

Brantley Vose

Curriculum Vitae

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Education

- 2020–Present **PhD in Mathematics**, *The Ohio State University*, Advised by Dustin Mixon. Expected graduation spring 2026.
- 2020–2022 **Master of Mathematics**, *The Ohio State University*.
- 2016–2020 **Bachelor of Computer Science and Mathematics**, *Iowa State University*, 3.97 GPA.
- 2014–2016 **Associate of Science**, *Indian Hills Community College*, 3.954 GPA.

Current Research

- 2023 – **Symmetry in Data Analysis**.
- Present Developing computational methods for detecting and exploiting approximate symmetries in data analysis tasks.
- 2024 – **Invariant and Stable Vectorizations**.
- Present Producing vectorization methods that are both stable and expressive, as well as invariant to some group of ambiguities.

Experience

- June 2025 – **Summer Research Fellow**, *Data and Democracy Lab at Cornell*, Ithaca, NY.
- Aug 2025
 - Collaborated with research teams on democracy-related mathematical problems.
 - Contributed to open source Python package.
- Aug 2021 – **Graduate Teaching Associate**, *The Ohio State University*, Columbus, OH.
- Dec 2024
 - Teach recitation sections for 60 students, supplementing lectures by presenting examples.
 - Assist students through feedback, office hours, and tutoring hours.
- May 2023 – **Data Science Intern**, *Mined XAI*, Dayton, OH.
- July 2023
 - Collaborated with a team to develop novel applications of in-house data analysis pipelines.
 - Crafted visualizations to present results to the wider company.
- June 2022 – **Summer Counselor**, *Ross Mathematics Program*, Columbus, OH.
- Aug 2022
 - Mentored four high school students through a summer-long mathematics camp.
 - Tracked student progress and delivered detailed feedback in one-on-one sessions.
- May 2020 – **Data Engineering Intern**, *Collins Aerospace*, Cedar Rapids, IA.
- July 2020
 - Contributed to team of data engineers.
 - Developed and maintained automated Python web scrapers.
 - Interfaced with Amazon Web Services.
 - Operated and configured Linux servers on the cloud.
- June 2019 – **Cybersecurity Intern**, *Patuxent River Naval Air Base*, Patuxent River, MD.
- Aug 2019
 - Learned all relevant cybersecurity knowledge on the job.
 - Created and oversaw training event for 30 Cyber Test and Evaluation branch members and contractors.
 - Established and operated network of virtual Linux servers.
 - Coached clients and colleagues on cybersecurity tools and concepts.

Publications

Estimating the Euclidean distortion of an orbit space, with Ben Blum-Smith, Harm Derksen, Dustin Mixon, and Yousef Qaddura, Submitted to *Forum of Mathematics, Sigma*.

Recovering a group from few orbits, with Dustin Mixon, Accepted pending revisions in *Applied and Computational Harmonic Analysis*.

Geometry and stability of supervised learning problems, with Facundo Mémoli and Robert C. Williamson, To appear in *Journal of Machine Learning Research*.

Harmonic representatives in homology over arbitrary fields, with Michael Catanzaro, Published in *Journal of Applied and Computational Topology*, 2023.

Presentations

- Oct 2024 **Poster: How Many Orbits Determine the Group?**, *Fall Fourier Talks*, Norbert Wiener Center for Harmonic Analysis and Applications, College Park, Maryland.
- July 2024 **A Space of Supervised Learning Problems**, *Foundations of Machine Learning Systems Research Seminar*, Tübingen AI Center, Tübingen, Germany.
- April 2024 **Estimating Migration Systems Using Markov Chain Coarse-Graining**, *Population Association of America Annual Meeting*, Columbus, Ohio.
- April 2024 **String Diagrams for the Working Mathematician**, *Math Graduate Student Seminar*, Ohio State, Columbus, Ohio.
- March 2024 **A Space of Supervised Learning Problems**, *Topology, Geometry, and Data Analysis Seminar*, Ohio State, Columbus, Ohio.
- Feb 2024 **Harmonic Representatives for Homology over Finite Fields**, *UF-TDA Seminar*, University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida.
- June 2023 **Harmonic Representatives for Homology over Finite Fields**, *Geometry and Topology Meet Data Analysis and Machine Learning*, Northeastern University, Boston, Massachusetts.
- March 2023 **Making Sense of Network Data with the Hodge Decomposition**, *Topology, Geometry, and Applications Graduate Seminar*, Columbus, Ohio.
- Apr 2018 **Additively Irreducible Metrics**, *Midwest Undergraduate Mathematics Symposium*, Simpson College, Indianola, Iowa.

Skills

Languages Python, exposure to Java, C++, C, R, and SQL
Tools and Platforms Git, Debian Linux, Bash, LaTeX, PyTorch

Awards

- Nov 2024 Ohio State Phil Huneke Excellence in Teaching Award Finalist
- Aug 2023 Rhodus Graduate Fellowship from The Ohio State University Department of Mathematics
- Aug 2020 Distinguished University Fellowship from The Ohio State University Graduate School
- May 2018 Fred Wright Mathematics Endowed Scholarship

Links

Website <https://prismika.github.io/>

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