Eric J. Pabón Cancel

Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

Doctor of Philosophy in Mathematics

Starting August 2023

Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana

Bachelor of Science in Pure Mathematics (Magna Cum Laude)

June 2023

Curricular Sequence in Applied Mathematics for Science and Engineering University of Puerto Rico, Mayagüez Campus (UPRM), Mayagüez, Puerto Rico

High School Diploma (*Highest Honors*)

June 2019

Juan Quirindongo Morell High School, Vega Baja, Puerto Rico

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research in Machine Learning

May 2023-August 2023

Program: GEM Fellowship Employer Internship

MIT Lincoln Laboratory, Massachusetts Institute of Technology Supervised by: Dr. Mabel Ramírez, MIT Lincoln Laboratory

Title: TBA

• Will work on Machine Learning and Artificial Intelligence mathematical research, focused on the development of algorithms.

Research in Number Theory

August 2019-May 2023

Program: Puerto Rico Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation

University of Puerto Rico, Mayagüez Campus, Department of Mathematical Sciences

Supervised by: Prof. Reyes M. Ortiz Albino, University of Puerto Rico at Mayagüez

Title: *Properties of* $\tau_{(n)}$ *-primes*

• Research project based on the theory of generalized factorizations. Generalized the notion of complete residue systems for $\tau_{(2)}$ -primes, $\tau_{(3)}$ -primes and $\tau_{(6)}$ -primes. Developed an extension of Euler's totient function.

Research in Combinatorics

June 2022–August 2022

Program: Summer@ICERM 2022: Computational Combinatorics

Institute for Computational and Experimental Research in Mathematics, Brown University

Supervised by: Prof. Pamela E. Harris, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

Title: Permutation Invariant Parking Assortments

• Research project focused on the study of Permutation Invariant Parking Sequences. Characterized when the car length vector \vec{y} is minimally invariant (when (1^n) is the only invariant parking sequence), and characterized the form of the 2-tuple and 3-tuple parking sequences.

Research in Algebraic Coding Theory

June 2021-August 2021

Program: NSF REU in Combinatorics, Probability and Algebraic Coding Theory

East Tennessee State University & University of Puerto Rico at Ponce

Supervised by: Prof. Fernando Piñero González, University of Puerto Rico at Ponce

Title: Improving the Dimension Bound of Hermitian-Lifted Codes

• Algebraic Geometry project focused on locally recoverable codes from elements that arise from regions of the normal basis of the Hermitian Curve. Developed a formula that improved the counting of good recoverable functions. Improved the bound rate of the code from 0.7% to 10%.

Title: Improving the Minimum Distance Bound of Trace Goppa Codes

• Finite Fields project focused on the development of codes using Goppa matrices by using quadratic extensions and cubic extensions over finite fields. Improved the minimum distance bound of trace Goppa Polynomials.

AND	 2023 National GEM Consortium PhD Fellowship, \$16,000 Purdue University Department of Mathematics Sponsorship, \$11,700 	August 2023–May 2024 August 2023–May 2024	
FELLOWSHIPS	 MIT Lincoln Laboratory Employer Sponsorship 2022 Evertec Inc. Scholarship, \$1,000.00 Puerto Rico-LSAMP Scholarship, \$4,800.00 UPRM Musical Talent Scholarship, \$800.00 	October 2022 August 2019–December 2022 February 2020	
Travel Funding	2023 Emerging Researchers National Conference in STEM Travel Grant 2022 Field of Dreams Math Alliance Conference Travel Scholarship 2022 Puerto Rico-LSAMP Travel Grant	February 2023 November 2022 October 2022	
AWARDS AND MERITS	2023 Ford Foundation Predoctoral Fellowship Honorable Mention 2022 Hispanic Scholarship Fund Scholar National Math Alliance Predoctoral Scholar UPRM Faculty of Arts and Sciences Honor Roll National Trig-Star Math Competition, 16th Overall Finalist Eagle Scout Rank, with 2 Silver Palms	March 2023 June 2022 November 2021-May 2023 August 2018–May 2023 June 2017 May 2017	
PREPRINTS AND PAPERS	Properties of $\tau_{(n)}$ -primes. (In progress).		
	[2] A. Allen, <u>E.J. Pabon-Cancel</u> , L. Polanco and F. Piñero-Gonzalez. Improving the Dimension Bound of Hermitian-Lifted Codes. (Submitted). arXiv: https://arxiv.org/abs/2302.01557		
	[3] D. Chen, P.E. Harris, J. Carlos Martinez Mori, <u>E.J. Pabon-Cancel</u> and G. Sargent. Permutation Invariant Parking Assortments. (Submitted). arXiv: https://arxiv.org/abs/2211.01063.		
	[4] I. Byrne, N. Dodson, R. Lynch, <u>E.J. Pabon-Cancel</u> and F. Piñero-Gon Improving the minimum Distance bound of Trace Goppa codes. <i>Designs, Codes and Cryptography.</i> (2023). DOI: https://doi.org/10.1007/s10623-023-01216-6 arXiv: https://arxiv.org/abs/2201.03741.	nzalez.	
CONTRIBUTION TO THE PROFESSION	1. P.E. Harris, Z. Markman, L. Martinez, A. Mock, <u>E.J. Pabón-Cancel</u> , A Model for a One-Hour Workshop on Mentoring. <i>MAA Focus</i> , 43(1):18-21, 2023.	A. Verga, and S. Wang.	
Presentations	1. 2023 JTM-PRISM Properties of $\tau_{(n)}$ -primes	Bayamón, PR April 2023	
	2. 38th Interuniversity Mathematical Sciences Research Seminar Permutation Invariant Parking Assortments Presentation	Mayagüez, PR February 2023	
	3. 2023 AAAS Emerging Researchers National Conference in STE. Permutation Invariant Parking Functions with cars of assorted length		
	4. Joint Mathematics Meetings 2023 Permutation Invariant Parking Functions with cars of assorted length Permutation Invariant Parking Functions with Cars of Arbitrary Length	-	
	5. 2022 SACNAS National Diversity in STEM Conference The Study of Toponimes Poster	San Juan, PR	

October 2022

The Study of $\tau_{(n)}$ -primes Poster

	6. 2022 Gulf Coast Undergraduate Research Symposium Properties of $\tau_{(n)}$ -primes Presentation	Houston, TX October 2022	
	7. Summer@ICERM 2022: Computational Combinatorics On Permutation-Invariant Parking Sequences Presentation	Providence, RI August 2022	
	8. 2022 JTM-PRISM The Study of $\tau_{(n)}$ -primes Presentation	Humacao, PR April 2022	
	9. Joint Mathematics Meetings 2022 <i>Improving Bounds of Hermitian-Lifted Codes Poster</i>	Virtual Presentation April 2022	
	10. 37th Interuniversity Mathematical Sciences Research Seminar Improving Bounds of Hermitian-Lifted Codes Presentation The Study of $\tau_{(n)}$ -primes Poster	Virtual Presentation February 2022	
	11. 2021 Math REU Conference@Clemson University <i>Improved Hermitian-Lifted Codes Presentation</i>	Virtual Presentation July 2021	
	12. 2021 JTM-PRISM The Study of $\tau_{(n)}$ -atoms Presentation	Virtual Presentation April 2021	
	13. 35th Interuniversity Mathematical Sciences Research Seminar The Study of $\tau_{(n)}$ -atoms Poster	Cayey, PR March 2020	
Conferences	2023 Junior Technical Meeting-PR Interdisciplinary Scientific Meeting University of Puerto Rico at Bayamón, Bayamón, Puerto Rico	29 April, 2023	
	2. 38th Interuniversity Mathematical Sciences Research Seminar University of Puerto Rico, Mayagüez Campus, Mayagüez, Puerto Rico	24-25 February, 2023	
	3. 2023 AAAS Emerging Researchers National Conference in STEM Omni Shoreham Hotel, Washington, District of Columbia	9-11 February, 2023	
	4. Joint Mathematics Meetings 2023 John B. Hynes Veterans Memorial Convention Center, Boston, Massachus	4-7 January, 2023 <i>Boston, Massachusetts</i>	
	5. 2022 Field of Dreams Conference of The National Math Alliance The University of Minnesota-Twin Cities, Minneapolis, Minnesota	4-6 November, 2022	
	6. 2022 SACNAS National Diversity in STEM Conference Pedro Roselló Convention Center, San Juan, Puerto Rico	27-29 October, 2022	
	7. 2022 Gulf Coast Undergraduate Research Symposium Rice University, Houston, Texas	8-9 October, 2022	
	8. 2022 Junior Technical Meeting-PR Interdisciplinary Scientific Meeting University of Puerto Rico at Humacao, Humacao, Puerto Rico	9 April, 2022	
	9. Joint Mathematics Meetings 2022 Zoom Conference	6-9 April, 2022	
	10. 37th Interuniversity Mathematical Sciences Research Seminar Zoom Conference, sponsored by University of Puerto Rico, Mayagüez Ca	25-26 February, 2022 <i>mpus</i>	

11. 2021 Math REU Conference@Clemson University

19 July, 2021

Zoom Conference. Participating Institutions:

Clemson University, East Tennessee State University, North Carolina A&T, Elon University

12. 2021 Junior Technical Meeting-PR Interdisciplinary Scientific Meeting 23-24 April, 2021 *Virtual Conference, sponsored by Puerto Rico Louis Stokes Alliance for Minority Participation*

13. 35th Interuniversity Mathematical Sciences Research Seminar University of Puerto Rico at Cayey, Cayey, Puerto Rico 6-7 March, 2020

WORKSHOPS

Preliminary Arizona Winter School 2022: Heights and Model Theory

Virtual Course

AND Topics: He

Topics: Heights in Diophantine geometry

October 2022–November 2022

MINI-COURSES Organizers: Southwest Center for Arithmetic Geometry, University of Arizona

MSRI Modern Math Workshop 2022

San Juan, PR

Topics: Mathematical Modeling and Data Science

October 2022

Organizers: Hélene Barcelo (MSRI), Christian Ratsch (IPAM), Ulrica Wilson (ICERM)

Thematic Program in p-adic L-functions and Eigenvarieties

Notre Dame, IN

Topics: Modular Forms and Elliptic Curves (Undergraduate Summer School) May 2022–June 2022 Organizers: A. Jorza, C. Raicu, E. O'Dorney (Center for Mathematics, University of Notre Dame)

2022 NSF/STEM: Fellowships Application Workshop

Rio Piedras, PR

Topics: Grants and Fellowships Workshop

May 2022

Organizers: Mike Westrate (Villanova University)

Algebraic Coding Theory Workshop

Johnson City, TN

Topics: Finite Fields and Projective Geometry

June 2021

Organizer: Fernando Piñero González (University of Puerto Rico at Ponce)

STUDENT

PythagoRUM

Mayagüez, PR

ASSOCIATIONS Co-founder & Vice-President

August 2022–December 2022

• Served as co-founder and Vice-President for the mathematics and computer science student association. This entity has the purpose to promote research in mathematics, as well as related fields of STEM, through professional development workshops and research colloquia.

Society of Physics Students, UPRM Chapter

Mayagüez, PR

Committee Assistant

August 2018-May 2023

• Served as a Demonstration Committee assistant in 2 physics phenomena presentations. The presentations were for an audience of 20+ elementary school students to motivate them to study science. Served as a Sales Committee assistant in chapter food sales event to improve the chapter's office.

Hermandad Colegial de Avivamiento

August 2018–December 2022

Committee Assistant

• Served as percussion musician for Hermandad Colegial de Avivamiento. Went on a mission to the municipality of Vieques, Puerto Rico in the winter of 2019, and helped distribute donated food, clothing and gifts for people in need.

Acting and Music

Mayagüez, PR

Acting: Theater Presentations and Roles

March 2019–May 2023

- The Physics Movie (Nicholas Flamel, secondary character) (In Development)
- El Muerto (Sabás Honoré, secondary character) (August 2019)
- The Physics Show (Michael Faraday, secondary character) (March 2019)

Music: Alma Latina UPRM

February 2020–March 2020

 Worked as percussion musician and staff for the Latin jazz and salsa music group Alma Latina at UPRM.