JOSEPH P MACMANUS

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EDUCATION

Exp. 2025 Balliol College, University of Oxford

DPhil in Mathematics

Supervisor: Prof Panagiotis Papazoglou.

2021 Balliol College, University of Oxford

MSc in Mathematics and Foundations of Computer Science, with Distinction

Diss.: Splitting Theory of Groups, with Prof Panagiotis Papazoglou.

2020 University of Bristol

BSc in Mathematics and Computer Science, with First Class Honours

Thesis: Decision Problems within Combinatorial Group Theory, with Dr Philipp Schlicht.

2017 Ysgol Aberconwy Sixth Form

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2022 Class Tutor, University of Oxford

Intercollegiate:

- C2.4 Infinite Groups;

Merton College:

- ASO Group Theory.

2021 – 2023 Teaching Assistant, University of Oxford

Intercollegiate:

- B3.5 Topology & Groups,
- C3.2 Geometric Group Theory,
- B1.2 Set Theory;

The Queen's College

- M4 Geometry, $\,$
- A3 Rings and Modules,
- A5 Topology.

2019 – 2020 Teaching Assistant, University of Bristol

- Algorithms,
- Data Structures & Algorithms,
- Combinatorics.

2018 – 2022 Private Mathematics Tutor

Metatutor; Tutorful; Blue Education

OTHER ACTIVITIES

- 2022 2023 Organiser of the Junior Topology and Group Theory Seminar Mathematical Institute, University of Oxford
 - 2021 Outreach Tutorial Teaching UNIQ Summer School Mathematical Institute, University of Oxford
 - Quantum Information Research Internship
 School of Mathematics, University of Bristol
 Supervised by Dr Ashley Montanaro and Prof Noah Linden.

PUBLICATIONS AND PREPRINTS

- [1] MacManus, J. P. (2022). Detecting quasiconvex splittings in hyperbolic groups. arXiv preprint arXiv:2210.09973.
- [2] Alexandru, C.-M., Bridgett-Tomkinson, E., Linden, N., MacManus, J. P., Montanaro, A., & Morris, H. (2020). Quantum speedups of some general-purpose numerical optimisation algorithms. Quantum Science and Technology, 5(4), 045014.

SCHOLARSHIPS, GRANTS, AND PRIZES

- 2021 2025 Heilbronn Doctoral Partnership Scholarship Heilbronn Institute for Mathematical Research
 - 2020 Postgraduate Grant
 The James Pantyfedwen Foundation
 - 2020 Graphcore Prize for Best Computer Science Student on a 3-Year Programme Department of Computer Science, University of Bristol
 - 2019 Top Student in 2nd Year Maths and Computer Science Department of Computer Science, University of Bristol
 - 2019 Undergraduate Summer Research Bursary School of Mathematics, University of Bristol

MISCELLANEOUS

2020 – Present Associate Membership

London Mathematical Society

2019 - Present Technical Blog

https://jpmacmanus.me/

2019 Bristol PLUS Award

Careers Service, University of Bristol