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## CURRICULUM

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- 2013-2019** *Advanced researcher (W2), MPIM, Bonn.*
- Fall 2013** *Visiting scholar, MIT Maths Department, Cambridge.*
- 2011-2013** *Postdoctoral assistant, Section de Mathématiques, Genève, in the group of Stanislav Smirnov.*
- 2008-2011** *PhD thesis in Theoretical Physics, IPhT, CEA Saclay, under the supervision of Bertrand Eynard.*
- 2005-2009** *Studies at ENS Paris.*

## AWARDS

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Best paper 2013 Prize in J. Phys. A for *Purity distribution for random Bures mixed states*, with C. Nadal.

## SELECTED TALKS

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More than 70 talks up to October 2014. The full list is available on my website.

- 2010** ○ *Conf. Random matrix theory and its applications*, MSRI, Berkeley.
- 2011** ○ *Selected talk, Arbeitstagung*, MPIM, Bonn.
- 2012** ○ *Probability seminar*, Zürich Universität.  
○ *Conf. Integrability in topological field theory*, HCM, Bonn.  
○ *Conf. Low-dim. topology and number theory*, Oberwolfach.
- 2013** ○ *Probability seminar*, Harvard, Cambridge.  
○ *Conf. Hamiltonian PDEs, Frobenius mfd. & moduli spaces*, SISSA, Trieste.  
○ *Conf. Number Theory and Physics*, Clay Mathematics Institute, Oxford.  
○ *Mirror Symmetry and Physics*, Perimeter Institute, Waterloo.  
○ *Semester Non-equilibrium dynamics and random matrices*, IAS, Princeton.
- 2014** ○ *Day Recent advances in log-gases*, IHP, Paris.  
○ *Conf. Geometry, quantum topology and asymptotics*, Geneva.
- 2015** ○ *Conf. Swissknots*, Geneva.

## TEACHING (ASSISTANT)

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- **Physics, Université d'Orsay (2009-2011)**

*Tutorials (L1)*, Evolutions laws in physics.

*Practical works (L3)*, Fiber optics.

*Oral examinations (L2)*, training to entrance exams to French engineer schools.

- **Mathematics, Université de Genève (2011-2013)**

Complex analysis (2<sup>nd</sup> year), *Prof. A. Karlsson*.

Probability and statistics (2<sup>nd</sup> year), *Prof. H. Duminil-Copin*.

Advanced topics in the theory of manifolds (4<sup>th</sup> year), *Prof. P. Turner*.

## TEACHING (LECTURER)

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- **Mini-course, research level**, *Theory of loop equations*, MIT, Fall 2013.

- **Master course**, *Random matrix theory*, Bonn Universität, 4h/week, Fall 2014.

The lectures notes are available on my website.

## EVENT ORGANIZATION

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- **Workshop**, *Geometric quantization and topological recursion*, MPIM Bonn, 24-28 Nov. 2014.

- **Workshop**, *Topological recursion and TQFTs*, Oberwolfach, 14-20 Feb. 2016.

Two other activities are pending decision of the committees:

- **Workshop**, *Asymptotic analysis in strongly coupled systems*, HCM, Bonn, Winter 2016.

- **Thematic trimester**, *Combinatorics and interactions: mathematical physics, representation theory and probability*, IHP, Paris, Winter or Spring 2017.

## SERVICE

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- **Jury TIPE**. Since 2013, I am an examiner for oral exams taken by students of Classes Préparatoires to enter French engineer schools.

- **Reviewing** for *Annales Henri Poincaré*, *SIGMA*, *Random Matrix Theory and Applications*, *J. Phys. A: Math. Theor.*, *Duke Math Journal*, *Commun. Math. Phys.*, *European Physics Journal*.

- **Editor**. Since 2014, I am responsible for the preprint series of the MPIM.

- **Committees**. Since 2014, as a member of the staff at the MPIM, I participate to the evaluation of researchers applying for a stay at our institute, and of students applying for graduate program IMPRS (International Max Planck Research School on Moduli Spaces).

## OTHER ACTIVITIES AND INTERESTS

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- **Scientific popularization.**

*Early scientific journalism*, 10-15 Sciences et Techniques (2000-2003).

*Tutoring* of 15-17 y.old pupils for the association Science Academy (1 week, 2010).

Participation to *Fête des Sciences* for the Maths Department at UNIGE (2012).

- **History and philosophy of science.**

## PUBLICATION LIST

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- 1 *A matrix model for simple Hurwitz numbers, and topological recursion*  
with B. Eynard, M. Mulase, B. Safnuk.  
J. Geom. Phys. **61**, 26, 522-540 (2010), [math-ph/0906.1206](#)
- 2 *Enumeration of maps with self avoiding loops and the  $\mathcal{O}(n)$  model on random lattices of all topologies*, with B. Eynard.  
J. Stat. Mech. P01010 (2011), [math-ph/0910.5696](#)
- 3 *Large deviations of the maximal eigenvalue of random matrices*  
with B. Eynard, S.N. Majumdar, C. Nadal.  
J. Stat. Mech. P11024 (2011), [math-ph/1009.1945](#).
- 4 *Tracy-Widom GUE law and symplectic invariants*, with B. Eynard.  
[nlin.SI/1011.1418](#) (2010), preprint.
- 5 *A recursive approach to the  $\mathcal{O}(n)$  model on random maps via nested loops*  
with J. Bouttier, E. Guitter.  
J. Phys. A: Math Theor, **45** (2012), [math-ph/1106.0153](#)
- 6 *Asymptotic expansion of  $\beta$  matrix models in the one-cut regime*, with A. Guionnet.  
Commun. Math. Phys., **317** 2, 447-483 (2013), [math-PR/1107.1167](#).
- 7 *Geometry of spectral curves and all order dispersive integrable system*, with B. Eynard.  
SIGMA **8** 100, (2012), [math-ph/1110.4936](#).
- 8 *Purity distribution for random Bures mixed states*, with C. Nadal.  
J. Phys A: Math Theor, **45** (2012), [cond.mat-stat.mech/1110.3838](#)
- 9 *Right tail asymptotic expansion of Tracy-Widom beta laws*, with C. Nadal.  
Random matrices: Theory Appl. (2012), [math-ph/1111.2761](#)
- 10 *More on the  $\mathcal{O}(n)$  model on random maps via nested loops: loops with bending energy*  
with J. Bouttier and E. Guitter.  
J. Phys. A: Math. Theor. **45** (2012) 275206, [math-ph/1202.5521](#)
- 11 *All-order asymptotics of hyperbolic knot invariants from non-perturbative topological recursion of  $A$ -polynomials*, with B. Eynard.  
to appear in Quantum Topology (2014), [math-ph/1205.2261](#)
- 12 *Loop models on random maps via nested loops: case of domain symmetry breaking and application to the Potts model*, with J. Bouttier and E. Guitter.  
J. Phys. A, special issue in honor of F. Wu (2012), [math-ph/1207.4878](#).

- 13 *Resolvent methods for steady premixed flame shapes governed by the Zhdanov-Trubnikov equation*, with B. Denet and G. Joulin.  
J. Stat. Mech. (2012), P10023, [cond-mat.stat-mech/1207.5416](#).
- 14 *Asymptotic expansion of  $\beta$  matrix models in the multi-cut regime*, with A. Guionnet.  
[math-ph/1303.1045](#), submitted.
- 15 *Abstract loop equations, topological recursion, and applications*,  
with B. Eynard and N. Orantin, [math-ph/1303.5808](#), submitted.
- 16 *Formal multidimensional integrals, stuffed maps, and topological recursion*  
AIHP Comb. Phys. Interact. 1 (2014), 225–264, [math-ph/1307.4957](#).
- 17 *Rational differential systems, loop equations, and application to the  $q$ -th reductions of KP*  
with M.C. Bergère and B. Eynard, [math-ph/1312.4237](#), submitted.
- 18 *Large- $N$  asymptotic expansion of  $N$ -dimensional integrals*  
with A. Guionnet and K.K. Kozłowski, [math-ph/1312.6664](#), submitted.
- 19 *Root systems, spectral curves, and analysis of a Chern-Simons matrix model for Seifert fibered spaces*, with B. Eynard and A. Weiße, [math-ph/1407.4500](#), submitted.

## IN PREPARATION

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- 20 *Blobbed topological recursion: properties and applications*, with S. Shadrin.
- 21 *Asymptotic expansion of a partition function related to the sinh-model*,  
with A. Guionnet and K.K. Kozłowski.
- 22 *Nesting statistics in the  $O(n)$  loop model on random maps*, with J. Bouttier.
- 23 *Generating series of critical random maps and Tau functions of  $(p, q)$  minimal models*,  
with B. Eynard.
- 24 *Maps with simple boundaries, free cumulants, and symplectic invariants*.

## PROCEEDINGS

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- 1 *Loop equations and spectral curves*, Mathematische Arbeitstagung 2011, Max-Planck-Institut für Mathematik.
- 2 *Asymptotics of invariants of 3-manifolds and topological recursion*, Oberwolfach Reports, workshop "Low dimensional topology and number theory", August 2012.
- 3 *Blobbed topological recursion*, to appear in Theor. Math. Phys. as proceedings of "Combinatorics of Moduli Spaces, Cluster Algebras, and Topological Recursion", May 2014.
- 4 *Analytic properties of fiber knots invariants in Seifert spaces*, to appear in Oberwolfach Reports, workshop "Low dimensional topology and number theory", August 2014.