

# DHAIRYA SHAH

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## EDUCATION

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- ❑ **Imperial College London, United Kingdom** **10-2022 – 10-2023**  
*Master of Science in Applied Mathematics* **Grade: Distinction**
  - Selected Modules: Tensor Calculus and General Relativity, Special Relativity and Electromagnetism, Classical Dynamics, Vortex Dynamics, Applied Complex Analysis, Quantum Mechanics – I
- ❑ **Pandit Deendayal Energy University (PDEU), India** **07-2017 – 06-2021**  
*Bachelor of Science (Hons.) in Mathematics and Diploma in Liberal Studies* **CPI: 9.10/10**
  - Selected Modules: Differential Geometry, Topology, Mathematical Physics, Integral Equations, Integral Transforms, Special Functions, Differential Equations, Real Analysis

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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- ❑ **MSc Thesis:**  
**Local Solution to Electro-Capillary Phenomenon near Sharp Corner** **10-2022 – 09-2023**
  - Investigated the behaviour of the voltage local to the triple contact point for Electrowetting phenomenon
  - Derived Eigenvalue condition near the triple contact point, demonstrating that the corresponding equipotential lines do not form eddies
  - Supervised by Dr Samuel Brzezicki
- ❑ **BSc Thesis:**  
**Numerical Methods for Solutions of One Variable Nonlinear Equations** **07-2019 – 06-2021**
  - Categorised methods developed over the last 250 years in four families and devised an analogy for inter-conversion
  - Developed a set of efficient methods in fixed-point family and implemented different methods to solve nonlinear equations
  - Showcased the fixed-point family as the most efficient and stable; resulting in a conference proceeding: [1](#)
  - Supervised by Dr Manoj Sahni and Dr Ritu Sahni
- ❑ **Research Collaboration:**  
**Novel Formulae for Series Involving Floor and Ceiling Functions** **06-2019 – 04-2022**
  - Formulated and applied two original theorems to derive over 40 novel results pertaining to Floor and Ceiling functions
  - Provided generalisations for different finite and infinite series as well as for the cases of Generalized Dirichlet series such as Riemann, Hurwitz, and Lerch Zeta functions; resulting in two published articles ([I](#), [II](#))
  - In Collaboration with Dr Manoj Sahni, Dr Ritu Sahni, Dr Ernesto León-Castro and Dr Maricruz Olazabal-Lugo
- ❑ **BSc Project II: Applications of the Fuzzy Set Theory** **01-2018 – 04-2019**
  - Derived the solution for second order Cauchy-Euler equation using generalised trapezoidal intuitionistic fuzzy numbers
  - Fuzzified generalized Newton Raphson type method to solve one variable equations; resulting in four articles
- ❑ **BSc Project I: Fixed Point Theory and Numerical Methods** **08-2017 – 11-2019**
  - Obtained a formula that provides exact number of iterations required based on initial guess for the fixed-point method
  - Amalgamated the Fixed-Point and Newton-Raphson method to demonstrate that the integrated methods converge faster than the original pair; resulting in an article and a conference proceeding

## SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

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- [1] **D. Shah** et al. "Series of Floor and Ceiling Function—Part I: Partial Summations". *Mathematics* 10.7 (2022), p. 1178. DOI: [10.3390/math10071178](https://doi.org/10.3390/math10071178).
- [2] **D. Shah** et al. "Series of Floor and Ceiling Functions—Part II: Infinite Series". *Mathematics* 10.9 (2022), p. 1566. DOI: [10.3390/math10091566](https://doi.org/10.3390/math10091566).
- [3] M. Sahni, **D. Shah**, and R. Sahni. "A new modified accelerated iterative scheme using amalgamation of fixed point and NR method". *Journal of Interdisciplinary Mathematics* 22.5 (2019), pp. 679–688. DOI: [10.1080/09720502.2019.1649035](https://doi.org/10.1080/09720502.2019.1649035).
- [4] **D. Shah**, M. Sahni, and R. Sahni. "Solution of algebraic and transcendental equations using fuzzified he's iteration formula in terms of triangular fuzzy numbers". *WSEAS Trans. Math* 18 (2019), pp. 91–96. DOI: [10.37394/23206](https://doi.org/10.37394/23206).
- [5] **D. Shah** and M. Sahni. "DMS way of finding the optimum number of Iterations for fixed point Iteration method". *Proceedings of the World Congress on Engineering*. Vol. 1. 2018, pp. 87–89. ISBN: [978-988-14047-9-4](https://doi.org/978-988-14047-9-4).

*H-index: 4, Citations: 38 (as of Sept 2025) – [google scholar account](#)*

## AWARD AND GRANT

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- ❑ Received **Certificate of Merit (Student)** for the 2018 International Conference of Applied and Engineering Mathematics for the paper entitled "DMS Way of Finding the Optimum Number of Iterations for Fixed Point Iteration Method"
- ❑ Awarded **Travel Grant** of **65000 INR**  $\approx$  **£700** in 2018 by Pandit Deendayal Energy University to present a conference paper in the U.K.

## PRESENTATIONS AND DEFENCES

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- ❑ Postgraduate Thesis Defence – [Local Solution to Electro-Capillary Phenomenon near Sharp](#) **18<sup>th</sup> Sep 2023**  
Department of Mathematics, **Imperial College London, UK**
- ❑ Postgraduate Poster Presentation – [Complex Analytical Approach to Electrowetting](#) **26<sup>th</sup> Jul 2023**  
Department of Mathematics, **Imperial College London, UK**
- ❑ Undergraduate Thesis Defence – [On Numerical Methods for Real Solutions of One Variable](#) **2<sup>nd</sup> Jun 2021**  
School of Liberal Studies, **Pandit Deendayal Energy University, India**
- ❑ Conference Presentation – [DMS way of finding the optimum number of iterations for Fixed Point Iteration Method](#) **5<sup>th</sup> Jul 2018**  
2018 International Conference of Applied and Engineering Mathematics **World Congress on Engineering 2018, London**

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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- ❑ **The Charter School North Dulwich, Maths Graduate Teaching Assistant (SEN, 09-2024 – Present Mathematics)**
  - Providing targeted support for SEN students in Mathematics through differentiated instruction, small-group interventions, and collaborative adaptation of resources with teachers
  - Supporting Year 7 students in preparing for the UKMT Junior Mathematical Olympiad through targeted problem-solving strategies
- ❑ **TeamUp - SYLA, London, Volunteer Tutor (Mathematics)** **11-2024 – 02-2025**
  - Delivered structured and interactive KS3 Mathematics tutorials, successfully covering five key topics, implementing differentiated lesson plans to cater to various learning styles, and enhancing students' problem-solving abilities and comprehension.
  - Evaluated student progress through regular assessments and targeted feedback, leading to measurable improvements in mathematical confidence and attainment

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**Cardinal Hume Centre, London, Homework Club Volunteer (*Mathematics*)**      **05-2024 – Present**

- Providing support in using academic resources, assisting with homework, exam preparation, and teaching Mathematics up to GCSE level
- Supporting students in improving numeracy, engaging them with learning activities, and offering guidance with educational materials

❑ **Astronomy Club, PDEU, Course Facilitator of *Mathematical Aspects of Relativity***      **10-2023 – 12-2023**

- Designed, developed and delivered a 30-hour course on Mathematical Aspects of Relativity to undergraduate students, with focus on Lagrangian and Hamiltonian dynamics as well as advanced topics in Special Relativity
- Applied aforementioned concepts to teach principles such as the conservation of momentum and energy, as well as derivations such as  $E = mc^2$ , thereby fostering a deeper understanding of concepts of Relativity

❑ **Office of International Relations, PDEU, Teacher of *Foundations of Mathematics***      **12-2019 – 03-2020**

- Developed instructional material to reinforce foundational Mathematics skills for twelve international engineering students, achieving a 92% pass rate in subsequent mathematics exams
- Implemented innovative pedagogical methods, including real-world examples to enhance understanding of fundamentals

❑ **Yusuf Mehrally Centre (NGO), Kutch, Teacher of *Science & Mathematics***      **12-2018 – 01-2019**

- Taught Mathematics and Science to underprivileged 8th-grade students (UK Year 9 equivalent), tailoring methods to meet the needs of students with special learning requirements, resulting in a 20% increase in exam pass rates
- Demonstrated adaptability and dedication, ensuring higher success rates despite the challenging circumstances faced by the students

## KEY ACADEMIC ENGAGEMENTS

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❑ **Department of Mathematics, ICL, UK, MSc Programme Representative**      **10-2022 – 09-2023**

- Chaired PG Student-Staff Committee meetings, ensuring seamless communication and implementation of key student suggestions and concerns as well as participated in various meetings by university and union staff
- Performed the role of liaison between the MSc cohort and the department, soliciting student feedback and sharing the areas of learning and opportunities appropriately with both parties

❑ **Second International Conference on Mathematical Modeling, Computational Intelligence Techniques and Renewable Energy (MMCITRE) - 2021, Head, Logistics Committee**      **6<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup> Feb 2021**

**21<sup>st</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup> Feb 2020**

**First International Conference MMCITRE - 2020, Head, Associate Committee**

- Directed associate and logistic committees of 30+ undergraduate and postgraduate students, overseeing hospitality, management, and other key departments in organising both conferences
- Managed a hybrid conference (offline and online) with 120+ presenters and speakers in 2021 and 90+ in 2020, successfully navigating through the challenges posed by the COVID-19 pandemic

## RELEVANT SKILLS

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❑ **Proficiency in Programming Languages:** Python, Wolfram Language, C/C++, MATLAB

❑ **Proficiency in Operating Systems & Tools:** Debian Linux, Windows, Git, Github, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, Google Collabotory, Libre/Microsoft Office