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Education and Employment

- 2016– Assistant Professor, New College of Florida
- 2013–2016 Research Instructor, Northeastern University
- 2010–2013 Tamarkin Assistant Professor, Brown University
- June 2010 Ph.D. Mathematics, Massachusetts Institute of Technology
Thesis: *Index theorems and magnetic monopoles on asymptotically conic manifolds*
Advisor: Richard B. Melrose
- June 2004 B.A. Mathematics & Physics, Tufts University, *Highest Honors, Phi Beta Kappa*

Publications and Preprints

1. Partial compactification of monopoles and metric asymptotics, (with M. Singer),
[arXiv:1512.02979](#), (2015), 113 pages.
2. Blow-up in manifolds with generalized corners,
[arXiv:1509.03874](#), (2015), 33 pages.
3. Equivalence of string and fusion loop-spin structures, (with R. Melrose),
[arXiv:1309.0210](#), (2013), 48 pages.
4. Dimension of monopoles on asymptotically conic 3-manifolds,
Bulletin of the LMS, vol. 45, no. 5, (2015), pp. 818–834.
[arXiv:1310.2974](#).
5. Loop-fusion cohomology and transgression, (with R. Melrose),
Mathematical Research Letters, vol. 22, no. 4, (2015), pp. 1177–1192.
[arXiv:1309.7674](#).
6. A Callias-type index theorem with degenerate potentials,
Communications in PDE, vol. 40, no. 2, (2015), pp. 219–264.
[arXiv:1210.3275](#).
7. Generalized blow-up of corners and fiber products, (with R. Melrose),
Transactions of the AMS, vol. 367, no. 1, (2015), pp. 651–705.
[arXiv:1107.3320](#).
8. An index theorem of Callias type for pseudodifferential operators,
Journal of K-Theory, vol. 8, no. 3, (2011), pp. 387–417.
[arXiv:0909.5661](#).
9. Accurate finite-difference and time-domain simulation of anisotropic media by subpixel smoothing, (with A.F. Oskooi and S. Johnson),
Optics Letters, vol. 34, no. 18, (2009), pp. 2778–2780.
10. Perturbation theory for anisotropic dielectric interfaces, and application to sub-pixel smoothing of discretized numerical methods, (with A.F. Oskooi and S. Johnson),
Physical Review E, vol. 77, no. 3, (2008), pp. 6611–6621.

11. Vortex core identification in viscous hydrodynamics, (with L. Finn and B. Boghosian).
Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society A, vol. 386, no. 1833, (2005), pp. 1937–1948.

Academic Awards

- 2011–2012 AMS-Simons Postdoctoral Travel Grant.
 2009 Charles and Holly Housman Award for Excellence in Undergraduate Teaching, MIT.
 2005 Presidential Fellowship, MIT.
 2000–2004 National Merit Scholarship, Tufts University.

Academic Talks

Conferences and Workshops

- 2017 Jun The Sen conjecture and beyond, *organizer*, University College London.
 2016 Dec Geometric and spectral methods in PDE, BIRS Oaxaca.
 Jun Geometry and topology of stratified spaces, CIRM.
 2015 Dec Analysis on singular manifolds, CMS Winter Meeting, Montreal.
 Jul–Aug Metric and analytic aspects of moduli spaces, visiting fellow, Newton Institute.
 2014 Nov Geometric scattering theory and applications, BIRS.
 Jul String geometry and loop spaces, Greifswald University.
 Jun Analysis and topology in interaction, Cortona, Italy.
 2013 Oct Geometric and spectral analysis, AMS Sectional, Temple University.
 Mar Geometric and singular analysis, Potsdam University.
 2012 Jun Spectral invariants on singular and non-compact spaces, CRM.
 May Analysis and geometric singularities, Oberwolfach.
 Apr Spring lecture series, University of Arkansas.
 2011 Jun Microlocal methods in mathematical physics and global analysis, Universität Tübingen.
 2010 Aug Topics in spectral and scattering theory, Penn State University.
 Jun Talbot workshop on loop groups and twisted K-theory, Breckenridge, CO.
 2009 Oct Microlocal analysis and spectral theory on singular spaces, AMS Sectional, Penn State.
 Apr Singularities at MIT.
 2008 Aug Second symposium on spectral and scattering theory, Federal University of Pernambuco.

Seminars

- 2017 Jan University of Waterloo.
 2016 Oct MIT.
 2015 Oct Stanford University.
 Sep MIT.
 Jan Boston University.
 2014 Dec Purdue University.
 Oct Northeastern University.
 Apr Boston University.
 Mar Worldwide Center of Mathematics.
 2013 Nov University of Montreal.
 Sep Northeastern University.
 May University College London.
 Mar Boston University.
 2012 Sep Brown University.
 Mar Purdue University.
 2011 Oct University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

Mar Temple University.
 Mar Northeastern University.
 Feb Brown University.
 2009 Dec Brown University.

Other Conferences Attended

2013 May Control, index, traces and determinants, Conference for Jean-Michel Bismut, Orsay.
 2011 Oct Microlocal methods in spectral and scattering theory, Northwestern University.
 Jan Geometric analysis, CIRM.
 2010 Mar Geometric scattering theory and applications, BIRS.
 2009 Jul Spectral theory and geometric analysis, Northeastern University.
 2008 Jun Geometric applications of microlocal analysis, CIRM.

Teaching/Advising/Organizing

New College of Florida

2017 Spr Complex Analysis.
 Advanced Linear Algebra.
 2016 Fall Functional Analysis.
 Multivariable Calculus.
 Tutorial in differential topology and geometry.
 Putnam preparation tutorial.

Northeastern University

2016 Spr Graduate Topics in Differential Geometry.
 2015 Fall Multivariable calculus.
 Real analysis.
 Putnam exam supervisor.
 Spr Multivariable calculus.
 2014 Fall Real analysis.
 Spr Multivariable calculus.
 Undergraduate directed study in differential topology.
 2013 Fall Real Analysis.

Brown University

2013 Spr Abstract algebra.
 2012 Fall Differential equations and nonlinear dynamics.
 Spr Graduate algebraic topology II.
 2011 Fall Introduction to mathematical cryptography.
 Intermediate calculus.
 Spr Honors linear algebra.
 2010 Fall Honors vector calculus.
 2010–2013 Freshman/sophomore advisor.
 2011–2013 Organizer: Geometry and Topology seminar.

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

2010 Spr Differential equations (TA)
 Win Multivariable calculus (TA)

2009	Spr	Differential equations (TA)
	Win	Multivariable calculus (TA)
2008	Win	Multivariable calculus (TA)
2007	Spr	Differential equations (TA)