# Shiyun Wang

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# Curriculum Vitae

Dunham Jackson Assistant Professor, University of Minnesota (UMN), USA

# **Employment**

2023-now

	Advisor: Pavlo Pylyavskyy
Education	
2018-2023	Ph.D. in Mathematics, University of Southern California (USC), USA
	Advisor: Greta Panova
2015-2018	M.S. in Mathematics, California State University Long Beach (CSULB), USA

Advisor: Joshua Sack
2012-2014 Master of Public Administration, USC, USA

2008-2012 B.A. in Management, Central South University (CSU), China

#### **Research Interests**

Algebraic and enumerative combinatorics. Tableaux combinatorics. Symmetric functions and quasisymmetric functions with relation to representation theory. Hopf algebra. 0-Hecke algebra. Dual equivalence graph. Crystal graphs. Kostant partition function. Quiver representations.

# **Papers**

- 1. *Kirillov-Reshetikhin dual equivalence graphs* (with J. McDonough, P. Pylyavskyy). arXiv: 2510.24490, 2025.
- 2. The support of Kostant's weight multiplicity formula is an order ideal in the weak Bruhat order (with P. Anderson, E. Banaian, M. Ferreri, O. Goff, K. Hadaway, P. Harris, K. Harry, N. Mayers, A. Wilson). arXiv:2412.16820, 2025.
- 3. *The Stanley-Stembridge Conjecture for 2+1+1-avoiding unit interval orders: a diagrammatic proof* (with J. McDonough, P. Pylyavskyy). arXiv:2404.07280, 2024.
- 4. *0-Hecke modules for row-strict dual immaculate functions* (with E. Niese, S. Sundaram, S. van Willigenburg, J. Vega). Trans. Amer. Math. Soc. 377, 2525-2582, 2024.
- 5. *Pieri rules for skew dual immaculate functions* (with E. Niese, S. Sundaram, S. van Willigenburg). Canadian Mathematical Bulletin. 67(4):902–914, 2024.
- 6. Row-strict dual immaculate functions (with E. Niese, S. Sundaram, S. van Willigenburg, J. Vega). Advances in Applied Mathematics. 149: 102540, 2023.
- 7. The e-positivity of the chromatic symmetric functions and the inverse Kostka matrix. arXiv:2210.07567, 2022.
- 8. Row-strict dual immaculate functions and 0-Hecke modules (with E. Niese, S. Sundaram, S. van Willigenburg, J. Vega). Poster presentation at FPSAC 2022. Extended abstract published in *Sém. Lothar. Combin*, 86B, Art. #6, 12 pp, 2022.
- 9. Connection between graphical potential games and Markov random fields with an extension to Bayesian networks. Master thesis at CSULB, 2018.

# **Research in Progress**

- Varieties of Quiver representations and juggling sequences (with P. Anderson, E. Banaian, M. Ferreri, N. Mayers, A. Wilson).
- The q-analog of the Kostant multiplicity formula and the independence systems of the Weyl alternation set (with P. Anderson, E. Banaian, M. Ferreri, O. Goff, K. Hadaway, P. Harris, K. Harry, N. Mayers, A. Wilson).
- The characters of the Kirillov-Reshetikhin dual equivalence graphs (with J. McDonough, P. Pylyavskyy).
- The Bernstein-Sato polynomials for elementary symmetric functions (with S. Dasher, I. Bailly-Hall, N. Parenteau, V. Reiner, U. Walther, S. Zhang).

# **Conference and Seminar Talks**

2025 May	CanaDAM in Ottawa, contributed minisymposia: Recent Advances in
	Enumerative and Geometric Combinatorics on Graphs
2025 May	CanaDAM in Ottawa, invited minisymposia: Algebraic Combinatorics
2024 Apr	SoCalDM at UCLA
2024 Mar	UMN Combinatorics Seminar
2023 Jun	CanaDAM in Winnipeg, Manitoba: Special Session on Generalizations of the
	Chromatic Polynomial
2023 May	UMN Combinatorics Seminar
2023 Apr	CSULB Mathematics Colloquium
2023 Jan	University of British Columbia Discrete Math Seminar
2023 Jan	JMM in Boston: AMS Special Session on Research Community in Algebraic
	Combinatorics
2022 Nov	USC Combinatorics Seminar
2022 Nov	USC Graduate Colloquium
2018 Jan	JMM in San Diego: AMS Special Session on Research in Mathematics by Early
	Career Graduate Students
2017 Nov	CSULB Graduate Research Conference

# **Teaching Experience**

# **Instructor:**

UMN	
2025 Fall	MATH 4707: Introduction to Combinatorics and Graph Theory
2025 Spring	MATH 4707: Introduction to Combinatorics and Graph Theory
2024 Fall	MATH 4281: Modern Algebra
2024 Spring	MATH 5251: Error-Correcting Codes, Finite Fields, Algebraic Curves
2023 Fall	MATH 4707: Introduction to Combinatorics and Graph Theory
2023 Fall	MATH 5251: Error-Correcting Codes, Finite Fields, Algebraic Curves
UCLA	
2022 Summer	S1stem2: Introduction to Mathematics for Business and Economics
USC	
2022 Spring	Math 040: Basic Mathematical Skills

#### Mentor:

**UMN** 

2024 Summer REU Program in Combinatorics and Algebra

Mentees: Serena An, Katherine Tung, Yuchong Zhang

Preprints:

Newton polytopes of dual Schubert polynomials (arXiv: 2411.16654).
 Postnikov-Stanley polynomials are Lorentzian (arXiv: 2412.02051).

### **Teaching Assistant:**

**USC** 

2022 Fall Math 225: Linear Algebra and Linear Differential Equations

2022 Summer Math 126: Calculus 2

2021 Fall Math 225: Linear Algebra and Linear Differential Equations

2021 Spring Math 125: Calculus 1 2020 Fall Math 125: Calculus 1

2020 Spring Math 118: Fundamental Principles of Calculus

2019 Spring Math 108: Contemporary Precalculus

2018 Fall Math 117: Introduction to Mathematics for Business and Economics

# Fellowships & Awards

2023-2025 UMN Math Postdoc Professional Travel Funds

2023 AMS Graduate Student Travel Grants

2022 Workshop Fellowship at the Institute for Computational and Experimental

Research in Mathematics, Brown University

2022 Graduate School Summer Research and Writing Grants, USC

2018-2023 Dornsife College Graduate Merit Fellowship, USC

2018 Graduate Dean's List of University Scholars and Artists, CSULB

2014 Academic Celebration Student Exhibition Award, USC 2009-2012 Second-Class Scholarship and Outstanding Student, CSU

2008 First Prize in the National Piano Competition, Tsinghua University

### **Professional Activities**

**Refereeing:** Advances in Applied Mathematics

Electronic Journal of Combinatorics

The Australasian Journal of Combinatorics

Panel: UMN Gender Minorities in Mathematics (GeMM) Professional Development

Others:

2015 Chartered Financial Analyst (CFA) Level III Candidate 2014-2015 Finance Associate, 54 Reckless LLC, Los Angeles, CA

### Other Information

Programming Skills: Stata, Matlab, Mathematica, Sage