

# ANTHONY DENDER

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## EDUCATION

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### **University of Cambridge, Girton College**

2025-2026

- MAST in Mathematics (Part III of the Mathematical Tripos)

### **New York University, New York, NY**

2021-2025

- Honors Major in Mathematics, Major in French, Minor in Computer Science
- GPA: 3.89/4.00
- Presidential Honors Scholar at the College of Arts and Sciences
- Studied at NYU Paris and Paris Cité University for the Spring 2024 semester

### **The Park School of Baltimore, Baltimore, MD**

*Graduated 2021*

## RESEARCH / INDEPENDENT STUDY

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### **SURE (Summer Undergraduate Research Experience) Grant Recipient** *Summer 2024 - Fall 2025*

I received a grant to participate in NYU's summer research program for undergraduates. My work involved extending the results of a paper by Gerald Beer and Efe Ok on the topic of the existence of topological order-embeddings of topological posets into their hyperspaces.

### **Algebraic Geometry Seminar (Hodge Theory)**

*Fall 2024*

I participated in a small student seminar covering Hodge theory, following the text *Hodge Theory and Complex Algebraic Geometry I* by Claire Voisin.

### **Algebraic Geometry Seminar (Varieties)**

*Fall 2023*

I participated in a small student seminar on classical algebraic geometry, following the text *Basic Algebraic Geometry 1: Varieties in Projective Space* by Igor Shafarevich.

### **Optimal Transport Seminar**

*Spring 2023*

I worked with a small group of mathematics PhD students and advanced undergraduates in an independent reading group/seminar on the topic of Optimal Transport. The goal of the seminar was to read, discuss, and present about Cédric Villani's text "Topics in Optimal Transportation".

## EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

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### **Grader, Differential Geometry and Topology**

*January-May 2025*

New York University

- Course grader for the Differential Geometry (MATH-UA 377) and Topology (MATH-UA 375) undergraduate courses at New York University.

## **Transformational Computing Intern, Device Theory Team**

Northrop Grumman Corporation

*June-August 2023*

- Used representation and operator theory to increase the capabilities of simulations of quantum circuit elements. Worked in particular with operator representations of various matrix Lie algebras.

## **Transformational Computing Intern**

Northrop Grumman Corporation

*June-August 2022*

- Worked on developing meshing algorithms for 3D modeling of superconducting electronics.
- Implemented a system for streamlining the process of displaying 3D models of chip data.

## **Teaching Assistant**

Johns Hopkins Engineering Innovation

*June-August 2021*

- Worked with the instructor and assistant instructor to plan classes, help students, and grade assignments.
- Topics taught included physics, programming, statics, basic statistics, and chemistry, among others, with a general focus on applications to engineering.

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## **HONORS / AWARDS**

- Dean's List, New York University (2021-2025)
- Dean's Undergraduate Research Fund (DURF) grant recipient (2023)
- Summer Undergraduate Research Experience (SURE) grant recipient (2024)
- Department of French Literature, Thought and Culture French Award (2023-2024)
- Member of the New York University chapter of Pi Delta Phi, the National French Honor Society

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## **ADDITIONAL SKILLS**

- Proficiency in LaTeX
- Intermediate knowledge of Python and Java
- Basic knowledge of MATLAB, Lean, and R
- Professional working proficiency in French