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RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Finite element and discontinuous Galerkin methods
- Scientific machine learning and operator learning
- Inverse and ill-posed problems
- Numerical methods for radiative transfer
- Electromagnetic and elastic/viscoelastic waves

EDUCATION

University of Delaware

- **Ph.D** in **Applied Mathematics** May 2020
  Advisor: Dr. Francisco-Javier Sayas
  Thesis: Generalized projection-based error analysis of hybridizable discontinuous Galerkin methods

Wuhan University

- M.S. in Computational Mathematics 2015
- B.S. in Pure Mathematics 2012

PUBLICATIONS

Submitted

1. **S. Du**, and S. N. Stechmann. Element learning: a systematic approach of accelerating finite element-type methods via machine learning, with applications to radiative transfer. arXiv.
2. **S. Du**, and S. N. Stechmann. Inverse radiative transfer with goal-oriented hp-adaptive mesh refinement: adaptive-mesh inversion.
3. **S. Du**, and S. N. Stechmann. A universal predictor-corrector approach for minimizing artifacts due to mesh refinement.

Peer-reviewed

4. B. Cockburn, **S. Du**, M. A. Sánchez. A priori error analysis of new semidiscrete, Hamiltonian HDG methods for the time-dependent Maxwell's equations. *ESAIM: M2AN, 57 (2023), no.4, 2097 – 2129.*
   DOI: 10.1051/m2an/2023048
5. **S. Du**, and S. N. Stechmann. Fast, low-memory numerical methods for radiative transfer via hp-adaptive mesh refinement. *J. Comput. Phys. 480 (2023).*
   DOI: 10.1016/j.jcp.2023.112021
6. B. Cockburn, **S. Du**, M. A. Sánchez. Combining finite element space-discretization with symplectic time-marching schemes for linear hamiltonian systems. *Front. Appl. Math. Stat. 9 (2023).*
   DOI: 10.3389/fams.2023.1165371

7. M. A. Sánchez, **S. Du**, B. Cockburn, N.-C. Nguyen, J. Peraire. Symplectic Hamiltonian finite element methods for electromagnetics. *Comput. Methods Appl. Mech. Engrg. 396 (2022)*.
   DOI: 10.1016/j.cma.2022.114969
8. B. Cockburn, M. A. Sánchez, **S. Du**. Discontinuous Galerkin methods with time-operators in their numerical traces for time-dependent electromagnetics. *Comput. Meth. Appl. Math. (2022)*.
   DOI: 10.1515/cmam-2021-0215
9. **S. Du**, and F.-J. Sayas. A note on devising HDG+ projections on polyhedral elements. *Math. Comp. 90 (2021), 65-79*.
   DOI: 10.1090/mcom/3573
10. **S. Du**. HDG methods for Stokes equation based on strong symmetric stress formulations. *J. Sci. Comput. 85, 8 (2020)*.
    DOI: 10.1007/s10915-020-01309-7
11. **S. Du**, and F.-J. Sayas. A unified error analysis of hybridizable discontinuous Galerkin methods for the static Maxwell equations. *SIAM J. Numer. Anal. 58 (2020), no. 2, 1367–1391*.
    DOI: 10.1137/19M1290966
12. **S. Du**, and F.-J. Sayas. New analytical tools for HDG in elasticity, with applications to elastodynamics. *Math. Comp. 89 (2020), 1745-1782*.
    DOI: 10.1090/mcom/3499
13. **S. Du**, and N. Du. A factorization of least-squares projection schemes for ill-posed problems. *Comput. Meth. Appl. Math. 20 (2020), no. 4, 783-798*.
    DOI: 10.1515/cmam-2019-0173
14. T.S. Brown, **S. Du**, H. Eruslu, and F.-J. Sayas. Analysis of models for viscoelastic wave propagation. *Appl. Math. Nonlin. Sci. 3 (2018), no. 1, 55-96*.
    DOI: 10.21042/AMNS.2018.1.00006

Books

15. **S. Du**, and F.-J. Sayas. An invitation to the theory of the Hybridizable Discontinuous Galerkin Method. *SpringerBriefs in Mathematics (2019)*.
    DOI: 10.1007/978-3-030-27230-2

PRESENTATIONS

Talks

1. Energy-conserving discontinuous Galerkin methods with time-operators in their traces for time-dependent electromagnetics
   17th UCNCCM, Albuquerque, NM July 2023
2. Fast, low-memory methods for radiative transfer through hp-adaptive mesh refinement
   13th AIMS meeting, Wilmington, NC June 2023
3. Three-dimensional radiative transfer: fast, low-memory numerical methods
   Collective Madison Meeting, Madison, WI Aug 2022
4. Unified analysis of HDG methods for the static Maxwell equations
   CILAMCE-PANACM 2021, Brazil Nov 2021

5. Generalized projection-based error analysis of hybridizable discontinuous Galerkin (HDG) methods
   CEDYA2021, Spain June 2021
6. Projection-based analysis of hybridizable discontinuous Galerkin (HDG) methods
   Wenbo Li Prize Talk, U of Delaware Feb 2020
7. Unified analysis of HDG methods for the static Maxwell equations
   SIAM CSE2021, Virtual Meeting Mar 2021
8. New analysis techniques of HDG+ method
   SIAM Sectional Meeting, Iowa State U Oct 2019
9. Uniform-in-time optimal convergent HDG method for transient elastic waves with strong symmetric stress formulation
   WAVES2019, TU Wien, Vienna Aug 2019
10. Hybridizable Discontinuous Galerkin schemes for elastic waves
    ICIAM2019, Valencia July 2019
11. HDG for transient elastic waves
    WONAPDE2019, U of Concepcion Jan 2019
12. Projection-based analysis of HDG methods with reduced stabilization
    DelMar Num Day 2019, U of Maryland May 2019
13. Projection-based error analysis of HDG methods for transient elastic waves
    FEM Circus, U of Delaware Nov 2018
14. Devising a tailored projection for a new HDG method in linear elasticity
    FEM Circus, U of Tennessee Mar 2018
15. A new HDG projection and its applications
    Mid-Atlantic Numerical Analysis Day, Temple U Nov 2017

Poster presentation

1. Fast, low-memory numerical methods for radiative transfer: forward and inverse problems
   New Trends in Computational and Data Sciences, Caltech Dec 2022
2. Hybridizable Discontinuous Galerkin methods in transient elastodynamics
   FACM2018, New Jersey Institute of Technology Aug 2018
3. Building a computational code for 3D viscoelastic wave simulation
   Mid-Atlantic Numerical Analysis Day, Temple U Nov 2016

REFERRED JOURNAL

Journal of Scientific Computing • SIAM Multiscale Modelling and Simulation • ESAIM: M2AN • Frontiers in Applied Mathematics and Statistics

AWARDS AND HONORS

Wenbo Li Prize	2020
University Doctoral Fellowship Award at the University of Delaware	2019
ICIAM2019 travel grant	2019
Graduate Enrichment Fellowship at the University of Delaware	2018
GEMS project fund at the University of Delaware	Summer 2016
National Scholarship for Graduate Students of China	2013
People's Scholarship of Wuhan University	2011
Outstanding Student of Wuhan University	2009-2011

TEACHING

Lecturer

- Linear Algebra and Differential Equations (Math320) — Spring 2023

Teaching Assistant

- Review of Advanced Mathematical Problems (summer courses offered to incoming graduate students) — 2018 Fall
- Analytic Geometry and Calculus C (Math243) — 2016&2017 Fall
- Analytic Geometry and Calculus B (Math242) — 2017 Spring
- Calculus I (Math221) — 2018 Spring

International Teaching Assistant (ITA) training program

- Graduated with the highest category of scores (category I) — Summer 2015

Graduate mentor

- GEMS summer research project — Fall 2016

CODING PROJECTS

Fast, low-memory methods for radiative transfer — 2020 - current

- Build a cell-based structured adaptive mesh refinement (AMR) data structure
- Implement discontinuous Galerkin (DG) methods with hp-adaptivity for the full radiative transfer equation

Hybridizable Discontinuous Galerkin (HDG) methods — 2016 - 2020
(based on HDG3D library)

- Build Matlab codes of high order HDG methods on computing cluster for transient elastic/viscoelastic waves and Maxwell equations
- Write documentations with detailed implementation procedures for HDG methods for Maxwell equations

Finite Element Method (FEM) — 2016
(based on Team Pancho FEM library)

- Build Matlab codes of high order FEM methods on computing cluster for simulation of viscoelastic waves.

Multiscale modeling — 2013 - 2015

- Implement algorithms to calculate Cauchy stress tensor based on micro-scale molecular dynamics information

COMPUTER SKILLS

Theory
Data Structures • Algorithm • Object Oriented Programming
Languages & Software
Matlab • Python • C • C++ • Fortran • openMPI • LISP • Linux Shell