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## Education

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**2010:** Ph.D. in Mathematics. Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina. Advisor: M. Graña.

**2004:** *Licenciado en Cs. Matemáticas*. Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina.

## Positions

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**2021:** Associate professor. Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Belgium.

**2019–2021:** Visiting Assistant Professor of Mathematics. New York University, Shanghai, China.

**2014–2021:** Assistant Professor. Universidad de Buenos Aires, Argentina.

**2012–2021:** Researcher. Consejo Nacional de Investigaciones Científicas y Técnicas, Argentina.

**2012–2018:** Regular Associate. Abdus Salam International Centre for Theoretical Physics. Trieste, Italy.

## Editorial activity

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**2024:** Open Mathematics

**2023:** Bulletin of the Belgian Mathematical Society – Simon Stevin.

## Prizes and fellowships

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**2018:** Alexander von Humboldt fellowship (3 months). Host: I. Heckenberger.

**2017:** Postdoctoral fellowship (4 months), ERC Advanced Grant 320974. Host: A. Smoktunowicz.

**2016:** Argentinian Academy of Sciences – Young researcher award.

**2012:** Alexander von Humboldt fellowship (12 months). Host: I. Heckenberger.

**2011:** DAAD short-term postdoctoral fellowship (4 months).

**2010:** Conicet postdoctoral fellowship (24 months).

**2009:** DAAD short-term fellowship (3 months).

**2005:** Conicet Ph.D. fellowship (60 months).

## Conferences organized (selection)

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**06/2025:** The Yang-Baxter equation and all that. Będlewo, Poland. Organizers: I. Colazzo, T. Brzezinski, L. Vendramin.

**04/2025:** Hopf algebras, quantum groups, monoidal categories and related structures, Brussels, Belgium. Organizers: S. Caenepeel, K. De Commer, P. Saracco, P. Vaz, L. Vendramin, J. Vercruysse.

**05/2024:** Banff Workshop (24w5201): Skew Braces, Braids and the Yang-Baxter Equation. Organizers: I. Colazzo, J. Plavnik, E. Rowell, L. Vendramin. Alberta, Canada.

**01/2024:** Oberwolfach mini-workshop (2405b): Bridging number theory and Nichols Algebras via deformations. Organizers: G. Carnovale, I. Heckenberger, L. Vendramin. Germany.

**06/2023:** Groups, rings and the Yang–Baxter equation. Organizers: I. Colazzo, A. Van Antwerpen, L. Vendramin. Blankenberge, Belgium.

**02/2023:** Oberwolfach mini-workshop (2309a): Skew braces and the Yang–Baxter equation. Organizers: T. Brzezinski, I. Colazzo, A. Doikou, L. Vendramin. Germany.

**07/2022:** The algebra of the Yang–Baxter equation. Organizers: I. Colazzo, J. Okninski, L. Vendramin. Stefan Banach International Mathematical Center, Będlewo, Poland.

**09/2019:** Oberwolfach mini-workshop (1946a): Algebraic tools for solving the Yang–Baxter equation. Organizers: E. Jespers, V. Lebed, W. Rump, L. Vendramin. Germany.

See [my research team's webpage](#) for other conferences I organized.

## Grants (selection)

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**2023:** G004124N. Fonds Wetenschappelijk Onderzoek (FWO) – Vlaanderen. Belgium (310000 EUR).

**2021:** OZR3762. Vrije Universiteit Brussel, Belgium (100000 EUR).

## Mentoring

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### Current Ph.D. students

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**2025:** Lukas Simons. Cosupervised with J. Vercruysse.

**2024:** Yufei Qin. Cosupervised with G. Zhou

**2024:** Charlotte Roelants. Cosupervised with K. Piterman.

**2023:** Davide Ferri. Cosupervised with A. Ardizzoni.

**2022:** Silvia Properzi.

**2021:** Thomas Letourmy. Cosupervised with J. Vercruysse.

**2021:** Senne Trappeniers. Cosupervised with A. Van Antwerpen.

**2019:** Santiago Ramírez. Universidad de Buenos Aires.

**2018:** Emiliano Acri. Universidad de Buenos Aires.

### Former Ph.D. students

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**2018–2022:** Charlotte Verwimp. Cosupervised with E. Jespers.

### Postdocs

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**2025–2027:** Magdalena Wiertel

**2025–2027:** Andrew Darlington

**2023–2024:** Carsten Dietzel.

**2021–2025:** Kevin Piterman.

**2020–2027:** Arne Van Antwerpen.

**2019–2020:** Marco Bonatto. Universidad de Buenos Aires.

## Teaching

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### Vrije Universiteit Brussel

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Group theory, Ring and module theory, Non-commutative algebra, Associative algebra, Galois theory, Representation theory.

### New York University

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Differential geometry (MATH-SHU 377), Linear algebra (MATH-SHU 170), Algebra (MATH-UA 343), Honors algebra I (MATH-SHU 348).

## Universidad de Buenos Aires

Advanced linear algebra, Calculus 2, Numerical analysis for biology, Differential geometry, Advanced mathematics for physics, Advanced group theory, Non-commutative algebra, Knot theory, Associative algebra, History of mathematics, Algebra I, Algebra II.

## From 2002 to 2014, (Under)graduate teaching assistant

Precalculus, Calculus 1 and 2, Basic linear algebra, Advanced linear algebra, Introduction to mathematical analysis, Advanced calculus, Introduction to numerical analysis, Mathematical analysis for biology, Numerical analysis for biology, Advanced mathematics for physics, Algebra II (groups, rings, modules).

## Full list of publications

- [1] L. Vendramin. Skew braces: a brief survey. *Geometric methods in physics XL*. Trends Math. Birkhäuser/Springer, Cham, [2024] ©2024, pp. 153–175. DOI: [10.1007/978-3-031-62407-0\\_12](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-62407-0_12).
- [2] I. Heckenberger, E. Meir, and L. Vendramin. Finite-dimensional Nichols algebras of simple Yetter–Drinfeld modules (over groups) of prime dimension. *Adv. Math.* 444 (2024), Paper No. 109637. DOI: [10.1016/j.aim.2024.109637](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.aim.2024.109637).
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- [4] T. Letourmy and L. Vendramin. Schur covers of skew braces. *J. Algebra* 644 (2024), pp. 609–654. DOI: [10.1016/j.jalgebra.2024.01.021](https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jalgebra.2024.01.021).
- [5] W. Rump and L. Vendramin. The prime spectrum of an  $L$ -algebra. *Proc. Amer. Math. Soc.* 152.8 (2024), pp. 3197–3207. DOI: [10.1090/proc/16802](https://doi.org/10.1090/proc/16802).
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- [10] E. Jespers, A. Van Antwerpen, and L. Vendramin. Nilpotency of skew braces and multipermutation solutions of the Yang–Baxter equation. *Commun. Contemp. Math.* 25.09 (2023), Paper No. 2250064. DOI: [10.1142/S021919972250064X](https://doi.org/10.1142/S021919972250064X).
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- [12] Ö. Akgün, M. Mereb, and L. Vendramin. Enumeration of set-theoretic solutions to the Yang–Baxter equation. *Math. Comp.* 91.335 (2022), pp. 1469–1481. DOI: [10.1090/mcom/3696](https://doi.org/10.1090/mcom/3696).
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## Talks (selection)

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**10/2024:** Nichols algebras over groups. Algebra Seminar, Leeds, UK.

**09/2024:** What is a skew brace? Algebraic and combinatorial perspectives in the mathematical sciences, Oslo, Norway.

**08/2024:** Convex sets and sums of squares. Brussels Summer School of Mathematics, Brussels, Belgium.

**06/2024:** Nichols algebras. Algebraic structures in the Yang-Baxter equation, Edinburgh, UK.

**05/2024:** Nichols algebras over groups. Seminar on Quantum groups, Hopf algebras and monoidal categories, Brussels, Belgium.

**04/2024:** L-algebras: The Yang-Baxter equation and algebraic logic. JLU Colloquium, Beijing, China.

**04/2024:** L-algebras: The Yang-Baxter equation and algebraic logic. The Interplay between skew braces and Hopf-Galois theory, Exeter, UK.

**01/2024:** Nichols algebras: an overview. Oberwolfach mini-workshop: Bridging Number Theory and Nichols Algebras via Deformations, Germany.

**01/2023:** Skew braces, cabling and indecomposable solutions to the Yang-Baxter equation, Categories, Rings and Modules, a conference in honor of Alberto Facchini, Padova, Italy.

**06/2022:** Left-ordered groups, Garside groups and structure groups of solutions, Algebra days in Caen, France.

**01/2022:** Radical rings, braces and the Yang—Baxter equation. Braces in Bracelets Bay. LMS Regional

Meeting. Swansea.

**08/2021:** Radical rings, braces and the Yang—Baxter equation. ECOLE CIMPA: Non-associative algebras and their applications, Madagascar.

**08/2019:** New developments in radical rings. Pure Maths Colloquium, University of St Andrews, UK.

**07/2019:** On the classification of Nichols algebras. MAXIMALS Seminar, University of Edinburgh, UK.

**06/2019:** Skew braces and the Yang—Baxter equation. Groups, rings and associated structures. Spa, Belgium.

**02/2018:** Radical rings, braces and the Yang-Baxter equation. Exeter, UK.

**04/2017:** Set-theoretical solutions of the Yang—Baxter equation. MIT, Massachusetts, USA.

**04/2017:** Nichols algebras. Warsaw University, Poland.

The full list of talks, including slides and videos, is available on my [webpage](#).