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# Education

2012-present	Ph.D. Candidate, Mathematics University of Texas at Austin, Advisor: Dan Freed
2010-2012	M.S. Mathematics Université Paris-Sud 11/University of Leiden(Algant), Advisor: Robin de Jong
2006-2010	Polytechnic Institute of NYU. B.S. Mathematics

## **Research Interests**

Algebraic Topology, Quantum Field Theory, Supersymmetry, Twisted Equivariant K-theory, Higher Category Theory

# **Research Publications**

Localization and Stationary Phase Approximation on Supermanifolds, Journal of Mathematical Physics, 58(8), 2017

Isoperimetric inequalities for wave fronts and a generalization of Menzin's conjecture for bicycle monodromy on surfaces of constant curvature, with Sean Howe and Mathew Pancia, Advances in Geometry, 11:2, 273-292, 2011

# **Teaching Experience**

Fall 2017	TA for M427L Advanced Calculus For Applications II, UT Austin
Fall 2016	TA for M427J Differential Equations With Linear Algebra, UT Austin
Spring 2015	TA for M372K Partial Differential Equations, UT Austin
Fall 2013	TA for M408D Calculus II, UT Austin

# Talks/Presentations

06/2017	Verlinde ring for non-connected Lie groups and gauging finite group symmetries- Strongly Correlated Topological Phases of Matter Workshop, Simons Center for Geometry and Physics, Stony Brook
03/2017	Von Neumann Entropy- Geometry & String Theory Seminar, UT Austin
02/2017	Verlinde algebras for non-connected Lie groups- KK-theory, Gauge Theory and Topological Phases Conference, Leiden, The Netherlands
11/2016	Gapped Boundary Phases of Topological Insulators- Geometry & String Theory Seminar, UT Austin
02/2016	Fractional Quantum Hall Effect - Geometry & String Theory Seminar, UT Austin
09/2015	Kitaev's toric code - Geometry & String Theory Seminar, UT Austin
03/2015	Monoidal structures on infinity categories – Derived Algebraic Geometry Learn- ing Seminar, UT Austin
07/2014	Finite gauge theories - West Coast Algebraic Topology Summer School, Vancouver, Canada
04/2014	Introduction to supermanifolds – Junior Geometry Seminar, UT Austin
02/2014	The moment map and equivariant cohomology - Junior Geometry Seminar, University of Texas at Austin
08/2009	Isoperimentric inequalities for wave fronts and menzin's conjecture on surfaces of constant curvature - Young Mathematicians Conference

# Seminars Organized

Fall 2015	Conformal Field Theory Learning Seminar, UT Austin
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Summer 2014 Chern Simons Learning Seminar, UT Austin

# Conferences/Summer Schools/Workshops Attended

08/2017	Topological and Geometric Methods in QFT Workshop, Bozeman
06/2017	Simons Center's Workshop: Strongly Correlated Topological Phases of Matter, Stony Brook
02/2017	KK-theory, Gauge Theory and Topological Phases Conference, Lorentz Center, Leiden, The Netherlands
07/2015	Prospects in Theoretical Physics Summer School: "New Insights Into Quantum Matter", Princeton/IAS
05/2015	Simons Center's Workshop: Supermoduli, Stony Brook
12/2014	IPAM Symmetry and Topology in Quantum Matter, UCLA

12/2014	Berkeley 6d QFT Workshop, Berkeley
08/2014	QGM PhD retreat, Aarhus, Denmark
07/2014	West Coast Algebraic Topology Summer School, Vancouver, Canada
04/2013	11th Annual Graduate Student Topology & Geometry Conference, Notre Dame University
02/2012	Winter School on Galois Theory, Luxemburg
07/2011	SMI at Università degli Studi di Perugia, Perugia, Italy
Awards	

# 2016Mathematics Department Regents Fellowship2014Frank Gerth III Graduate Excellence Award2010-2012Erasmus Mundus Scholarship2009Math in Moscow Scholarship from AMS2008MASS Merit Fellowship2006-2010Honors Scholarship at Polytechnic Institute of NYU

# Services

 October 2017 Presented at the Saturday Morning Math Group program for high school students. Title "Affine Geometry: All you ever wanted to know (but were afraid to ask!) about triangles"
Supervised undergraduate students in Directed Reading Program: Spring 2014, Fall 2014, Spring 2015, Fall 2015
Created an online repository for links to video recordings of math and physics talks:

http://mtalks.ma.utexas.edu/

### Languages

English

Russian(bilingual)

French(conversational)