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Education

Ph.D. in Mathematics	University of Minnesota	Advisor: Arnd Scheel	2022 - Present
M.S. in Mathematics	University of Minnesota		2022 - 2024
B.S. in Mathematics	University of California Los Angeles		2020 - 2022

Experience

Teaching Assistant	University of Minnesota	2022 - Present
Learning Resources Center Tutor	Berkeley City College	2018 - 2020

Publications

4. Existence and stability of anchored spiral waves in phase oscillators Nan Li , Arnd Scheel <i>in preparation.</i>	2025
3. Instability of anchored spirals in geometric flows Anthony Cortez, Nan Li , Nathan Mihm, Alice Xu, Xiaoxing Yu, Arnd Scheel <i>Preprint</i>	2025
2. Anchored spirals in the driven curvature flow approximation Nan Li , Arnd Scheel <i>London Math. Soc. Lecture Note Ser. (to appear)</i>	2024
1. Counting compatible indexing systems for C_{p^n} Michael A. Hill, Jiayun Meng, Nan Li <i>Orbita Mathematicae Vol.1, No.1, 2024. (undergraduate research)</i>	2024

Presentations

Posters:

1. <i>Anchored spirals in sharp-interface and phase oscillator models</i> SIAM Conference on Applications of Dynamical Systems Denver, CO	May 2025
Joint Alabama-Florida Conference on Differential Equations, Dynamical Systems and Applications Birmingham, AL	May 2025

Teaching and Mentorship

- Teaching Assistant at University of Minnesota
 - MATH 2374: Multivariable Calculus S25, F24
 - MATH 2373: Linear Algebra and Differential Equations S24, F23
 - MATH 1031: College Algebra & Probability S23
 - MATH 1271: Calculus I F22
- Graduate Mentor for UMN Directed Reading Program Spring 2025
 - Project: Physics-informed machine learning
- Graduate Mentor for UMN Complex Systems REU Summer 2024
 - Project: Transverse instability of anchored spirals.