

Ms. Anna Paulish
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Subject: Doctoral Program in Mathematics

Dear Ms. Paulish,

On behalf of the Doctoral Program in Mathematics (EDMA) at the Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne (EPFL), we have the pleasure to inform you that you have been accepted in our program as a PhD student in the Chair of Mathematics for materials modelling subject to the condition that you are indeed awarded a Master degree before entering the program.

I would like to take this opportunity to inform you about the dual nature of your employment at EPFL:

On the one hand you are a matriculated PhD student in the doctoral school of mathematics. Ms. Anne Kolly, who is in charge of the mathematics program, will be responsible for your academic curriculum (candidature, matriculation, candidacy examination after the first year of studies, final admission, oral examination, public defence).

On the other hand, you are employed as a doctoral assistant in the research group of Professor Michael Herbst in the Chair of Mathematics for materials modelling. Ms. Julie Charles, secretary of Prof. Herbst, will be responsible for all matters concerning your employment contract, salary, assistantship, research-related travel etc.

With this background, I would request that you contact Ms. Anne Kolly in order to finalize your entrance into the mathematics program of the doctoral school. Please feel free to contact either the secretariat of the doctoral program or myself at the below address if you have any questions that are not answered by the material on the website.

Yours sincerely,

Prof. Fabio Nobile
Director of the Mathematics Program

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Ms. Julie Charles