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EMPLOYMENT

Postdoctoral Researcher in Mathematical Physics
Institut des Hautes Études Scientifiques (IHES), France
Affiliations: Huawei Young Talents Program

from Oct 2024

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Mathematical Physics – Très Bien (highest honours) 2020 – 2024
Department of Theoretical Physics, University of Geneva, Switzerland
Thesis: *On the arithmetic of resurgent topological strings*. Supervised by Prof. Marcos Mariño
Affiliations: ERC SyG ReNewQuantum and NCCR SwissMAP

M.Sc. in Mathematical and Theoretical Physics – Distinction (highest honours) 2018 – 2019
Mathematical Institute and Department of Physics, University of Oxford, UK
Thesis: *Motivic amplitudes*. Supervised by Prof. Francis Brown
Affiliations: St John's College

B.Sc. in Physics (*) – Summa cum Laude (highest honours) 2015 – 2018
Department of Physics, Sapienza University of Rome, Italy
Thesis: *Photonic Bloch waves*. Supervised by Prof. Fabio Sciarrino
(*): Extra-curricular coursework in Mathematics at the Department of Mathematics

INTERNSHIPS

Research Internship in High-Energy Physics Phenomenology 2020, Jul – Sep
CERN, Geneva, Switzerland

Master Class in Mathematical Physics 2019, Sep – 2020, Jun
NCCR SwissMAP and Mathematics Section, University of Geneva, Switzerland

Business Consulting Internship 2019, Jul – Aug
Pangea Formazione, Rome, Italy

Research Internship in Experimental Particle Physics 2017, Sep – Nov
PADME @ INFN – LNF, Frascati, Italy

SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEES AND OTHER ACTIVITIES

Cooperation Associate of the Department of Theoretical Physics 2022, May – 2024, Sep
CERN, Switzerland

Junior Member of the Scientific Council of the SRS Conference Centre 2020, Sep – 2024, Sep
SwissMAP Research Station (SRS), Switzerland

Mentee at LeadTheFuture Mentorship Program 2019, Sep – present
LeadTheFuture, Italy

PUBLICATIONS

Modular resurgence, q -Pochhammer symbols, and quantum operators from mirror curves 2025, Jun
With V. Fantini
arXiv:2506.08265

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| Strong-weak symmetry and quantum modularity of resurgent topological strings on local \mathbb{P}^2 With V. Fantini, <i>Commun. Number Theory Phys.</i> 19 (2025), No. 1, pp. 1-73 https://dx.doi.org/10.4310/CNTP.250215002033 | 2025, Feb |
| On the arithmetic of resurgent topological strings Doctoral Thesis, University of Geneva (2024) https://dx.doi.org/10.13097/archive-ouverte/unige:181979 | 2024, Sep |
| Modular resurgent structures With V. Fantini arXiv:2404.11550 | 2024, Apr |
| On the structure of wave functions in complex Chern–Simons theory With M. Mariño arXiv:2312.00624 | 2023, Dec |
| Resurgence, Stokes constants, and arithmetic functions in topological string theory <i>Commun. Number Theory Phys.</i> 17 (2023), No. 3, pp. 709-820 https://dx.doi.org/10.4310/CNTP.2023.v17.n3.a4 | 2023, Nov |
| Searching for muonphilic dark sectors with proton beams With B. Döbrich and T.-T. Yu, <i>Phys. Rev. D</i> 106 (2022) 3, 035023 https://doi.org/10.1103/PhysRevD.106.035023 | 2022, Aug |
| An introduction to motivic Feynman integrals <i>SIGMA</i> 17 (2021), 032, 56 pages https://doi.org/10.3842/SIGMA.2021.032 | 2021, Mar |
| Characterization and performance of PADME's Cherenkov-based small-angle calorimeter With A. Frankenthal et al., <i>Nucl. Instrum. Methods Phys. Res. A</i> 919 (2019) 89-97 https://doi.org/10.1016/j.nima.2018.12.035 | 2019, Mar |
| TALKS AND SEMINARS | |
| Resurgent symmetry of quantum mirror curves <i>Asymptotics, Geometry, and Physics Seminar, University of Southampton, UK</i> | 2025, Nov |
| Quantum modularity and arithmetic of q -series: lessons from resurgence <i>Mini-Workshop on Resurgence, Difference Equations, and Quantum Modularity, MFO, Germany</i> | 2025, Oct |
| Quantum modularity and arithmetic of q -series: lessons from resurgence <i>ReNewQuantum Closing Conference, SDU, Denmark</i> | 2025, Aug |
| Resurgence and arithmetic of q -series: from quantum operators to quantum modular forms <i>Random Matrix Theory Seminar, University of Oxford, UK</i> | 2025, May |
| Resurgence, number theory, and quantum mirror curves <i>Mathematical Physics and Algebraic Geometry Seminar, CMSA, Harvard University, USA</i> | 2025, May |
| The arithmetic of non-perturbative effects <i>Conference on Higher Structures, Moduli Spaces and Integrability, Universität Hamburg, Germany</i> | 2025, Apr |
| Resurgence, number theory, and quantum mirror curves <i>Workshop on The Arithmetic of Calabi-Yau Manifolds, MPP, Germany</i> | 2025, Mar |
| The arithmetic of resurgent topological strings <i>Youngst@rs Physics and Number Theory, MPP, Germany</i> | 2025, Jan |
| The arithmetic of resurgent topological strings <i>The Seed Seminar of Mathematics and Physics, IHP, France</i> | 2024, Nov |
| The arithmetic of resurgent topological strings <i>Workshop on Holonomic Techniques for Feynman Integrals, MPP, Germany</i> | 2024, Oct |

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| Strong-weak symmetry and quantum modularity of resurgent topological strings <i>GAP XIX: Moduli Spaces and Higher Structures, Sapienza University of Rome, Italy</i> | 2024, Sep |
| On the structure of wave functions in complex Chern–Simons theory <i>String Theory Seminar, University of Geneva, Switzerland</i> | 2024, May |
| Strong-weak symmetry and quantum modularity of resurgent topological strings <i>Workshop on Resurgence and Modularity in QFT and String Theory, GGI, Italy</i> | 2024, May |
| Strong-weak symmetry and quantum modularity of resurgent topological strings <i>Mathematics Seminar, Yale University, USA</i> | 2024, May |
| On the structure of wave functions in complex Chern–Simons theory <i>String Theory Seminar, CERN, Switzerland</i> | 2024, Apr |
| Strong-weak duality and quantum modularity of resurgent topological strings <i>Seminar on Quantum Modularity and Resurgence, IHES, France</i> | 2024, Mar |
| Resurgence and Calabi–Yau geometries <i>Workshop on Positive Geometry in Particle Physics and Cosmology, MPI MiS, Germany</i> | 2024, Feb |
| Strong-weak duality and quantum modularity of resurgent topological strings <i>Geometry and Physics Seminar, University of Sheffield, UK</i> | 2023, Dec |
| Strong-weak duality and quantum modularity of resurgent topological strings <i>QM Research Seminar, Centre for Quantum Mathematics, SDU, Denmark</i> | 2023, Nov |
| Resurgence, Stokes constants, and arithmetic functions in topological string theory <i>29th Nordic Congress of Mathematicians with EMS, Aalborg, Denmark</i> | 2023, Jul |
| Resurgence, Stokes constants, and arithmetic functions in topological string theory <i>Mathematics Seminar, IHES, France</i> | 2023, Apr |
| Resurgence, Stokes constants, and arithmetic functions in topological string theory <i>Physical Mathematics Seminar, University of Geneva, Switzerland</i> | 2023, Mar |
| Stokes constants in topological string theory <i>Workshop on Mathematics of Beyond All-Orders Phenomena, University of Cambridge, UK</i> | 2022, Nov |
| An introduction to motivic amplitudes <i>Seminar on Lie Groups and Moduli Spaces, University of Geneva, Switzerland</i> | 2019, Nov |
| Motivic scattering amplitudes <i>Conference on Representation Theory and Integrable Systems, ETH Zürich, Switzerland</i> | 2019, Aug |
| Monte Carlo simulation of PADME’s small-angle calorimeter <i>PADME Weekly Seminar, INFN – LNF, Italy</i> | 2017, Dec |

ORGANIZED EVENTS

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| Mini-Workshop on Resurgence, Difference Equations and Quantum Modularity <i>MFO, Germany</i> Co-organized with Murad Alim, Veronica Fantini, and Lotte Hollands | 2025, Oct |
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TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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| Teaching Assistant on Feynman Integrals and Number Theory <i>Winter School in Mathematical Physics – SwissMAP Research Station, Les Diablerets, Switzerland</i> | 2024, Jan |
| Lecturer on Topological Surfaces <i>Master Class in Mathematical Physics – Mathematics Section, University of Geneva, Switzerland</i> | 2019, Oct |

ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

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| Excellence Fellowship <i>NCCR SwissMAP, Switzerland</i> | 2019 – 2020 |
| Degree Prize for Distinction <i>St John's College, University of Oxford, UK</i> | 2019 |
| Torno Subito Scholarship <i>Department of Education, Research, and University, Lazio, Italy</i> | 2018 – 2019 |
| Best Student Award for the Course in Nuclear and Subnuclear Physics <i>Sapienza University of Rome and INFN, Italy</i> | 2018 |
| Summer Student Scholarship <i>INFN, Italy</i> | 2017 |
| Excellence Program <i>Department of Physics, Sapienza University of Rome, Italy</i> | 2016 – 2018 |
| Deserving Student Scholarship <i>Sapienza University of Rome, Italy</i> | 2015 – 2018 |

SKILLS

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| Languages | Italian (native), English |
| Programming Languages | C, C++, Python, R |
| Data Analysis Languages | MATLAB, ROOT, Gnuplot |
| Symbolic Calculus Languages | Mathematica, SageMath, PARI/GP |
| Version-control Systems | Git |
| Simulation Software | Geant4 |