare events, heavy tails, and simulation.
- Sheehan, Brendan, Multigrid methods for isotropic neutron transport.

MATHEMATICS

- *Catone, Christopher*, Projective equivalence of Finsler and Riemannian surfaces.
- *Deajim, Abdul,* On non-associative division algebras arising from elliptic curves.
- *Furst, Veronika*, A characterization of semiorthogonal Parseval wavelets in abstract Hilbert spaces.
- *Miller, Sheila*, Free left-distributive algebras.
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University of Northern Colorado (3)

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- *Cribari, RaKissa*, Socio-cultural factors and seventh grade students' attitudes and beliefs about mathematics.
- *Dollard, Clark*, Preservice elementary teachers' thinking about situations involving probability.
- *Huang, Chein Chung,* The understanding of multiplication of preservice elementary school teachers in Taiwan.

CONNECTICUT

University of Connecticut, Storrs (14)

MATHEMATICS

Foondun, Mohammud, Harnack inequalities for integro-differential operators.

Mullen, Ryan, Examples of Banach spaces that are not branch algebras.

Rogalski, Alexander, Reverse mathematics on lattice ordered groups.

- *Schwell, Rachel*, Operads, polytopes and the A_{∞} -Deligne conjecture.
- *Shlapaik, Yuriy,* Numerical methods for finding certain solutions to Gross-Pitaevskii type equations with general potentials.
- *Tang, Huili*, Uniqueness for the Martingale associated with pure jump processes.

STATISTICS

- *Das, Sonali*, A new development of Bayesian structural equations model with application to the VHA survey data.
- *Diva, Ulysses*, Novel approaches in modeling spatially correlated multivariate data.
- *Ghosh, Samiran*, Clustering classification and function for high dimensional data arising from bioinformatics and related domains.
- *Liu, Zhaohui*, Bayesian inference for nonhomogeneous Poisson process models for software reliability.
- *Oemcke, Zoe*, The estimation and forecasting of volatility: The use of stock, option and high-frequency data to assist in the valuation of options.
- *Pepe, William*, On some bounded risk sequential procedures for exponential mean and normal density estimation.
- *Song, Changhong*, Analyzing longitudinal data using random effects models.
- *Xu, Hai*, Statistical inference and computing for diffusion models in finance.

Yale University (6)

MATHEMATICS

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- *Kim, Sang-hyun*, Hyperbolic surfaces subgroups of right-angled Artin graph products of groups.
- *Licata, Anthony Michael*, Moduli spaces of sheaves on surfaces in geometric representation theory.
- *Licata, Joan*, Heegaard Floer link homology, the Thurston norm, and minimalcomplexity surfaces.
- *Sussan, Joshua*, Category 0 and sl(k) link invariants.
- *Wong, Helen, SO*(3) quantum invariants: Density and applications.

DELAWARE

University of Delaware (2)

MATHEMATICAL SCIENCE

- *Capursi, Maria*, On some projective planes of order 16 arising by Bose-Barlotti derivation.
- *Zhou, Junjie*, Option pricing under the generalized tempered stable process.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

George Washington University (4)

MATHEMATICS

- *Dabkowska, Malgorzata*, Turing degree spectra of groups and their spaces of orders.
- *Ufferman, Eric,* Structures and partial computable automorphisms.
- *Veve, Michael*, Skein modules, orderable magmas, and billiards.

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FLORIDA

Florida Institute of Technology (1)

MATHEMATICAL SCIENCES

Allen, Josef, Multiplicative noise ratio and speckle reduction for synthetic aperture radar imagery via nonlinear partial differential equation methods.

Florida State University (16)

MATHEMATICS

- Achuthan, Srisairam, Analysis of orientational restraints in solid-state nuclear magnetic resonance with applications to protein structure determination.
- *Asbury, Thomas*, From data to structure: Using orientational information with PISEMA spectra to build atomic models.
- *Galloway, Mack*, Option pricing with selfsimilar, additive processes.
- *Laing, Christian*, Biomedical applications of shape descriptors.
- *Mann, Jennifer*, DNA knotting: Occurrences, consequences, and resolution.
- *Toporikova, Natalia*, Regulation of rhythmic prolactin secretion: Combined mathematical and experimental study.
- *Tzigantchev, Dimitre*, Predegree polynomials of plane configurations in projective space.
- *Webster, Clayton*, Reduction techniques for the numerical solution to stochastic partial differential equations.
- *Wood, William*, Combinatorial type problems for triangulation graphs.
- *Zhang, Jianke*, Numerical methods for portfolio risk estimation.

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Herbei, Radu, Quasi-3D statistical inversion of oceanographic tracer data.

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- *Sharma, Dinesh*, Logistic regression, measures of explained variation, and the base rate problem.
- *Yu, Han*, Nonparametric minimax testing on high frequency data.

University of Central Florida (4)

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- *Mancas, Stefan C.*, Dissipative solitons in the cubic-quintic complex Ginszburg-Landau equation: Bifurcations and spatiotemporal structure.
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University of Miami (2)

MATHEMATICS

- *Clarke, Patrick*, Duality for formal toric Landau-Ginzburg models.
- *Dominguez, Alvio,* Non-existence of product-form solutions for some closed discrete-time queueing networks.

University of South Florida (10)

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- *Ameur, Kheira*, Polynomial quandle cocycles, their knot invariants and applications.
- *Aryal, Gokarna R.*, Study of Laplace and related probability distributions and their applications.
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- *Cureg, Edgardo S.*, Some problems in products of random matrices.
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- *Pirnot, Joni B.*, Recognizable languages defined by two-dimensional shift spaces.
- *Quarcoo, Joseph O.*, Contributions to the degree theory for perturbations of maximal monotone operators.
- *Shibata, Michiru*, Pricing models and analysis of corporate coupon-bonds and credit default swaptions.
- *Wooten, Rebecca Dyanne*, Statistical environmental models: Hurricane, lightning, rainfall, flooding, red tide and volcanoes.

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Emory University (9)

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- *Moore, Renee,* Prediction of random effects when data are subject to a detection limit.
- *Wu, Haiyan*, Hierarchical analysis of microarray experiments with applications to the study of CD8 T cell immune responses.

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- *Kurzyniec, Dawid*, Towards lightweight and reconfigurable resources sharing frameworks.
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graphs and diagraphs.

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Georgia Institute of Technology (2)

SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICS

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University of Georgia (9)

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- *Ashton, Edward*, Exploring continuous tensegrities.
- *Cho, Okkyung*, Construction of compactly supported multiwavelets.
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- *Mullikin, Chad*, On length minimizing curves with distortion thickness bounded below and distortion bounded above.
- *Park, Daeshik*, The Fekete-Szegö theorem with splitting conditions on the projective line of positive characteristics.
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STATISTICS

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HAWAII

University of Hawaii at Manoa (3)

MATHEMATICS

- *Chrisman, Micah*, The number theory of finite cyclic actions on surfaces.
- *Kaneshige, Bryon*, On semifree symplectic circle actions.
- *Piotrowski, Andrzej*, Linear operators and the distribution of zeros of entire functions.

ILLINOIS

Illinois Institute of Technology (1)

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- *Zhang, Guo Quan*, Iterated approximate moving least-squares: Theory and applications.

Northern Illinois Univeresity (4)

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- *Brahma, Sanjoy*, Robust and minimum norm partial quadratic eigenvalue assignment problems: Theory and computations.
- *Frobish, Daniel,* Estimation of change points in recurrent events models.
- *Hein, Robert, P*-polynomial table algebras and distance regular graphs.
- *Kallenbach, Jeffrey*, Spectral concentration in the Sturm-Liouville differential equation.

Northwestern University (10)

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- *Clay, Matthew*, Motion of thin droplets due to surfactants and gravity.
- *Fisher, Lael,* Mathematical modeling of interfacial hydrodynamic phenomena in some liquid-fluid systems.
- *Norris, Scott*, Evolving faceted surfaces: From continuum modeling, to geometric simulation, to mean-field theory.
- *Park, Jang,* Numerical studies of integral equation and rod models of solid fuel combustion.
- *Rempe, Michael,* Efficient computational strategies for simulating neural activity on branched structures.
- *Retford, Christopher*, Multi-scale modeling of surfaces and edges of nanoscale materials.

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- Aldi, Marco, A-branes and mirror symmetry.
- *Borisov, Dennis*, Homotopy Gerstenhaber structure on deformation complex of a morphism.
- *Johnson, Michael*, Results on polynomial ergodic averages.
- *Voineagu, Mircea*, Semi-topological *K*-theory of certain projective varieties.

Southern Illinois University, Carbondale (3)

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- *Chang, Jing*, Resistant dimension reduction.
- *Kazi, Haseeb*, Inequalities and bounds for elliptic integrals.
- Marr, Alison, Labelings of directed graphs.

University of Chicago (22)

MATHEMATICS

- *Abouzaid, Mohammed*, On homological mirror symmetry for toric varieties.
- *Balduzzi, David*, Hamiltonian geometry of moduli space of bundles on curves.
- Boyarchenko, Dmitriy, Characters of unipotent groups over finite fields.
- *Dymarz, Tullia*, Large scale geometry of certain solvable groups.
- *Jackson, Craig*, Nilpotent slices and Hilbert schemes.
- *Kerr, Gabriel*, Weighted blow-ups and mirror symmetry for toric surfaces.
- *McCathern, Sharon*, A replacement theorem for modules with a unipotent automorphism.
- *Morris, Courtney*, On free $\mathbb{Z}/p\mathbb{Z}$ actions on products of spheres.
- *Ponto, Kathleen*, Fixed point theory and trace for bicategories.
- *Putman, Thomas*, An infinite presentation of the Torelli group.
- *Rule, David*, The regularity and Neumann problem for non-symmetric elliptic operators.
- *Scheels, Ann*, The fortification illusion of migraine.
- *Smithling, Brian D.*, On the moduli stack of commutative, 1-parameter formal Lie groups.
- *Thomas, Anne*, Lattices in automorphism groups of polyhedral complexes.
- *Walker, Katharine*, Fundamental groups of moduli spaces of quadratic differentials.
- *Yanagisawa, Masuo*, Floer homology for elliptic K3 surface.
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- *Ostrovnaya, Irina*, Estimating error rates for independent and dependent test statistics.
- *Shao, Xiaofeng*, Statistical evaluation of multiresolution model output and spectral analysis for nonlinear time series.
- *Yang, Jie,* Infinite exchangeability and partitions and permanent process and classification model.

University of Illinois at Chicago (21)

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- *Akbas, Erol,* A presentation for the automorphisms of the 3-sphere that preserve a genus two Heegaard splitting.
- *Andikfar, Hossein*, Decomposition numbers and Cartan invariants of finite groups of Lie type in the defining characteristic.
- *Beyarslan, Ozlem*, Random structures over pseudofinite fields.
- *Brugueras, Jaime*, On payoff allocations for assignment games and on algorithms for stochastic games.
- *Cai, Dongmin*, Information-based projection method for categorical clustering and outlier detection.
- *Chakrabarty, Siddhartha*, Optimal control of drug delivery to brain tumors using a distributed parameters deterministic model.
- *Coppola, Andrew*, The theory of *Q*-abstract elementary classes.
- *Dong, Yuping*, Surveillance studies on change point in incidence rate.
- *Fernos, Talia*, Relative property (*T*), linear groups, and applications.
- *Grizzard, Phil*, On Lefschetz characters of 2-local geometries for some sporadic groups.
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