

International Workshop on Nonlinear Waves

The Institute of Mathematical Sciences
The Chinese University of Hong Kong

Program Schedule

June 1, 2004 (Tuesday)

Time	Speaker	Talk Title
08:45 – 09:10	~~~~~ Registration ~~~~~	
<i>Chair</i>	<i>Zhouping Xin</i>	
09:10 – 09:30	~~~~~ Opening Ceremony ~~~~~ Officiated by Professor Leo Woon-Ming Lau (Dean, Faculty of Science)	
09:30 – 10:00	Russel Caflisch (UCLA)	<i>A numerical/analytic approach to Euler singularities</i>
10:00 – 10:30	Thomas Y. Hou (Caltech)	<i>Geometric Properties and Non-blowup of 3-D Incompressible Euler Flow</i>
10:30 – 10:45	~~~~~ Tea Break ~~~~~	
10:45 – 11:15	Stephen Childress (New York University)	<i>Flapping flight at intermediate Reynolds numbers</i>
11:15 – 11:45	Jalal Shatah (New York University)	<i>Schrodinger Maps</i>
11:45 – 12:15	Jean-Michel Roquejoffre (Universite Paul Sabatier)	<i>Existence and Stability of Conical Waves in Reaction-Diffusion Equations</i>
12:15 – 14:00	~~~~~ Lunch Break ~~~~~	
<i>Chair</i>	<i>Ping Sheng</i>	
14:00 – 14:30	Mike Shelley (New York University)	<i>Locomotion by Destabilizing Symmetries</i>
14:30 – 15:00	Jack Xin (Univ. of Texas at Austin)	<i>Mathematical Modeling of the Ear and Applications to Sound Signal Processing</i>
15:00 – 15:30	Qiang Zhang (City U of HK)	<i>A Nonlinear Theory for Shock-Driven Interfacial Instability</i>
15:30 – 16:00	~~~~~ Tea Break ~~~~~	
16:00 – 16:30	Shi Jin (Univ. of Wisconsin-Madison)	<i>Computations of Multivalued Solutions of Nonlinear PDEs</i>
16:30 – 17:00	Zhaoqing Zhang (HKUST)	<i>Impact of weak localization in wave dynamics</i>

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June 2, 2004 (Wednesday)

Time	Speaker	Talk Title
<i>Chair</i>	<i>Shiu-Yuen Cheng</i>	
09:30 – 10:00	Ping Sheng (HKUST)	<i>Full Waveform Inversion with Optimal Basis Functions</i>
10:00 – 10:30	Ken Golden (University of Utah)	<i>Fluid and Thermal Transport through Sea Ice</i>
10:30 – 10:45	~~~~~ <i>Group Photo</i> ~~~~~	
10:45 – 11:00	~~~~~ <i>Tea Break</i> ~~~~~	
11:00 – 11:30	Daqian Li (Fudan University)	<i>Exact boundary controllability of unsteady flows in a tree-like network of open canals</i>
11:30 – 12:00	Gadi Fibich (Tel Aviv University)	<i>Self-focusing and multiple filamentation of laser beams</i>
12:00 – 12:30	Mikhail Kovalyov (University of Alberta)	<i>On a class of solutions of integrable systems</i>
12:30 – 14:00	~~~~~ <i>Lunch Break</i> ~~~~~	
<i>Chair</i>	<i>Russel Caflisch</i>	
14:00 – 14:30	Stuart S. Antman (University of Maryland)	<i>Geometry and the Quasilinear PDEs of Solid Mechanics</i>
14:30 – 15:00	Yann Brenier (Univ. de Nice Sophia-Antipolis)	<i>Waves and concentrations in the Born-Infeld Maxwell equations</i>
15:00 – 15:30	Knut Solna (UC at Irvine)	<i>Propagation and time reversal of waves in rough media</i>
15:30 – 16:00	~~~~~ <i>Tea Break</i> ~~~~~	
16:00 – 16:30	Li-Tien Cheng (UC at San Diego)	<i>A Numerical Framework for the Construction of Visibility Information</i>
16:30 – 17:00	Oliver Dorn (Univ. Carlos III de Madrid)	<i>A Level Set Method for Tomography</i>

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June 3, 2004 (Thursday)

Time	Speaker	Talk Title
<i>Chair</i>	<i>Jalal Shatah</i>	
09:30 – 10:00	Claude Bardos (Université Paris 6)	<i>Reversible limits of systems of N classical or quantum particles with mean field scaling</i>
10:00 – 10:30	Graeme Milton (University of Utah)	<i>The exact photonic band structure for a class of periodic media: a spectral problem</i>
10:30 – 10:45	~~~~~ <i>Tea Break</i> ~~~~~	
10:45 – 11:15	Walter Strauss (Brown University)	<i>Periodic Water Waves with Vorticity</i>
11:15 – 11:45	Lenya Ryzhik (University of Chicago)	<i>Travelling Fronts in a Boussinesq System</i>
11:45 – 12:15	Andre Nachbin (IMPA)	<i>Regularization through stochastic forcing and nonlinear time-reversal</i>
12:15 – 13:45	~~~~~ <i>Lunch Break</i> ~~~~~	
13:45 – 18:45	<i>Half Day Hong Kong Tour</i>	
18:45	<i>Banquet at Star Seafood Floating Restaurant, Shatin</i>	

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June 4, 2004 (Friday)

Time	Speaker	Talk Title
<i>Chair</i>	<i>Yann Brenier</i>	
09:30 – 10:00	Weinan E (Princeton University)	<i>Mathematical Models of Solids</i>
10:00 – 10:30	Peter Markowich (Universität Wien)	<i>Highly Oscillatory PDEs</i>
10:30 – 10:45	~~~~~ <i>Tea Break</i> ~~~~~	
10:45 – 11:15	Gang Bao (Michigan State Univ.)	<i>Inverse Medium Problems for Maxwell's Equations</i>
11:15 – 11:45	Basil N.-Nicolaenko (Arizona State Univ.)	<i>Long Time Regularity of Solutions to Euler Equations for a class of Three-Dimensional Initial Data in Axisymmetric Domains</i>
11:45 – 12:15	Jingyi Zhu (University of Utah)	<i>An Extended Diffusion Model for Default Process</i>
12:15 – 14:00	~~~~~ <i>Lunch Break</i> ~~~~~	
<i>Chair</i>	<i>Xiao-Ping Wang</i>	
14:00 – 14:30	Jian-Guo Liu (Univ. of Maryland)	<i>Accurate, Stable and Efficient Navier-Stokes Solvers Based on Explicit Treatment of the Pressure Term</i>
14:30 – 15:00	Weizhu Bao (National Univ. of Singapore)	<i>Numerical Simulation for Bose-Einstein Condensation</i>
15:00 – 15:30	~~~~~ <i>Tea Break</i> ~~~~~	
15:30 – 16:00	Benjamin S. White (Exxon Mobil)	<i>Asymptotic Theory of Electro seismic Prospecting</i>