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EDUCATION

Max Planck Institute for Mathematics

Doctoral student, supervised by Don Zagier

St John's College, University of Oxford Oxford, UK

Master of Mathematics in Mathematics

Oct 2017–Jun 2021

Bonn, Germany

Jan 2022-present

RESEARCH VISIT

Lousiana State University

Hosted by Ling Long

Baton Rouge, US 29 Mar – 4 Apr, 2025

The Abdus Salam International Centre for Theoretical Physics

Hosted by Vasily Golyshev and Don Zagier

Trieste, Italy 30 Jun-8 Jul, 2024

The University of Hong Kong

Hosted by Ben Kane

Hong Kong, China 19–23 Feb, 2024

SUSTech International Center for Mathematics

Hosted by Don Zagier

Shenzhen, China 22 Nov-17 Dec, 2021

Publications and Preprints

- [1] Pengcheng Zhang. The 2-complexity of even positive integers. Integers, 24:Paper No. A109, 11, 2024.
- [2] Benjamin Bedert, George Cooper, Thomas Oliver, and Pengcheng Zhang. Twisting moduli for GL(2). J. Number Theory, 217:142–162, 2020.
- [3] Pengcheng Zhang. On converse theorems for Hilbert modular forms assuming unramified twists. preprint.
- [4] Tian Wang and Pengcheng Zhang. Ordinary primes for GL₂-type abelian varieties and weight 2 modular forms. preprint.

Talks in research seminars/conferences

- Coefficients of modular forms modulo (powers of) primes in Participative Learning Seminar in Any Number Theory (PLeaSANT) at Max Planck Institute for Mathematics 26 May, 2025
- Elliptic curves and coefficients of meromorphic modular forms in Oberseminar Zahlentheorie at University of Cologne 14 Apr, 2025
- Ordinary primes of weight 2 modular forms in the South Regional Number Theory Conference 2025 at Louisiana State University
 29 Mar, 2025
- Elliptic curves and coefficients of meromorphic modular forms in Oberseminar Anlytic Number Theory and Automorphic Forms at University of Bonn 21 Nov, 2024

- Converse theorems for Hilbert modular forms in the 36th Automorphic Forms Workshop at Oklahoma State
 University 23 May, 2024
- A converse theorem for Hilbert modular forms in Oberseminar Anlytic Number Theory and Automorphic Forms at University of Bonn 9 Nov, 2023
- Converse theorems for automorphic forms in St John's College Mathematics Seminar at St John's College, University of Oxford (with Benjamin Bedert)

 5 Mar, 2020

TALKS IN LEARNING SEMINARS/STUDY GROUPS

- Hecke operators on p-adic modular forms in the IMPRS Seminar on modular forms at Max Planck Institute for Mathematics 19 Nov, 2024
- Orthogonal groups and their symmetric spaces in the Study Group on Rigid Meromorphic Cocycles for Orthogonal Groups at Max Planck Institute for Mathematics 24 Oct, 2024
- Several talks in Exponential Sum Learning Seminar at Max Planck Institute for Mathematics 17 Nov, 15 Dec, 2023, and 12 Jan, 2024
- L-functions and/in Selberg Class in the IMPRS Seminar on L-functions at Max Planck Institute for Mathematics 24 Jan, 2023

Conferences, Workshops, Research Schools Attended

• Southern Regional Number Theory Conference 2025 at Louisiana State University	$2930~\mathrm{Mar},~2025$
• The Legacy of John Tate, and Beyond at Harvard University	17-21 Mar, 2025
• Arithmetic Geometry in Shenzhen at Southern University of Science and Technology	16-20 Dec, 2024
• New Advances in the Langlands Program: Geometry and Arithmetic at University of Oxford	
30	0 Sep-4 Oct, 2024
• School on Hodge Theory and Shimura Varieties at University of Duisburg-Essen	23-27 Sep, 2024
• Conference on Arithmetic Geometry at Max Planck Institute for Mathematics	22-26 Jul, 2024
• Modular Forms, L-functions, and Eigenvarieties at École Normale Supérieure	$1821~\mathrm{Jun},~2024$
• The 36th Automorphic Forms Workshop at Oklahoma State University	20-24 May, 2024
\bullet Shanks Conferences on L -functions and Automorphic Forms at Vanderbilt University	13-16 May, 2024
• Periods in Physics, Number Theory and Algebraic Geometry at Hausdorff Research Institute for	
Mathematics	22-26 Apr, 2024
• International Conference on Modular Forms and q -Series at University of Cologne	11-15 Mar, 2024
• Modular Curves and their Arithmetic at University of Warwick	6-8 Dec, 2023
• MM(P): Mahler Measures of Polynomials at Radboud University Nijmegen	24-27 Oct, 2023
• Modular Forms and Arithmetic Geometry at TU Darmstadt	18-22 Sep, 2023
• Young Number Theorists in Bonn at at Max Planck Institute for Mathematics	11-15 Sep, 2023
• Arithmetic of automorphic forms at Laboratoire de Mathématiques d'Orsay	4-8 Sep, 2023
• Early Number Theory Researchers Workshop 2023 at University of Bielefeld	23-25 Aug, 2023
• Summer School on the Arithmetic of the Langlands Program at University of Bonn	8-12 May, 2023
• Arithmetic Statistics, Automorphic Forms, and Ergodic Methods at Max Planck Institute for Mathematics	
	24–28 Apr, 2023
• Special values of L-functions at Paderborn University	$1317~\mathrm{Mar},2023$
• Conference on Motives and Automorphic Forms at Max Planck Institute for Mathematics	6-10 Mar, 2023
• Number theory meets p-adic representations at University of Münster	13-17 Feb, 2023
• Luxembourg Number Theory Day 2022 at University of Luxembourg	16 Dec, 2022
• Early Number Theory Researchers Workshop 2022 at TU Darmstadt	26-28 Oct, 2022

OTHER EXPERIENCES

• Senior Counselor at Ross Mathematics Program (Ross/Asia) in Huangshan, China

9 Jul–10 Aug, 2018

• Junior Counselor at Ross Mathematics Program (Ross/Asia) in Huangshan, China

10 Jul-11 Aug, 2017

LANGUAGES

Chinese (native), English (fluent)