# Keeley Peter Hoek

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#### Education

2020–2025 Harvard University

PhD in Mathematics, graduating May 2025.

Advisor: Denis Auroux, Thesis: A Morse-theoretic approach to family Floer homology

2016–2019 Australian National University

PhB (Honours) (First Class) in Mathematics

with University Medal and ANU National University Scholarship. *Advisor: Kim Morrison, Thesis: Drinfeld centers for bimodule categories* 

# **Publications and Preprints**

[1] Keeley Hoek. A Morse-theoretic approach to family Floer homology. In preparation.

#### Previous work

- [2] Ryan Ahern, Mathew Zuparic, Alexander Kalloniatis, and Keeley Hoek. Unifying warfighting functions in mathematical modelling: combat, manoeuvre, and C2. *Journal of the Operational Research Society*, 73(9):2009-2027, 2021.
- [3] Alexander C. Kalloniatis, Keeley Hoek, Mathew Zuparic, and Markus Brede. Optimising structure in a networked Lanchester model for fires and manoeuvre in warfare. *Journal of the Operational Research Society*, 72(8):1863–1878, 2020.
- [4] Richard Taylor, Alexander C. Kalloniatis, and Keeley Hoek. Organisational hierarchy constructions with easy Kuramoto synchronisation. *Journal of Physics A: Mathematical and Theoretical*, 53:085701, 2020.
- [5] Mathew Zuparic and Keeley Hoek. Green's functions and the Cauchy problem of the Burgers hierarchy and forced Burgers equation. *Communications in Nonlinear Science and Numerical Simulation*, 73:275–290, 2019.

#### Awards and Honours

2022 Harvard University Certificate of Distinction in Teachi
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2019 ANU University Medal

Hanna Neumann Prize for Mathematics Honours

2016–2018 ANU Chancellor's Letters of Commendation, Dean's Science Education Commendation

2018 Simon Marais Mathematics Competition top 6 pair contestant in Australia

2017 Hanna Neumann Prize for Third Year Mathematics

Defence Science and Technology Group Summer Vacation Scholarship

2016 ANU National University Scholarship

2015 Maximum possible Australian university entrance score, ATAR 99.95 (dux)

Honourable Mention at 16th Asian Physics Olympiad in Hangzhou, China

Top 15 World Finalist in the Breakthrough Junior Challenge

Beth Heyde Award for Academic Excellence

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## Selected Talks

Oct 2024 Family Floer theory via Morse theoretic technology at the MIT Symplectic Seminar

**Apr 2024** *The Morse*  $A_{\infty}$ -category at the Harvard Zygotop Seminar

**Apr 2023** A classical uncertainty principle at the Harvard Trivial Notions Seminar

May 2022 Categorical linear algebra at the Harvard Trivial Notions Seminar

Oct 2021 The quantum Toda lattice and introduction to Whittaker functions at the Harvard Universal Centralizers Seminar

#### Undergraduate (Australian National University)

Nov 2019 Rewrite heuristics and pair exploration for automated theorem proving

Jun 2019 Transfers and tom Dieck splitting via the Wirthmüller isomorphism

**Nov 2018** *Monoidal* ∞-categories over ∞-operads: Elements of Higher Algebra

Jun 2018 Why study algebras over functors? Algebras, Monads, and Beck's monadicity theorem

# Teaching Experience

### Harvard University

**Spring 2024** Math 157: *Mathematics in the World* (Guest Lecturer)

**Fall 2023** Math 21B: Linear Algebra and Differential Equations (TF)

Math 230A: Differential Geometry (TA)

Spring 2023 Math 161: Introduction to formal verification of mathematics (Guest Lecturer)

**Fall 2022** Math 21B: Linear Algebra and Differential Equations (TF)

Math 230A: Differential Geometry (TA)

**Summer 2022** Math 99R: K-Theory and Hopf invariant one (Lecturer)

**Spring 2022** Math 21B: Linear Algebra and Differential Equations (Coach)

Math 212A: Advanced Real Analysis (TA)

#### Australian National University

**Sem. 1 2020** MATH1115: Advanced Mathematics and Applications 1 (TF)

**Sem. 2 2019** MATH1116: Advanced Mathematics and Applications 2 (TF)

Sem. 1 2019 MATH3349: Automated Theorem Proving in Lean (TA)

MATH1115: Advanced Mathematics and Applications 1 (TF)

**Sem. 2 2018** MATH1116: Advanced Mathematics and Applications 2 (TF)

**Sem. 1 2018** MATH1115: Advanced Mathematics and Applications 1 (TF)

**Sem. 2 2017** MATH1116: Advanced Mathematics and Applications 2 (CA)

**Sem. 1 2017** MATH1115: Advanced Mathematics and Applications 1 (CA)

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## Leadership and Service

2024 Small group leader for Harvard Math Includes program
2021-present Mentored 7 students (thus far) for Harvard Directed Reading Program (DRP), program organizer since 2022
2022–2023 Trivial Notions graduate student seminar co-organizer
2017–2020 Volunteered as enricher delivering sessions to high school students for Australian Mathematics Trust Canberra Mathematics Enrichment Programme
2017–2020 Volunteered as tutor/senior tutor for Australian Physics Olympiad Summer Schools, subsequent training camps, twice accompanying international team overseas
2019–2020 Volunteered to grade local submissions for the Tournament of Towns math competition
2016-present Numerous contributions to open source software, in wide ranging fields from the wgpu graphics library, to GNU Bash, to the Lean interactive theorem prover standard library and tooling

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