

In [1]:

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from mpl_toolkits import mplot3d
%matplotlib inline
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
plt.rc('font', family='serif')
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In [2]:

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d=1000
n=2000
A = np.random.normal(size=(n,d)) / np.sqrt(n)
y = np.random.normal(size=n)
lambd= 1
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We consider the Ridge cost:

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2} \|Ax - y\|^2 + \frac{\lambda}{2} \|x\|^2,$$

where  $\lambda > 0$  is some regularization parameter.

(a) Show that  $f$  is can be written in the format the function  $f$  of Problem 12.2, for some  $M \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times d}$ ,  $b \in \mathbb{R}^d$  and  $c \in \mathbb{R}$ . Compute numerically the values of  $L$  and  $\mu$ . Plot the eigenvalues of  $H_f(x)$  using an histogram.

We have

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{2} \|Ax - y\|^2 + \frac{\lambda}{2} \|x\|^2 = \frac{1}{2} x^T A^T A x - \langle x, A^T y \rangle + \frac{1}{2} \|y\|^2 + \frac{\lambda}{2} \|x\|^2 = \frac{1}{2} x^T (A^T A + \lambda Id) x -$$

Hence  $f$  can be put in the format of Problem 12.2 with  $M = A^T A + \lambda Id$ ,  $b = A^T y$  and  $c = \frac{1}{2} \|y\|^2$ .

In [32]:

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M = A.T @ A + lambd * np.identity(d)
w,v = np.linalg.eigh(M)
L=np.max(w)
mu=np.min(w)
print('L is equal to ',L , 'and mu is equal to ',mu)
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L is equal to 3.9042013011704997 and mu is equal to 1.0850698634375893

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# Optional: the limiting shape of the histogram of the eigenvalues of M
# is known as the "Marcenko-Pastur" distribution. We plot is below
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lambdaMin = (1-np.sqrt(d/n))**2
lambdaMax = (1+np.sqrt(d/n))**2
print(lambdaMin+lambda, lambdaMax+lambda)

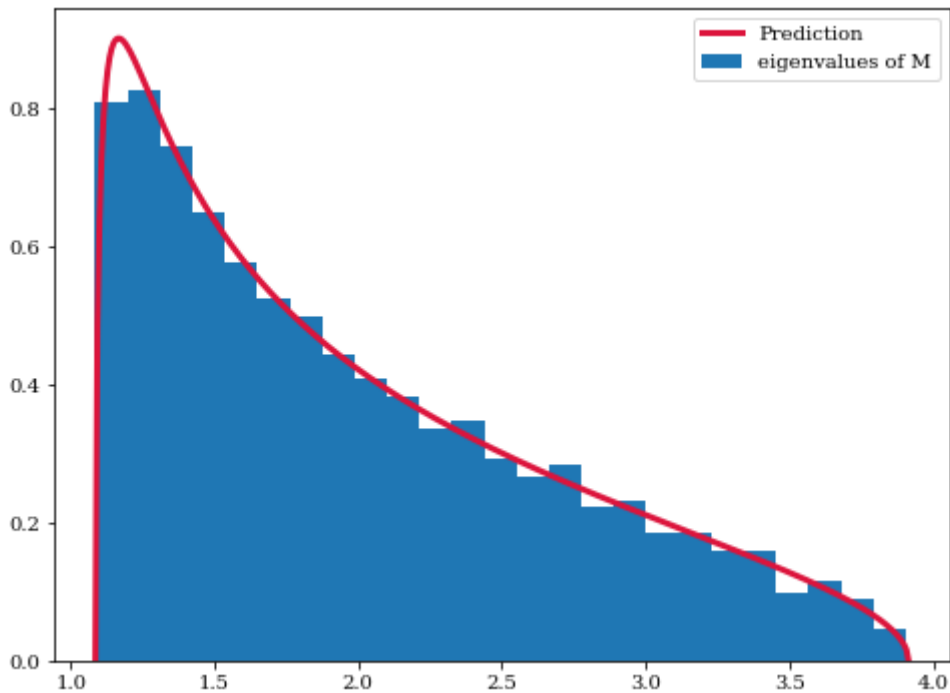
t=np.linspace(lambdaMin,lambdaMax,400)
MP = (1/(2*np.pi))*(n/d)*np.sqrt((lambdaMax-t)*(t-lambdaMin))/t

plt.figure(figsize=(8,6))
plt.hist(w,bins=25,density=True, label='eigenvalues of M')
plt.plot(t+lambda,MP,color='crimson',linewidth=3, label='Prediction')
plt.legend()
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1.0857864376269049 3.914213562373095

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(b) Implement gradient descent with constant step-size  $\beta = 1/L$  (as in Problem 12.2), with random initial

position  $x_0$ . Plot the log-error  $\log(\|x_t - x_*\|)$  as a function of  $t$ .

In [33]:

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T=30
B = np.identity(d) - M/L
b = A.T @ y
x=np.random.normal(size=(d,T))
for t in range(T-1):
    x[:,t+1] = B @ x[:,t] + b /L
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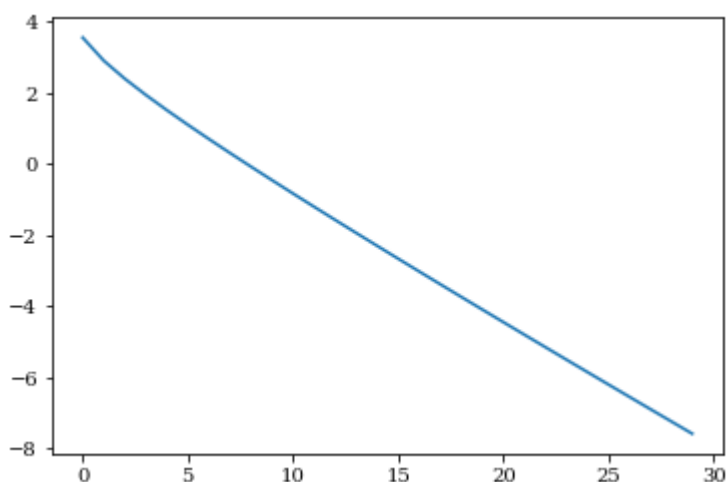
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x_star= np.linalg.inv(M) @ A.T @ y
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error = [np.sqrt(np.sum(np.square(x[:,t]-x_star)))] for t in range(T)
plt.plot(np.arange(T),np.log(error))
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(c) Implement gradient descent with momentum, with the same parameters as in Problem 12.4. Plot the log-error  $\log(\|x_t - x_*\|)$  as a function of  $t$ , on the same plot than the log-error of gradient descent without momentum.

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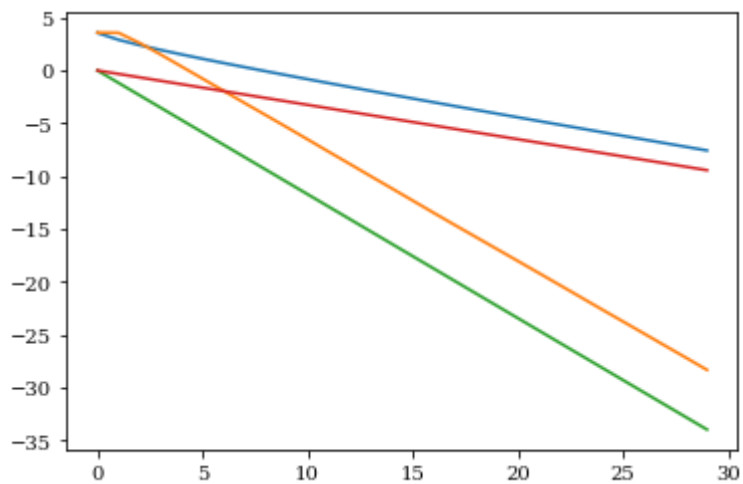
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T=30
gamma = ((np.sqrt(L)-np.sqrt(mu))/(np.sqrt(L)+np.sqrt(mu)))**2
beta= 4 / (np.sqrt(mu)+np.sqrt(L))**2
B = np.identity(d) - beta*M
b = A.T @ y
x=np.random.normal(size=(d,T))
for t in range(T-2):
    x[:,t+2] = B @ x[:,t+1] + beta*b + gamma*(x[:,t+1]-x[:,t])
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In [37]:

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error2 = [np.sqrt(np.sum(np.square(x[:,t]-x_star))) for t in range(T)]  
plt.plot(np.arange(T),np.log(error))  
plt.plot(np.arange(T),np.log(error2))  
t=np.arange(T)  
plt.plot(t*np.log(gamma)/2)  
plt.plot(t*np.log(1-mu/L))
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