

# PAUL COUSIN

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## Education

### International Master's Degree in Physics Of Complex Systems

SISSA & ICTP & PoliTO & Paris Cité & Sorbonne & Paris Saclay

Sep. 2023 – Ongoing

Trieste – Turin, Italy & Paris, France

### International Bachelor's Degree in Physics (with Highest Honors)

Université Grenoble Alpes & University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Jan. 2021 – May 2023

Grenoble, France & Chapel Hill, USA

### Diploma of Advanced Audiovisual Technician, Specialized in Editing

Lycée de la Communication

Sep. 2011 – May 2013

Metz, France

## Training

### Excellence Internship granted by the Université Grenoble Alpes

Laboratoire Jean Kuntzmann (Applied Mathematics & Informatics)

June – July 2022

Grenoble, France

## Publications

P. Cousin, “Triangular Automata: The 256 Elementary Cellular Automata of the Two-Dimensional Plane,” *Complex Systems*, 33(3), 2024 pp. 253–276. doi.org/10.25088/ComplexSystems.33.3.253.

P. Cousin and A. Maignan, “Organic Structures Emerging From Bio-Inspired Graph-Rewriting Automata,” 2022 24th International Symposium on Symbolic and Numeric Algorithms for Scientific Computing (SYNASC), Hagenberg / Linz, Austria, 2022, pp. 293-296. doi.org/10.1109/SYNASC57785.2022.00053.

## Conferences

**June 20, 2025** at the **Wolfram Institute**: “Triangular Automata: The 256 Elementary Cellular Automata of the Two-Dimensional Plane”. [🔗](#)

**September 12, 2022** at the **24th International Symposium on Symbolic and Numeric Algorithms for Scientific Computing**: “Organic Structures Emerging From Bio-Inspired Graph-Rewriting Automata”.

## Projects

### Triangular Automata

2023 – 2025

- Website [🔗](#)
- Mathematica package [🔗](#)
- OEIS entries [🔗](#)
- YouTube channel [🔗](#)

### Graph-Rewriting Automata

2022

- Website [🔗](#)
- Python package [🔗](#)
- Mathematica package [🔗](#)

## Coursework

### Upcoming

2025

- Statistical Field Theory [🔗](#)
- Computational Science [🔗](#)
- Stochastic processes [🔗](#)
- Non-linear physics [🔗](#)

### Graduate courses

2023 – 2025

- Probability and Information Theory [🔗](#)
- Quantum Theory of Condensed Matter [🔗](#)
- Statistical Physics [🔗](#)
- Algorithms for Optimization, Inference and Learning [🔗](#)
- Advanced Numerical Methods [🔗](#)
- Advanced Experimental Physics [🔗](#)
- Advanced Quantum Mechanics [🔗](#)
- Biophysics [🔗](#)
- Introduction to Systems and Computational Neuroscience [🔗](#)
- Ecology and Evolution [🔗](#)

## Selected undergraduate courses

2022 – 2023

- Cosmology
- Theory, Evidence, and Understanding in Science

- Functions of a Complex Variable with Applications
- Coherent Optics

## Certified Online Courses

2021 – 2024

- Computation in Complex Systems
- Foundations & Applications of Humanities Analytics
- Fractals and Scaling
- Game Theory I  and II
- Introduction to Agent-Based Modeling
- Introduction to Complexity
- Introduction to Dynamical Systems and Chaos
- Introduction to Mathematical Thinking

- Learn JavaScript
- Learn Python 3
- Machine Learning
- Nonlinear Dynamics: Mathematical and Computational Approaches
- Origins of Life
- Skepticism
- The Git & Github Bootcamp

## Self-studied textbooks

- Spacetime and Geometry, by Sean Carroll

## Skills

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**Programming:** Mathematica, Python, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, NetLogo, VS Code, GitHub

**Arts:** Music , Video Production

**Languages:** French, English, Italian, Esperanto, Toki Pona, Spanish  
*native* *fluent* *intermediate* *elementary*

## Work Experience

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### Nurseryman

2017 – 2020

*Creation of a professional activity in agriculture*

*Verrue, France*

### Founder & President

2016 – 2018

*Association invested in circular economy for ecology and social fairness*

*Loudun, France*

### Logistics Coordinator

Aug. 2015 – July 2016

*Agricultural training organization promoting sustainable practices*

*Grasse, France*