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## EDUCATION

- Ph.D. Mathematics, Virginia Tech. Advisor: S. Adjerd. Anticipated graduation: May 2024.
- M.S. Mathematics, Virginia Tech, 2019.
- B.S. Mathematics, University of Science and Technology Houari Boumediene, 2016.

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Numerical analysis of partial differential equations.

Immersed finite element methods for interface problems.

Fluid-structure interaction problems.

## PUBLICATIONS

### Journal Articles

- 2024 S. Adjerd, T. Lin and H. Meghaichi *Analysis of the Frenet immersed finite element method for elliptic interface problems* (In progress).
- 2024 S. Adjerd, T. Lin and H. Meghaichi *A unified immersed finite element error analysis for one-dimensional interface problems BIT*, (accepted). preprint: arXiv:2306.10018
- 2024 S. Adjerd, T. Lin and H. Meghaichi *A high order geometry conforming immersed finite element for elliptic interface problems Comput. Methods Appl. Mech. Engrg.*, 420, 116703. doi:10.1016/j.cma.2023.116703
- 2023 S. Adjerd, T. Lin and H. Meghaichi *An immersed discontinuous Galerkin method for wave propagation in acoustic elastic media. J. Comput. Phys.*, 472, 111651. doi:10.1016/j.jcp.2022.111651

## INVITED TALKS

- 2023 *A high order geometry conforming immersed finite element for elliptic interface problems.* The 8th Annual Meeting of SIAM Central States Section, University of Lincoln-Nebraska.
- 2023 *A unified immersed finite element error analysis for one-dimensional interface problems.* SIAM Southeastern Atlantic Section Annual Meeting, Virginia Tech.
- 2021 *An immersed discontinuous Galerkin method for wave propagation in acoustic elastic media.* The 16th U.S. National Congress on Computational Mechanics, online.
- 2021 *An immersed discontinuous Galerkin method for wave propagation in acoustic elastic media.* Finite Element Circus, online.
- 2019 *An immersed finite element method for wave propagation in acoustic elastic media.* Finite Element Circus, Virginia Tech.

### Campus Talks

- 2024      *High order, geometry conforming immersed finite element methods for interface problems.*  
Applied Numerical Analysis seminar, Virginia Tech.
- 2021      *An immersed discontinuous Galerkin method for elastic and acoustic-elastic wave propagation.*  
Applied Numerical Analysis seminar, Virginia Tech.
- 2019      *Solution of Coupled Acoustic-Elastic Wave Propagation Problems using an immersed discontinuous Galerkin method,* SIAM student seminar, Virginia Tech.

### AWARDS AND HONORS

- 2023      SIAM Student travel award.
- 2022      Lee R. Steeneck and Regina Aultice Steeneck Graduate Fellowship (\$8,875). College of Science, Virginia Tech.
- 2021      Outstanding Graduate Teaching Assistant Award. Department of Mathematics, Virginia Tech.
- 2021      US National Congress for Computational Mechanics Conference Award.

### COURSES TAUGHT

- MATH 4564      Operational methods: Laplace/Fourier transform and partial differential equations.  
(Summer 20, F20, S21, Summer 21, F21, S22, Summer 22, F22, Summer 23)
- MATH 4446      Numerical analysis: Interpolation, quadrature and numerical ODEs. (Summer 20)
- MATH 2204      Introduction to multivariable calculus. (Summer 19)
- MATH 2114      Introduction to linear algebra. (S20, S24)
- MATH 1226      Calculus II. (S19)
- MATH 1225      Calculus I. (F18, F19, Summer 21, Summer 22, Summer 23, F23)

### SERVICE

#### Academic Journal Peer Review

International Journal of Modelling and Simulation, Taylor & Francis.

#### Departmental service and outreach

- President, SIAM Student Chapter (2018-2019): As the president of the student chapter, I was in charge of organizing biweekly research seminars, which provided a platform for Virginia Tech graduate students, professors, and alumni to present their work.
- Senior Graduate Teaching assistant (2019-2022): I was responsible for co-organizing a biweekly seminar covering a spectrum of subjects ranging from teaching to personal development.
- Mentoring new graduate teaching assistant: I have facilitated the teaching certification process for four graduate students, offering them hands-on classroom teaching opportunities and consistent feedback to help them refine their skills.
- Volunteer at MORE '19 and MORE '20: As a graduate student participant at MORE, I had the chance to share my research experience with aspiring undergraduate students from different universities.

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