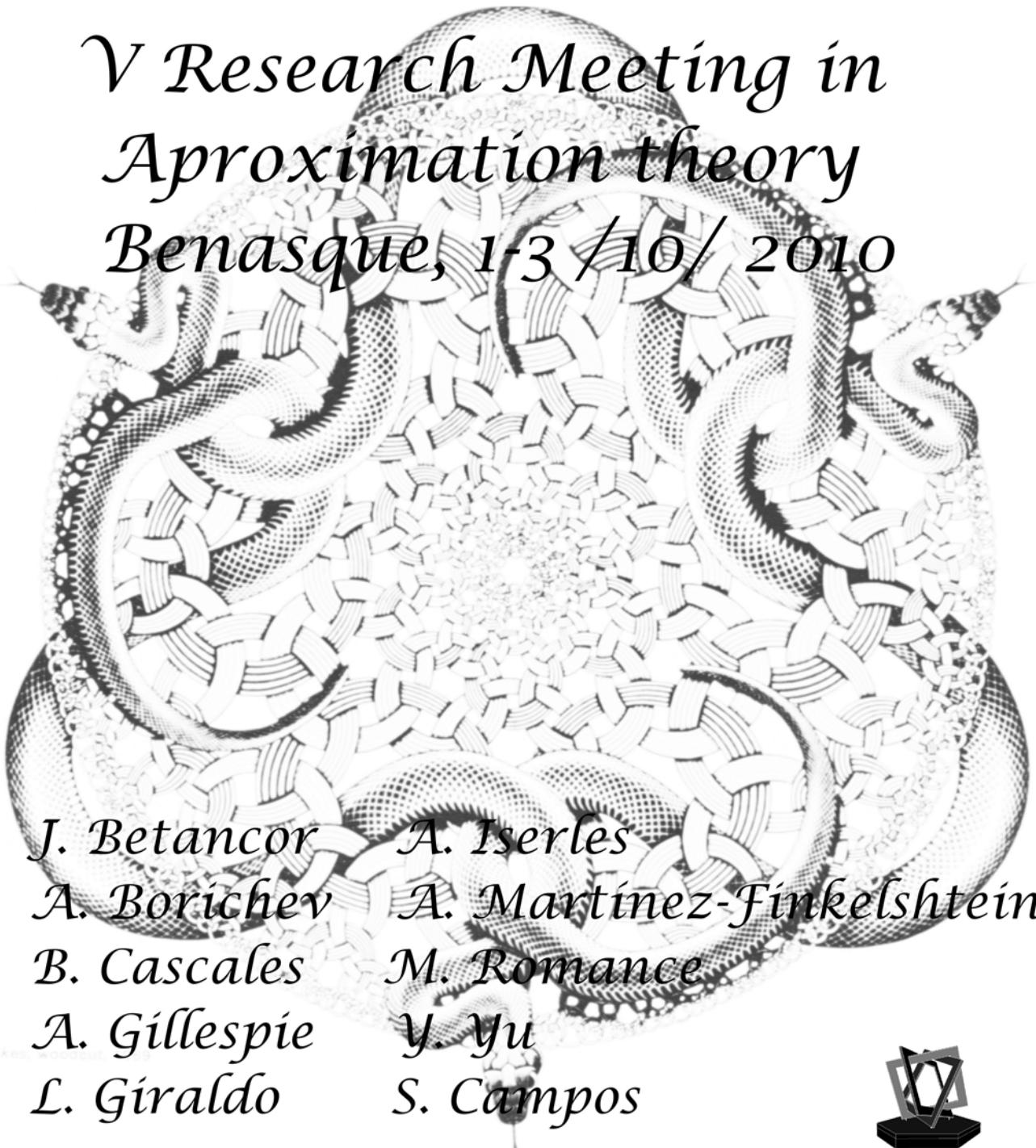


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| | 11.10-11.30 <i>Coffee-Break</i> | 11.00 <i>Departure from Benasque (220 km, 3 hours)</i> |
| 11.00 <i>Departure from Zaragoza (220 km, 3 hours)</i> | 11.30-12.15 A. Borichev | 14.30 <i>Arrival at Zaragoza</i> |
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| 21.00 <i>Dinner</i> | | |

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Time Schedule

Friday, October 1st

11.00 Departure from Zaragoza to Benasque. Bus from Campus Plaza San Francisco

14.30 Arrival at Benasque. Gran Hotel de Benasque

15.00 Lunch. Restaurante Gran Hotel de Benasque

17.20–17.30 Opening Ceremony. Centro de Ciencias de Benasque, “Pedro Pascual”

17.30–18.15 **L. Giraldo**, Universidad Complutense de Madrid (Spain)

Jacobian mates for complex polynomial maps with 1-dimensional fibers

18.20–19.05 **M. Romance**, Universidad Rey Juan Carlos (Spain)

Centrality and controllability of complex networks: An analytical approach

21.00 Dinner. Restaurante Hotel Ciria. Precio 15 + IVA.

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Saturday, October 2nd

- 09.30–10.15 A. Iserles**, University of Cambridge (United Kingdom)
From asymptotics to numerics of highly oscillatory integrals
- 10.20–11.05 Y. Yu**, University of California (USA)
Sharp Bounds on the Entropy of the Poisson Law and Related Quantities

11.10–11.30 Coffee break

- 11.30–12.25 A. Borichev**, Université Aix-Marseille (France)
Weighted completeness of polynomials and exponentials on the real line

- 12.20–13.05 G. Gillespie**, University of Edinburgh (United Kingdom)
Norm growth of iterates of a class of invertible operators

13.10–15.55 Lunch. Restaurante Gran Hotel de Benasque

- 16.00–16.45 B. Cascales**, Universidad de Murcia (Spain)
The Bishop-Phelps-Bollobás theorem and Asplund operators

- 16.50–17.35 J. Betancor**, Universidad de La Laguna (Spain)
 L^p and BMO boundedness for variation operators associated with semigroups and Riesz transforms in the Schrödinger setting

18.00–20.00 Short Guide Excursion to Benasque and surroundings

21.00 Dinner. Restaurante Hotel Ciria. Precio 15 + IVA.

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Sunday, October 3rd

09.15–09.40 J. Saúl Campos, Universidad Autónoma Metropolitana-Iztapalapa (México)

Regularity and subspectras for Waelbroeck algebras

9.45–10.30 A. Martínez-Finkelshtein, Universidad de Almería (Spain)

Multiple orthogonal polynomials and asymptotics of random non-intersecting paths

11.00 Departure from Benasque to Zaragoza. Bus from Gran Hotel de Benasque

14.30 Arrival at Zaragoza. Campus Plaza San Francisco

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L^p and BMO boundedness for variation operators associated with semigroups and Riesz transforms in the Schrödinger setting

Jorge J. Betancor

In this paper we establish the L^p - and BMO- boundedness properties of the variation operators associated with the heat semigroup, Riesz transforms and commutator between Riesz transforms and multiplication by $BMO(\mathbb{R}^n)$ -functions in the Schrödinger setting.

Keywords: Variation operator, Schrödinger, Riesz transforms.

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Weighted completeness of polynomials and exponentials on the real line

Alexander Borichev

Consider a finite positive measure on the real line. Suppose that polynomials are dense in the space X of functions square summable with respect to this measure. We would like to know what perturbations of the measure preserve this property. An analogous problem is studied for weighted exponential approximation. This is a joint work with M.Sodin.

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Regularities and subspectras for Waelbroeck algebras

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We introduce regularities in locally convex Waelbroeck in such a way that each regularity defines a joint spectrum on the algebra that satisfies the spectral mapping formula.

Keywords: regularity, joint spectrum, spectral mapping formula.

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The Bishop-Phelps-Bollobás theorem and Asplund operators

R. M. Aron¹, B. Cascales², O. Kozhushkina³

In this lecture we will present a strengthening of the Bishop-Phelps property for operators that in the literature is called the Bishop-Phelps-Bollobás property. Let X be a Banach space and L a locally compact Hausdorff space. We prove that if $T : X \rightarrow C_0(L)$ is an Asplund operator and $\|T(x_0)\| \approx \|T\|$ for some $\|x_0\| = 1$, then there is an norm attaining Asplund operator $S : X \rightarrow C_0(L)$ and $\|u_0\| = 1$ with $\|S(u_0)\| = \|S\| = \|T\|$ such that $u_0 \approx x_0$ and $S \approx T$. As particular cases we obtain: (A) if T is weakly compact, then S can also be taken being weakly compact; (B) if X is Asplund (for instance, $X = c_0$), the pair $(X, C_0(L))$ has the Bishop-Phelps-Bollobás property for all L ; (C) if L is scattered, the pair $(X, C_0(L))$ has the Bishop-Phelps-Bollobás property for all Banach spaces X .

Keywords: Bishop-Phelps, Bollobás, fragmentability, Asplund operator, weakly compact operator, norm attaining

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Norm growth of iterates of a class of invertible operators

Alastair Gillespie

I shall discuss the problem of estimating the rate of growth as $|n| \rightarrow \infty$ of $\|U^n\|$, where U is an invertible operator on a Banach space X with a spectral decomposition of the form

$$U = \int_{0-}^{2\pi} e^{i\lambda} dE(\lambda)$$

for some family $E(\cdot)$ of projections on X . The geometry of X has a role to play and of particular interest is the case when X is a Hilbert space. Here, the bilateral shift on the weighted sequence space ℓ_w , where w is an A_2 weight, is a motivating example.

Keywords: spectral decompositions, trigonometrically well-bounded operators, norm growth, A_2 weights

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Jacobian mates for complex polynomial maps with 1-dimensional fibers

L. Giraldo

In this talk, we will consider a geometric approach to the following problem: given a dominant polynomial map $(F_2, \dots, F_n) : \mathbb{C}^n \longrightarrow \mathbb{C}^{n-1}$, when does it exist a polynomial F_1 such that (F_1, F_2, \dots, F_n) is a local biholomorphism?

These local biholomorphisms are called Keller maps, as Keller formulated in 1939 a famous conjecture (known as Jacobian conjecture, and still open): such a map has a polynomial inverse. We will recall some of the known facts on that conjecture.

This is joint work with A. Bustinduy (Univ. Antonio de Nebrija) y J. Muciño-Raymundo (Instituto de Matemáticas de la UNAM, Morelia, México).

Keywords: complex polynomial maps, holomorphic vector fields and foliations

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From asymptotics to numerics of highly oscillatory integrals

Arieh Iserles

In this talk we review recent work on the computation of highly oscillatory integrals. While classical quadrature methods are useless in this context, proper understanding of the asymptotics of such integrals leads to a number of very powerful techniques. We will introduce in detail Filon-type methods, commenting briefly upon Levin-type methods and the approach of numerical steepest descent. This will be followed by a brief review of a number of applications: to Lie-group methods for ODEs, exponential integrators and asymptotic/numeric techniques for highly-oscillatory DEs, modified Fourier expansions and spectral problems for Fredholm equations.

Keywords: High oscillation, asymptotic expansions, the Stokes theorem, numerical quadrature, ordinary differential equations, exponential integrators, Fourier expansions, Birkhoff series

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Multiple orthogonal polynomials and asymptotics of random non-intersecting paths

Andrei Martínez-Finkelshtein

Multiple orthogonal polynomials are a generalization of orthogonal polynomials in which the orthogonality is distributed among a number of orthogonality weights. They appear in random matrix theory in the form of special determinantal point processes that are called multiple orthogonal polynomial (MOP) ensembles. The correlation kernel in such an ensemble is expressed in terms of the solution of a Riemann-Hilbert problem, that is of size $(r+1) \times (r+1)$ in the case of r weights [1].

A number of models of non-intersecting Brownian motions give rise to a MOP ensemble. We illustrate the problem with a model of n non-intersecting squared Bessel processes in the confluent case: all paths start at time $t = 0$ at the same positive value $x = a$, remain positive, and are conditioned to end at time $t = T$ at $x = 0$. In the limit $n \rightarrow \infty$, after appropriate rescaling, the paths fill out a region in the tx -plane. In particular, the paths initially stay away from the hard edge at $x = 0$, but at a certain critical time t^* the smallest paths hit the hard edge and from then on are stuck to it.

A key fact is that the positions of the paths at any time t constitute a multiple orthogonal polynomial ensemble, corresponding to a system of two modified Bessel-type weights. As a consequence, there is a 3×3 matrix valued Riemann-Hilbert problem characterizing this model, that can be analyzed in the large n limit using the Deift-Zhou steepest descent method. A key ingredient is a vector equilibrium problem for two measures, that describes the limiting mean particle density.

The results described were obtained in collaboration with A. B. J. Kuijlaars and F. Wielonsky, and are part of [2] and of a paper in preparation.

Keywords: Diffusion process, random walks, non-intersecting paths, determinantal point processes, asymptotics, orthogonal polynomials, Riemann-Hilbert analysis

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Centrality and controllability of complex networks: An analytical approach

Miguel Romance

Centrality is power. One of the main topics in the study of real life complex networks, such as social networks or internet-based networks, is determining the role of each node in the structure and dynamic of the network. From the Google search engine to marketing analysis in social networks, it is critical to quantify the influence of each node in the network's hierarchy. In this talk we will start by presenting the mathematical framework of computing the influence of each node by means of centrality measures, including the Bonacich centrality [1] and the celebrated Google's PageRank centrality [2]. After this introduction, we will proof some analytical solutions of the inverse centrality problem of finding a node with a prescribed centrality [4] and we consider the controllability of complex directed network, by presenting some algorithms to compute a controlling set of nodes in a given network [3].

The solutions of the inverse centrality problem are obtained by using the Perron-Frobenius theory and classic linear algebra results [3] that illustrate the power of analytical techniques in the field of complex network theory, besides the numerical random test used in the usual literature.

This is a joint work with R. Criado from Universidad Rey Juan Carlos.

Keywords: Bonacich centrality, PageRank centrality, controllability of networks

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Sharp Bounds on the Entropy of the Poisson Law and Related Quantities

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The Shannon entropy of the Poisson distribution with mean λ , denoted by $H(\lambda)$, is a fundamental quantity in information theory that does not admit an easy analytic form. We derive upper and lower bounds for $H(\lambda)$ that are asymptotically tight and easy to compute. For example, we have, for all $\lambda > 0$,

$$-\frac{5}{6\lambda} - \frac{1}{6\lambda^2} \leq H(\lambda) - \frac{1}{2} \log(2\pi\lambda) - \frac{1}{2} \leq \frac{1}{6\lambda},$$

$$-\frac{31}{24\lambda^2} - \frac{33}{20\lambda^3} - \frac{1}{20\lambda^4} \leq H(\lambda) - \frac{1}{2} \log(2\pi\lambda) - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{12\lambda} \leq \frac{5}{24\lambda^2} + \frac{1}{60\lambda^3},$$

and further inequalities up to arbitrary high orders. Expansions and inequalities for related quantities are also discussed. Connection with an asymptotic series of Ramanujan is mentioned.

Keywords: asymptotic expansion, central moments, complete monotonicity, entropy bounds, integral representation, Poisson channel

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