## **Nathan Grigg**

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Research Interests Algebraic Geometry, K3 surfaces, deformation theory, moduli theory

Education Doctor of Philosophy, University of Washington, Seattle 2007–present

Expected graduation date: June 2013

Advisor: Max Lieblich

Bachelor of Science, Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah 2003–2007

University Honors Advisor: Tyler Jarvis

Teaching Instructor, University of Washington 2009–present

**Experience** Nine quarters teaching calculus, ordinary differential equations, linear algebra, and

vector calculus

Teaching Assistant, University of Washington 2007–2009

Six quarters as teaching assistant and grader for calculus, business calculus, and ab-

stract algebra, including training other teaching assistants

Teaching Assistant, Brigham Young University 2005–2006

Tutored individual students and taught class reviews for students in calculus, linear

algebra, abtract algebra, and beginning analysis

**Undergraduate** Under the direction of Tyler Jarvis and as part of the University Honors program at **Thesis** BYU, I wrote a thesis entitled *Factorization of Tropical Polynomials in One and Several* 

BYU, I wrote a thesis entitled *Factorization of Tropical Polynomials in One and Several Variables*. The thesis was a study of tropical (min-plus) polynomials and their factorizations. I presented some algorithms for determining the combinatorial type and

graphing tropical planar curves which were implemented in Maple.

**Languages** English (native), Spanish (speak), and French (read)

**Computers** Python, sage, Maple, Mathematica