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## MAIN RESEARCH INTERESTS

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Geometric analysis, Einstein manifolds, Ricci Flows, 4-dimensional geometry and topology.

## EMPLOYMENT

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2023 | **C.L.E. Moore Instructor**

2020 | MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, Cambridge, MA

## EDUCATION

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2020 | **PhD Student at ENS, Mathematics, Paris, France**

2017 | Advisor : Olivier Biquard,

Subject : *Completion of the moduli space of Einstein 4-manifolds.*

2017 | **Student at ÉCOLE NORMALE SUPÉRIEURE (ENS), Paris, France**

2013 | 2016-2017 PRE-PHD INTERNSHIPS supervised by Olivier Biquard and Aaron Naber.

2015-2016 MASTER'S DEGREE (Analysis, Arithmetics, Geometry, Paris 11), with honors.

2014-2015 MASTER'S DEGREE (ENS, UPMC), with honors.

2013-2014 BACHELOR'S DEGREE (ENS, UPMC), with honors.

## TEACHING

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2023 | **C.L.E. Moore Instructor, MIT, Cambridge, MA, USA**

2020 | Spring 2023

Spring 2022

Spring 2021

Course-head: **Differential Equations with theory** (18.032).

*Undergraduate class aimed at mathematics majors, 25 students*

*Redefined the syllabus and wrote my own lecture notes*

*In charge of a TA for recitations and a grader*

Fall 2022

Fall 2021

Course-head: **Seminar in Analysis** (18.104).

*Undergraduate class on scientific writing and public presentations, 20 students*

*Chose the topic of 'Optimal Transport, Theory and Applications'*

*Supervised 8 theses in CS, 4 in pure maths, 3 in econ, 1 in scientific writing*

Summer 2021

Summer 2022

Supervision of 2 undergraduate research internships (UROPs).

Fall 2020

Teaching assistant: **Multivariable Calculus** (18.02).

*Undergraduate class for all science majors*

*Led recitations for 60 students (300 total in the class)*

2020 | **Teaching assistant, ENS, Paris, France**

2017

2020

Course-head: **Mathematics for Humanities.**

2019

*Designed a curriculum from scratch on topics in pure and applied mathematics*

2018

*Introductory lectures on scientific reasoning, geometry, number theory, machine learning, game theory*

2020

Coorganizer and jury of the **undergraduate theses in mathematics** at ENS.

2019

*Reached out to professors in the math department to create 20 thesis topics*

2018

*Put together a jury and evaluation grid, acted as a link between thesis supervisors and students*

2018

Supervision of **three undergraduate theses** in geometric analysis.

## GRANTS AND AWARDS

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- 2021 **Young researcher fellowship at the Cluster of excellence**, Münster University.
- 2019 **Travel grant FSMP**. Semester-long visit to Courant Institute.
- 2017-2020 **PhD grant for graduate studies from ENS Ulm**.
- 2017 **Travel grant ENS**. Semester-long visit to Northwestern University.
- 2016 **Travel grant ENS**. Semester-long visit to Berkeley University.
- 2015 **Travel grant ENS**. Semester-long visit to Penn State University.
- 2013-2017 **Grant for Undergraduate studies ENS Ulm**. 40 granted per year nationally.

## PUBLICATIONS AND PREPRINTS

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- 2022 *The spinorial energy for asymptotically Euclidean Ricci flow* (with J. Baldauf), arXiv:2206.09198, , submitted
- 2022 *Families of degenerating Poincaré-Einstein metrics on  $\mathbb{R}^4$*  (with Carlos Alvarado and Daniel Santiago), arXiv:2206.07993, submitted
- 2022 *Spinors and mass on weighted manifolds* (with Julius Baldauf), **Commun. Math. Phys.** 394, 1153–1172 (2022).
- 2021 *Integrability of Einstein deformations and desingularizations*, to appear in **Comm. Pure Appl. Math.**
- 2021 *Dynamical (in)stability of Ricci-flat ALE metrics along Ricci flow* (with Alix Deruelle), to appear in **Calc. Var.**
- 2021 *Depth separation beyond radial functions* (with Luca Venturi, Samy Jelassi and Joan Bruna), **J. Mach. Learn. Res.** 23 (2022) 1-56
- 2020 *Higher order obstructions to the desingularization of Einstein metrics*, **Camb. J. Math.** Volume 9 (4), (2021) 901 – 976.
- 2020 *Completion of the Moduli Space of Einstein 4-manifolds.*, **École Normale Supérieure (Paris)**, 2020. tel-03137993
- 2020 *A Łojasiewicz inequality for Ricci-flat ALE spaces* (with Alix Deruelle), arxiv 2007.09937, submitted to Advances in Mathematics in July 2020.
- 2019 *Noncollapsed degeneration of Einstein 4-manifolds II*, to appear in **Geom. Topol.**
- 2019 *Noncollapsed degeneration of Einstein 4-manifolds I*, to appear in **Geom. Topol.**
- 2019 *Perelman’s functionals on cones*, **J. Geom. Anal.** 30, 1–53 (2020).
- 2019 *How large isotopy is needed to connect homotopic diffeomorphisms (of  $T^2$ )* (with Dmitri Burago and Jinpeng Lu), **J. Topol. Anal.** Vol. 12, No. 04, pp. 1213-1222 (2020).

**Referee service:** Journal of Differential Geometry, Crelle’s journal, Mathematical Reviews.

## LIST OF STUDENTS MENTORED

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### 7.1 Graduate students

- Sept. 2020 Julius BALDAUF, MIT (co-advised with Bill Minicozzi)  
- *Ricci flows and spin geometry* (one published paper, one submitted, one upcoming together, and others on his own).

### 7.2 Undergraduate students

- May 2022 Carlos ALVARADO & Daniel SANTIAGO, MIT (UROP)  
May 2021 *Construction of families of degenerating Poincaré-Einstein metrics on  $\mathbb{R}^4$*   
(one submitted paper).
- May 2022 Zachary HUNSUCKER, MIT (UROP)  
December 2021 *Schrödinger bridges along Ricci flow and quantum optimal transport.*
- June 2019 Raphaël BARBONI, Haohao LIU & Martin MALVY, ENS (bachelor thesis)  
February 2019 *Level set methods for mean curvature flow.*

## RESEARCH VISITS

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- August 2021 **Young Research Fellow at University of Münster**  
July 2021 *Invited by : Hans-Joachim HEIN*  
Studied toric Einstein metrics.
- December 2019 **Graduate Visiting Student at Courant institute**  
September 2019 *Advisor : Bruce KLEINER*  
Desingularization of Einstein manifolds and Ricci flows.
- July 2017 **Research Internship at Northwestern University**  
February 2017 *Advisor : Aaron NABER*  
Study of the degeneration of Einstein 4-manifolds.
- February 2017 **Research internship at ENS**  
September 2016 *Advisor : Olivier BIQUARD*  
Study of the desingularization of Einstein orbifolds and obstructions
- July 2016 **Research Internship at UC Berkeley/MSRI**  
February 2016 *Advisor : Richard BAMLER*  
Study of Ricci flows and Perelman's functionals on cones – Conditions on the possible conical singularities of a Ricci flow and construction of asymptotically conical expanding solitons. Presentation of several theorems of the proof of the “Codimension 4 conjecture” at the Graduate student seminar. Proofreading of Richard Bamler's notes on “Structure theory of singular spaces”.
- July 2015 **Research Internship at Penn. State University**  
February 2015 *Advisor : Dmitri BURAGO*  
Study of some Geometric flows, Finslerian geometry and other topics in differential geometry. Some isotopy existence results proven (explicit constructions) by geometric flows.

## SEMINARS AND CONFERENCES

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### AS AN INVITED SPEAKER :

May 2024	<b>Workshop on Analysis of Geometric Singularities</b> , CRM in Montréal.
July 2023	<b>Conference on Einstein spaces and special geometry</b> , Institut Mittag-Leffler, Stockholm.
November 2022	<b>Differential Geometry seminar</b> , UC Berkeley.
November 2022	<b>Geometry/Topology seminar</b> , Stony Brook University.
June 2022	<b>Canadian Mathematical Society Meeting</b> , Canadian mathematical society.
May 2022	<b>CMSA workshop on scalar curvature, minimal surfaces, and initial data sets</b> , Harvard University.
April 2022	<b>Metric measure spaces and convergence</b> .
April 2022	<b>Geometry &amp; Topology seminar</b> , University of Science and Technology of China.
April 2022	<b>KIT Geometric Analysis Seminar</b> , KIT.
February 2022	<b>Cornell Analysis and Geometric analysis seminar</b> , Cornell University.
February 2022	<b>BOWL Seminar</b> , Brussels, Oxford, Warwick, London.
October 2021	<b>Geometric analysis seminar</b> , UCL.
October 2021	<b>Séminaire d'analyse</b> , Université de Toulouse.
October 2021	<b>Geometry Topology Dynamical Systems Seminar</b> , UT Dallas.
October 2021	<b>Geometric analysis seminar</b> , MIT.
September 2021	<b>Geometric analysis seminar</b> , Yale University.
August 2021	<b>Workshop on Curvature and Global Shape</b> , University of Münster.
July 2021	<b>International Conference on Geometric Analysis and PDEs</b> , Princeton University - Shanghai Jiaotong.
July 2021	<b>Curvature constraints and spaces of metrics</b> , Institut Fourier Summer School.
May 2021	<b>Numerical and Geometric Methods for Ricci-flat Metrics and Flows</b> , Simons Collaboration on Special Holonomy in Geometry, Analysis, and Physics.
March 2021	<b>Geometric Analysis Seminar</b> , University of Chicago.
March 2021	<b>Differential Geometry and Geometric Analysis Seminar</b> , Princeton University.
November 2020	<b>UCSD Seminar on Cheeger–Colding theory, Ricci flow, Einstein metrics, and Related Topics</b> , UCSD.
November 2020	<b>Stanford's Geometry seminar</b> , Stanford University.
November 2020	<b>BOWL Seminar</b> , Brussels, Oxford, Warwick, London.
June 2020	<b>Oberseminar of Differential Geometry</b> , Münster.
February 2020	<b>Séminaire Darboux</b> , Montpellier.
December 2019	<b>Differential Geometry Seminar</b> , UC Berkeley.
November 2019	<b>Geometric Analysis and Topology Seminar</b> , Courant institute, NYU.
October 2019	<b>Geometry/Topology Seminar</b> , Stony Brook University.
May 2019	<b>Convergence and Low Regularity in General Relativity</b> , Simons Center, Stony Brook.
March 2019	<b>Geometry seminar</b> , Bruxelles.
February 2019	<b>Geometry seminar</b> , Nantes.

March 2018	<b>Masters-PhD meeting</b> , Jussieu.
February 2018	<b>Geometry seminar of IMJ</b> , Paris Diderot.
January 2018	<b>Graduate students seminar</b> , ENS.
April 2016	<b>Graduate student seminar on the proof of Cheeger-Naber of the codimension 4 conjecture</b> , MSRI, Berkeley.

#### AS A PARTICIPANT :

September 2022	<b>Special Holonomy: Progress and Open Problems 2022</b> Simons Center, Stony Brook University
September 2022	<b>Sixth Annual Meeting: collaboration on special holonomy</b> Simons Foundation, NYC
June 2022	<b>Simons collaboration meeting</b> University of Freiburg
May 2021	<b>Atelier sur la Géométrie différentielle et l'analyse globale</b> UQAM
October 2019	<b>Recent advances in nonlinear problems Symposium</b> Graduate Center, CUNY
May 2019	<b>Master class in differential geometry : the structure of limit spaces</b> Institut Henri Poincaré, Paris
December 2018	<b>Geometric analysis at IHP</b> Institut Henri Poincaré, Paris
27 July 2018	<b>McGill University Geometric Analysis Workshop 2018</b>
23 July 2018	McGill University, Montréal
1 June, 2018	<b>Geometric Analysis</b>
28 May, 2018	ICMS, Edimburgh
16 February 2018	<b>Géométrie : échanges et perspectives</b> Institut Henri Poincaré, Paris
9 December 2017	<b>Riemannian Geometry Past, Present and Future: an homage to Marcel</b>
6 December 2017	<b>Berger</b> , IHES, Bures-sur-Yvette
13 October 2017	<b>Conference - Geometric Analysis at Roscoff</b> ,
9 October 2017	Centre Henri Lebesgue, Roscoff
21 July 2017	<b>Summer school in Geometric Analysis</b> ,
10 July 2017	The Fields institute, Toronto "Ricci flow and intrinsic flat convergence" research team.
July 2016	<b>Differential geometry semester at MSRI</b> ,
February 2016	MSRI, Berkeley

#### OTHER SKILLS

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**Languages**    French : Native speaker  
                       English : Fluent  
                       Italian : Good command

**Activities**    Competitive swimming, running, cycling, sculpting