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Education

McGill University 2024–Present

M.Sc. in Mathematics and Statistics (Thesis)

Supervisor: Prof. Adrian Vetta

Research Areas: Algorithmic Game Theory, Combinatorial Optimization, Discrete Mathematics

Coursework: Combinatorial Optimization, Probabilistic Analysis of Algorithms, Advanced Probability Theory, Convex Optimization, Topological Methods in Combinatorics

McGill University 2021–2024

B.Sc. Honours Mathematics and Computer Science

Graduated with **First Class Honours and Distinction**

GPA: 3.91 / 4.0

Professional Experience

AI trainer in mathematics for Meta (Incoming)

Creating and solving hard math problems to train AI models.

AI trainer in mathematics for Scale AI (2024–Present)

Creating and solving hard math problems to train large language models.

Publications & Preprints

- *The Popular Dimension of Matchings*
with Frank Connor, Ndiamé Ndiaye, Agnès Totschnig, Rohit Vasishta, & Adrian Vetta
WINE 2025
- *Optimally revealing bits for rejection sampling*
with Alex Waese-Perlman
MIT URTC 2025
- *Optimal root recovery for uniform attachment trees and d -regular growing trees*
with Louigi Addario-Berry, Catherine Fontaine, Robin Khanfir, & Simone Têtu
Annals of Applied probability

Other Research Experience

Randomized Serial Dictatorship and Envy Bounds (2025)

Improved upper bounds on envy in randomized serial dictatorship mechanisms, closing the gap to known lower bounds. Manuscript in preparation.

Elections in Metric Spaces (2025)

Derived new lower bounds on Condorcet-like guarantees under L_p norms. Manuscript in preparation.

NP-Hardness of a Toothpick Rotation Problem (2025)

Proved NP-hardness via reduction from Planar 3-SAT; exploring special-case algorithms. Manuscript in preparation.

Reinforcement Learning on Multi-Agent Systems (2024-25)

Working on centralized and decentralized algorithms on the Cooperative Guards Art Gallery Problem. Proved optimality of algorithms and compared with empirical results when training RL models. Manuscript in preparation.

Burning Number Conjecture on Graphs (Summer 2023)

Worked under Prof. Sergey Norin on cops and robbers and graph burning bounds.

Subelliptic Operators & Legendre Functions (Summer 2022)

Studied zeros of linear combinations of Legendre functions (collaboration McGill / Dalhousie).

Teaching & Mentoring

- **Substitute lecturer**, McGill University (Fall 2025)
Gave graduate level lectures on algorithms and complexity theory (MATH553)
- **Teaching Assistant**, McGill University
 - Algorithmic Game Theory (Fall 2025)
 - Calculus 2 (Winter 2025)
 - Calculus 1 (Fall 2024)
- **Course Assistant**, McGill University
 - Discrete Mathematics (Winter 2023)
 - Honours Analysis 1 (Fall 2022)
- **Research Mentor**, McGill Directed Reading Program (Winter 2025)
Supervised two undergraduates in algorithmic game theory research.
- **Instructor**, McGill Programming Summer Camp (2024, 2025)
Taught algorithms and data structures to high school students.
- **Founder & Educator**, *Cégep*ien Online Platform
Created online math preparation program; over 50 participants.
Produced educational videos with 17,000+ followers (@le.cegepien).

Service & Leadership

- Conference paper reviewer for STACS 2026, Oct-Nov 2025.
- Co-Organizer, 27th ISM Graduate Student Colloquium, May 2025.

- Presenter, WINE 2025; MIT URTC 2025; ISM Colloquium 2025.
- Presenter, Seminars in Undergraduate Mathematics in Montreal, 2025.
- Hackathon Judge, Code.jam() 2024 (2nd place winner in 2023).

Scholarships & Grants

- Graduate Excellence Award, McGill University, 2024-25 and 2025-26.
- Kenneth Eade Fellowship, McGill University, 2025-26.
- Lin Graduate Award, McGill University, 2025.
- Undergraduate Student Research Award, NSERC, 2023 and 2024.
- Undergraduate Research Scholarship, ISM, 2022 and 2024.

Honors & Awards

- First Class Honours with Distinction, McGill University, 2024.
- Team Canada Representative, International Physics Tournament, ETH Zürich, 2024.
- W.B. Putnam Competition — Top 600 in North America, 2023.
- Canadian Open Mathematics Challenge — 3rd National, 2020.
- Association Mathématique du Québec Contest — 1st National, 2019