KEVIN ZHOU

CONTACT

Department of Mathematics, Statistics, and Computer Science University of Illinois at Chicago, Chicago, IL kzhou23@uic.edu math.uic.edu/~kzhou23

EDUCATION

IN PROGRESS Ph.D. in Mathematics

University of Illinois at Chicago

Advisor: James Freitag

MAY 2018 B.S. in Mathematics (with University Honors)

Carnegie Mellon University

RESEARCH

INTERESTS

Mathematical logic, model theory, learning theory, combinatorics

PAPERS

2024+ Query learning bounds for advice and nominal automata (submitted)
2024+ Hereditary properties and weighted model counting (in preparation)

INVITED TALKS

April 2024	AMS Central Sectional Meeting University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
April 2024	UIC Logic Seminar University of Illinois Chicago
March 2023	AMS Southeastern Sectional Meeting Georgia Institute of Technology
October 2022	UIC Logic Seminar University of Illinois Chicago
April 2022	ASL North American Annual Meeting Cornell University

AWARDS & GRANTS

Spring 2022	UIC NSF TRIPODS Research Fellow
Summer 2019	UIC NSF RTG Pre-doctoral Fellow

FUNDED WORKSHOPS & EVENTS

 $\mbox{\it July}$ - $\mbox{\it Aug}$ 2022 $\mbox{\it UNIMOD}$ 2022 $\mbox{\it |}$ University of Leeds

JULY 2019 IMS Graduate Summer School in Logic | National University of Singapore

TEACHING

AT UIC:

AS PRIMARY INSTRUCTOR:

MATH 090 Intermediate Algebra

MATH 090 Intermediate Algebra Summer Enrichment Workshop

MATH 179 Emerging Scholars Program Workshop for Calculus I

MATH 294 Emerging Scholars Program Workshop for Introduction to Advanced Mathematics

MATH 294 Emerging Scholars Program Workshop for Abstract Algebra I

As Teaching Assistant:

MATH 090 Intermediate Algebra

MATH 110 College Algebra

MATH 125 Elementary Linear Algebra

MATH 180 Calculus I

MCS 260 Introduction to Computer Science

As Grader:

MATH 330 Abstract Algebra I

AT CMU:

As Teaching Assistant:

21-127 Concepts of Mathematics

15-251 Great Theoretical Ideas in Computer Science

OTHER:

2019 - 2023	Math Circles of Chicago

FALL 2022 Preliminary Arizona Winter School

TA, Introduction to model theory with applications

SUMMER 2022 Young Scholars Program at UIC

SERVICE

2024	Mentor, Directed Reading Program at UIC
2023	Co-organizer, 23rd Graduate Student Conference in Logic
2021 - 2024	Co-organizer, UIC Louise Hay Logic Seminar (Graduate Logic Seminar)
2019 - 2020	Secretary, UIC Mathematics Graduate Students' Association
2019	Volunteer Judge, QED Youth Math Symposium, Math Circles of Chicago

PROGRAMMING SKILLS

Python, C/C++, git, LATEX, Mathematica