# Eric Stachura | Curriculum Vitae

## **Employment**

Kennesaw State University

Kennesaw, GA August 2024-present

**Associate Professor** 

Kennesaw State University

Kennesaw, GA

Assistant Professor

August 2018-July 2024

Haverford College Visiting Assistant Professor

Haverford, PA July 2016-June 2018

# **Visiting/Administrative Positions**

Basque Center for Applied Mathematics Visiting Fellow

Bilbao, Spain January 2021-May 2021

Immersive Visualization Environments Research Cluster Co-director

Coles College of Business at KSU, Kennesaw August 2024-present

#### Education

Temple University Philadelphia, PA

Ph.D. in Mathematics July 2016

Advisor: Cristian E. Gutiérrez

Temple University Philadelphia, PA

Teaching in Higher Education Certificate May 2016

University of Illinois at Chicago Chicago, IL

B.S. in Mathematics May 2011
Cum Laude and with honors. Minor: Physics.

Universidad Autónoma de Madrid Madrid, Spain

Semester Abroad Spring 2013

Also conducted research at Instituto de Ciencias Matemáticas (ICMAT).

Eidgenössiche Technische Hochschule (ETH)

Zürich, Switzerland

Semester Abroad Spring 2010

Studied mathematics and physics while conducting High Energy Physics research.

## **Funding**

#### Internal

KSU First Year Scholars program, 2024-2025: KSU Office of Undergraduate Research

KSU Birla Carbon student mentor, 2023: Birla Carbon, \$3,400

KSU Summer Research Fellowship, 2020: KSU Office of Research, \$10,000

KSU Seed Grant, 2019-2020: Mathematical Analysis of Optical Phenomena, \$9,128

External .....

American-Scandinavian Foundation Fellowship, 2019-2020: Mathematical Analysis of Nonlinear Maxwell Equations on rough surfaces, \$5,000

Visiting Fellowship, 2021: Basque Center for Applied Mathematics, \$7,363

**AMS-Simons Research Enhancement Grants for PUI Faculty,** *2023-2026*: Mathematical Analysis of Liquid Crystal optics, \$9,000

**Army Research Office,** *2024-2027***, grant W911NF-24-1-0040**: Analysis of the bi-anisotropic Maxwell equations on domains with rough boundaries, \$223,206

Army Research Office AEOP supplement, 2025: Summer Internship for students, \$11,292

#### **Publications**

\* denotes undergraduate student.

- E. Stachura. Well-Posedness of the Time-Dependent, Bi-Anisotropic Maxwell System on Anisotropic Fractals. 2025 URSI International Symposium on Electromagnetic Theory (EMTS), Bologna, Italy, 2025, pp. 1-4, doi: 10.46620/URSIEMTS25/KKAP2306
- 2. **E. Stachura**. *Mathematical methods in liquid crystal optics and lens design*. Springer Tracts in Modern Physics, 294, 2024.
- 3. **E. Stachura**, N. Wellander, and E. Cherkaev. Quantitative analysis of passive intermodulation and surface roughness. Studies in Applied Mathematics, 2024; 153:e12688. doi: 10.1111/sapm.12688
- 4. D. R. Adhikari and **E. Stachura**. *Eigenvalue problems for p-div-curl systems*. Journal of Mathematical Analysis and Applications, 526 (2), 127327, 2023 .
- 5. **E. Stachura**, Acoustic Wave propagation in Anisotropic Media with applications to Piezoelectric materials. Applicable Analysis, 101 (3), pp. 994-1010, 2022.
- 6. **E. Stachura** and N. Wellander. *Quantitative Trace Estimates for the Maxwell system in Lipschitz domains.* Mathematical Methods in the Applied Sciences, 44 (13), pp. 10635-10652, 2021.
- 7. **E. Stachura** and N. Hancock\*. *Bound states and energy eigenvalues of a radial screened Coulomb potential.* Journal of Physics Communications, 5(6), 065004, 2021.
- 8. D. R. Adhikari, T. M. Asfaw, and **E. Stachura**. A topological degree theory for perturbed  $A_G(S+)$  operators and applications to nonlinear problems. Journal of Mathematical Analysis and Applications, 497 (2), 124912, 2021.
- 9. D. R. Adhikari and **E. Stachura**, *General p-curl systems and duality mappings on Sobolev spaces for Maxwell equations*. Electon. J. Differential Equations, Vol. 2020 (2020), No. 116, pp. 1-22.
- 10. C. Mayer\* and **E. Stachura**. *Traveling wave solutions for a Cancer Stem Cell invasion model*. Discrete & Continuous Dynamical Systems B, 26 (9), pp 5067–5093, 2021.
- 11. Á. Bényi, J. M. Martell, K. Moen, **E. Stachura**, and R. Torres. *Boundedness results for commutators with BMO functions via weighted estimates: a comprehensive approach*. Mathematische Annalen, 376 (1), 61–102, 2020.

- 12. **E. Stachura**. *Solving for 5G: How Math Modeling can improve modern communication systems*. Global Atlanta, June 2020, Article Link.
- 13. **E. Stachura**. Boundary Value problems for the Bi-anisotropic Maxwell system in Lipschitz Domains, in *URSI International Symposium on Electromagnetic Theory (EMTS)*, 2019, 4 pp.
- 14. **E. Stachura**. Existence of Propagators for Time Dependent Coulomb-like Potentials. Rocky Mountain Journal of Mathematics, 49 (7), 2347-2374, 2019.
- 15. C. E. Gutiérrez, L. Pallucchini, and **E. Stachura**. *General Refraction Problems with Phase Discontinuity on non flat Metasurfaces*. Journal of the Optical Society of America A, Vol. 34(7): 1160-1172, 2017.
- 16. **E. Stachura**. Existence of weak solutions to Refraction Problems in Negative Refractive Index Materials. Nonlinear Analysis, Vol. 157, 76-103, 2017.
- 17. **E. Stachura**. The Time Dependent Maxwell System with Measurable Coefficients in Lipschitz Domains. Journal of Mathematical Analysis and Applications, Vol. 452 (2), 941-956, 2017.
- 18. C. E. Gutiérrez and **E. Stachura**. *Metamaterial Lens Design*. Journal of the Optical Society of America A, Vol. 33(10), 2020-2026, 2016.
- 19. **E. Stachura**, *On Generalized Solutions to Some Problems in Electromagnetism and Geometric Optics.* Ph.D Thesis, 2016.
- 20. C. E. Gutiérrez, **E. Stachura**. *Uniform Refraction in Negative Refractive Index Materials*. Journal of the Optical Society of America A, Vol. 32 (11), pp. 2110-2122, 2015.
- 21. I. Mitrea, K. Ott, and **E. Stachura**. *Spectral Properties of the Reflection Operator in Two Dimensions*. Contemporary Mathematics, Vol. 581, pp. 199-215, 2012.
  - MSj denotes (peer reviewed) Mathematical Modeling scenario j.
- (MS5) E. Stachura and T. Lozano (2022). 3-061-ChemEngApps-ModelingScenario. SIMIODE, QUBES Educational Resources. doi: 10.25334/61T9-4648
- (MS4) E. Stachura. (2022). 9-010-TravelingWave-ModelingScenario. SIMIODE, QUBES Educational Resources. doi: 10.25334/JEKM-0J14
- (MS3) E. Stachura. (2022). 9-005-InvasiveSpeciesModel-ModelingScenario. SIMIODE, QUBES Educational Resources.doi: 10.25334/ZPFB-YT32
- (MS2) R. Krueger and E. Stachura. (2022). 6-024-DronePackageDelivery-ModelingScenario. SIMIODE, QUBES Educational Resources. doi: 10.25334/22SC-AQ03
- (MS1) R. Krueger and E. Stachura (2019). 10-001-TilingHallway-ModelingScenario. SIMIODE, QUEBES Educational Resources. doi: 10.25334/2MZW-W214

# **Teaching experience**

#### Basque Center for Applied Mathematics

Optimal Transport and Geometric Optics in complex media: 10 hour course, February 2021

## Kennesaw State University

Differential Calculus (Math 1190): Fall 2018, Spring 2019, Fall 2021.

Ordinary Differential Equations (Math 2306): Fall 2020, Fall 2022, Spring 2023

Calculus IV (Math 3204): Spring 2022, Fall 2022

Partial Differential Equations (Math 4310): Fall 2021, Spring 2023

Intro to Calculus of Variations (Math 4490): Fall 2020, Spring 2023 (directed study)

## Haverford College

Calculus: Dynamics and Integration: Fall 2016.

Advanced Topics in Applied Mathematics-PDE: Fall 2016.

**Linear Algebra**: Spring 2017.

Multivariable Calculus: Spring 2017, Fall 2017, Spring 2018.

**Ordinary Differential Equations**: Spring 2018.

## Temple University

Precalculus: Fall 2013, Fall 2014, Fall 2015. Mathematical Patterns: Summer 2014.

Integral Calculus: Summer 2015.

# Undergraduate students supervised

## Kennesaw State University

Andrew Chincea (2024-2025): "Spectral properties of a fractal Laplacian"

Elizabeth laryguine (Fall 2024): "Neumann problems for the fractal Laplacian"

Elizabeth Ehme (2022-2024): "Mathematical analysis of liquid crystal optics"

Thomas Muzzillo (2021): "Nearly absolute instruments"

Jessie Chen (2020): "Variational problems for the 2D Maxwell system"

**Nick Hancock (2019-2020)**: "Bound states and other properties of a new class of screened Coulomb potentials"

## Haverford College

Caleb Mayer (2018): Senior Thesis "Exploring the dynamics of a Cancer Cell model".

Claire Sargent (2018): Senior Thesis "A Mathematical Model for Diffusion of Innovations".

Caroline Steliotes (2018): Senior Thesis "Nonuniqueness for Calderon's Inverse Problem".

**Amy Zamora (2018)**: Senior Thesis "A generalized PDE model for motor induced microtubule organization".

Andrew Hunter (2017): Senior Thesis "The Daubechies Wavelet".

Amanda Glavin (2017): Senior Thesis "Generalized Bass Diffusion Model for Discrete Data".

#### **Awards**

KSU Outstanding Scholarship and Creativity Award: 2024-2025

KSU College of Science and Mathematics Outstanding Scholarship and Creativity Award:

2024-2025

KSU Researcher of the year: 2023-2024 MAA Project NExT Fellow: 2019-2020 SIMIODE DeMarc Fellow: July 2019 SIMIODE MInDE Fellow: July 2018

#### Some recent invited talks

 $15^{th}$  AIMS conference at Athens, Greece Athens, Greece

July 2026

AMNS 2026 Kathmandu, Nepal

May 2026

April 2025

University of Minnesota Applied Mathematics Colloquium Minneapolis, MN

16 September 2024

SIAM Materials Science Pittsburgh, PA

21 May 2024

Applied Analysis and PDE Seminar at U. Athens (Greece) Virtual

17 May 2024

NMS-ANMA Talk series Virtual

3 May 2024

Georgia Southern Mathematics Colloquium Statesboro, GA

9 February 2024

The Arctic Quasiperiodic Workshop 2023 Luleå, Sweden

5 June 2023

Workshop on Applications of Geometric Methods of Functional Analysis Dallas, TX

5 May 2022

Berry College Math Colloquium Mt. Berry, GA

2 November 2020

University of Utah Applied Math Seminar Salt Lake City, UT

2 March 2020

Lund University Electrical and Information Technology Department Lund, Sweden

18 June 2019

Winthrop University Colloquium Rock Hill, SC

3 April 2019

West Chester University Applied Math Seminar West Chester, PA

8 November 2017

Hunter College of CUNY Department of Physics and Astronomy

New York, NY

5 May 2017

Drexel University PDE/Applied Math Seminar Philadelphia, PA

23 February 2017

Center for the Computational Design of Functional Layered Materials Philadelphia, PA

9 December 2016

## **Professional Activities**

**Reviewer**: Proceedings of the Royal Society A, Scientific Reviews, SN Partial Differential Equations and Applications, PLOS One, Optics Express, Optics Letters, Optics Continuum, Journal of Engineering Mathematics, Mathematics and Mechanics of Solids, Analysis Mathematica, Journal of Applied Analysis, Communications in Applied Analysis, International Journal of Mathematical Education in Science and Technology

Reviewer: Mathematical Reviews, MAA Reviews, ZentralblattMath

**Organizer**: SIAM Analysis and PDE Mini-symposium "Mathematical Analysis Related to Wave Propagation Near Exotic Interfaces", November 2025

**Organizer**: SIAM Materials Science Mini-symposium "Advances in Electromagnetic scattering in complex media", May 2021

**Co-organizer**: Workshop on Methods in Nonlinear Analysis, Kennesaw State University, Nov. 2020 **Co-organizer**: MAA Special Session in Implementing Group Work: Demonstrations of Best Practices

Joint Mathematics Meetings, Jan. 2020

Workshop leader: Philadelphia Area Math Teacher's Circle, March 2018

Organizer: Workshop Philadelphia Area Density Functional Theory Day, September 2017

Workshop Organizer: Philadelphia Science Festival, 2017, 2018

Special Program Grant Reviewer: Optical Society of America, 2017

Student Travel Grant reviewer: Optical Society of America, 2016

**Co-organizer**: AMS Special Session in Harmonic Analysis, Partial Differential Equations, and Geometric Measure Theory, Joint Mathematics Meetings, 2013