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PROFILE

Motivated and skilled Ph.D. graduate looking to conduct research in an applied setting, particularly in machine learning or cryptography areas. Highly capable in quantitative areas as well as being able to explain technical concepts to others.

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Mathematics

University of Toronto

August 2021 Toronto, ON

Thesis: Cluster Algebra Structure for Mirković-Vilonen Cycles and Polytopes

Notable Course: CSC2426 Fundamentals of Cryptography

Palette x Fields Accelerated Cybersecurity Training

Fields Institute

Nov. 2020 – Jan. 2021 Toronto, ON

Learned a variety of topics such as

- Risk Management, Cryptography, Penetration Testing

EXPERIENCE

Researcher

University of Toronto

Sept. 2016 – Aug. 2021 Toronto, ON

- Collaborated and wrote a paper with two others on a research project for interpreting geometric objects as matrices
- Conjectured my own formula about a relationship between geometric objects and proved it; invited to and presented results at Loyola University Chicago

Course Instructor

University of Toronto

Jan. 2020 – Aug. 2021 Toronto, ON

- Taught hundreds of students in various disciplines in mathematics, particularly those in linear algebra
- Was one of the first instructors to teach and be in charge of a course during the COVID-19 pandemic, laying the foundation and provided advice for future courses
- Achieved an overall 4.4/5 course evaluation from students

Teacher's Assistant

University of Toronto

Sept. 2015 – Dec. 2019 Toronto, ON

- Worked with and helped a variety of students in areas such as calculus, linear algebra, and MATLAB programming
- Debugged several students' code and helped them understand their own code

KEY SKILLS

Creative Thinking

Problem Solving

Excellent Writing and Communication

LANGUAGES

Python



MATLAB



SQL



CYBERSECURITY TOOLS

Metasploit

Meterpreter

nmap

PowerSploit

OWASP ZAP

Burp Suite

Wireshark

Splunk

ELK Stack

PROJECTS

Penetration Testing

Ongoing

TryHackMe

- Personal project to better understand computer security, its architecture, as well as learning the Linux command line

Mirković-Vybornov Fusion in the Beilinson-Drinfeld Grassmannian

June 2021

arXiv

- A generalization of the Mirković-Vybornov isomorphism to help compute fusion products

Double Encryption in the Cloud

Jan. 2021

GitHub

- A way to upload data to the cloud that ensures end-to-end encryption and prevents the cloud provider from unauthorized access to the data
- Helped design the protocol, coded the authentication and integrity parts, and created a demo with .csv files and GCP