Birgul Koc

Cirriculum Vitae

Academic Position

June 2022 - Postdoctoral researcher, IFPEN, France.

May 2023 — Project : Transport Problem on the Porous Media

 colloborate with Guillaume Enchéry (IFPEN), Angelo Iollo (INRIA), and Tommaso Taddei (INRIA)

May 2021 – **Postdoctoral research fellow**, Institute of Mathematics of the University of Seville April 2022 (IMUS), University of Seville, Seville, Spain.

 Project : Reduced Order Modeling of sub-mesh components in Variational Multiscale methods

— work with Professor Tomás Chacón Rebollo

Fall 2016 – **Research/Teaching Assistant**, *Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, VA, USA*. Spring 2021

Education

August 2016 - Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, USA, Ph.D. Mathematics.

May 2021 — Advisor : Professor Traian Iliescu

— Dissertation: Numerical Analysis for Data-Driven Reduced Order Model Closures

— GPA: 3.58/4.00

August 2016 – Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, USA, M.S. Mathematics.

December 2018 — Advisor : Professor Traian Iliescu

— Thesis: Commutation Error in Reduced Order Modeling

— GPA: 3.58/4.00

September 2009 - Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey, B.S. Mathematics.

June 2014 — GPA: 3.24/4.00

Research Interests

Applied mathematics, numerical analysis, turbulent flows, reduced order modeling (ROM), closure modeling, data-driven modeling, variational multiscale methods, transport problem, and porous media.

Awards & Achievements

- 2021 Poster judging at SIAM (CSE21) conference.
- 2021 SIAM Student Travel Award to attend SIAM Conference on Computational Science and Engineering (CSE21))
- 2020 SIAM Student Travel Award to attend The Second Joint SIAM/CAIMS Annual Meeting (AN20)
- 2020 Travel Award to attend SIAM-SEAS 2020

Publications

Koc. B., Rubino, S., Schneier, M., Singler, J. R., & Iliescu, T. (2021). On optimal pointwise in time error bounds and difference quotients for the proper orthogonal decomposition. SIAM Journal on Numerical Analysis, 59(4), 2163-2196.

Mou, C., Koc, B., San, O., Rebholz, L.G., & Iliescu, T., 2021. *Data-driven variatio-nal multiscale reduced order models*. Computer Methods in Applied Mechanics and Engineering, 373, p.113470.

LC Berselli, T Iliescu, B Koc, & R Lewandowski. Long-time Reynolds averaging of reduced order models for fluid flows: Preliminary results. Mathematics in Engineering 2 (1), 1-25, 2020.

Koc, B., Mohebujjaman, M., Mou, C., and Iliescu, T. (2019). *Commutation error in reduced order modeling of fluid flows*. Advances in Computational Mathematics, 45(5-6):2587–2621.

Koc, B. (2021). *Numerical analysis for data-driven reduced order model closures (Ph.D's thesis*). https://vtechworks.lib.vt.edu/handle/10919/103202.

Koc, B. (2018). Commutation Error in Reduced Order Modeling (Master's thesis). http://hdl.handle.net/10919/87537.

Preprints

Koc, B., Rebollo, T. C., & Iliescu, T. (2022). Residual Data-Driven Variational Multiscale Reduced Order Models for Parameter Dependent Problems. arXiv preprint arXiv:2208.00059.

Koc, B., Rebollo, T. C., & Rubino, S. (2022). *Uniform Bounds with Difference Quotients for Proper Orthogonal Decomposition Reduced Order Models of the Burgers Equation*. arXiv preprint arXiv:2206.03589.

Koc, B., Mou, C., Liu, H., Wang, Z., Rozza, G., & Iliescu, T. (2021). Verifiability of the data-driven variational multiscale reduced order model. arXiv preprint arXiv:2108.04982.

Peer Reviewer

- 2022 Journal of Computational Physics (JOCMP), ISSN:0021-9991.
- 2022 Frontiers in Physics, ISSN:2296-424X.

Conferences

- 2022 **XXVII Congress of Differential Equations and Applications (CEDYA2022)**, *University of Zaragoza*, Title: Residual-Based Data-Driven Variational Multiscale Reduced Order Model (D2-VMS-ROM).
- 2022 **Young Researchers Workshop on Probability and PDEs**, *Institute of Mathematics of Granada (IMAG)*, Poster Title: Coefficient-Based Data-Driven Variational Multiscale Reduced Order Model (D2-VMS-ROM).
- 2021 Midwest Numerical Analysis Day (MWNAD21), Missouri Science and Technology, virtual, Title: Verifiability of the Data-Driven Variational Multiscale Reduced Order Model.
- 2021 **Computational Science and Engineering (CSE21)**, *virtual*, Title: Verifiability and Limit consistency of the Data-Driven Variational Multiscale Reduced Order Model.
- 2020 Center for Mathematics and Artificial Intelligence (CMAI), George Mason University, virtual, Title: Data-Driven Variational Multiscale Reduced Order Models, https://cmai.gmu.edu/index.php/events/#colloquium.
- The Second Joint SIAM/CAIMS Annual Meeting (AN20), Canada, virtual, Title: Data-Driven Variational Multiscale Reduced OrderModels, https://meetings.siam.org/sess/dsp_programsess.cfm?SESSIONCODE=68897.
- 2019 Finite Element Circus, Virginia Tech, Title: Variational Multiscale Data-Driven Closure Reduced Order Model, https://www.math.vt.edu/math-news/news-2019/news-circus.html.
- 2019 **SIAM Southeastern Atlantic Section Meeting**, *Tennessee*, Title: Data-Driven Variational Multiscale Reduced Order Model (DD-VMS-ROM).
- 2019 SIAM Conference on Computational Science and Engineering, Washington, Title: The Commutation Error for Large Eddy Simulation Reduced Order Models (LES-ROMs), https://www.siam.org/Portals/0/Conferences/cse19/CSE19_Program_with_abstracts.pdf.

- 2018 **Fall Fluid Mechanics Symposium**, *Virginia Tech*, Title: Commutation Error in Reduced Order Modeling.
- 9th Annual Graduate Student Mini-conference in Computational Mathematics, South Carolina, Title: Large Eddy Simulation Reduced Order Modeling, http://imi.cas.sc.edu/events/9th-computational-mathematics/program/.
- 2017 Conference on Classical and Geophysical Fluid Dynamics: Modeling, Reduction and Simulation, *Virginia Tech*.
- 2017 **VT Graduate Student Conference**, *Virginia Tech*, Title: Spatial Filtering of Reduced Order Models.

Teaching

RA Research Assistant, Virginia Tech

-Summer 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, and Fall 2020.

TA Teaching Assistant, Virginia Tech

-Fall 2016, Spring 2017, Fall 2017, Spring 2018, Spring 2020, and Spring 2021 semesters

Instructor Instructor, Virginia Tech

-For Fall 2018 and Fall 2019, Instructor for MATH 1225 : Calculus I

-For Spring 2019 Instructor for MATH 1226 : Calculus II

Complementary Skills

Language English (Advanced, 5 years living in the USA), Spanish (Beginner), and Turkish (native).

Programming Matlab