ZHIHAN JIN

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RESEARCH INTEREST

My research interest lies broadly in Discrete Mathematics, including Ramsey theory, algebraic and probabilistic Methods in Combinatorics, extremal set theory and the applications in Theoretical Computer Science.

EDUCATION

ETH Zürich October 2022 -

- PhD in Mathematics

- Supervised by *Prof. Benny Sudakov*

ETH Zürich

September 2020 - August 2022

- Master of Computer Science

- GPA: 5.89/6

Shanghai Jiao Tong University

September 2016 - June 2020

- Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Science and Technology, ACM Honors Class, Zhiyuan College
- ACM Honors Class is an elite CS program for top 5% talented students in Shanghai Jiao Tong University.

- Advisor: Yong Yu

- GPA: 91.31/100 (3.93/4.3) Rank: $3^{rd}/37$.

PUBLICATION LIST

Zhihan Jin, Matthew Kwan, Lisa Sauermann, Yiting Wang, Algebraic aspects of the polynomial Littlewood-Offord problem, submitted.

Barnabás Janzer, Zhihan Jin, Benny Sudakov, Kewen Wu, Sunflowers and Ramsey problems for restricted intersections, submitted.

Zhihan Jin, Matthew Kwan, Lyuben Lichev, Colouring random Hasse diagrams and box-Delaunay graphs, submitted.

Noga Alon, Zhihan Jin and Benny Sudakov, The Helly number of Hamming balls and related problems, submitted.

Lior Gishboliner, Zhihan Jin and Benny Sudakov, Difference-Isomorphic Graph Families, submitted.

Michael Anastos, Zhihan Jin, Matthew Kwan and Benny Sudakov, Extremal, enumerative and probabilistic results on ordered hypergraph matchings, Forum of Mathematics, Sigma 13 (2025), e55.

Recep Altar Çiçeksiz, Zhihan Jin, Eero Räty and István Tomon, Exponential Erdős-Szekeres theorem for matrices, *Proc. London Math. Soc.*, (2024), Vol. 129, (3): e12632.

Lior Gishboliner, Zhihan Jin and Benny Sudakov, Ramsey problems for monotone paths in graphs and hypergraphs, *Combinatorica*, (2024): 1-21.

Lior Gishboliner, Zhihan Jin and Benny Sudakov, The Minimum Degree Removal Lemma Thresholds, J. Combinatorial Theory Ser. B, 166 (2024), 203-221.

Zhihan Jin and István Tomon, Semi-algebraic and semi-linear Ramsey numbers, J. of Combinatorial Theory Ser. B, 163 (2023), 54-82.

Zhengfeng Ji, Zhihan Jin and Pinyan Lu, Approximating Permanent of a Random Matrix: Made Better and Simpler, SODA 2020.

Surbhi Goel, Aravind Gollakota, Zhihan Jin, Sushrut Karmalkar and Adam Klivans, Superpolynomial Lower Bounds for Learning One-Layer NeuralNetworks using Gradient Descent, *ICML* 2020.

HONORS AND AWARDS

Honors	
- Merit Student, top 3% all-round students over 17,000 in SJTU.	2018
Scholarships	
- CSC-IBM Excellent Student Scholarship, 40 over all students in China;	2019
- The Kaiyuanlizhi Scholarship, 0.2% over 17,000 students in SJTU;	2018
- Zhiyuan College Honored Scholarship, 5% over 17,000 students in SJTU; 2016, 2017,	2018
- National Scholarship, the highest honor for the top 0.2% undergraduates in China;	2017
- The Hanyingjuhua Scholarship, 0.2% over 17,000 students in SJTU;	2017
- Changzhou Mettler Toledo Scholarship, 12 students in Changzhou, Jiangsu.	2016
Competitive Programming Contests	
- 2nd in The 2017 ACM-ICPC ¹ Asia Hong Kong Regional Contest;	2017
- Gold Medal in The 2017 ACM-ICPC Asia East Continent League Final, Shenyang Regional;	2017
- Gold Medal in The 2017 CCPC ² -Final, Qinghuangdao Regional;	2017
- 3rd in The 2016 ACM-ICPC Asia Beijing Regional Contest;	2016
- 3rd in The 2016 CCPC Hefei Regional Contest;	2016
- Gold Medal in The 2016 ACM-ICPC Asia China-Final Contest.	2016

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant of Graph Theory, ETH Zürich	Spring 2025
Teaching Assistant of Probabilistic Methods of Combinatorics, ETH Zürich	Autumn~2024
Teaching Assistant of Graph Theory, ETH Zürich	Spring 2024
Teaching Assistant of Algebraic Methods of Combinatorics, ETH Zürich	Autumn~2023
Teaching Assistant of Graph Theory, ETH Zürich	Spring 2023
Teaching Assistant of Probabilistic Methods of Combinatorics, ETH Zürich	$Autumn\ 2022$
Teaching Assistant of Mathematics for the Information Age, SJTU	$Summer\ 2019$
Student Coach of SJTU ACM-ICPC Teams, SJTU	Spring 2019
Student Coach of SJTU ACM-ICPC Teams, SJTU	$Autumn\ 2018$

TALKS

Conference and workshop talks

- Graph expansion and its applications, Princeton University, USA, April 2025.
- Qilu Youth Forum at Shandong University, Shandong University (online), October 2024.
- Summit 280, Eötvös University, Hungary, July 2024.
- European Conference on Combinatorics, Charles University, Czech Republic, August 2023.
- Random Structures and Algorithms, CMU, USA, June 2023.
- ACM-SIAM Symposium on Discrete Algorithms, online, January 2021.

Seminar and colloquium talks

- Mingshu Seminar, Taiyuan University of Technology, May 2025.
- Discrete Mathematics Seminar, Princeton University, April 2025.

¹Association for Computing Machinery-International Collegiate Programming Contest

²China Collegiate Programming Contest

- Discrete Math Seminar, IBS Korea, September 2024.
- Mittagsseminar, IST Austria, May 2024.
- Mittagsseminar, ETH Zürich, November 2023.
- Discrete Mathematics Seminar, Umeå University, May 2023.
- Mittagsseminar, ETH Zürich, March 2023.
- Mittagsseminar, ETH Zürich, August 2022.

SEMINAR AND COLLOQUIUM TALKS

Mingshu Seminar, Taiyuan University of Technology, May 2025.

Discrete Mathematics Seminar, Princeton University, April 2025.

Discrete Math Seminar, IBS Korea, September 2024.

Mittagsseminar, IST Austria, May 2024.

Mittagsseminar, ETH Zürich, November 2023.

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