

# ETHAN ROSS

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## EDUCATION

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**University of Alberta**  
Bachelor of Science with Honours

*September 2012-April 2016*

**University of Toronto**  
Masters of Science

*September 2018 - September 2019*

**University of Toronto**  
PhD (expected)

*September 2019- December 2024 (expected)*

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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**Undergraduate Researcher**, University of Alberta  
Studied combinatorial structures from supersymmetry called Adinkras under Dr. Charles Doran. Produced classes of Quantum Error Correcting Codes from these Adinkras.

*August - May 2015 and 2016*

**Undergraduate Researcher**, SSTPRS

Computed properties of supersymmetric systems under Dr. Sylvester James Gates. Published a paper about our findings.

*June - August 2015*

**Master's Project**, University of Toronto

Synthesized various proofs of the Kostant-Souriau pre-quantization condition under Dr. Lisa Jeffrey.

*May - September 2019*

**PhD Research**, University of Toronto

Independently researched various topics in symplectic geometry including geometric quantization, stratified spaces, and singular foliations. I have two published papers and am currently working on two more.

*September 2019 - Present*

## ORGANIZATIONAL EXPERIENCE

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**2024 Bird's Eye Conference**  
Food supervisor.

March 2023

**University of Toronto Symplectic Geometry Seminar**  
Organizer.

2023-2024

**2024 Bird's Eye Conference**  
Topology and Geometry co-chair.

March 2024

## PUBLICATIONS

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1. Gates, S.J., Ross, E., et al. *A Lorentz covariant holonomy-induced gadget from minimal off-shell  $4D$ ,  $\mathcal{N} = 1$  supermultiplets* Journal of High Energy Physics, vol 113, 2015. [https://doi.org/10.1007/JHEP11\(2015\)113](https://doi.org/10.1007/JHEP11(2015)113)

2. Ethan Ross. *Invariance of Polarization Induced by Symplectomorphisms*. Toric Topology and Polyhedral Products. Fields Institute Communications, vol 89, 2024. [https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-57204-3\\_14](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-57204-3_14)
3. Ethan Ross. *Stratified Vector Bundles: Examples and Constructions*. Journal of Geometry and Physics, vol 198, 2024. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.geomphys.2024.105114>

## TALKS GIVEN

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1. *Stratified Quantization*  
UWaterloo Geometry and Topology Seminar (July 2024)
2. *Stratified Quantization*  
Workshop on Hamiltonian Geometry and Quantization (July 2024)
3. *Singular Riemannian Foliations and Foliate Vector Fields*  
Canadian Mathematical Society Summer Meeting (June 2024)
4. *Singular Reduction of Polarizations*  
Geometry and Topology Seminar at UQAM (January 2024)
5. *Singular Reduction of Polarizations*  
Canadian Mathematical Society Winter Meeting (December 2023)
6. *Stratified Vector Bundles*  
University of Toronto Symplectic Seminar (March 2023)
7. *Stratified Vector Bundles*  
Gone Fishing (March 2023)
8. *Stratified Vector Bundles*  
Canadian Mathematical Society Winter Meeting (December 2022)
9. *Invariance of Polarization Induced by Symplectomorphisms*  
Local Poisson Seminar (January 2022)

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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**Course Instructor**, University of Toronto

*2021-present*

1. MAT135: Calculus I (Summer 2021)
  - Designed and built the course.
  - Wrote and assigned homework problem sets and exams.
  - Wrote and performed lectures.
  - Managed TAs by assigning them tutorials, grading, and office hours.
2. MAT224: Linear Algebra (Summer 2022)
  - Designed and built course.
  - Wrote and assigned homework problem sets and exams.
  - Managed TAs by assigning them tutorials, grading, and office hours.

- Incorporated Computer Science material into the course materials.
3. MAT136: Calculus II (Winter 2023)
    - This course was coordinated by Dr. Bernardo Galvo-Sousa.
    - Incorporated active learning techniques like polling and problem sessions into my lectures
    - Wrote exam problems.
    - Managed regrade requests.
  4. MAT136: Calculus II (Summer 2023)
    - Designed and built course.
    - Still maintained active learning elements.
    - Designed tutorial worksheets for the students.
    - Wrote and assigned homework problem sets and exams.
    - Managed TAs by assigning them tutorials, grading, and office hours.
  5. MAT136: Calculus II (Winter 2024)
    - This course was coordinated by Dr. Lindsey Shorser.
    - Incorporated active learning techniques like polling and problem sessions into my lectures
    - Wrote exam problems.
  6. MAT301: Groups and Symmetries (Summer 2024)
    - Designed and built course.
    - Wrote all material for lectures, assignments, tutorials, and exams.
    - Managed all aspects of the course including TAs and student problems.
  7. MAT135: Calculus I (Fall 2024)
    - This course was coordinated by Dr. Sarah Mayes-Tang.
    - Incorporated active learning techniques like polling and problem sessions into my lectures
    - Accommodations Officer: managed the administration of student accommodations including coordinating with university staff and the students.

**Teaching Assistant**, University of Toronto

*2018-Present*

- Courses

- MAT133: Calculus and Linear Algebra for Commerce Students.
- MAT135: Calculus I
- MAT136: Calculus II
- MAT334: Complex Variables.
- MAT235: Multivariable Calculus.
- MAT301: Groups and Symmetries.
- MAT327: Introduction to Topology

- Held tutorial sessions where I guided students through standard mathematical techniques for problem solving.
- Graded quizzes and exams.

## **AWARDS**

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| <b>Jason A. Lang Scholarship</b>                        | 2014-2016 |
| <b>NSERC Undergraduate Student Research Award</b>       | 2015-2016 |
| <b>Graduated with First Class Honors</b>                | 2016      |
| <b>Domestic Graduate Entrance Award</b>                 | 2019      |
| <b>Department Of Mathematics Graduate Program Award</b> | 2019      |
| <b>Blyth Fellowship</b>                                 | 2019      |
| <b>Ontario Graduate Scholarship</b>                     | 2020-2024 |

## **MEMBERSHIPS**

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Canadian Mathematical Society  
American Mathematical Society