CASPER BEENTIES

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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Oxford, OX2 6GG Citizenship Dutch

United Kingdom

EDUCATION

2015-2020 University of Oxford, New College,

Doctor of Philosophy

DPhil in Applied Mathematics

Thesis: Variance reduction techniques for chemical reaction network simulation

Supervisors: Prof. Ruth BAKER, Prof. Radek Erban

2014-2015 University of Oxford, St. Catherine's College,

Master of Science

Mathematical Modelling & Scientific Computing \cdot Distinction (average 82/100)

Thesis: Computing Bifurcation Diagrams with Deflation

Supervisor: Prof. Patrick FARRELL

2010-2014 Leiden University,

Bachelor of Science

Mathematics & Physics · Cum Laude (average 9.0/10)

Thesis: Symmetry-Breaking in Patterned Elastic Sheets

Supervisors Physics: Prof. Martin van Hecke, Dr. Corentin Coulais

Supervisor Mathematics: Dr. Vivi Rottschäfer

WORK EXPERIENCE

Professional 2020 - current · Postdoctoral researcher, University of Oxford

Internships Summer 2019 · Quantitative research, OxFORD Asset Management

PUBLICATIONS

Effects of cell cycle variability on lineage and population measurements of messenger RNA abundance. (R. Perez-Carrasco, C.H.L. Beentjes, R. Grima), 2020. *J. R. Soc. Interface* 17, 20200360.

Exact solution of stochastic gene expression models with bursting, cell cycle and replication dynamics. (C.H.L. Beentjes, R. Perez-Carrasco, R. Grima), 2020. *Phys. Rev. E* 101, 032403.

Uniformisation techniques for stochastic simulation of chemical reaction networks. (C.H.L. Beentjes, R.E. Baker), 2019. *J. Chem. Phys.* 150, 154107.

Quasi-Monte Carlo methods applied to tau-leaping in stochastic biological systems. (C.H.L. Beentjes, R.E. Baker), 2019. *Bull. Math. Biol. 81*, 2931.

Defining Vitamin D Status Using Multi-Metabolite Mathematical Modelling: A Pregnancy Perspective. (C.H.L. Beentjes et al.), 2019. *J. Steroid Biochem. Mol. Biol.* 190, 152-160.

Submitted

Computing disconnected bifurcation diagrams. (P.E. FARRELL, C.H.L. BEENTJES, Á. BIRKISSON), 2016.

Conference Proceedings Accurate particle-based reaction algorithms for fixed timestep simulators. (S.T. JOHNSTON et al.) 2018. 2018 MATRIX Annals.

Equalizing the Cost of Health Insurance. (C.H.L. Beentjes et al.), 2017. *Scientific Proceedings of the 126th European Study Group with Industry*, pp 29-50.

Single Molecule DNA Mapping. (D. SMITH et al.), 2017. *Proceedings of the Multi-Scale Biology Study Group* 2017.

GRANTS, AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

Grants

2017 · UK MultiScale Biology network collaborative support award (£1000) Project title: *Defining vitamin D status: a multiscale mathematical approach*

Awards

2015 · MSc Prize for excellence (Mathematical Institute, University of Oxford) Awarded to the top student in the MSc in Mathematical Modelling and Scientific Computing.

2018 · Landahl travel grant (Society for Mathematical Biology) Recognises excellence in mathematical biology and promotes greater interaction among mathematical biologists throughout the world.

Scholarships

2015-2019 · Clarendon Scholarship

2015-2018 · New College Graduate Scholarship

2015-2019 · EPSRC Studentship (Declined in favour of Clarendon Scholarship)

2014-2015 · VSB Fonds Scholarship

2014-2015 · Stichting dr. Hendrik Muller's Vaderlandsch Fonds Scholarship

2014-2015 · Genootschap van Noorthey Scholarship

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2019-2020 Fixed-term Stipendiary Lecturer

Trinity College, Oxford Level: Undergraduate (1st and 2nd year).

Multivariable Calculus, Differential Equations 2, Integral Transforms.

2016-2019 Tutor

Mathematical Institute, Oxford

Level: Undergraduate (3rd year).

Stochastic Modelling of Biological Processes (2017-2019).

Both departmental classes and consultation sessions for exams.

New College, Oxford

Level: Undergraduate (2nd year).

Mathematical Modelling in Biology (2017-2018), Numerical Analysis (2016).

Lincoln College, Oxford

Level: Undergraduate (3rd year).

Various Collections tutorials for 3rd year applied mathematics (2016-2017).

2012-2019 Teaching Assistant

Balliol College,

Level: Undergraduate (1st year).

Oxford

Introductory Calculus, Probability, Multivariable Calculus, Statistics & Data

Analysis (2018-2019).

Mathematical Institute, Oxford Level: Postgraduate.

Mathematical Modelling module for the MSc Mathematical Modelling and Scientific Computing (2016-2018).

Level: Undergraduate (1st year).

Computational Mathematics (2017-2019),

Level: Undergraduate (3rd year).

Further Mathematical Biology, Stochastic Modelling of Biological Processes,

Waves and Compressible Flow, Numerical Solutions of Differential Equations 1 (2015-2016).

Mathematical Institute, Leiden Level: Undergraduate (1st and 2nd year).

Analysis 3 for Physicists, Analysis 2 for Physicists (2013), Analysis 1 for Physicists (2012-2013), Linear Algebra and Image Processing (2014).

Leiden Institute Of Physics Level: Undergraduate (2nd year).

Quantum Mechanics I (2012-2013), Classical Mechanics B (2014).

TALKS

2016 Position reconstruction from chemical signals.

 \cdot ECMTB/SMB annual meeting, mini-symposium Stochastic Modelling in Biological Systems, Nottingham, July 11 until 15.

2018 Efficient adaptive uniformisation for the analysis of biochemical reaction networks.

 \cdot SMB annual meeting, reaction networks & stochasticity session, Sydney, July 8 until 12.

POSTER PRESENTATIONS

2016 Position determination by a single cell using chemical sensing.

- · Multiscale methods for stochastic dynamical systems in biology, Edinburgh, February 29 until March 4.
- · SIAM Student Conference, Oxford, April 27.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

Mathematics

Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics (SIAM), Koninklijk Wiskundig Genootschap (KWG), Institute of Mathematics & its Applications (IMA).

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

2016-2019 · Treasurer New College Middle Common Room

2015-2016 · Administrative & IT secretary Clarendon Scholars' Association

PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES & SOFTWARE

Advanced Matlab, Python, LATEX

Intermediate Mathematica, Git

Basic C

OTHER INFORMATION

Languages Dutch · Mother-tongue

English · Fluent

GERMAN · Basic (simple words and phrases only)