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Contact Department of Combinatorics and Optimization h3zhan@uwaterloo.ca Information University of Waterloo $519-888-4567 \times 37813$ 200 University Ave W, Waterloo, ON N2L 3G1 hanmengzhan.com Research Algebraic Graph Theory, Quantum Walks Interests **EDUCATION** University of Waterloo, Waterloo, ON, Canada

• Ph.D. Student May 2014 - Present Department of Combinatorics and Optimization, Faculty of Mathematics Supervisor: Chris Godsil

• Master of Mathematics Sept 2012 - Apr 2014 Department of Combinatorics and Optimization, Faculty of Mathematics Thesis: Uniform Mixing on Cayley Graphs over \mathbb{Z}_3^d Supervisor: Chris Godsil

Jan 2010 - Aug 2012

Sept 2008 - Jun 2014

• Bachelor of Arts Department of Economics, Faculty of Arts Thesis: Second-Price Auction with Resale

Supervisor: Philip Curry

Xiamen University, Xiamen, Fujian, China

• Bachelor of Economics

Department of Statistics, Faculty of Economics Thesis: Multi-Player Multi-State Quantum Games

Supervisor: Zhengming Qian

Journal Publications

PUBLICATIONS

- 1. G. Coutinho, C. Godsil, M. Shirazi, H. Zhan, Equiangular Lines and Covers of the Complete Graph. Equiangular Lines and Covers of the Complete Graph. Linear Algebra and its Applications (2016) 488: 264-283.
- 2. R. Alvir, S. Dever, B. Lovitz, J. Myer, C. Tamon, Y. Xu, H. Zhan. Perfect State Transfer in Laplacian Quantum Walk. Journal of Algebraic Combinatorics (2016) 43(4): 801-826.

Preprints

3. C. Godsil, H. Zhan, Uniform Mixing on Cayley Graphs. arXiv:1504.00721 (2015).

In Preparation

- 4. C. Godsil, H. Zhan, Discrete-Time Quantum Walks and Graph Structures.
- 5. C. Godsil, H. Zhan, Mixing Time of Quantum Walks.

PRESENTATIONS Conference Talks

- 1. Lines and Covers of Complete Graphs 2. In: Systems of Lines: Applications of Algebraic Combinatorics, Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Worcester, MA, United States, August 10 14, 2015.
- 2. Uniform Mixing in Continuous-Time Quantum Walks. In: Summer Combo, Saint Michael's College, Burlington, VT, United States, July 21, 2015.
- 3. Uniform Mixing in Quantum Walks. In: 22nd Ontario Combinatorics Workshop, York University, Toronto, ON, Canada, May 16 17, 2014.

Invited Talks

- 4. Some Open Problems in Uniform Mixing. In: Summer Research Program, Clarkson University, Potsdam, NY, United States, July 20, 2015.
- 5. Uniform Mixing on Cayley Graphs. In: Grad Seminar, University of Waterloo, Waterloo, ON, Canada, Oct 8, 2014.

Seminar Talks

6. Laplacian Perfect State Transfer. In: Algebraic Graph Theory Seminar, University of Waterloo, Waterloo, ON, Canada, Sept 16, 2014.

Working Experience

Teaching Assistant 2012 – 2015
Graph Theory, Algebraic Enumeration, Coding Theory
Special Topics in Mathematical Connections, Portfolio Optimization Models,
Calculus for Honours Mathematics, Linear Algebra for Honours Mathematics

• Research Assistant 2014 – 2015 Continuous-Time Quantum Walks, Uniform Mixing, Periodic Vertices

Awards and Distictions

University of Waterloo

Outstanding Achievement in Graduate Studies	2015
• Cotton Family Women in Mathematics Graduate Scholarship	2014, 2016
• Nominated for the Best TA Award	2014
• Faculty of Arts Upper-Year Scholarship	2011-2012
• Robin K. Banks Scholarship	2011-2012
• Dean's Honours List	2011-2012

Xiamen University

• First-Class Scholarship 2009-2010