

# Dr. Alice Lacaze-Masmonteil

PIMS-CNRS Postdoctoral Fellow

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## Education

<b>University of Ottawa</b> <i>PhD in Mathematics and Statistics</i> Advisor: Mateja Šajna Thesis: Certain resolvable directed cycle decompositions of directed graphs	<b>Ottawa, ON, Canada</b> 2020-2024
<b>Acadia University</b> <i>Master of Science - Mathematics</i> Advisor: Nancy E. Clarke Thesis: Some problems on the game of Ambush Cops and Robbers	<b>Wolfville, NS, Canada</b> 2017-2019
<b>Acadia University</b> <i>Bachelor of Pure and Applied Sciences with Honours</i>	<b>Wolfville, NS, Canada</b> 2012-2016

## Academic Positions

<b>University of Auckland</b> <i>Postdoctoral Fellow</i>	<b>Auckland, New Zealand</b> 2026-2029
<b>University of Regina</b> <i>Pacific Institute for the Mathematical Sciences- Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique (PIMS-CNRS) Postdoctoral Fellow</i> Advisor: Karen Meagher	<b>Regina, SK, Canada</b> 2024-2026

## Research visits

<b>Monash University</b> Visited Daniel Horsley for 7 months	<b>Melbourne, Australia</b> 2023
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## Research Interests

My main area of research is discrete mathematics. Namely, I am specialized in cycle decomposition problems.

## Publications

### Journal Articles Published

- [1] **A. Lacaze-Masmonteil**, Decompositions of the wreath product of certain directed graphs into directed hamiltonian cycles, to appear in *Ars Mathematicae Contemporanea*.
- [2] **A. Lacaze-Masmonteil**, Completing the solution of the directed Oberwolfach problem with cycles of equal length, *Journal of Combinatorial Designs*, **32** (2024), 5-30.

### Journal Articles Under Review

- [3] H. Gupta, A. Herman, **A. Lacaze-Masmonteil**, R. Maleki, K. Meagher On the second largest eigenvalue of certain graphs in the perfect matching association scheme, submitted October 2025.
- [4] **A. Lacaze-Masmonteil**, Hamiltonian decompositions of the wreath product of hamiltonian decomposable digraphs, submitted December 2024.
- [5] D. Horsley and **A. Lacaze-Masmonteil**, Completing the solution of the directed Oberwolfach problem with two tables, submitted August 2024.

# Fellowships, Prizes, and Scholarships

All monetary values are given in Canadian Dollar (CAD).

- University of Ottawa Department of Mathematics and Statistics PhD Thesis Award (2025)
  - Awarded to the best doctoral thesis in the department of mathematics and statistics.
- PIMS-CNRS Postdoctoral Fellowship (2024-2026)
  - Valued at \$62,000 per year.
- University of Ottawa Mathematics and Statistics Outstanding Student Paper Prize (2023)
  - Awarded annually to the best paper published by a student.
- Peter Rodney Memorial Book Prize (2023)
  - Awarded to the best student talk given at the 27th Ontario Combinatorics Workshop.
- University of Ottawa André Dabrowski Scholarship Fund (2023)
  - Valued at \$1,400. Awarded to a student that demonstrated qualities of leadership.
- Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of Canada (NSERC) Michael Smith Foreign Study Supplement (2023)
  - National research scholarship valued at \$6,000 to fund visit to Monash University in Melbourne Australia.
- NSERC Canada Graduate Scholarship - Doctoral (2021-2024)
  - National research scholarship valued at \$35,000 per year.
- Catherine Stanley Memorial Scholarship (2018)
  - Awarded to a student that demonstrated excellence as a teaching assistant.
- NSERC Canada Graduate Scholarship - Master's program (2017)
  - Institutional research scholarship valued at \$17,500.

# Mentorship

Semesters are given in terms of the standard North American academic calendar.

**University of Regina**  
*Undergraduate summer students mentor*  
Created a seminar series on scientific communication skills for undergraduate summer students in mathematics.

**Regina, SK, Canada**  
Summer 2025

# Teaching

**University of Regina**  
*Sessional Instructor*  
Courses (taught in english):  
MATH 221: Introduction to Proofs and Problem Solving  
MATH 223: Introduction to Abstract Algebra  
MATH 122: Linear Algebra 1

**Regina, SK, Canada**  
2024-Present  
Fall 2025  
Winter 2025  
Fall 2024

**University of Ottawa**  
*Part-time professor*  
Courses (taught in French):  
MAT 1741: Introduction to Linear Algebra

**Ottawa, ON, Canada**  
2023  
Winter 2023

# Presentations

- Invited Conference Presentations**
- 2025 Canadian Mathematical Society Winter Meeting: Algebraic Graph Theory Scientific Session, Toronto, ON, Canada, (Dec. 2025).
  - 10th Cracow Conference on Graph Theory: Design Theory Session, Cracow, Poland, (Sep. 2025).
  - Canadian Discrete and Algorithmic Mathematics Conference 2025: From Puzzles to Proofs: Connecting the Dots with Combinatorics, Ottawa, ON, Canada, (May 2025).
  - 2024 Canadian Mathematical Society Winter Meeting: Combinatorial Designs Scientific Session, Vancouver, BC, Canada, (Dec. 2024).
  - Banff International Research Station: Movement and Symmetry in Graphs Workshop, Banff, AB, Canada, (Nov. 2024).
  - 10th Slovenian Conference on Graph Theory: Combinatorial Designs and their Applications Mini Symposium, Kranjska Gora, Slovenia, (June 2023).

- 2022 Canadian Mathematical Society Summer Meeting: Design Theory and Graph Decomposition Scientific Session, St. John's, NL, Canada, (June 2022).

### Contributed Conference Presentations

- 2025 Canadian Mathematical Society Winter Meeting: Combinatorial Designs Scientific Session, Toronto, ON, Canada, (Dec. 2025).
- Women in Combinatorics Virtual Conference, Online, (July 2024).
- 45th Australasian Combinatorics Conference, Perth, WA, Australia, (Dec. 2023).
- 2023 Canadian Mathematical Society Summer Meeting: Design Theory and Graph Decomposition Session, Ottawa, ON, Canada, (June 2023).
- 27th Ontario Combinatorics Workshop, Ottawa, ON, Canada, (May 2023).
- 26th Ontario Combinatorics Workshop, Waterloo, ON, Canada, (May 2022).
- 25th Ontario Combinatorics Workshop, Online, (June 2021).

### Seminars

- University of Manitoba Department of Mathematics Colloquium, Winnipeg, MB, Canada, (Nov. 2025).
- University of Victoria Discrete Mathematics Seminar, Victoria, BC, Canada, (Nov. 2025).
- PIMS Postdoctoral Summit, Calgary, AB, Canada, (Apr. 2025).
- AARMS Atlantic Graph Theory Seminar, Online, (Nov. 2024).
- Lethbridge Number Theory and Combinatorics Seminar Lethbridge, AB, Canada, (Oct. 2024).
- PIMS Emergent Research: The PIMS Postdoctoral Fellow Seminar, Online, (Oct. 2024).
- Monash University Discrete Mathematics Seminar, Melbourne, VIC, Australia, (Oct. 2023).

## Selected Service

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**Referee for the following publications:** Australasian Journal of Combinatorics, Journal of Combinatorial Designs, Graphs and Combinatorics, Bulletin of the Institute of Combinatorics and its Applications, Discussiones Mathematicae Graph Theory.

2026 Prairie Discrete Mathematics Workshop <i>Co-organizer</i>	2026
2025 CMS Winter Meeting <i>Combinatorial Design Theory Session co-organizer</i>	2025
Canadian Discrete and Algorithmic Mathematics Conference 2025 <i>Women in combinatorics mentorship lunch co-organizer</i>	2025
Canadian Discrete and Algorithmic Mathematics Conference 2025 <i>Combinatorial Designs and Graph Decompositions Scientific Session co-organizer</i>	2025
Pi Day at the Saskatchewan Science Centre <i>Facilitator</i>	2025
University of Regina Day - Mathematics Outreach <i>Facilitator</i>	2024
Women in Combinatorics Virtual Conference <i>Combinatorial Designs Session co-organizer</i>	2024
27th Ontario Combinatorics Conference <i>Co-organizer</i>	2023
Canadian Mathematical Society Student Committee <i>Chair</i>	2022-2024
UO Mathematics and Statistics Graduate Student Association Executive <i>President</i>	2022-2023
Ottawa Mathematics and Statistics Conference <i>Co-organizer</i>	2021-2023

## References

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- Karen Meagher, University of Regina
- Daniel Horsley, Monash University
- Mateja Šajna, University of Ottawa
- Shaun Fallat, University of Regina, (Teaching/service reference)