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Languages: English (native), Cantonese (fluent), Mandarin (reading/listening only)

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RESEARCH EXPERIENCE 2021, Australian National University (honors project)

Uniqueness of tangent flows in mean curvature flow, supervised by Prof. Ben Andrews. My thesis details some recent progress in mean curvature flow, with a focus on geometric Łojasiewicz

inequalities and uniqueness of blowup limits. [link to thesis]

2020–21, Australian Mathematical Sciences Institute

Topological phases in quantum systems, supervised by Dr. Thomas Quella. Using representation theoretic and computer algebraic tools, I looked at symmetry-protected topological phases in the q-deformed AKLT model. The results of this research are being prepared for publication. [link to

report]

2019–20, University of Melbourne

Label-noise generative adversarial networks, supervised by Dr. Mingming Gong. I designed, implemented and experimented with image generation models using PyTorch. [link to report]

EDUCATION

2021, Australian National University, Canberra, Australia.

Bachelor of Mathematical Sciences (Honors), GPA 7.00/7.00.

2018–20, University of Melbourne, Melbourne, Australia.

Bachelor of Science (Mathematics and Statistics), weighted average 94/100.

2011–17, Sha Tin College, Hong Kong. IB Diploma Program, 45/45, valedictorian.

ACADEMIC AWARDS 2021, ANU Mathematical Sciences Institute Honors Scholarship

Merit scholarship (value: AUD 5,000)

2020, Dixson Prize

Top scorer in third year pure mathematics (AUD 430)

2019, Maurice H. Belz Prize in Statistics

Top scorer in the subjects *Probability* and *Statistics* (AUD 410)

2018 & 2020, University of Melbourne Dean's Honors

Top 3% of students faculty-wide (ineligible for the 2019 award due to program transfer)

2018–20, University of Melbourne Chancellor's Scholarship

Merit scholarship (full tuition + AUD 10,000 p.a. for duration enrolled)

Talks Gauge Theory and Symplectic Geometry, ANU, 2021. The Chern-Weil construction.

ANU MSI Honors Conference, 2021. Uniqueness of tangent flows in mean curvature flow. [slides]

ANU MSI Honors Conference, 2021. Singularities in the mean curvature flow. [slides]

AMSIConnect Student Conference, 2021. Topological phases in quantum systems with quantum

group symmetries. [slides]

University of Melbourne, 2020. Label-noise robust twin auxiliary classifier GANs. [slides]

WORK AND VOLUNTEERING

2021, Teaching Assistant, Australian National University.

I tutored ~40 students per semester in MATH1005 (Discrete Mathematical Models) and

MATH1013 (Mathematics and Applications 1). I gave weekly workshops and graded assignments.

2018–20, Mentor, The Institute for Enquiring Minds.

I volunteered to teach mathematics to high school students from financially disadvantaged backgrounds, after school on a one-to-one basis.

2017–20, Tutor, self-employed.

I delivered over 600 hours of tutoring in math, physics and economics at high school level.

2018–19, Business Analyst Intern, SW Global Consulting Ltd. I conducted due diligence to advise clients on investment decisions.

Computer Skills Proficient: Python, LATEX Intermediate: C, Mathematica Basic: Java, R & RStudio