

# August Dym Noë

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## Education

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**University of California, Santa Cruz**  
B.S. in Mathematics, GPA: 3.96, Dean's Honors.

*Sept 2021 – June 2025  
(Expected)*

## Research

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**Optimal Laplacian Eigenmaps and Geometric Structures** with John Ackerman, Al Farabie Akanda, Bernard Akwei, Luke Rogers, and Alexander Teplyaev. Funded by NSF Site DMS 2349433.

*In preparation  
(Expected summer 2025)*

## Presentations

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**Optimal Laplacian eigenmaps and Geometric Structures** at the 2025 JMM, AMS-PME Undergraduate Student Poster Session.

*January 10th, 2025*

## Experience

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**REU At University of Connecticut** Worked on open problems in topological data analysis; studied Laplacian eigenmaps on certain classical manifolds with and without boundary. I made conjectures and found strong numerical evidence on how to optimize such methods.

*Summer 2024*

**Guided Independent Study** for two quarters on general model theory, and specifically on valued fields and Hensel's lemma. Mentored by Dr. Martin Weissman with the plan to begin senior thesis Winter of 2025.

*Winter-Spring 2024*

**Category Theory Reading Group** following Emily Riehl's *Category Theory in Context*, members present weekly and on a rotating basis.

*October 2024-June 2025  
(planned)*

### Directed Reading Program:

- **Stone Spaces** Read and studied from of David Marker's *Peter T. Johnstone* alongside graduate student mentor Deewang Bhamidipati with whom I met weekly. Gave poster presentation to other participants in the program on what I learned. *Winter 2025*
- **Model Theory** Read and studied from of David Marker's *Model Theory: An Introduction* alongside graduate student mentor Deewang Bhamidipati with whom I met weekly. Gave colloquium talk to peers and other participants in the program on what I learned. *Spring 2024*
- **Banach Algebras** Read and studied from Graham Allan's *Introduction to Banach Spaces and Algebras*, meeting weekly with graduate student mentor Ryan Pugh and gave colloquium talk on the topic. *Spring 2023*
- **Knot Theory** Read Colin Adams's *The Knot Book* with graduate student mentor Amethyst Price and gave colloquium talk on what I learned. *Fall 2022*

**President of Undergraduate Math Club (SUM)** I have been a member of the undergraduate math club (Slugs United by Mathematics) for three years and president for over two. I have increased regular attendance of club from about 4 to over 20 weekly. I regularly plan events/activities and organize talks from visiting and local faculty and grad students, and work to build community in my major. *2022-present*

### Tutoring

- Small group tutor for Introduction to Proof and Problem Solving through the university. Met with 3 groups of 1-4 students once a week, and explained basic proof techniques, symbolic logic, and set theory problems for my students. *Fall 2023*
- Freelance tutor, mainly in pre-calculus, calculus and linear algebra. *Ongoing*

## Other Skills

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**Programming and Typesetting:** Proficient in  $\text{\LaTeX}$  and HTML/CSS. Comfortable with basic MatLab, JavaScript, and Python, including NumPy and other vectorization.

**Languages:** English (native), French (conversational), German, Spanish (beginner)