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EDUCATION

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

- (predicted) Thesis: Structure-preserving finite-element methods via auxiliary variables: conservative and accurately dissipative integrators, and energy estimates for inhomogeneous boundary-value problems
 - O Supervisors: Patrick Farrell, Wayne Arter

- 2017 2021 **University of Oxford**, *Integrated Masters in Mathematics (MMath)*, First (Distinction)
 - o 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 and dissipation structures/Global & local energy estimates

Finite element theory, Finite element exterior calculus/Domain decomposition/Parallel in time

Hybrid fluid-particle models, Plasma modelling

Turbulent systems, Stabilisation/Preconditioning

PUBLICATIONS & PREPRINTS

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

Submitted to Foundations of Computational Mathematics

Upcoming (Draft on request)

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

Structure-preserving finite-elements methods for inhomogeneous boundary-value problems via auxiliary variables

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 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

Professional Experience

Aug – Oct Tokamak Energy, Internship, Physics: theory and modelling 2024

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 **Stipendiary lecturer**, *Oriel College*, *University of Oxford*, Analysis I

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) | SIAM DS25* (Denver, Colorado) | Invited talk* (Brown University) | Firedrake User Meeting USA 2025* (Fort Worth, Texas) | Numerical Mathematics & Scientific Computing seminar* (Rice University)
- 2024 External seminar (Rice University) | Computing Division technical meeting (UKAEA) |
 Firedrake User Meeting 2024 (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) | Internal presentation (Tokamak Energy)
- 2022 **PRISM workshop** (Missenden Abbey, UK)

PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES

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

LANGUAGES

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

REFERENCES

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