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EDUCATION

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

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

PUBLICATIONS

3. Dù, R.S., Bühler, O. *The impact of frequency bandwidth on a one-dimensional model for dispersive wave turbulenc.* Submitted to Journal of Nonlinear Science.
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

PRESENTATIONS

3. *SQG⁺¹ 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 EXPERIENCES

Next order model balanced model for ocean flows. 2022-Present
Graduate Student Researcher CAOS, Courant Institute, NYU
Advisors: Oliver Bühler, Shafer Smith

- Studied the properties of the QG⁺¹ model such as vorticity asymmetry in various settings.
- Simulated primitive equations in Dedalus for comparison.
- Extended the next order balanced model to other geophysical fluids equations.

Turbulence spectra of 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.
- Our results resolved the long-standing inconsistency between wave turbulence theory and numerical simulation results with regards to power law spectra in the inertial range.

Lagrangian Filtering for Mean-Wave Separation.

Graduate Student Researcher

Summer 2021

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

Advisors: *Andrea Bertozzi, Claudia Falcon*

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

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.

TEACHING EXPERIENCES

Teaching Assistant *at Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences, NYU*

- Partial Differential Equations (Undergraduate). Spring 2023
- Introduction to Fluid Dynamics (Undergraduate). Spring 2023
- Numerical Analysis (Undergraduate). Fall 2022

LEADERSHIP AND SERVICE

NYU Applied Math Summer Undergraduate Research Experience (AM-SURE). 2023

Program Co-coordinator

Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences, NYU

- Working with faculties and post-docs on organizing the summer applied math research experience for undergraduate students from diverse backgrounds.
- Responsibilities include: selecting program participants, presenting tutorials, advising students' research, and organizing regular research meetings and social events.

Courant Splash (cSplash).

2023

Lecturer

Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences, NYU

- Gave a one-hour outreach talk at cSplash 2023 covering the basics of climate change.

The Mathematical Contest in Modeling (MCM).

2023

Faculty Adviser

Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences, NYU

- Advised a team of students to prepare for the contest in the basics of mathematical modeling.

NYU SIAM Student Chapter.

2020-2022

Founding Board Member

Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences, NYU

- Organized events that are accessible to both the undergraduate and graduate student bodies of Courant.

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.

TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

Languages	English, Chinese (Mandarin)
Programming Languages	MATLAB, Python (including Dedalus, FEniCS, Tensorflow), C++
Software	L ^A T _E X, Inkscape, Qt (in Python and C++), QGIS

WEBSITES

Personal Website	sites.google.com/view/ryan-shijie-du
GitHub	github.com/Empyreal092