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## EDUCATION

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**Courant Institute, New York University** 2020 - Present  
Center for Atmosphere Ocean Science, Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences  
PhD. in Atmosphere Ocean Science and Mathematics  
Advisor: Oliver Bühler, Shafer Smith

**University of California, Los Angeles** 2016 - 2020  
B.S. Applied Mathematics (Specializing in Computing); Minor in Philosophy  
Honors Program in Applied Mathematics, College Honors Program, summa cum laude

## PUBLICATIONS

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3. DÙ, R.S., Bühler, O. *Domain dependence of wave turbulence theory for the Majda-McLaughlin-Tabak (MMT) model*. In Preparation.
2. Du, R.S., Liu, L., Ng, S., Sambandam, S., Hernandez Adame, B., Perez, H., Ha, K., Falcon, C., de Rutte, J., Di Carlo, D., Bertozzi, A.L., 2021. *Statistical energy minimization theory for systems of drop-carrier particles*. Phys. Rev. E 104, 015109.
1. Lindstrom, M.R., Du, R.S., Ng, X.Y., Diaz, D., Koulikova, M., Nero, M., Ross, H., Shukla, S., Bertozzi, A.L., Brantingham, P.J., 2019. *Using local geographic features to predict changes in the Los Angeles homeless population*. UCLA CAM Reports 19-62

## PRESENTATION

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3. *SQG<sup>+1</sup> as a Model for Submesoscale Asymmetry* (Poster)  
at FilaChange 2022, August 2022.
2. *Domain dependence of wave turbulence theory for the Majda-McLaughlin-Tabak (MMT) model* (Poster)  
at the 23rd Conference on Atmospheric and Oceanic Fluid Dynamics (AOFD), June 2022;  
and the 2022 Gordon Conference: Ocean Mixing, June 2022.
1. *Modeling systems of drop carrier particles through energy minimization* (Poster)  
at the 72nd Annual Meeting of the Division of Fluid Dynamics (APS DFD), Nov 2019.

## RESEARCH

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**1D Wave Turbulence.** 2021-Present  
Graduate Student Researcher CAOS, Courant Institute, NYU  
Advisor: Oliver Bühler

- Developed and numerically tested a new theory for the turbulent spectra of the Majda-McLaughlin-Tabak (MMT) model.
- Numerical experiments were run on NYU HPC cluster Greene.

**Lagrangian Filtering for Mean-Wave Separation.** Summer 2021  
Graduate Student Researcher CAOS, Courant Institute, NYU  
Advisor: Shafer Smith

- Tested the technique of Lagrangian Filtering for mean-wave separation of geophysical flows by comparing the algorithm output with theoretically known mean flow.

**Modeling Systems of Drop Carrier Particles Through Energy Minimization.** 2019-2021  
*Student Researcher* *Applied Math REU Program, UCLA*  
*Advisor: Andrea Bertozzi, Claudia Falcon*

- Studied the properties of Drop Carrier Particles, a new experimental tool in biotechnology, through calculus of variation, probability, and lab experiment.

**Predicting Changes in the LA Homeless Population.** 2018-2019  
*Student Researcher* *Department of Mathematics, UCLA*  
*Advisor: Michael Lindstrom*

- Constructed machine learning architecture (in Tensorflow) aiming at predicting changes in homeless population in LA from local geographic features.

## LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE

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**NYU SIAM Student Chapter.** 2020-Present  
*Founding Board Member* *Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences, NYU*

- Founded the NYU student Chapter of Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics (SIAM).
- Organized events that are accessible to both the undergraduate and graduate student bodies of Courant, to enrich their education experience and foster bonds between them.

**Planetary Scale Ocean Circulation Course.** 2020-2021  
*Teaching Assistant* *World Science Scholars program, World Science Foundation*  
*Instructor: David Holland*

- Assisted in developing and teaching a 3-hours course on the mathematics and physics behind ocean circulations and showcased methods of mathematical analysis, numerical simulation, and lab experiment.
- Conducted “ocean gyres in rotating tank” experiment in Environmental Fluid Dynamics Lab, NYU.

**New Student Adviser and New Student Mentor.** 2018  
*New Student & Transition Programs, UCLA*

- Advised over 150 new undergraduates in curriculum, student services, and personal issues related to transitioning to university.
- Facilitated group discussions on topics ranging from the academic environment, student diversity, Title IX/sexual violence, alcohol and substance abuse, and sexual health.

## TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

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<b>Languages</b>	English, Chinese (Mandarin)
<b>Programming Languages</b>	MATLAB, Python (including FEniCS, Tensorflow), C++
<b>Software</b>	L <sup>A</sup> T <sub>E</sub> X, Inkscape, Slurm, Qt (in Python and C++), QGIS

## WEBSITES

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<b>Personal Website</b>	<a href="https://sites.google.com/view/ryan-shijie-du">sites.google.com/view/ryan-shijie-du</a>
<b>GitHub</b>	<a href="https://github.com/Empyreal092">github.com/Empyreal092</a>