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EMPLOYMENT

San Diego Mesa College	*California, USA*
ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF MATHEMATICS	Jan 2025 – Present

EDUCATION

University of California, Santa Cruz (UCSC)	*California, USA*
PH.D. IN MATHEMATICS (Advisor: Beren Sanders)	Sep 2018 – Jun 2024
M.A. IN MATHEMATICS	Dec 2019
University of California, Santa Barbara (UCSB)	*California, USA*
B.S IN MATHEMATICS (HIGH HONORS). Minor in Physics	Jun 2018

TEACHING

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA CRUZ

Instructor of Record

MATH 100 – **Introduction to Proof and Problem Solving**	Summer 2023
MATH 117 – **Advanced Linear Algebra**	Summer 2022
MATH 21 – **Linear Algebra**	Summer 2021, Summer 2020

Teaching Assistant

Math 111T – **Abstract Algebra for K-12 Teachers**	Spring 2024
MATH 100 – **Introduction to Proof and Problem Solving**	Winter 2024, Spring 2023, Fall 2019
MATH 11A – **Calculus with Applications**	Fall 2023, Spring 2021, Winter 2021
MATH 19B – **Calculus for Science, Engineering, and Mathematics**	Winter 2023, Spring 2019
MATH 3 – **Precalculus**	Fall 2022
MATH 117 – **Advanced Linear Algebra**	Spring 2022, Fall 2021
MATH 288B – **Pedagogy of Mathematics** (for GSIs)	Winter 2022
MATH 111A – **Abstract Algebra** (Fellowship under SEMILLA Teach)	Fall 2020
MATH 21 – **Linear Algebra**	Spring 2020, Summer 2019, Winter 2019
MATH 23A – **Vector Calculus**	Winter 2020
MATH 19A – **Calculus for Science, Engineering, and Mathematics**	Fall 2018

SERVICE & ORGANIZING

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, SANTA CRUZ

Co-Director, **Project for Inmate Education (PIE)**, with Deewang Bhamidipati, Mikayla Wilson & Andy Skemer	Jul 2023 – *present*
Co-organizer, **What are you reading?** an informal seminar, with Sophie A., Deewang B., Jennifer G.	Spring 2024, Sping 2023
Co-organizer, **Math Dept. Peer Support Program**. with Sophie A., Malachi A., Deewang B., Jennifer G.	Aug 2021 – *present*
Co-organizer, Directed Reading Program, with Deewang B.	Aug 2022 – Jun 2024
Association for Women in Mathematics (AWM) Chapter	
Treasurer & Outreach Chair, AWM Executive Committee	Sep 2021 – Sep 2023
Co-organizer, **Prelim Study Groups** (an AWM Initiative), with Deewang B.	Jan 2022 – Sep 2023
Co-organizer, **EmpowHER Hour** (an AWM Initiative), organized by Sophie A., Jennifer G.	Spring 2022 – Spring 2023
Co-organizer, **Category Theory Learning Seminar**, with Deewang B., Vaibhav S.	Spring 2022, Spring 2024

Co-organizer, **Graduate Colloquium, Mathematics Department**, with Deewang B.   Dec 2020 – Jun 2022

Graduate Student Representative, **Mathematics Department DEI Committee**   Oct 2020 – Jun 2022

Reading Groups

- **Derived Category of p-Permutation Modules**   Spring 2023
- **Metrics on Triangulated Categories**   Winter 2023
- **Topological Data Analysis**, co-organized with Deewang B.   Winter 2023
- **Pointless Topology and Triangulated Categories**   Fall 2022
- **Stacks**   Fall 2022
- **Auslander-Reiten Triangles**   Winter – Spring 2020

OUTREACH

Session Leader, **Math Teachers' Circle, Santa Cruz**   Jan 2024

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Directed Reading Program

- *Mentor*, Shannon Findley. **Tangent Space of Manifold**   Spring 2024
- *Mentor*, Natalie Marks. **Homotopical Categories**   Spring 2024
- *Mentor* (with Deewang B.), Yahya Bashandy. **Derived Functors & Kan Extensions**   Winter 2024
- *Mentor* (with Deewang B.), Yahya Bashandy. **Group Cohomology & Hilbert's Theorem 90**   Fall 2023
- *Mentor* (with Deewang B.), Kenneth Gee. **The Lambek Correspondence**   Summer – Fall 2022
- *Mentor*, Cassidy Tao. **Functor of Points**   Fall 2021
- *Mentor*, Eric Huang. **Intro. to Homological Algebra**   Winter 2020

Study Leader, Prelim Study Groups by AWM
Study Leader for Algebra   Spring 2022, Winter 2022

Peer Mentor, Math Dept. Peer Support Program   Fall 2021 - *present*

PEDAGOGICAL & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Data Science Boot Camp, Erdös Institute   Spring 2024
Final Project: D&D Combat Length Predictions. Top 5 Project.

Faculty Diversity Internship Program, West Valley-Mission Community College District   Winter – Spring 2023

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Foundations Scholar, The Educational Group for Enrichment in Data Science (edge-DS)   2023 – 24 AY

Equity-Minded Mentoring Certificate Program, Teaching & Learning Center (then CITL)   Winter 2023

Graduate Student Researcher, *Redesigning Calculus in the Life Sciences*   Summer 2022, 2021
Mathematics Department, Teaching & Learning Center (Fellowship under GANAS-Career Pathways)

Inclusive Teaching Practices using 21st Century Pedagogy, Teaching & Learning Center (then CITL)   Sep 2018, 2020, 2022

Course Design & Delivery Certificate Program, Teaching & Learning Center (then CITL)   Spring 2021

Teaching for Equity Certificate Program, Teaching & Learning Center (then CITL)   Spring 2020

INVITED TALKS

Stratification for Tensor-Triangulated Categories, with Applications to Motives   May 2023
Special Session on Research in Mathematics by Early Career Graduate Students, AMS Spring Western Sectional

INTERNAL & OTHER EXPOSITORY TALKS

Stratification of Derived Categories of Tate Motives, Algebra and Number Theory Seminar, UCSC — Jun 2024

Tensor-Triangulated Categories: The Guide for the Perplexed, Graduate Student Colloquium, UCSC — May 2024

Mackey Functors, Reading Seminar on Derived Categories of Perm. Modules, UCSC — Jun 2023

A workshop on `beamer`, Directed Reading Program, UCSC — May 2023

Morita Theory for Stable Derivators, Graduate Student Colloquium, UCSC — Jan 2023

Classification Problems in Mathematics: Stratification and Motives, Graduate Student Colloquium, UCSC — Mar 2022

Algebras in Tensor Triangulated Categories, Graduate Student Colloquium, UCSC — Oct 2021

An Introduction to (Tensor) Triangulated Categories 2, Graduate Student Colloquium, UCSC — Dec 2020

An Introduction to (Tensor) Triangulated Categories 1, Graduate Student Colloquium, UCSC — Nov 2020

MEMBERSHIPS

Association for Women in Mathematics,
American Mathematical Society

LANGUAGES

English (fluent), Yiddish (fluent), Spanish (intermediate)