# Xu Zhuang

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## **EDUCATION**

University of California, Irvine

Ph.D., in Mathematics

September 2022-present

Jilin University

B.S, in Mathematics

August 2018-June 2022

#### RESEARCH INTERESTS

Coding theory and Arithmetic geometry, Arithmetic Statistics, Analytic number theory

#### **SKILLS**

- Programming Languages: Python, LATEX, SageMath
- Frameworks: scikit-learn, TensorFlow, Keras
- Data Analysis Tools: Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib

#### PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- Erdős Data Science Bootcamp(September 2024 present)
  - Key topics: Data Cleaning, Regression, Inferential Statistics, Time Series Analysis, Neural Networks, and Ensemble Learning.
  - Capstone Project: Predicting Price Trends for Financial Assets (In Progress) using regression and time-series models (ARIMA, RNN, LSTM).

### **HONORS AND AWARDS**

- Tang Aoqing Honors Program in Basic Science(2018-2022)
- First Prize-National High School Mathematics League (2016)

# **Certificates**

• Coursera: Machine Learning Specialization https://www.coursera.org/account/accomplishments/specialization/MJVU0CEJSJH8

## **MENTORING**

- Directed Reading Project(2023 Winter): Probabilistic methods in Combinatorics(Xingjian Wang)
- Directed Reading Project(2024 Fall): Random Matrics(Collin Cheung)

# **TEACHING**

- 2023 Winter: Grader for Linear Algebra II(MATH 121B), Introduction to Probability I(MATH 131A)
- 2023 Spring: Grader for Introduction to Abstract Math(MATH 13), Linear Algebra I(MATH 121A), Introduction to Probability I(MATH 131A)
- $\bullet~2024$  Fall and 2024 Winter: MATH 2B
- 2024 Spring: MATH 2D
- 2024 Fall: Real analysis(Grad)

# **PREPRINTS**

1 The Jacobian of a Sixth-Root-of-Unity Matroid (With Matthew Baker and Changxin Ding). Submitted for publication. https://arxiv.org/abs/2308.11760