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Education

BA Hamilton College 1977
MA University of Wisconsin, Madison 1979
Ph.D University of Wisconsin, Madison 1983

Research Interests: 3-Manifolds, knot theory, topology of embedded graphs, applications of topology to chemistry and molecular biology

Academic Positions

1983-1985, G.C. Evans Instructor, Rice University
1985-1986, Visiting Assistant Professor, University of California at Santa Barbara
1986-1990, Assistant Professor, Pomona College
1990-1998, Associate Professor, Pomona College
1998-present, Professor, Pomona College
2006-present, Lingurn H. Burkhead Professor, Pomona College

Visiting Positions

Fall 1987, Visiting Scholar, Université de Paris-Sud, France
Spring 1990, Visiting Scholar, Institute for Theoretical Dynamics, University of California at Davis
Spring 1996, Research Associate, Institut Henri Poincaré, France
Fall 2000, Research Associate, Institut des Hautes Études Scientifiques, France
Fall 2013, Long Term Visitor, Institute for Mathematics and its Applications, University of Minnesota
Spring 2015, Research Member in the Complementary Program, Mathematical Sciences Research Institute

National Awards and Honors

2011, Haimo Award for Distinguished College or University Teaching of Mathematics, Mathematical Association of America
2012, Inaugural Fellow of the American Mathematical Society
2015-2017, Pólya Lecturer of the Mathematical Association of America

Grants

1985-1989, ONR grant, "Topological Symmetries of Molecular Structures"

1990 and 2005, Travel Grants, Association for Women in Mathematics

2000-2004, NSF grant CCLI-020160, "Enhancing the Mathematical Understanding of Students in Chemistry"

2004, Michler Collaborative Research Grant, Association for Women in Mathematics

2009-2013, NSF grant DMS-0905087 "Topological symmetries and intrinsic properties of graphs embedded in 3-space"

2016-2019, NSF grant DMS-1607744 "BIOMAPS: Spatial graphs and their applications to complex molecular structures"

Other Honors and Awards

1981, Exxon Award for Mathematics Teaching, University of Texas at Austin

1984, Magna Cum Laude Teacher, Rice University

2003, Invited Address, American Mathematical Society Meeting, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

2005, Irvine Foundation Distinguished Faculty Fellowship for mentoring students of color at Pomona College

2005, Member of the International Academy of Mathematical Chemistry

2005, Hamilton College Medal for Achievements in Mathematics

2010, Distinguished Teaching Award from the Southern California and Nevada Section of the Mathematics Association of America

2013, First Year Advisor Award at Pomona College

2014, Wig Award for Distinguished Teaching at Pomona College

Summer Programs

1994, Instructor, Mills Summer Math Institute (for women), University of California at Berkeley

2000, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2013, 2014, Instructor, Summer Math Program (for women), Carleton College

2006, Undergraduate Instructor, Park City Math Institute

2007, Mini-course Instructor, Canada/USA Math Camp, Colby College

2011, Undergraduate Faculty Program Instructor, IAS/Park City Math Institute

External Program Reviewer

2003, St Olaf College, Department of Mathematics

2004, University of San Francisco, Department of Mathematics and Statistics

2005, Wake Forest University, Department of Mathematics and Statistics

2007, Washington and Lee University, Department of Mathematics

2011, University of San Diego, Department of Mathematics

2013, Reed College, Department of Mathematics

Other Service to the Mathematics Community

1992, 2003, 2004, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2012, Reviewer on NSF panels

2001-2006, Spectrum Editorial Board, Mathematical Association of America

2003-2006, Board of Regional Representatives, Budapest Semesters in Mathematics

2004-2006, Teaching Awards Committee, Mathematical Association of America, Southern California Section

2006-2007, Travel Grant Committee, Association for Women in Mathematics

2007, Curriculum Renewal in the First Two Years Committee, Mathematical Association of America

2009-2010, Search Committee for North American Director, Budapest Semesters in Mathematics

2011-2012, MathFest Invited Address Committee, Mathematical Association of America

2011-2012, Chair, Committee on the Undergraduate Program in Mathematics Study Group on Undergraduate Courses in Topology, Mathematical Association of America

2013-2014, Chair, Committee on the Undergraduate Program in Mathematics Study Group on Chemistry and Mathematics, Mathematical Association of America

2012-2015, Council member, Budapest Semesters in Mathematics

2013-2016 Selection Committee, Haimo Award for Distinguished College or University Teaching of Mathematics, Mathematical Association of America

2014-2016, Committee on Professional Ethics, American Mathematical Society

2014-2018, Student Mathematical Library, Editorial Committee, American Mathematical Society

2016-2019, Member at Large, Council of the American Mathematical Society

2016-2019, Committee on Education, American Mathematical Society

2016, Committee to Select the Winner of the Award for Impact on the Teaching and Learning of Mathematics, American Mathematical Society

2017, Chair, Special Committee appointed by the American Mathematical Society Committee on Professional Ethics to investigate and report on a particular case

2017, Chair, Subcommittee of the American Mathematical Society Committee on Education to organize a panel at the Joint Mathematics Meetings in 2018

Research Papers

- (1) E. Flapan, *Necessary and sufficient conditions for certain homology spheres to have smooth Z_P -actions*, Pacific Journal of Math., Vol. 117, no. 2 (1985) 255-266.
- (2) E. Flapan, *Infinitely periodic knots*, Canadian Journal of Math., Vol. 37, no.1 (1985) 17-28.
- (3) E. Flapan, *The finiteness theorem for symmetries of knots and 3-manifolds with non-trivial characteristic decompositions*, Topology and its Applications, 24 (1986) 123-131.
- (4) E. Flapan, *A prime strongly positive amphicheiral knot which is not slice*, Math. Proc. of Cambridge Philosophical Society, 100 (1986) 533-537.
- (5) E. Flapan, *Chirality of nonstandardly embedded Möbius ladders*, Graph Theory and Topology in Chemistry (Athens, Ga., 1987), Stud. Phys. Theoret. Chem., 51, Elsevier, Amsterdam, (1987) 76-81.
- (6) E. Flapan, *Rigid and non-rigid achirality*, Pacific Journal of Math., Vol. 129, No.1, (1987) 57- 66.
- (7) M. Boileau and E. Flapan, *Uniqueness of free actions of S^3 respecting a knot*, Canadian Journal of Math., 39 (1987) 969-982.
- (8) E. Flapan, *Symmetries of knotted hypothetical molecular graphs*, Discrete Applied Math, 19 (1988) 157-166.
- (9) E. Flapan, *Symmetries of Möbius Ladders*, Mathematische Annalen, 283, (1989) 271-283.
- (10) E. Flapan, *Topological Techniques to Detect Molecular Chirality*, in P. Mezey, ed., New Developments in Molecular Chirality, Kluwer Academic Publishers, Netherlands (1991) 209-239.
- (11) E. Flapan and N. Weaver, *Intrinsic chirality of complete graphs*, Proc. AMS, Vol. 115, No. 1, (1992) 233-236.
- (12) E. Flapan, *Rigid and Flexible Symmetries of Embedded Graphs*, New Journal of Chemistry, 17, (1993) 645-653.
- (13) E. Flapan, *Intrinsic Chirality*, Journal of Molecular Structure (Theochem), 336 (1995) 157-164.
- (14) M. Boileau and E. Flapan, *On π -hyperbolic knots which are determined by their 2-fold and 4-fold cyclic branched coverings*, Topology and its Applications, 61 (1995) 229-240.
- (15) E. Flapan, *Rigidity of Graph Symmetries in the 3-Sphere*, Journal of Knot Theory and its Ramifications, 4 (1995) 373-388.
- (16) E. Flapan and N. Seeman, *A Topological Rubber Glove Obtained from a Synthetic Single Strand DNA Molecule*, Journal of the Chemical Society, Chemical Communications, 24 (1995) 2249-2250.
- (17) E. Flapan and N. Weaver, *Intrinsic Chirality of 3-Connected Graphs*, Journal of Combinatorial Theory, Series B, Vol. 68, No. 2 (1996) 223-232.

- (18) C. Liang, K. Mislow, and E. Flapan, *Amphicheiral Links with Odd Crossing Number*, Journal of Knot Theory and its Ramifications, Vol 7, No 1 (1998) 87-91.
- (19) E. Flapan, *Knots and Graphs in Chemistry*, Chaos, Solitons, and Fractals, Vol. 9, No. 4/5 (1998) 547-560.
- (20) E. Flapan, *Topological Rubber Gloves*, Journal of Mathematical Chemistry, Vol 23 (1998) 31-49.
- (21) E. Flapan and B. Forcum, *Intrinsic Chirality of Triple-Layered Naphthalenophane and Related Graphs*, Journal of Mathematical Chemistry, Vol. 24 (1998) 379-388.
- (22) E. Flapan, *A Knot Theoretic Approach to Molecular Chirality*, in J.-P. Sauvage and C. Dietrich- Buchecker eds., *Molecular Topology: Catenanes, Rotaxanes, and Knots*, Wiley-VCH, Weinheim, Germany, (1999).
- (23) G. Rapenne, J. Crassous, L. E. Echegoyen, L. Echegoyen, E. Flapan, F. Diederich, *Regioselective One-Step Synthesis and Topological Chirality of trans-3, trans-3, trans-3 and e,e,e [60]Fullerene-Cyclotrimeratrylene Tris-Adducts. Discussion on a Topological Meso Form*, Helvetica Chimica Acta, Vol. 83 (2000), 1209–1223.
- (24) E. Flapan, R. Naimi, J. Pommersheim, *Intrinsically Triple Linked Complete Graphs*, Topology and its Applications, Vol. 115, (2001) 239-246.
- (25) E. Flapan, J. Foisy, R. Naimi, J. Pommersheim, *Intrinsically n-linked Graphs*, Journal of Knot Theory and its Ramifications, Vol. 10, (2001) 1143-1154.
- (26) E. Flapan, D. L. Li, *2-Colorings of Graphs which are Intrinsically Asymmetric in S^3* , Math. Proc. of Cambridge Philosophical Society, Vol 132, (2002) 267-280.
- (27) E. Flapan, *Intrinsic Knotting and Linking of Complete Graphs*, Algebraic and Geometric Topology, Vol 2, (2002) 371-380.
- (28) E. Flapan, R. Naimi, J. Pommersheim, H. Tamvakis, *Topological Symmetry Groups of Embedded Graphs in the 3-sphere*, Commentarii Mathematici Helvetici, Vol 80, (2005) 317-354.
- (29) E. Flapan, R. Naimi, H. Tamvakis, *Topological Symmetry Groups of Complete Graphs in the 3-Sphere*, Journal of the London Mathematical Society, Vol 73, (2006) 237-251.
- (30) E. Flapan, H. Howards, D. Lawrence, B. Mellor, *Intrinsic Linking and Knotting in Arbitrary 3-Manifolds*, Algebraic and Geometric Topology, Vol. 6, (2006) 1025-1035.
- (31) D. Buck and E. Flapan, *A model of DNA Knotting and Linking*, Knot Theory for Scientific Objects, ed. A. Kawauchi, Proceedings of the International Workshop on Knot Theory for Scientific Objects: OCAMI Studies Vol 1(1), (2007) 75–83.

- (32) D. Buck and E. Flapan, *A Topological characterization of knots and links arising from site-specific recombination*, Journal of Physics A: Mathematical and Theoretical, Vol. 40, (2007) 12377-12395.
- (33) D. Buck and E. Flapan, *Predicting Knot or Catenane Type of Site-Specific Recombination Products*, Journal of Molecular Biology, Vol 374, (2007) 1186-1199.
- (34) E. Flapan and R. Naimi, *The Y-triangle move does not preserve intrinsic knottedness*, Vol. 45 (1) Osaka Journal of Mathematics (2008) 107–111.
- (35) E. Flapan, B. Mellor, and R. Naimi, *Intrinsic Linking and Knotting are Arbitrarily Complex*, Fundamenta Mathematicae, Vol 201 (2008), 131-148.
- (36) E. Flapan, *Topological Chirality and Symmetries of Non-rigid Molecules*, in D. Buck and E. Flapan, editors, Applications of Knot theory, Proceedings of Symposia in Applied Mathematics, AMS (2009).
- (37) E. Flapan, H. Howards, *Every graph has an embedding in S^3 containing no non-hyperbolic knot*, Proceedings of the AMS, Vol 137 (2009) 4275-4285.
- (38) D. Chambers, E. Flapan, J. O'Brien, *Topological symmetry groups of K_{4r+3}* , Discrete and Continuous Dynamical Systems, Series S Vol 4, (2011), 1401-1411.
- (39) E. Flapan, B. Mellor, R. Naimi, *Complete graphs whose topological symmetry groups are polyhedral*, Algebraic and Geometric Topology, Vol 11, (2011) 1405-1433.
- (40) E. Flapan, *A Topological Approach to Molecular Chirality*, T. Shubin, D. Hayes, and G. Alexanderson, editors, Expeditions in Mathematics, Mathematical Association of America, (2011) 137-152.
- (41) E. Flapan, B. Mellor, R. Naimi, *Spatial graphs with local knots*, Revista Matematica Complutense, Vol 25, (2012) 493-510.
- (42) C. Farkas, E. Flapan, W. Sullivan, *Unraveling Tangled Graphs*, Journal of Knot Theory and its Ramifications, Vol 21, No. 7, (2012).
- (43) E. Flapan, H. Tamvakis, *Topological Symmetry Groups of Graphs in 3-Manifolds*, Proceedings of the AMS, Vol 141, No. 4, (2012) 1423–1436.
- (44) E. Flapan, W. Fletcher, *Intrinsic Chirality of Multipartite Graphs*, Journal of Mathematical Chemistry, Vol 51, No. 7, (2013) 1853–1863.
- (45) E. Flapan, B. Mellor, R. Naimi, M. Yoshizawa, *Classification of Topological Symmetry Groups of K_n* , Topology Proceedings, Vol 43, (2014) 209-233.
- (46) E. Flapan, W. Fletcher, R. Nikkuni, *Reduced Wu and Generalized Simon Invariants for Spatial Graphs*, Math. Proc. Cambridge Philosophical Society, Vol 156, (2014) 521-544.
- (47) D. Chambers, E. Flapan, *Topological symmetry groups of small complete graphs*, Symmetry, Vol 6, (2014) 189-209.

- (48) E. Flapan, J. Grevet, Q. Li, C. Sun, H. Wong, *Knotted and Linked Products of Recombination on $T(2, n) \# T(2, m)$ Substrates*, Journal of the Korean Mathematical Society, Vol 51, (2014) 817–836.
- (49) E. Flapan, N. Lehle, B. Mellor, M. Pittluck, X. Vongsathorn, *Symmetries of Embedded Complete Bipartite Graphs*, Fundamenta Mathematicae, Vol 226, (2014) 1–16.
- (50) E. Flapan, E. Davie Lawrence, *Topological Symmetry Groups of Möbius Ladders*, Journal of Knot Theory and its Ramifications, Vol 23 (2014) 1–13.
- (51) E. Flapan, G. Heller, *Topological Complexity in Protein Structures*, Molecular Based Mathematical Biology, Vol 3, Issue 1 (2015) 23–42.
- (52) E. Flapan, K. Kozai, *Random Linear Embeddings of Graphs*, Journal of Mathematical Chemistry, Vol 54, (2016) 1117–1133.
- (53) E. Flapan, T. Mattman, B. Mellor, R. Naimi, and R. Nikkuni, *Recent Developments in Spatial Graph Theory*, in E. Flapan, A. Henrich, A. Kaestner, and S. Nelson, eds., Contemporary Mathematics, Vol. 689, American Mathematical Society, (2017).
- (54) E. Flapan, S. Rundell, M. Wyse, *Asymmetric 2-colorings of graphs*, Journal of Graph Theory, Vol 85, (2017).
- (55) E. Flapan and A. Miller, *Ravels arising from Montesinos Tangles*, to appear Tokyo Journal of Mathematics.
- (56) E. Flapan, H. Howards, *Intrinsic Chirality of Graphs in 3-Manifolds*, to appear Communications in Analysis and Geometry.

Books

- (1) E. Flapan, *When Topology Meets Chemistry*, Cambridge University Press and the Mathematical Association of America (2000).
- (2) E. Flapan and D. Buck, eds., *Applications of Knot Theory*, Proceedings of Symposia in Applied Mathematics, Vol. 66, American Mathematical Society (2009).
- (3) J. Pommersheim, T. Marks, E. Flapan, *Number Theory: A Lively Introduction with Proofs, Applications, and Stories*, Wiley (2010).
- (4) E. Flapan, *Knots, Molecules, and the Universe: An Introduction to Topology*, American Mathematical Society (2016).
- (5) E. Flapan, A. Henrich, A. Kaestner, and S. Nelson, eds., *Knots, Links, Spatial Graphs, and Algebraic Invariants*, Contemporary Mathematics, Vol. 689, American Mathematical Society, (2017).

Pedagogical Papers

E. Flapan, *How to be a good teacher is an undecidable problem*, College Mathematics Journal, (November 2011). Reprinted in *The Best Writing on Mathematics 2012*, edited by Mircea Pitici, Princeton University Press, (2012).

Invited Presentations

- (1) Spring 1983, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on Low Dimensional Topology, University of Oklahoma, Norman, Oklahoma
- (2) Fall 1983, Topology Conference, University of Southwestern Louisiana, Lafayette, Louisiana
- (3) Spring 1984, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on Low Dimensional Topology, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia
- (4) Summer 1984, Topology Seminar, Cambridge University, Cambridge, United Kingdom
- (5) Fall 1984, Topology Conference in Honor of R. H. Bing, Southwest Texas State University, San Marcos, Texas
- (6) Spring 1985, Topology Conference, Special Session on Topological Chemistry, Florida State University, Tallahassee, Florida
- (7) Spring 1985, Colloquium, Rice University, Houston, Texas
- (8) Summer 1985, Topology Seminar and Colloquium, Université de Genève, Geneva, Switzerland
- (9) Fall 1985, Colloquium, University of California, Santa Barbara, California
- (10) Spring 1986, Colloquium, Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio
- (11) Summer 1986, Canadian Chemical Conference, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, Canada
- (12) Spring 1987, Colloquium, Claremont Colleges, Claremont, California
- (13) Spring 1987, Conference on Graph Theory and Topology in Chemistry, University of Georgia, Athens, Georgia
- (14) Summer 1987, Southern California Topology Colloquium, University of California, Los Angeles, California
- (15) Fall 1987, Topology Conference, Mathematisches Forschungsinstitut, Oberwolfach, Germany
- (16) Spring 1988, Plenary Address, Mathematical Association of America, Pepperdine University, Malibu, California
- (17) Spring 1988, Colloquium, University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa
- (18) Spring 1989, Colloquium, University of California, Davis, California
- (19) Spring 1989, Colloquium, California State University, Northridge, California
- (20) Spring 1990, Conference on Mathematical Approaches to DNA, Santa Fe, New Mexico
- (21) Spring 1990, Colloquium, Institute for Theoretical Dynamics, University of California, Davis, California
- (22) Fall 1991, Conference on Topological Chemistry, Zentrum für Interdisziplinäre Forschung, Bielefeld, Germany

- (23) Fall 1991, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on Low Dimensional Topology, University of California, Santa Barbara, California
- (24) Fall 1991, Colloquium, Colorado College, Colorado Springs, Colorado
- (25) Summer 1992, Joint US-Israel Workshop on Geometric Topology, Technion - Israel Institute of Technology, Haifa, Israel
- (26) Fall 1992, Conference on Mathematics and Molecular Biology, Santa Fe, New Mexico
- (27) Spring 1994, Colloquium, University of Redlands, Redlands, California
- (28) Spring 1995, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on Scientific Applications of Geometry and Topology, Orlando, Florida
- (29) Summer 1995, Workshop on Topology and Molecular Biology, Université Paul Sabatier, Toulouse, France
- (30) Spring 1996, Seven lectures on Topological Stereochemistry, Institut Henri Poincaré, Paris, France
- (31) Spring 1996, Colloquium, Université de Genève, Geneva, Switzerland
- (32) Fall 1996, Colloquium, Claremont Colleges, Claremont, California
- (33) Spring 1997, Plenary address, Mathematical Association of America, Occidental College, Los Angeles, California
- (34) Spring 1997, 7th International Conference on Mathematical Chemistry, Girona, Spain
- (35) Spring 1997, Symposium on Geometric Topology, PhD Centennial Conference, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wisconsin
- (36) Spring 1997, Colloquium, California State University, Northridge, California
- (37) Spring 1998, First Indo-US Workshop on Mathematical Chemistry, Santiniketan, India
- (38) Spring 1998, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on Geometry and Topology of 3-Manifolds, University of California, Davis, California
- (39) Summer 1998, Colloquium, California State University, Long Beach, California
- (40) Fall 1998, Colloquium, California State University, San Bernardino, California
- (41) Fall 1998, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on Topology of 3-manifolds, Wake Forest University, Winston-Salem, North Carolina
- (42) Spring 1999, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on Symmetries of Knots and 3-Manifolds, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, Nevada
- (43) Fall 1999, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on Topology of DNA, University of Texas, Austin, Texas

- (44) Fall 2000, Symposium on Biological Chirality, Szeged, Hungary
- (45) Fall 2000, Colloquium and Topology Seminar, Peking University, Beijing, China
- (46) Spring 2001, Plenary Address, Mathematical Association of America, California State University, Fullerton, California
- (47) Spring 2001, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on Topology of Links, University of Nevada, Los Vegas, Nevada
- (48) Spring 2001, Mathematics Colloquium, Claremont Colleges, Claremont, California
- (49) Spring 2001, Topology Seminar, Department of Mathematics, University of California, Riverside, California
- (50) Fall 2001, Distinguished Scientists Lecture Series, Santa Monica College, Santa Monica, California
- (51) Fall 2001, Topology Seminar and Colloquium, Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana
- (52) Fall 2001, Colloquium, California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo, California
- (53) Fall 2001, Topology Seminar, Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland
- (54) Spring 2002, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on Low Dimensional Topology, Joint Mathematics Meetings, San Diego, California
- (55) Fall 2002, Colloquium, Occidental College, Los Angeles, California
- (56) Spring 2003, Two Plenary Addresses, Mathematical Association of America, Butler University, Indianapolis, Indiana
- (57) Spring 2003, Plenary Address, Mathematical Association of America, La Guardia Community College, Long Island City, New York
- (58) Fall 2003, Plenary Address, American Mathematical Society, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, North Carolina
- (59) Fall 2003, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on Mathematical Molecular Biology, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill
- (60) Fall 2003, NSF Workshop on Reticular Chemistry, San Diego, California
- (61) Spring 2004, Plenary Address, Mathematical Association of America, Joint Mathematics Meetings, Phoenix, Arizona
- (62) Spring 2004, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on Low Dimensional Topology, Joint Mathematics Meetings, Phoenix, Arizona
- (63) Summer 2004, International Workshop on Knots and Links in a Spatial Graph, Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan
- (64) Summer 2004, Plenary Address, Japan Topology Symposium, Yamagata City, Japan
- (65) Fall 2004, Colloquium, California State University, Long Beach, California

- (66) Fall 2004, Natural Sciences Colloquium, and Mathematics Colloquium, University of Michigan, Dearborn, Michigan
- (67) Fall 2004, Colloquium, Reed College, Portland, Oregon
- (68) Fall 2004, Colloquium, Occidental College, Los Angeles, California
- (69) Fall 2004, Featured Speaker (2 talks), Pi Mu Epsilon Regional Undergraduate Math Conference, St Norbert College, De Pere, Wisconsin
- (70) Fall 2004, Colloquium, California Polytechnic State University, Pomona, California
- (71) Fall 2004, Colloquium, Bay Area Mathematical Adventures, Santa Clara University, Santa Clara, California
- (72) Spring 2005, Colloquium and Faculty Seminar talks, Northern Arizona University, Flagstaff, Arizona
- (73) Spring 2005, Colloquium, Sonoma State University, Sonoma, California
- (74) Spring 2005, Colloquium, Santa Clara University, Santa Clara, California
- (75) Fall 2005, Colloquium, Hamilton College Science Center Dedication Ceremony, Clinton, New York
- (76) Fall 2005, Women in Mathematics Lecture Series, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California
- (77) Spring 2006, Colloquium, California State University, Los Angeles, California
- (78) Spring 2006, International Workshop on Knot Theory for Scientific Objects, Osaka City University, Osaka, Japan
- (79) Fall 2006, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on Physical Knotting and Linking, Cincinnati, Ohio
- (80) Fall 2006, Colloquium, California State University, Long Beach, California
- (81) Spring 2007, Chemistry/Mathematics Colloquium, San Jose State University, San Jose, California
- (82) Spring 2007, Plenary Address, Mathematical Association of America, Northern California, West Valley Community College, Saratoga, California
- (83) Spring 2007, Plenary Address, Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics, University of Memphis, Memphis, Tennessee
- (84) Spring 2007, Workshop on Mathematics of Knotting and Linking in Polymer Physics and Molecular Biology, Banff International Research Station, Banff, Canada
- (85) Fall 2007, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on Physical Knots and Links, Middle Tennessee State University, Murfreesboro, Tennessee
- (86) Spring 2008, American Mathematical Society, Joint Mathematics Meetings, Short Course on Applications of Knot Theory, Co-Organizer and Lecturer, San Diego, California

- (87) Spring 2008, Hypatian Seminar, University of California, Santa Barbara, California
- (88) Spring 2008, Math Colloquium, EDGE (Enhancing Diversity in Graduate Education) summer program, Pomona College
- (89) Fall 2008, American Mathematical Society and Shanghai Mathematical Society, Special Session on Biomathematics, Shanghai, China
- (90) Spring 2009, Colloquium, Allegheny College, Meadville, Pennsylvania
- (91) Spring 2009, Keynote Speaker, Hudson River Undergraduate Mathematics Conference, Union College, Schenectady, New York
- (92) Summer 2009, two lectures, Abdus Salam International Centre for Theoretical Physics, Trieste, Italy
- (93) Spring 2010, Colloquium, Claremont Colleges, Claremont, California
- (94) Spring 2010, Keynote Address, Southern California Undergraduate Mathematics Conference, University of California, San Diego, California
- (95) Summer 2010, International Workshop on Spatial Graphs, Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan
- (96) Fall 2010, Plenary Address, Mathematical Association of America, University of California, Irvine, California
- (97) Spring 2011, Colloquium, Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona
- (98) Spring 2011, Headley Distinguished Lecture, Carleton College, Northfield, Minnesota
- (99) Spring 2011, Colloquium, California State University, Long Beach, California
- (100) Spring 2011, Two lectures, Gordon Lecture Series, Denison University, Granville, Ohio
- (101) Spring 2011, Knot Theory Seminar, Université de Genève, Geneva, Switzerland
- (102) Spring 2011, Topology Seminar, Université Paul Sabatier, Toulouse, France
- (103) Spring 2011, Seminar, Imperial College London, London, United Kingdom
- (104) Fall 2011, Colloquium, Smith College, Northampton, Massachusetts
- (105) Fall 2011, Topology Seminar, University of California, Riverside, California
- (106) Spring 2012, Mathematical Association of America, Special Session on Untangling Knot Theory, Joint Mathematics Meetings, Boston, Massachusetts
- (107) Spring 2012, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on Modeling Crystalline and Quasi-Crystalline Materials, Tampa, Florida
- (108) Spring 2012, Plenary Address, Mathematical Association of America, West Virginia University, Morgantown, West Virginia
- (109) Spring 2012, Keynote Speaker, Spokane Intercollegiate Research Conference, Spokane, Washington

- (110) Spring 2012, Keynote Speaker, Pi Mu Epsilon, Initiation Ceremony, Whittier College, Whittier, California
- (111) Spring 2012, Colloquium, California State University, Fresno, California
- (112) Summer 2012, Summer Conference on Topology and its Applications, Special Session on Geometric Topology, Mankato, Minnesota
- (113) Fall 2012, Colloquium, Denison University, Granville, Ohio
- (114) Fall 2012, Plenary Address and After Dinner Address, Mathematical Association of America, Cleveland, Ohio
- (115) Fall 2012, Distinguished Visitor, Haverford College, Haverford, Pennsylvania
- (116) Spring 2013, Invited Speaker, Discrete Math Days in the Northeast, Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Worcester, Massachusetts
- (117) Summer 2013, Spatial Graphs Conference, Loyola Marymount University, Los Angeles, California
- (118) Summer 2013, International Workshop on Spatial Graphs, Tokyo Women's Christian University, Tokyo, Japan
- (119) Fall 2013, Colloquium, Carleton College, Northfield, Minnesota
- (120) Fall 2013, Invited Speaker, Workshop on Topological Structures in Computational Biology, Institute for Mathematics and its Applications, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota
- (121) Spring 2014, Plenary Speaker, Texas Undergraduate Topology and Geometry Conference, University of Texas, Austin, Texas
- (122) Spring 2014, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on Physical Knots, Albuquerque, New Mexico
- (123) Spring 2014, Colloquium, California State University, Long Beach, California
- (124) Fall 2014, Distinguished Lecture, Mathematical Association of America, Carriage House, Washington, DC
- (125) Fall 2014, Invited Speaker, Pi Mu Epsilon Initiation Ceremony, Western Michigan University, Kalamazoo, Michigan
- (126) Fall 2014, Topology and Geometry Seminar, California State University, Fullerton, California
- (127) Spring 2015, Infinite Horizons speaker, Kennesaw State University, Kennesaw, Georgia
- (128) Spring 2015, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on Topology and Biology, Washington, DC
- (129) Spring 2015, Colloquium, University of San Francisco, San Francisco, California
- (130) Spring 2015, Topology Seminar, University of California, Berkeley, California
- (131) Spring 2015, Pólya Lecture, Mathematical Association of America, Hope College, Holland, Michigan
- (132) Spring 2015, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on Knots and 3-Manifolds, Las Vegas, Nevada

- (133) Spring 2015, Topology Seminar, University of California, Davis, California
- (134) Spring 2015, Colloquium, Texas State University, San Marcos, Texas
- (135) Spring 2015, Colloquium, San Jose State University, San Jose, California
- (136) Summer 2015, Colloquium, Mount Holyoke College, South Hadley, Massachusetts
- (137) Summer 2015, Special Session on Algebraic Structures Motivated by Knot Theory, MathFest, Mathematical Association of America, Washington, DC
- (138) Fall 2015, Shenandoah Undergraduate Mathematics and Statistics Conference, James Madison University, Harrisonburg, Virginia
- (139) Fall 2015, Workshop on Geometric and Topological Modeling of Biomolecules, Mathematical Biosciences Institute, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio
- (140) Fall 2015, Pólya Lecture, Mathematical Association of America, St Lawrence University, Canton, New York
- (141) Fall 2015, Keynote Speaker, California Mathematics Council Community Colleges, Fall Conference, Monterey, California
- (142) Spring 2016, Colloquium, University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado
- (143) Spring 2016, Pólya Lecture, Mathematical Association of America, University of California, Davis, California
- (144) Spring 2016, two lectures, Macomb Multicultural International Initiative, Macomb Community College Libraries Enrichment Program, Warren, Michigan
- (145) Spring 2016, Pólya Lecture and Project NExT Lecture, Mathematical Association of America, Stephan F. Austin University, Nachodoces, Texas
- (146) Spring 2016, Pólya Lecture and Project NExT Lecture, Mathematical Association of America, Missouri Western State University, St. Joseph, Missouri
- (147) Summer 2016, Topology Seminar, the Chinese University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, The People's Republic of China
- (148) Summer 2016, International Workshop on Spatial Graphs, Waseda University, Tokyo, Japan
- (149) Summer 2016, International Workshop on Topology and Graphs in Polymer Chemistry, Tokyo Institute of Technology, Tokyo, Japan
- (150) Fall 2016, Topology Seminar, Carleton College, Northfield, Minnesota
- (151) Fall 2016, Pólya Lecture, Mathematical Association of America, Ohio Section, the College of Wooster, Wooster, Ohio
- (152) Fall 2016, Kieval Lecturer (two talks), Humboldt State University, Arcata, California

- (153) Spring 2017, Society for Industrial and Applied Mathematics Mini-Symposium on Applications of Algebra, Geometry, and Topology, Joint Mathematics Meetings, Atlanta, Georgia
- (154) Spring 2017, Colloquium, University of Michigan, Dearborn, Michigan
- (155) Spring 2017, Topology Seminar, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan
- (156) Spring 2017, Symposium for Women in Mathematics in Southern California, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California
- (157) Spring 2017, Pólya Lecture, Mathematical Association of America, Millsaps College, Jackson, Mississippi
- (158) Spring 2017, American Mathematical Society, Special Session on Knot Theory and its Applications, College of Charleston, Charleston, South Carolina
- (159) Spring 2017, Loeb Lecture, Washington University, Saint Louis, Missouri
- (160) Spring 2017, Mathematics Colloquium, University of Washington, Tacoma, Washington
- (161) Spring 2017, Mathematics Seminar, University of Puget Sound, Tacoma, Washington
- (162) Spring 2017, Association for Women in Mathematics Research Conference, Session on Applications of Topology and Geometry, University of California, Los Angeles, California
- (163) Spring 2017, Mathematics Colloquium, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York
- (164) Spring 2017, Topology Seminar and Hypatian Seminar, University of California, Santa Barbara, California
- (165) Summer 2017, Plenary Address, MathFest, Chicago, Illinois