# Alexandr Chernyavskiy

## Curriculum Vitae

## Education

- 2014–2018 **Ph.D Mathematics**, *McMaster University*, Hamilton, ON, Canada *Supervisor:* Dmitry Pelinovsky. Awarded: September 12, 2018
- 2012–2014 **M.Sc. Applied Mathematics**, *MIET*, Zelenograd, Moscow, Russia *Supervisor:* Georgy Alfimov. Awarded: June 11, 2014
- 2008–2012 **B.Sc. Information and Computer Science**, *MIET*, Zelenograd, Moscow, Russia *Supervisor:* Georgy Alfimov. Awarded: July 2, 2012

## Postdoctoral Experience

- 2021-2024 Visiting Assistant Professor, SUNY Buffalo, Buffalo, NY, USA
- 2019-2021 **Postdoctoral Fellow**, *University of Victoria*, Victoria, BC, Canada *Supervisor:* David Goluskin
- 2018-2019 Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Cape Town, Cape Town, South Africa Supervisor: Igor Barashenkov

#### Publications

#### Journal Articles

- 2023 **A. Chernyavsky, S. Dyachenko**, *Dynamics of 2D fluid in bounded domain via conformal variables*, Stud. Appl. Math., DOI: 10.1111/sapm.12663
- 2023 **A. Chernyavsky, G. Biondini**, Whitham modulation theory for the Zakharov-Kuznetsov equation and transverse instability of its periodic traveling wave solutions, Stud. Appl. Math, DOI: 10.1111/sapm.12651
- 2023\* A. Chernyavsky, J. Bramburger, G. Fantuzzi, D. Goluskin, Convex relaxations of integral variational problems: pointwise dual relaxation and sum-of-squares optimization, SIAM J. Optim. 33 481–512
- 2023 **I.V. Barashenkov, F. Smuts, A. Chernyavsky**, *Integrability and trajectory confinement in PT-symmetric waveguide arrays*, J. Phys. A: Math. Theor. 56, 165701
- 2020★ I.V. Barashenkov, A. Chernyavsky, Stable solitons in a nearly PT-symmetric ferromagnet with spin-transfer torque, Physica D 409, 132481
- 2018★ **A. Chernyavsky, D.E. Pelinovsky**, *Krein signature for instability of PT-symmetric states*, Physica D 371 48–59
- 2017 **G.L. Alfimov, A. Chernyavsky, I.V. Mel'nikov, N.A. Sobolev**, *Solitonic molecules in CMOS-compatible lasers with a nonlinear microring*, Nonlinear Optics (NLO) NW4A.1
- 2016\* A. Chernyavsky, D.E. Pelinovsky, Breathers in Hamiltonian PT-symmetric chains of coupled pendula under a resonant periodic force, Symmetry 8, 59
- 2016★ **A. Chernyavsky, D.E. Pelinovsky**, *Long-time stability of breathers in Hamiltonian*  $\mathcal{PT}$ -symmetric lattices, J. Phys. A: Math. Theor. 49, 475201

### **Book Chapters**

- 2022 **A. Chernyavsky, S. Dyachenko**, *Dynamics of Two-Dimensional Fluid in Bounded Domain via Conformal Variables*, in *Nonlinear Waves and Solitons on Contours and Closed Surfaces*, Springer Series in Synergetics
- 2019 **A. Chernyavsky, P.G. Kevrekidis, D.E. Pelinovsky**, *Krein Signature in Hamiltonian and PT-symmetric Systems*, in *Parity-time Symmetry and Its Applications*, Springer Tracts in Modern Physics 280

#### In Preparation

- 2024 **G.L. Alfimov, A. Chernyavsky**, *Methods for Solving Nonlinear Problems*, undergraduate textbook
- 2023 **A. Chernyavsky, B. Prinari, T. Horikis, D. Frantzeskakis, G. Koutsokostas**, *Dark-Bright Soliton Perturbation Theory for the Manakov System*

#### Thesis

2018 A. Chernyavsky, Hamiltonian Methods in PT-symmetric Systems, PhD Thesis

## Awards and Scholarships

- 2020 UVic President's Research-Enriched Teaching Award, CAD\$5,000
- 2019 UCT Postdoctoral Travel Grant, R20,000 (~CAD\$2,000)
- 2018 SIAM Travel Award, US\$650
- 2016 SIAM Travel Award, US\$650
- 2015 **PIMS** IPSW Travel Support, CAD\$750
- 2015–2018 McMaster International Excellence Award, CAD\$5,000 per year
- 2014–2015 F.R. Britton Scholarship, CAD\$5,000 per year
- 2014–2018 McMaster Graduate Scholarship, CAD\$3,000 per year
- 2014–2018 McMaster Research Scholarship, CAD\$9,000 per year
  - 2013 **MIET** research grant, RUB50,000 (∼CAD\$2,000)

#### Events

## Conferences

2024	SIAM Conference on Nonlinear Waves and Coherent Structures	Baltimore, MD
2023	CMS Winter Meeting	Montréal, QC
	The 4th Biennial Meeting of the SIAM PNW Section	Bellingham, WA
	AMS Fall Eastern Sectional Meeting	Buffalo, NY
	AIMS Conference on Dynamical Systems,	
	Differential Equations and Applications	Wilmington, NC
2022	AMS Fall Eastern Sectional Meeting	Amherst, MA
	SIAM Conference on Nonlinear Waves and Coherent Structures	Bremen, Germany
	IMACS Conference on Nonlinear Evolution Equations and Wave Pheno	omena Athens, GA
2019	The 2nd Biennial Meeting of the SIAM PNW Section	Seattle, WA
	The 3rd IMA Conference on Nonlinearity and Coherent Structures	Newcastle, UK
2018	SIAM Conference on Nonlinear Waves and Coherent Structures	Orange, CA
2016	CMS Winter Meeting	Niagara Falls, ON

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2013	Microelectronics and informatics conference Zelenograd, Moscow, Russia
	Nonlinear Equations and Complex Analysis  Bannoe Lake, Bashkorstostan, Russia
2021	Invited Talks
2021	MIET Applied Math seminar Zelenograd, Moscow, Russia
2020	McMaster AIMS Lab seminar  Hamilton, ON
2016	Workshops
2016	Nonlinear dynamics of many body systems workshop  Buffalo, NY  BUMS Led a visit Bookland Sel in a West shop
2015	PIMS Industrial Problem Solving Workshop  Saskatoon, SK
2016	Summer Schools
2016	MSRI Summer School  Berkeley, CA
	Ontario Summer School on High Performance Computing  Hamilton, ON
	Teaching Experience
2021-2024	Instructor, SUNY Buffalo, Buffalo, NY, USA College Calculus II, Introduction to Linear Algebra
2019-2021	Sessional Faculty, University of Victoria, Victoria, BC, Canada Computer-assisted Mathematics and Physics, Calculus for Social and Biological Sciences
2017	Sessional Faculty, McMaster University, Hamilton, ON, Canada
	Engineering Mathematics
2014–2018	Teaching Assistant, McMaster University, Hamilton, ON, Canada
	Teaching Development
2024	Perspectives on AI in Higher Education Conference
2023	Perspectives on Inclusive Pedagogy Conference
2022	Supervising student employees, Here to Career: What a Supervisor Needs to Know
2020	Faculty Institute of Teaching 2 Spring Course (FIT completion certificate) Instructional Skills Workshop (ISW completion certificate)
	How to Quickly Move Your Class Online, CourseSpaces Basics, Teaching with Kaltura,
	Teaching with Crowdmark, Introduction to Brightspace, Microsoft Teams for Teaching
	Anti-racism Awareness Pathway: A courageous conversation Workshop
2019	Faculty Institute of Teaching 1 Fall Course, Large-Class Lecturing Workshop
	Service
2023	Organizer of two sessions at AMS Fall Eastern Sectional Meeting
	SIAM Journal on Optimization Reviewer
2022-present	Equity, Diversity and Inclusion Committee
2022-present	Undergraduate Studies Committee
2021-present	European Physics Journal Reviewer
2021	Strategic Planning Research Retreat in Faculty of Science
2016-2018	McMaster SIAM Student Chapter secretary
2014	CMS Winter Meeting volunteer

# Computer skills

Basic Pascal, Erlang, Haskell, Scheme, R
Intermediate C, C++, Julia, Python, Html, Bash, Git, Windows, Mac OS
Advanced MATLAB, Maple, Mathematica, Language, Linux, Unix

### Referees

- 1 **Prof. Gino Biondini**, biondini@buffalo.edu SUNY Buffalo, Department of Mathematics, 324 Mathematics Building, Buffalo, NY 14260 USA Phone: +1-716-645-8810; Fax: 716-645-5039
- 2 Prof. Barbara Prinari, bprinari@buffalo.edu SUNY Buffalo, Department of Mathematics, 314 Mathematics Building, Buffalo, NY 14260 USA Phone: +1-716-645-8799; Fax: 716-645-5039
- 3 **Prof. Sergey Dyachenko**, sergeydy@buffalo.edu SUNY Buffalo, Department of Mathematics, 312 Mathematics Building, Buffalo, NY 14260 USA Phone: +1-716-645-8797; Fax: 716-645-5039
- 4 **Prof. David Goluskin**, goluskin@uvic.ca
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- 5 **Prof. Dmitry Pelinovsky**, dmpeli@math.mcmaster.ca McMaster University, Department of Mathematics and Statistics 1280 Main Street West, Hamilton, ON, Canada L8S 4K1 Phone: +1-905-525-9140, ext. 23424; Fax: +1-905-522-0935
- 6 **Prof. John Ringland**, ringland@buffalo.edu (Teaching) SUNY Buffalo, Department of Mathematics, 226 Mathematics Building, Buffalo, NY 14260 USA Phone: +1-716-645-8781; Fax: 716-645-5039