# **Boris Andrews** CV

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#### EDUCATION

2021 – 2025 **University of Oxford**, *PhD* (*DPhil*) in Mathematics (*Numerical Analysis*)

- (predicted) Thesis: Structure-preserving FEMs via auxiliary variables: conservative & accurately dissipative integrators / global & local structures for BVPs
  - Supervisors: Patrick Farrell, Wayne Arter

2017 – 2021 **University of Oxford**, *Integrated Masters in Mathematics (MMath)*, First (Distinction)

- Thesis: Computation and approximation properties of near orthogonal matrices for tall random matrices
- O Supervisor: Yuji Nakatsukasa

#### RESEARCH INTERESTS

Structure-preserving numerical methods for PDEs & ODEs, Conservation & dissipation structures | Global & local energy estimates & conservation laws | Asymptotic-preserving integrators | Geometric machine learning

**Finite element theory**, Finite element exterior calculus (FEEC) | Domain decomposition | *Parallel in time (PinT)* 

**Plasma modelling**, Magnetohydrodynamics (MHD) | Hybrid fluid-particle models **Turbulent systems**, Stabilisation | Preconditioning

#### PUBLICATIONS & PREPRINTS

Preprints

High-order conservative and accurately dissipative numerical integrators via auxiliary variables, with Patrick Farrell, 16 July 2024

o In review: Foundations of Computational Mathematics

(Draft on request)

Upcoming High-order structure-preserving discretisation for ideal MHD arising in the Parker problem, with Mingdong He, Kaibo Hu, Patrick Farrell

> Globally and locally structure-preserving mixed finite-element methods for boundaryvalue problems

High-order conservative-dissipative integrators for reversible-irreversible systems

An augmented Lagrangian preconditioner for natural convection at high Reynolds number, with Alexei Gazca, Patrick Farrell, Benjamin Castellaz

High-order fully conservative integrators for integrable ODE systems

High-order asymptotic-preserving integrators for charged particles in arbitrary magnetic fields

Upcoming

Conservative integrators exhibit greater stability than symplectic integrators on the Toda lattice, with Sebastian Ohlig, Patrick Farrell

## Programming Languages

**Experienced:** Python (*Firedrake*), MATLAB, LaTeX | **Limited:** Julia, C, Fortran, HTML

# PRIZES, AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

- 2021 2025 **DPhil studentship**, Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council (EPSRC) **DPhil studentship**, United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority (UKAEA)
- 2017 2021 **Foundation scholarship**, *Worcester College*, *University of Oxford* **Collection prizes**, *Worcester College*, *University of Oxford*

# SEMINAR, WORKSHOP AND CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS (\*scheduled/provisional)

- 2025 EMS school on Mathematical Modelling, Numerical Analysis and Scientific Computing\* (Kácov, Czechia) | Invited talk\* (Brown University) | Firedrake User Meeting USA\* (Fort Worth, Texas) | Numerical Mathematics & Scientific Computing seminar\* (Rice University)
- 2024 External seminar (Rice University) | Computing Division technical meeting (UKAEA) | Firedrake User Meeting (University of Oxford) | PDEsoft (University of Cambridge) | European Finite Element Fair (University College London) | Exploiting Algebraic and Geometric Structure in Time-integration Methods workshop (University of Pisa) | UKAEA PhD student engagement day (UKAEA) | Junior Applied Mathematical Seminar (University of Warwick)
- 2023 **ICIAM 2023** (Waseda University) | **Numerical analysis group internal seminar** (University of Oxford) | **Junior Applied Mathematics Seminar** (University of Oxford) | **Met Office presentation** (University of Oxford)
- 2022 PRISM workshop (Missenden Abbey, UK) | PRISM workshop (Missenden Abbey, UK)

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- Sep Oct University of Oxford, Supervision of summer internship, Sebastian Ohlig 2024 Project: Stability study of conservative vs. symplectic integrators on the Toda lattice
- Aug Oct Tokamak Energy, Internship, Physics: theory and modelling
  - 2022 Project: Implementation of non-Maxwellian backgrounds in the GENE gyrokinetic code
    - Supervisor: Salomon Janhunen
- Jul Aug Perm State University, *Internship*, Computational fluid dynamics 2019

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- 2024 2025 **Tutor**, *University of Oxford*, Computational Mathematics
- 2023 2024 **Tutor**, *University of Oxford*, Prelims corner

Teaching assistant, University of Oxford, Numerical Linear Algebra

2021 – 2022 **Teaching assistant**, *University of Oxford*, Random Matrix Theory **Tutor**, *Oriel College*, *University of Oxford*, Analysis I

### LANGUAGES

Fluent: English | Intermediate: Dutch | Beginner: Japanese, German