# Aaron Anderson

# Curriculum Vitae



## Employment

#### Education

2018–2024 Ph.D. Mathematics, University of California, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA.

Winter/Spring **Chateaubriand Fellow**, *Université Claude Bernard Lyon 1*, Villeurbanne, France. 2023

2018–2020 M.A. Mathematics, University of California, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA.

2014–2018 B.S. Mathematics, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA, GPA: 4.0/4.3.

## Teaching and Outreach

Summer Mentor, Canada/USA Mathcamp.

2021, 2022 Taught classes at a residential summer program for high school students

Fall 2020 **Mentor**, *UCLA Directed Reading Program*.

Mentored an undergraduate in algebraic combinatorics

2018–2024 Instructor, Los Angeles Math Circle.

2018–2022 **Graduate TA**, *UCLA*.

Classes such as Linear Algebra, Graph Theory, Probability, and History of Math

Fall 2017 TA for Ma/CS 6a: Discrete Math, Caltech.

2014–2017 **Treasurer, Secretary**, Caltech Harvey Mudd Math Competition.

### Conference Organizing

July 2026 **ASL North American Meeting**, *University of Pennsylvania*, Philadelphia, PA. Local Organizer

#### Awards and Fellowships

June 2024 Pacific Journal of Mathematics Dissertation Prize.

2023–2024 **Dissertation Year Fellowship**.

Spring 2023 Chateaubriand Fellowship.

- Oct. 2017 Semifinalist in Doris S. Perpall Speaking Competition.
- Summer 2017 Rose Hills Foundation SURF Fellow.
  - 2014–2016 Putnam Exam, Highest Score: 39, Rank 172. On Caltech Putnam Team in 2015...

#### Papers

- In preparation Examples and Nonexamples of Distal Metric Structures, with Itaï Ben Yaacov.
  - Preprint From Learnable Objects to Learnable Random Objects, with Michael Benedikt.
    - 2025 arXiv:2504.00847
  - Preprint Generically Stable Measures and Distal Regularity in Continuous Logic.
    - 2023 arXiv:2310.06787
  - Accepted NIP and Distal Metric Structures, Israel Journal of Mathematics.
    - 2024 arXiv:2310.04393
  - Accepted Combinatorial Bounds in Distal Structures, Journal of Symbolic Logic.
    - 2023 arXiv:2104.07769
  - Preprint The Fraissé limit of matrix algebras with the rank metric.
    - 2021 arXiv:1712.04431

#### Seminar and Conference Presentations

- 5/2025 ASL North American Meeting, New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, NM.
- 5/2025 **lowa Colloquium on Information, Complexity, and Logic**, online.
- 4/2025 Northeast Model Theory Day, Towson University, Towson, MD.
- 3/2025 **Logic Seminar**, Rutgers University, Piscataway, NJ.
- 3/2025 **Logic Workshop**, *NY Logic*, New York, NY.
- 2/2025 Mathematical Logic Seminar, *Iowa State University*, online.
- 4/2024 PKU Model Theory Seminar, Peking University, online.
- 3/2024 **South Eastern Logic Symposium (SEALS)**, *University of Florida*, Gainesville, Florida.
- 1/2024 Logic Seminar, University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland.
- 1/2024 **Model Theory and Applications Seminar**, *Purdue University*, West Lafayette, Indiana.
- 1/2024 Logic Seminar, University of Illinois, Chicago, Chicago, Illinois.
- 11/2023 **Logic & Set Theory Seminar**, *UC Irvine*, Irvine, California.
- 11/2023 **Southern California Discrete Math (Poster Session)**, *Cal State LA*, Los Angeles, California.
- 5/2023 Logic Seminar, Kurt Gödel Logic Center, Vienna, Austria.
- 3/2023 **Séminaire Logique de Lyon**, *Institut Camille Jordan*, Villeurbanne, France.
- 4/2022 **Joint Mathematics Meetings**, online.
- 3/2022 AMS Spring Central, online.
- 3/2021 Graduate Student Conference in Logic XXII, UIUC, online.
- 5/2020 Short Model Theory Huddle (SMTH), online.

- 12/2017 Caltech Logic Seminar, Caltech, Pasadena, CA.
- 10/2017 **Caltech SURF Program**, *Caltech*, Pasadena, CA, Qualified for semifinals of the speaking competition..

## Miscellaneous

2022 - **Reviewer**, mathlib.

Formalizing math with the Lean Theorem Prover