# **ZHAO YANG**

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#### **EMPLOYMENT**

# Academy of Mathematics and Systems Science CAS, China

08/2022-current

associate professor (with tenure-track)

# University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign, USA

08/2019-08/2022

J.L Doob research assistant professor
Mentors: Professors Vera Hur and Jared Bronski

# **EDUCATION**

# Indiana University, Bloomington, USA

Doctor of Philosophy, Mathematics

08/2013-05/2019

Advisor: Prof. Kevin Zumbrun

Thesis: Traveling waves in an inclined channel and their stability

College of Arts and Sciences Dissertation Research Fellowship (2018-2019)

- Master of Science, Applied Statistics

08/2016-05/2018

# Fudan University, Shanghai, China

09/2009-06/2013

Bachelor of Science, Mathematics and Applied Mathematics

#### INTERESTS

# Nonlinear Partial Differential Equations:

- traveling waves and their stability; application to fluid dynamics.
- hyperbolic system of balance laws; free surface water wave equations.
- rigorous analysis; Evans functions; pointwise Green function estimates; Floquet theory.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- 1. M. Johnson, P. Noble, L. M. Rodrigues, **Z. Yang**, and K. Zumbrun, *Spectral stability of inviscid roll-waves*, **Comm. Math. Phys.**, 367, 265-316 (2019). Link
- 2. **Z. Yang** and K. Zumbrun, Convergence as period goes to infinity of spectra of periodic traveling waves toward essential spectra of a homoclinic limit, **J. Math. Pures Appl.**, 132, 27-40, (2019). Link
- 3. **Z. Yang** and K. Zumbrun, Stability of hydraulic shock profiles, **Arch. Ration. Mech. Anal.**, 235, 195-285 (2020). Link
- 4. A. Sukhtayev, **Z. Yang**, and K. Zumbrun, Spectral stabilty of hydraulic shock profiles, **Phys. D**, 405, 132360 (2020). Link

- 5. S. Jung, **Z. Yang**, and K. Zumbrun, Stability of strong detonation waves for Majda's model with general ignition functions, **Quart. Appl. Math.**, 79, 357-365, (2021). Link
- 6. L. M. Rodrigues, **Z. Yang** and K. Zumbrun, Convective-wave solutions of the Richard-Gavrilyuk model for inclined shallow water flow, **Water Waves** (2023).Link
- 7. V. Hur and Z. Yang, Unstable Stokes waves, Arch. Ration. Mech. Anal., 247, 62 (2023). Link
- 8. **Z.** Yang, An alternative proof of modulation instability of Stokes waves in deep water, preprint, arXiv:2109.12101. Link
- 9. B. Braker, J. Bronski, V. Hur, and **Z. Yang**, Asymptotic stability of sharp fronts. I One bound state implies stability, preprint, arXiv:2112.04700. Link
- G. Faye, L. M. Rodrigues, Z. Yang, and K. Zumbrun, Existence and stability of nonmonotone hydraulic shocks for the Saint Venant equations of inclined thin-film flow, preprint, arXiv: 2307.10657. Link
- 11. **Z. Yang** and K. Zumbrun, Multidimensional stability and transverse bifurcation of hydraulic shocks and roll waves in open channel flow, arXiv: 2309.08870. Link
- 12. V. Hur and Z. Yang, Unstable capillary-gravity waves, arXiv: 2311.01368. Link

#### AWARDS AND PRIZES

Oct. 2021	Bhatnagar Award for Outstanding Thesis in Applied Mathematics
April 2019	Outstanding Thesis Award
2018-2019	College of Arts and Sciences Dissertation Research Fellowship
2018, Summer	Hazel King Thompson Summer Reading Fellowship
2018, Spring	Spring Semester Research Assistantship
2017, Summer	Hazel King Thompson Summer Reading Fellowship
April 2017	Schober Travel Award
April 2017	Graduate Student Travel Award
2013-2018	Full support for Math Phd program
2010-2012	People's Scholarship
2011, 2012	Major Scholarship
Dec. 2010	National College Students' Physical Competition 1st Prize
2010, 2011	Selected in Top-notch Talent Plan of China
Sept. 2008	Chinese Physics Olympiad (CPhO) 1st Prize
Dec. 2005	National Olympiad in Informatics in Provinces (NOIP) 1st Prize

# ACADEMIC VISITS

Jan. 26 - Mar. 07, 2018	Summer Program at IMPA, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
Mar. 6 -Mar. 20, 2022	Indiana University Bloomington, America
Jun. 14 - Jul. 12, 2023	Short term visitor, University of Rennes 1, France
May. 29 - June. 7, 2024	Short term visitor, University of Rennes 1, France

Jul. 15-18, 2024	Compressible Fluids and Related Problems, Tianyuan Mathematics Research Center, Kunming
Jun. 24-27, 2024	SIAM Conference on Nonlinear Waves and Coherent Structures, Baltimore
Jun. 10-14, 2024	Equadiff 2024, Karlstad University
Nov. 25, 2023	Beijing Mathematical Society 2023 annual meeting, Beijing
May 12-15, 2023	The 10th Youth Academic Forum on PDEs, Xi'an
May $5, 2023$	AMSS colloquium, Beijing
Nov. 17-20, 2022	CSIAM2022, Guangzhou (online)
Oct. 26-28, 2022	The Eighth Japan-China workshop, Beijing (online)
Mar. 29-Apr. 1 2022	Waves2022, Athens
Jan. 13, 2022	PDE seminar, BYU (online)
Oct. 9-10, 2021	AMS sectional meeting, Omaha (online)
Feb. 12, 2021	PDE seminar, Brown (online)
Feb. 17, 2021	PDE seminar, IU
Nov. 30, 2020	PDE seminar, IU
Apr. 22, 2019	PDE seminar, IU
Jan. 29, 2019	HADES seminar, UIUC
Oct. 29, 2018	PDE seminar, IU
Jul. 12, 2018	SIAM annual meeting, Portland

# TEACHING AND GRADING

2022, Spring	M444 Elementary Real Analysis, instructor
	M447 Real Variables, instructor
2021, Fall	M285 Introduction to Differential Equations, instructor
2021, Summer	M446 Applied Complex Variables, instructor
2021, Spring	M553 Partial Differential Equations, instructor
	M444 Elementary Real Analysis, instructor
2020, Fall	M558 Methods of Applied Mathematics, instructor
2020, Summer	M416 Abstract Linear Algebra, instructor
2020, Spring	M285 Introduction to Differential Equations, instructor (two sessions)
2019, Fall	M416 Abstract Linear Algebra, instructor
2017, Fall	M311 Calculus III, recitation
2017, Spring	M371 Elementary Computational Method, grading
	M540 Partial Differential Equations I, grading
2016, Fall	M413 Introduction to Analysis I, grading
	M471 Numerical Analysis I, grading
2016, Summer	M211 Calculus I, recitation
2016, Spring	M211 Calculus I, recitation (two sessions)
2015, Fall	M212 Calculus II, recitation (two sessions)
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2015, Summer	
2015, Spring	M211 Calculus I, recitation (two sessions)
2014, Fall	M413 Introduction to Analysis I, grading (two sessions)
2014, Spring	M415 Elementary Complex Variables with Applications, grading
	S343 Honor Introduction to Differential Equation, grading
2013, Fall	M303 Linear Algebra for Undergraduates, grading (two sessions)