# 2024 SIAG/LA

# SIAM Conference on Applied Linear Algebra Business Meeting

Wednesday, May 15<sup>th</sup> at 6:45pm, in Auditorium CICSU



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## SIAG/LA Conference History



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## SIAG/LA Conference 2024

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# SIAG/LA Conference 2024

### **SIAG/LA Early Career Prize**

The Growth Factor in Gaussian Elimination

Tuesday, May 14<sup>th</sup>, 6:35 PM - 7:20 PM Auditorium CICSU

The solution of a linear system, i.e., given a matrix A and vector b, finding a vector x satisfying Ax = b, is one of the oldest problems in mathematics. Gaussian elimination is one of the most fundamental and well-known techniques for solving linear systems, by factoring a matrix into the product of a lower and upper triangular matrix. Surprisingly, a number of questions regarding the worst-case stability of this algorithm remains.

In this talk, we will study the history of this subject, a story that spans over seventy-five years, and discuss some recent progress.

John Urschel Massachusetts Institute of Technology, U.S.



# SIAG/LA Conference 2024

### **SIAG/LA Best Paper Prize**

**Recovering Green's Functions with Randomized Numerical Linear Algebra** 

Thursday, May 16<sup>th</sup>, 5:10 PM – 5:55 PM Auditorium CICSU

There is a strong connection between the recovery of structured matrices from matrix-vector products in numerical linear algebra and the growing field of operator learning, which aims to discover properties of unknown physical systems from experimental data. The randomized SVD is one of the most popular algorithms for constructing low-rank approximations to matrices using matrix-vector products with standard Gaussian random vectors.

In this talk, we will generalize the randomized SVD to random vectors generated from any multivariate Gaussian distribution. Our approach allows us to extend the randomized SVD to infinite dimensions and approximate Hilbert-Schmidt operators, which are continuous analogues of matrices, from integration against random functions sampled from a Gaussian process. Finally, we will construct a randomized algorithm for recovering Green's functions of elliptic partial differential equations and derive a learning rate to characterize the number of input-output pairs needed to learn Green's functions within a prescribed tolerance.

**Nicolas Boulle** University of Cambridge, United Kingdom

> Alex Townsend Cornell University, U.S.



# Siam 2024 Annual Meeting



July 8<sup>th</sup> – July 12<sup>th</sup>, 2024 Spokane Convention Center Spokane, Washington, U.S.

The Annual Meeting provides a broad view of the state of the art in applied mathematics, computational and data science, and their applications through invited presentations, prize lectures, minitutorials, minisymposia, contributed presentations, and posters.

The 2024 online component will take place July 18th-20th

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Michael P. Friedlander, University of British Columbia, Canada Anna Mazzucato, Pennsylvania State University, U.S.





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• Online component July 18th-20th

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- SIAM Conference on Discrete Mathematics (DM24)
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#### **Tracks of Sessions by SIAM SIAGs:**

Dynamical Systems

#### **Registration Deadline:**

• June 10th, 2024

#### **Hotel Registration Deadline:**

• June 10th, 2024

#### **Travel Fund Application Deadline:**

• April 8th, 2024

More information available at:

#### https://www.siam.org/conferences/cm/conference/an24



# **Gene Golub SIAM Summer School**

### Iterative and Randomized Methods for Large-Scale Inverse Problems

### July 22<sup>nd</sup> - August 2<sup>nd</sup> 2024

Campus of the Escuela Politécnica Nacional, Ladrón de Guevara E11-253, Quito, Ecuador.

Our Summer School will enable students to learn state-of-the-art mathematical and statistical tools to discover information hidden within large-scale data sets and solve complex inverse problems. Through hands-on experience with techniques from Randomized Numerical Linear Algebra, data assimilation, iterative algorithms, and inverse problems we will offer students a two-week summer school to learn this valuable range of computational mathematics topics.



For more information visit: https://www.siam.org/students-education/programs-initiatives/gene-golub-siam-summer-school



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(data as of December 31, 2023)



### SIAG Overall Membership



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## **SIAG/LA** Membership Demographics





## **SIAG/LA** Membership Demographics



Nonstudent

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## SIAG/LA Membership by Geography

	US		Non-US		Total	
Nonstudent	192	33%	175	29%	367	62%
Student	120	21%	98	17%	218	38%
Total	312	54%	273	46%	585	



### SIAG/LA Membership by Gender



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### **SIAG/LA** Membership by Employer Type





### **SIAG/LA** Membership by Department Type





# **Other Business**



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