

# **Quantitative Linear Algebra Reunion Conference II at Lake Arrowhead**

## Sunday December 12, 2021

- 1:30 Bus Departs UCLA/Faculty Center
- 4:30 Check in at Lake Arrowhead
- 6:30-8:00 Dinner
- 8:00–9:00 Joint Session (Iris): Programs Overview by Marco Cavaglia (GWA2021), Pablo Suarez-Serrato (GL2019), Dima Shlyakhtenko (QLA2018), and Frank Jenko (BDC2018),
- 9:00–10:00 Social Hour (Iris)

### Monday December 13, 2021

| 8:00–9:00   | Check-In/Breakfast (Hosted by IPAM)  |
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| 9:00–9:40   | <b>Dan-Virgil Voiculescu</b> (University of California, Berkeley (UC Berkeley))<br><i>Miscellaneous about Commutants mod</i>                       |
| 10:00-10:40 | <b>Ben Hayes</b> (University of Virginia)<br>Property (T) and strong 1-boundedness for von Neumann algebras  |
| 11:00–11:25 | <b>Theo McKenzie</b> (University of California, Berkeley (UC Berkeley))<br>Many nodal domains in random regular graphs                             |
| 12:00-1:00  | Lunch (on your own)  |
| 1:30–2:10   | <b>Olga Holtz</b> (University of California, Berkeley (UC Berkeley))<br><i>Title: The quantitative (if not always) linear algebra of zonotopes</i> |
| 2:35–3:25   | Srivatsav Kunnawalkam Elayavalli (Vanderbilt University)<br>A mystery about groups   |
| 3:50–4:15   | <b>Dima Shlyakhtenko</b> (Institute for Pure and Applied Mathematics)<br>Estimates on free entropy dimension.                                      |
| 6:30-8:00   | Dinner   |
| 8:00-8:40   | Joint Session (Iris): "How linear algebra proved expansion of graphs and is on the way to rule the world"<br>by Igor Pak (UCLA)                    |
| 9:00-10:00  | Social Hour (Iris)   |



#### **Tuesday December 14, 2021**

| 8:00–9:00   | Check-In/Breakfast (Hosted by IPAM)   |
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| 9:00–9:40   | <b>Igor Pak</b> (University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA))<br>Log-concave poset inequalities                                      |
| 10:00-10:40 | <b>Shravas Rao</b> (Northwestern University)<br>Degree vs. Approximate Degree and Quantum Implications of Huang's Sensitivity Theorem |
| 11:00–11:25 | Benjamin Mirabelli (Princeton University)<br>Non-Hermitian and Multivariate Finite Free Probability                                   |
| 12:00-1:00  | Lunch (on your own)   |
| 1:00-6:30   | Afternoon Free  |
| 6:30-8:00   | Dinner  |
| 8:00-8:40   | Joint Session (Iris): "Unweaving the fabric of the universe" by Mairi Sakellariadou (King's College<br>London)                        |
| 9:00-10:00  | Social Hour (Iris)  |

## Wednesday December 15, 2021

- 8:00–9:00 Check-In/Breakfast (Hosted by IPAM)
- 9:00–9:40 **Rolando de Santiago** (Purdue University) S-malleable deformations and maximal rigid subalgebras.
- 10:00–10:40 **David Jekel** (University of California, San Diego (UCSD)) Optimal couplings in free probability
- 11:00–11:25 **Brent Nelson** (Michigan State University) *Quantum Edge Correspondences*
- 12:00–1:00 Lunch (on your own)
- 1:00–6:30 Afternoon Free
- 6:30–8:00 Dinner
- 8:00–8:40 Joint Session (Iris): "Geometry of Data in Generative and Discriminative Learning" by Guido Montufar (UCLA)
- 9:00–10:00 Social Hour (Iris)

## **Thursday December 16, 2021**

- Check-In/Breakfast (Hosted by IPAM) 9:00-9:40 Vishesh Jain (Stanford University) Singularity of discrete random matrices Therese Landry (University of California, Riverside (UC Riverside)) 10:00-10:40 Developments in Noncommutative Fractal Geometry 11:00-11:25 Nick Boschert (University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA)) Free moment measures (joint work with J. Bahr) 12:00-1:00 Lunch (on your own) 1:00-6:30 Afternoon Free 6:30-8:00 Dinner
- 8:00-8:40 Joint Session (Iris): "Facets of Computational" by Hans-Joachim Bungartz (TU Munich)
- 9:00-10:00 Social Hour (Iris)

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### Friday December 17, 2021

- 8:00-9:00 Check-In/Breakfast (Hosted by IPAM)
- Jorge Garza Vargas (University of California, Berkeley (UC Berkeley)) 9:00-9:40 Rapid convergence of the shifted QR algorithm on nonnormal matrices
- 11:00-12:00 Checkout
- 12:00-1:00 Lunch (on your own)
- 1:00 Bus Departs Lake Arrowhead (Ontario Airport/LAX/Marriott/UCLA)

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