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: IMA Journal of Numerical Analysis (IMAJNA)

Topology-preserving discretization for the magneto-frictional equations arising in the Parker conjecture, with Mingdong He, Patrick Farrell, Kaibo Hu, 20 January 2025

o In review: SIAM Journal on Scientific Computing (SISC)

Upcoming (Draft on request)

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

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

Uniformly accurate magnetic moment-preserving integrators for charged particles

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 ACOMEN* (Ghent University) | Biennial Numerical Analysis Conference* (University of Strathclyde) | EMS school on Mathematical Modelling, Numerical Analysis and Scientific Computing* (Kácov, Czechia) | Numerical Mathematics & Scientific Computing seminar* (Rice University) | SIAM CSE* (Fort Worth, Texas) | Scientific Computing Seminar* (Brown University) | Firedrake User Meeting USA* (Baylor 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 (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)

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