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## Work Experience/Appointments

**University of Massachusetts Dartmouth**  
*Assistant Professor*

North Dartmouth, MA  
*Sept. 2012 - Present*

**Institute for Computational and Experimental Research  
in Mathematics (ICERM)**  
*Visiting Researcher*

Providence, RI  
*Fall 2012*

**Purdue University**  
*Visiting Assistant Professor*

West Lafayette, IN  
*Aug. 2009 - Aug. 2012*

**Statistical and Applied Mathematical Sciences Institute (SAMSI)**  
*Visiting Fellow (Postdoctoral)*

Durham, NC  
*Spring 2012*

**Brown University**  
*Graduate Student under Jan Hesthaven*

Providence, RI  
*Sep. 2005 - Jul. 2009*

**HyPerComp, Inc.**  
*Summer Intern*

Westlake Village, CA  
*Jun. 2007 - Sep. 2007*

## Education

**Brown University**  
*Ph.D., Applied Mathematics*

Providence, RI  
*Sep. 2003 - May. 2009*

- ◇ Thesis advisor: J.S. Hesthaven
- ◇ Thesis topics: numerical analysis, scientific computing, spectral methods, infinite intervals, numerical solution of partial differential equations

**Brown University**  
*Sc.M., Applied Mathematics*

Providence, RI  
*Sep. 2003 - May 2004*

**Northwestern University**  
*B.S., Applied Mathematics*

Evanston, IL  
*Sep. 1999 - Jun. 2003*

- ◇ Graduated with honors, graduated *Summa Cum Laude*

**Northwestern University**  
*B.S., Electrical Engineering*

Evanston, IL  
*Sep. 1999 - Jun. 2003*

- ◇ Graduated with honors, graduated *Summa Cum Laude*

<b>Publications</b>
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**A Generalization of the Wiener Rational Basis Functions on Infinite Intervals: Part II – Numerical Examples**

*AN, J. S. Hesthaven*

*J. of Comp. and App. Math., 237:1, 18-34, 2013*

**Sequential assimilation of multiple models**

*AN, Y. Marzouk, D. Xiu*

*J. of Comp. Physics, 231:19, 6401-6418, 2012*

**Stochastic collocation methods on unstructured grids in high dimensions via interpolation**

*AN, D. Xiu*

*SIAM J. on Sci. Comp., 34:3, A1729-A1752, 2012*

**Computation of connection coefficients and measure modifications for orthogonal polynomials**

*AN, J. S. Hesthaven*

*BIT Num. Math. 52:2 457-483, 2012*

**Distributional Sensitivity for Uncertainty Quantification**

*AN, D. Xiu*

*Comm. in Comp. Physics 10:140-160, 2011*

**A Generalization of the Wiener Rational Basis Functions on Infinite Intervals: Part I – Derivation and Theory**

*AN, J. S. Hesthaven*

*Math. Comp. 80:1557-1583, 2010*

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**Minimal element stochastic collocation for uncertainty quantification of discontinuous functions**

*J. Jakeman, AN, D. Xiu*

*J. of Comp. Physics, to appear*

**Constructing nested nodal sets for multivariate polynomial interpolation**

*AN, D. Xiu*

Submitted

**Teichon solutions for geodesics on the Universal Teichmüller Space**

*S. Kushnarev, AN*

Submitted

**Decoupling a coupled stochastic system**

*Y. Yang, AN, D. Xiu*

In preparation

**Numerical computation of Weil-Peterson geodesics on the Universal Teichmüller Space**

*M. Feiszli, AN*

In preparation

<b>Professional Development and Affiliations</b>
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**The American Mathematical Society**

Providence, RI  
2003-present

**The Society of Industrial and Applied Mathematics**

Philadelphia, PA  
2003-present

**The Purdue Postdoctoral Association**

*President*

Purdue University  
Oct. 2010 - Dec. 2011

**The Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers**

Washington, DC  
2000-2010

**The Sheridan Center For Teaching and Learning**

Brown University

*Teaching consultant**2004-2009*

**The Sheridan Center For Teaching and Learning**  
*Certificate Programs I, II, and III*

Brown University  
*2004-2007*

## Awards

Dissertation Fellowship (Brown University)	2009
Travel Award for SIAM-CSE meeting (SIAM)	2009
Travel Award for SIAG/LA SIMUMAT Summer School (SIAM)	2008
Travel Award for AMS Joint Meetings (AMS)	2007
Travel Award for CMU Summer School (Carnegie-Mellon University)	2006
International Engineering Consortium William L. Everitt Student Award (Northwestern University)	2003
Eta Kappa Nu	2002
Tau Beta Pi	2002

## Skills

**Professional:** Scientific computing, numerical analysis, spectral methods and orthogonal polynomials, uncertainty quantification

**Languages:** Python, Fortran, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, HTML/CSS, C/C++

**Operating Systems:** Linux, Apple OSX, MS Windows

**Applications:** MATLAB, GNU Octave, OpenOffice, MS Office, Mathematica