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CIE 2022

SWANSEA 11-15 JULY



**Revolutions and
Revelations in
Computability**

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Swansea University's history goes back to 1920. Its first campus, the Singleton Campus, is located in a lovely setting by the sea, right next to one of the biggest parks in Swansea. The second campus, the Bay Campus, was opened in 2015. Lying between the Bay Campus and Neath Estuary is our very own nature reserve, Crymlyn Burrows, which we certainly recommend visiting during your stay. The dunes, saltmarsh and beach are protected as a Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI).

In 2018 the doors to the Computational Foundry, the home of the departments of Computer Science and Mathematics, were opened. We are proud to host this year's CiE conference here.



INVITED SPEAKERS



ERIKA ÁBRAHÁM
RWTH AACHEN UNIVERSITY



THIERRY COQUAND
UNIVERSITY OF GOTHENBURG



LIESBETH DE MOL
UNIVERSITY OF LILLE



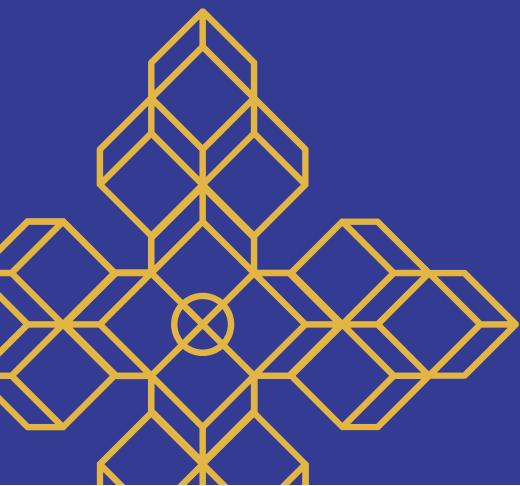
DAMIR DZHAFAROV
UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT



HARVEY M. FRIEDMAN
THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY



SVETLANA SELIVANOVA
KAIST





TUTORIAL SPEAKERS



NOAM GREENBERG

VICTORIA UNIVERSITY OF WELLINGTON

**RECENT INTERACTIONS BETWEEN
COMPUTABILITY AND SET THEORY**

Since very early days, there has been a certain overlap between computability theory and set theory: one can view both fields as inhabiting two parts of a spectrum that starts with regular languages and polynomial-time computation, continues with partial computable functions and Turing reducibility, and then the hyperarithmetic realm, effective descriptive set theory, fine structure of the constructible hierarchy, and inner models for large cardinals. Thus the same diagonal argument was used by Cantor for the uncountability of the reals, by Gödel for the incompleteness theorem, and by Turing for the undecidability of the halting problem. I plan to survey three areas which have seen recent activity: higher randomness, uncountable structures and effective Borel sets.

DORA GIAMMARESI

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TWO-DIMENSIONAL LANGUAGES AND MODELS



A picture, defined as a rectangular array of symbols chosen from a given alphabet, is the two-dimensional counterpart of a string. Researchers were inspired by the attempt to reproduce Chomsky's hierarchy for picture languages. In the past and more so in recent years, the classical methods used to define string languages have been essayed for picture languages, thus obtaining various formal models and picture language families.

The tutorial presents the state of the art of formal definitions for picture languages. The formal models considered are: 2D regular expressions, tiling systems, automata and grammars of different types. Each picture language family will be presented by means of typical examples that illustrate its expressiveness. Moreover each 2D formal model will be compared with the corresponding string model to point out similarities and differences. The two-dimensional perspective will show up with its intrinsic richness whose we will analyze drawbacks and benefits.

Computability in Europe 2022



Programme Overview

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
9:00	Registration				
9:30	Coquand	Dzhafarov			
10:00			Ábrahám	Selivanova	Special Sessions
10:30			Coffee		
11:00		Greenberg			
11:30				Special Sessions	
12:00					
12:30		Lunch			
13:00					
13:30	De Mol	Giammarresi	Friedman	Giammarresi	
14:00					
14:30			Coffee		Special Sessions
15:00					
15:30		Contributed talks		Special Sessions	Closing
16:00					
16:30		Coffee	Optional Excursion & Dinner @ 19:00		
17:00	Contributed talks	WiC			
17:30					
18:00				ACiE Meeting	

Invited Talk

Tutorial

All events, except for Excursion & Dinner, take place in the Computational Foundry on Bay Campus.

Monday 11 July 2022



9:00	Registration at the Foyer of the Computational Foundry		
9:30	<i>Thierry Coquand</i> : Sheaf Cohomology in Univalent Foundation		
10:30	Coffee		
11:00	<i>Noam Greenberg</i> : Recent interactions between computability and set theory		
12:00	Lunch		
13:30	<i>Liesbeth De Mol</i> : Towards a diversified understanding of computability or Why we should care more about our histories		
14:30	Coffee		
	RRR	LH	BR
15:00	<i>Vedran Čačić, Marko Horvat and Zvonko Iljazović</i> Computable subcontinua of semicomputable chainable Hausdorff continua	<i>Juvenal Murwanashyaka</i> Weak Sequential Theories of Finite Full Binary Trees	<i>Paul Shafer and Sebastiaan A. Terwijn</i> Ordinal analysis of partial combinatory algebras
15:30	<i>Zvonko Iljazović and Lucija Validžić</i> Computably categorical subspaces of Euclidean space	<i>Anupam Das and Avgerinos Delkos</i> Proof complexity of monotone branching programs	<i>Merlin Carl</i> Lower bounds on $\beta(\alpha)$ and other properties of α -ITRMs
16:00	<i>Pierre Pradic and Giovanni Soldà</i> Additive and ordered Ramsey theorems in the Weihrauch degrees	<i>Lauri Hella and Miikka Vilander</i> Defining long words succinctly in FO and MSO	<i>Victor Selivanov</i> Boole vs Wadge: Comparing Two Basic Tools of Descriptive Set Theory
16:30	Coffee		
	RRR	LH	BR
17:00	<i>Manon Blanc and Olivier Bournez</i> A characterization of polynomial time computable functions from the integers to the reals using discrete ordinary differential equations	<i>Ingo Blechschmidt and Peter Schuster</i> Maximal ideals in countable rings, constructively	<i>Nikolay Bazhenov, Vittorio Cipriani and Luca San Mauro</i> Calculating the mind-change complexity of learning algebraic structures
17:30	<i>Eike Neumann</i> On Envelopes and Backward Approximations	<i>Sam Sanders</i> Reverse Mathematics of the uncountability of R	<i>Vanja Doskoč and Timo Kötzing</i> Maps of Restrictions for Behaviourally Correct Learning

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LH – Lecture Hall 002; BR – Board Room 401; TL – Theory Lab 209; MRR – Math Reading Room – 320

Tuesday 12 July 2022



9:30	<i>Damir Dzhafarov: Reverse Mathematics 2021</i>			
10:30	Coffee			
11:00	<i>Noam Greenberg: Recent interactions between computability and set theory</i>			
12:00	Lunch			
13:30	<i>Dora Giammarresi: Two-dimensional Languages and Models</i>			
14:30	Coffee			
RRR	MRR	BR	TL	
15:00 <i>Josiah Jacobsen-Grocott</i> The failure of Selman's Theorem for hyperenumeration reducibility	<i>Samuele Maschio and Pietro Sabelli</i> On the compatibility between the Minimalist Foundation and Constructive Set Theory	<i>Augusto Modanese</i> Sublinear-Time Probabilistic Cellular Automata — and a Connection to Sliding-Window Algorithms	<i>Samira Attou, Ludovic Mignot, Clément Miklarz and Florent Nicart</i> Monadic Expressions and their Derivatives	
15:30 <i>Bjørn Kjos-Hanssen and David Webb</i> Strong Medvedev reducibilities and the Kolmogorov-Loveland randomness problem	<i>Iosif Petrikis and Daniel Wessel</i> Algebras of complemented subsets	<i>Marcella Anselmo, Manuela Flores and Maria Madonia</i> Fun Slot Machines and Transformations of Words avoiding Factors	<i>Michał Gajda</i> Computational philosophy of science	
16:00 <i>Keng Meng Ng, Frank Stephan, Yue Yang and Liang Yu</i> On Trees without Hyperimmune Branches	<i>Michał Gajda</i> Consistent ultrafinitist logic	<i>Muhammad Usama Sardar and Christof Fetzer</i> Intel's Specification of Trust Domain Extensions (TDX) Remote Attestation: colossal mistake or company policy?	<i>William Stirton</i> Barendregt's Problem #26 and Combinatory Strong Reduction	
16:30	Coffee			
17:00	Women in Computability (until 18:30) Speakers: <i>Dora Giammarresi and Troy Astarte</i>			

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Wednesday 13 July 2022



9:30	Erika Ábrahám: SMT Solving: Historical review and new developments
10:30	Coffee
11:00	Noam Greenberg: Recent interactions between computability and set theory
12:00	Lunch
13:30	Harvey M. Friedman: String Replacement Systems
14:30	Coffee
15:00	Optional Excursion & Dinner at Worms Head Hotel @ 19:00

Excursion to Gower



Our excursion is to **Rhossili** on the Gower Peninsula. You'll see a 2.8-mile (4.5 km) wide sandy beach backed with sand dunes. Some locals refer to the beach as Llangennith Sands. Behind the beach just north of the village is Rhossili Down with the highest point on the Gower Peninsula, the Beacon (193 metres), and a number of prehistoric remains.

At the southern end of the Rhossili Bay is Worm's Head, consisting of two tidal islands: Outer Head 184 feet (56 m) and Inner Head 154 feet (47 m). At the north is Burry Holms. These islands are accessible only at low tide.

Rhossili Bay featured in the Opening Ceremony of the London 2012 Olympic Games; a youth choir began a cappella performances of "Bread of Heaven" live on the beach which was broadcast at the Olympic Stadium. The bay has been used as the setting of New Earth in the sci-fi show Doctor Who and the bay including the Old Rectory was used in Torchwood: Miracle Day. In 2014, it was voted the UK's number one beach, third best in Europe, and 9th best in the world, by TripAdvisor users. (Wikipedia)

The conference dinner will take place at the Worms Head Hotel, overlooking Rhossili Bay and Worms Head.

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Thursday 14 July 2022



9:30	Svetlana Selivanova: Computational Complexity of Classical Solutions of Partial Differential Equations		
10:30	Coffee		
RRR	LH	BR	
At the intersection of computability and other areas of mathematics	Computing with bio-molecules	Computability theory of blockchain technology	
Bjørn Kjos-Hanssen An incompressibility theorem for automatic complexity	Giuditta Franco DNA library evidence strings	Eli Ben-Sasson Ultra Scaling Blockchains with ZK-STARKs	
Elvira Mayordomo Algorithmic dimensions, the point-to-set principles, and the complexity of oracles	Daria Pchelina, Nicolas Schabanel, Shinnosuke Seki and Guillaume Theyssier Turedo a new computational model for molecular nanobots?	Panel discussion	
12:30	Lunch		
13:30	Dora Giammarresi: Two-dimensional Languages and Models		
14:30	Coffee		
RRR	LH	BR	
Constructive and reverse mathematics	Reachability problems	Computing Language: Love Letters, Large Models and NLP	
Huishan Wu Reverse Mathematics and Semisimple Rings	Kitty Meeks Reducing reachability in temporal graphs: towards a more realistic model of real-world spreading processes	Jacopo Tagliabue Are we there yet? Meaning in the age of large language models	
Robert Lubarsky On the Necessity of Some Topological Spaces	Oliver Bournez Programming with Ordinary Differential Equations: Some First Steps Towards a Programming Language	Maël Pégny Are Large Language Models Models (of Language)?	
16:30	Coffee		
17:00	ACiE Meeting (until 18:00)		

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Friday 15 July 2022



	RRR Constructive and reverse mathematics	LH Reachability problems	BR Computing Language: Love Letters, Large Models and NLP
09:30	<i>Makoto Fujiwara</i> An extension of the equivalence between Brouwer's fan theorem and weak Koenig's lemma with a uniqueness hypothesis	<i>Véronique Bruyère</i> A Game-Theoretic Approach for the Automated Synthesis of Complex Systems	<i>Troy Astarte</i> 'My avid fellow feeling' and 'Fleas': Playing with words on the computer
10:15	<i>Takayuki Kihara</i> Computability Theory and Reverse Mathematics via Lawvere-Tierney topologies	<i>James Worrell</i> The Skolem Landscape	<i>Juan Luis Gastaldi</i> Mathematics as Natural Language: Principles, Consequences and Challenges of the Application of NLP Models to the Treatment of Mathematical Knowledge
Coffee			
	RRR	LH	BR
11:30	<i>Juvenal Murwanashyaka</i> Hilbert's Tenth Problem for Term Algebras with a Substitution Operator	<i>Matea Čelar and Zvonko Iljazović</i> Computable type of certain quotient spaces	<i>Nikolay Bazhenov and Maxim Zubkov</i> Well-orders realized by c.e. equivalence relations
12:00	<i>Wai Lok Cheung</i> Dissolution of the halting problem: a recognition conception of decision procedure	<i>Matthew de Brecht, Takayuki Kihara and Victor Selivanov</i> Enumerating Classes of Effective Quasi-Polish Spaces	<i>Andreas Weiermann</i> The phase transition for Harvey Friedman's monotone Bolzano Weierstrass principle
Lunch			
	RRR At the intersection of computability and other areas of mathematics	LH Computing with bio-molecules	BR Computability theory of blockchain technology
14:00	<i>Meng-Che Ho, Julia Knight and Russell Miller</i> A computable functor from torsion-free abelian groups to fields	<i>María Dolores Jiménez-López</i> Processing natural language with biomolecules: where linguistics, biology and computation meet	<i>Philip Wadler</i> Smarter contracts: Applications of Haskell and Agda at IOG
14:45	<i>Alexandra Shlapentokh</i> A connection between Inverse Galois Problem of a field and its first-order theory	<i>Petr Sosík</i> Computability and complexity in morphogenetic systems	<i>Maurice Herlihy</i> Blockchains and Related Technologies: Which Ideas Are Likely to Endure?
15:30	Closing Remarks		

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SPECIAL SESSIONS

AT THE INTERSECTION OF COMPUTABILITY AND OTHER AREAS OF MATHEMATICS

Organisers:

- Denis Hirschfeldt (University of Chicago)
- Karen Lange (Wellesley College)

Speakers:

- Meng-Che Ho (California State University Northridge)
- Alexandra Shlapentokh (Eastern Carolina University)
- Elvira Mayordomo (Universidad de Zaragoza)
- Bjørn Kjos-Hanssen (University of Hawai'i at Mānoa)

COMPUTABILITY THEORY OF BLOCKCHAIN TECHNOLOGY

Organisers:

- Arnold Beckmann (Swansea University)
- Anton Setzer (Swansea University)

Speakers:

- Eli Ben-Sasson (StarkWare)
- Maurice Herlihy (Brown University, Providence)
- Philip Wadler (University of Edinburgh)

There will also be a panel discussion with the speakers of this special session.

COMPUTING LANGUAGE: LOVE LETTERS, LARGE MODELS AND NLP

Organisers:

- Liesbeth de Mol (Université de Lille)
- Giuseppe Primiero (University of Milan) for the Council of the HaPoC Commission

Speakers:

- Troy Astarte (Swansea University)
- Juan-Luis Gastaldi (ETH Zürich)
- Maël Pégny (Universität Tübingen)
- Jacopo Tagliabue (COVEO)



SPECIAL SESSIONS

COMPUTING WITH BIO-MOLECULES

Organisers:

- Jérôme Durand-Lose (Université d'Orléans)
- Claudio Zandron (University of Milan Bicocca)

Speakers:

- Giuditta Franco (University of Verona)
- Maria Dolores Jimenez-Lopez (University of Tarragona)
- Nicolas Schabanel (CNRS - LIP, Ecole Normale Supérieure de Lyon)
- Petr Sosik (Silesian University of Opava)

CONSTRUCTIVE AND REVERSE MATHEMATICS

Organisers:

- Samuele Maschio (Università di Padova)
- Takako Nemoto (Hiroshima Institute of Technology)

Speakers:

- Makoto Fujiwara (Tokyo University of Science)
- Takayuki Kihara (Nagoya University)
- Robert Lubarsky (Florida Atlantic University)
- Huishan Wu (BLCU Beijing)

REACHABILITY PROBLEMS

Organisers:

- Paul Bell (Liverpool John Moores University)
- Igor Potapov (University of Liverpool)

Speakers:

- Kitty Meeks (University of Glasgow)
- Olivier Bournez (Ecole Polytechnique de Paris)
- Véronique Bruyère (Université de Mons)
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Please bring your own masks. We have a few masks at the CoFo in case you forget yours.

If you feel unwell, please stay in your hotel and notify us immediately.

You can buy LF Tests (pack of 5, for £9.59) as well as face masks in most pharmacies in Swansea. For example:

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Quay Parade
Swansea SA1 8JA
(in Sainsbury's at the River Tawe)
01792 456837
Closes 10 pm

Well Swansea
Beacon Centre for Health
Langdon Rd
Swansea SA1 8QY
(near the Village Hotel)
01792 654635
Closes 6 pm

Superdrug Pharmacy
35/36, The Quadrant
Swansea SA1 3QW
(in the shopping centre,
right in the heart of Swansea)
01792 464653
Closes 5:30 pm

Advice from the Welsh government:
<https://gov.wales/coronavirus>



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£-££ **Awa Grill House (Middle Eastern):**
8-10 College Street, Swansea, SA1 5AE
<http://awagrillhouse.restaurantwebx.com>

£-££ **Turkish Kitchen (Turkish):**
21 High St, Swansea SA1 1LF
<https://www.swanseaturkishkitchen.com>

£-££ **Panshee (Indian):**
29 Singleton St, Swansea SA1 3QN
<https://www.pansheeswansea.co.uk>

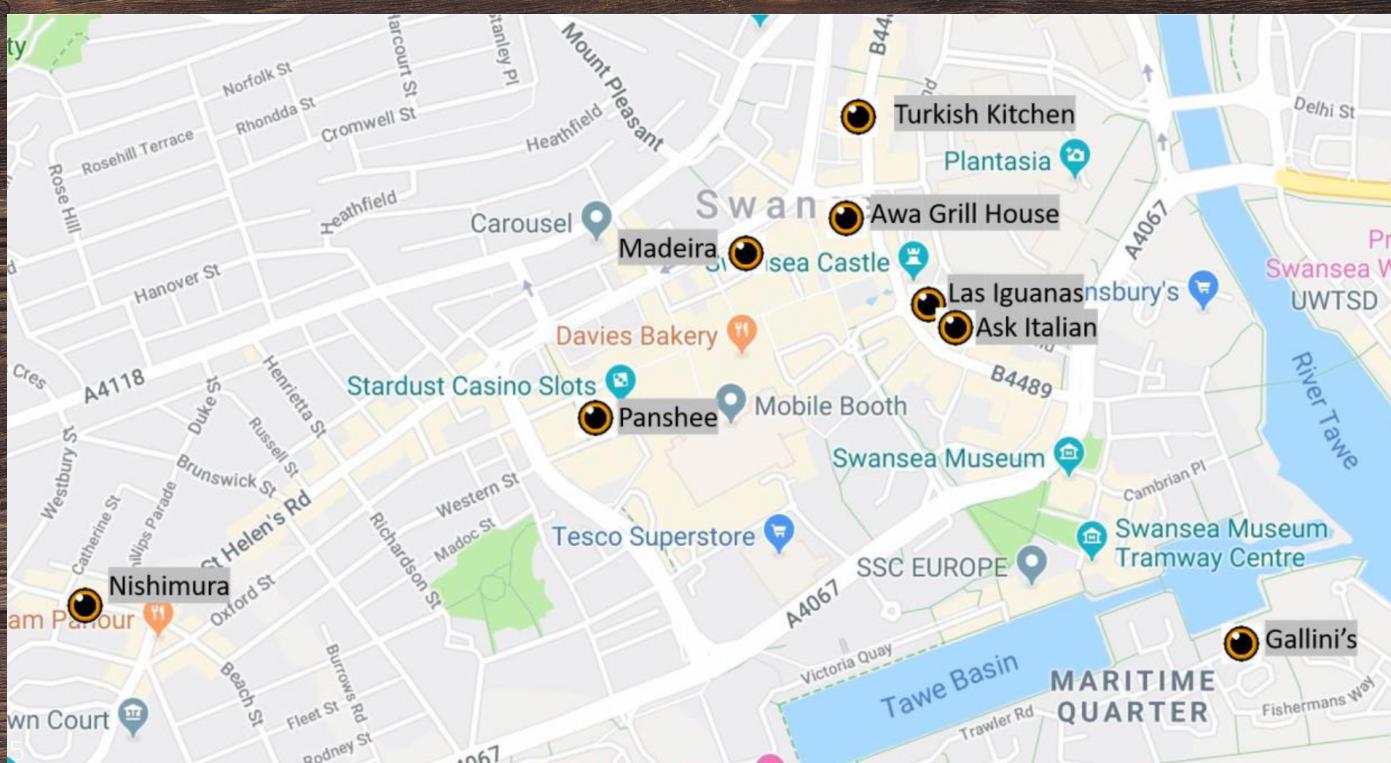
££ **Nishimura (Japanese):**
83 Brynmor Road, Swansea, SA1 4JE
<https://nishimura.co.uk>

££ **Ask Italian (Italian, Mediterranean):**
6 Wind Street, Swansea, SA1 1DF
<https://www.askitalian.co.uk>

££ **Las Iguanas (Mexican, Latin American):**
1-4 Castle Square, Swansea, SA1 1DN
<https://www.iguanas.co.uk>

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Unit 3, Fishmarket Quay, SA1 1UP
<http://www.gallinisrestaurant.co.uk>

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46 Kingsway, Swansea, SA1 5HG
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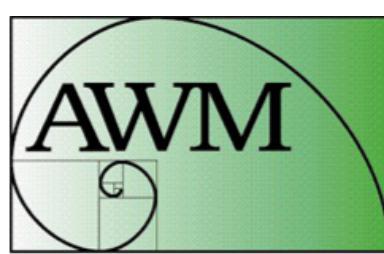
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