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EDUCATION

The University of Kansas

Ph.D., mathematics Aug 2016 to present

Ph.D. advisor: Hailong Dao

Ph.D. thesis: *Combinatorial and Homological Aspects of Monomial Algebras and Numerical Semigroups*

M.A., mathematics Aug 2018

Missouri State University

B.S. with Honors, mathematics (minor in German) May 2016

GPA: 4.00/4.00; member of Kappa Mu Epsilon (Mathematics Honors Society)

EMPLOYMENT

The University of Kansas

Graduate Teaching Assistant Aug 2016 to present

An asterisk (*) denotes instructor of record.

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| ♦ MATH 002 (Intermediate Algebra) | ♦ MATH 115 (Applied Calculus I)* |
| ♦ MATH 101 (College Algebra) | ♦ MATH 125 (Calculus I) |
| ♦ MATH 104 (Precalculus)* | ♦ MATH 126 (Calculus II) |
| ♦ MATH 105 (Intro to Topics in Mathematics)* | ♦ MATH 127 (Calculus III) |

Organizer, Graduate Student Algebra Seminar Aug 2021 to present

Leader, Algebra Ph.D. Qualifying Exam Study Group Aug 2018 to present

Leader, Probability and Statistics Ph.D. Qualifying Exam Study Group Aug to Dec 2018

Missouri State University

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant June 2015 to Aug 2016

- ♦ MTH 101 (Intermediate Algebra A)

Mathematics Tutor, Bear CLAW (Center for Learning and Writing) Aug 2013 to Aug 2016

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| ♦ MTH 103 (Intermediate Algebra) | ♦ MTH 261 (Calculus I) |
| ♦ MTH 135 (College Algebra) | ♦ MTH 280 (Calculus II) |
| ♦ MTH 138 (Precalculus) | ♦ MTH 287/288 (Applied Calculus I/II) |
| ♦ MTH 181 (Trigonometry) | ♦ MTH 302 (Calculus III) |

AWARDS

Teaching

finalist, Florence Black Award for Excellence in Teaching Apr 2021

Academic

Elbert Walker Graduate Scholarship in Mathematics May 2021

Rashleigh Family Graduate Scholarship in Mathematics May 2020

May Landis Graduate Scholarship in Mathematics May 2019

U.G. Mitchell Graduate Scholarship in Mathematics May 2019

first place in mathematics, MOState CNAS Undergraduate Research Symposium May 2014

RESEARCH

Research Interests

commutative algebra and its connections to combinatorics and additive number theory

Publications

Some new invariants of local rings (with Souvik Dey), in progress

Connecting monomial subrings and sumsets, in progress

Canonical blow-up of one-dimensional singularities (with Hailong Dao), in progress

Academic Talks

Some New Invariants of Edge Rings of Finite Simple Graphs (KU Combinatorics Seminar, Feb 2022)

A Small Survey of Topics in Commutative Algebra (Graduate Student Seminar, Feb 2022)

[The Basics of Homological Algebra](#) (Graduate Student Algebra Seminar, Feb 2022)

The Canonical Blow-Up of a Numerical Semigroup (KS Math Graduate Student Conference, Dec 2021)

Canonical Blow-Up of One-Dimensional Singularities (KU Local Algebra Conference, Nov 2021)

[Serre's Condition and Cohen-Macaulayness](#) (Graduate Student Algebra Seminar, Oct 2021)

[Depth, Dimension, and Cohen-Macaulayness](#) (Graduate Student Algebra Seminar, Oct 2021)

[Numerical Semigroup Rings](#) (Commutative Algebra Regional Expository Seminar, Feb 2021)

Loewy Length and the Rees Property (Graduate Student Algebra Seminar, Mar 2020)

Gorenstein Rings and the Canonical Module (Graduate Student Algebra Seminar, Nov 2019)

Cohen-Macaulay Rings and Their Properties (Graduate Student Algebra Seminar, Nov 2019)

Connecting Depth, Ext, and Projective Dimension (Graduate Student Algebra Seminar, Apr 2019)

Banach-Tarski Paradox and Equidecomposable Sets (Graduate Student Seminar, Nov 2018)

Cohen-Macaulay Rings, Depth, and Regular Sequences (Graduate Student Algebra Seminar, Oct 2018)

Ethics in Mathematics: a History of Mathematical Proofs (Graduate Student Seminar, Feb 2018)

Paradoxical Decompositions and the Banach-Tarski Paradox (Graduate Student Seminar, Oct 2016)

On a Quadratic Variant of a Problem of Berzsenyi (Missouri State University College of Natural and Applied Sciences Undergraduate Research Symposium, May 2014)

Conferences Attended

Kansas Mathematics Graduate Student Conference (The University of Kansas, Dec 2021)

KU Local Algebra Conference (The University of Kansas, Nov 2021)

KUMUNU Commutative Algebra Conference (The University of Nebraska, Sep 2019)

KUMUNUjr Commutative Algebra Conference (The University of Nebraska, Mar 2019)

Southwest Local Algebra Meeting (SLAM) (The University of Texas at El Paso, Feb 2019)

KUMUNU Commutative Algebra Conference (The University of Kansas, Oct 2018)

Great Plains Combinatorics Conference (GPCC) (Kansas State University, Apr 2018)

Graduate Student Combinatorics Conference (GSCC) (The University of Texas at Dallas, Apr 2018)

KUMUNU Commutative Algebra Conference (The University of Kansas, Oct 2017)

The Midwest Combinatorics Conference (University of Minnesota, May 2017)

REFERENCES

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