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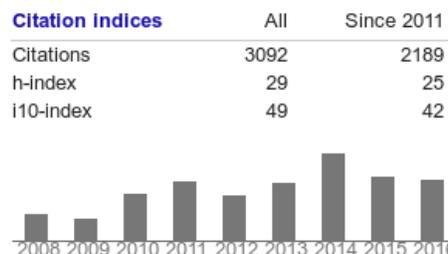
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16. The mimetic finite difference method for elliptic and parabolic problems with a staggered discretization of diffusion coefficient, *J. Comp. Phys.* **305** (2016), 113–126 (with G.Manzini, J.D.Moulton and M.Shashkov).
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54. The error-minimization-based rezone strategy for arbitrary Lagrangian-Eulerian methods, *Numerical Methods for PDEs* **22**:3 (2006), 617–637 (with M.Shashkov).

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74. 3D Helmholtz wave equation by fictitious domain method, *Russian J. Numer. Anal. and Math. Modelling*, **13** (1998), 371–389 (with Yu.Kuznetsov).
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77. Using ASCEM Modeling and Visualization to Inform Stakeholders of Contaminant Plume Evolution and Remediation Efficacy at F-Basin Savannah River, Proceeding of WM2015 Conf. March 15-19, 2015 Phoenix, AZ (with H.Wainwright, S.Molins, J.Davis, B.Arora, B.Faybishenko, H.Krishnan, S.Hubbard, G.Flach, M.Denham, C.Eddy-Dilek, D.Moulton, C.Gable, T.Miller and M.Freshley).
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79. Mimetic finite difference schemes with conditional maximum principle for diffusion problems, In Springer Proceedings in Mathematics & Statistics "Finite Volumes for Complex Applications VII - Methods and Theoretical Aspects", Volume 1, 2014, J.Fuhrmann, M.Ohlberger, C.Rohde (Editors), Springer, pp.373–381.
80. On shape-regularity of polyhedral meshes for solving PDEs, Online Proceedings on Int. Meshing RoundTable, 2013.
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2. *Design Principles of the Mimetic Finite Difference Schemes*, Workshop "Polytopal Element Methods in Mathematics and Engineering" Georgia Institute of Technology, GA, October 26-28, 2015.
3. *Mimetic finite difference method for elliptic problems*, London Mathematical Society – EPSRC Durham Symposium "Building bridges: connections and challenges in modern approaches to numerical partial differential equations", University of Durham, UK, July 15-16, 2014 (2 lectures).
4. *Mimetic finite difference method for diffusion problems*, International Workshop "Advanced methods for the diffusion equation on general meshes", Laboratory Jacques-Louis Lions, University of Paris 6, FRANCE, July 5, 2010.
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Invited:

6. *The mimetic finite difference method for the Landau-Lifshitz equation*, The Mathematics of Finite Elements and Applications (MAFELAP), Brunel University, London, UK, June 2016.
7. *Mimetic Finite Difference Method for the Richards Equation*, SIAM Conference on Mathematical and Computational Issues in the Geosciences, Palo Alto, CA, June-July 2015.
8. *Mimetic finite difference and virtual element methods*, International Workshop "Advanced Numerical Methods in the Mathematical Sciences", Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, May 2015.
9. *Mimetic finite difference method for elliptic equations, Part I*, Institute of Applied Physics and Computational Mathematics, Beijing, CHINA, October 2012.
10. *Mimetic finite difference method for elliptic equations, Part II*, Institute of Applied Physics and Computational Mathematics, Beijing, CHINA, November 2012.
11. *M-adaptation for numerical solution of PDEs*, International Workshop on Discretization method for Polygonal and Polyhedral Meshes, Milan, ITALY, September 2012.

12. *Advanced Discretizations for Modeling Flow and REactive Transport on Distorted Unstructured Grids*, SIAM annual meeting, Minneapolis, MN, July 2012.
13. *M-adaptation for numerical solution of PDEs*, The European Numerical Mathematics and Advanced Applications (ENUMATH), University of Leicester, UK, September 2011.
14. *A Mimetic Tensor Artificial Viscosity Method for Arbitrary Polygonal and Polyhedral Meshes*, SIAM Conference on Computational Science and Engineering, Reno, NV, March 4, 2011.
15. *Adaptive Solution of PDEs on Anisotropic Simplicial Meshes*, The 8th International Conference of Numerical Analysis and Applied Mathematics, Rhodes, GREECE, September 23, 2010.
16. *Advanced Numerical Methods in Mesh Generation and Mesh Adaptation*, The 7th International Conference on Engineering Computational Technology, Valencia, SPAIN, September 15, 2010.
17. *Monotone Family of Mimetic Finite Difference Methods*, International Workshop on Discretization Methods for Viscous Flows, Carry-le-Rouet, FRANCE, September 9, 2010.
18. *A multilevel multiscale mimetic (M^3) method for well-driven flows in porous media*, International Conference on Computational Science, University of Amsterdam, NETHERLANDS, June 1, 2010.
19. *A mimetic tensor artificial viscosity method for arbitrary polygonal and polyhedral meshes*, International Conference on Computational Science, University of Amsterdam, NETHERLANDS, May 31, 2010.
20. *A mimetic discretization of the Stokes problem with selected edge bubbles*, Scientific Computing Seminar, Department of Mathematics, University of Houston, September 10, 2009.
21. *Mimetic finite difference method for meshes with curved faces*, International Workshop on Discretization methods for Viscous Flows, Porquerolles, FRANCE, June 2009.
22. *A multilevel multiscale mimetic (M^3) method for two-phase flows in porous media*, The SIAM Conference on Mathematical and Computational Issues in the Geosciences, Leipzig, GERMANY, June 2009.
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24. *Optimal and quasi-optimal meshes for minimizing the interpolation error and its gradient* SIAM Conference Conference on Computational Science and Engineering, Miami, FL, March 2009.

25. *Mimetic finite difference method for solving PDEs on polygonal and polyhedral meshes*, Dipartimento di Matematica "F.Enriques", Università degli Studi di Milano, Milan, ITALY, December 2008.
26. *Local flux mimetic finite difference method for diffusion problems*, Istituto di Matematica Applicata e Tecnologie Informatiche, Pavia, ITALY, December 2008.
27. *Mimetic finite difference method for solving PDEs on polygonal and polyhedral meshes*, Department of Mathematics, University of Pittsburgh, PA, October 2008.
28. *Mimetic finite difference method for diffusion problems*, Multiphysics Methods Group Seminar, Idaho National Laboratory, September 2008.
29. *Mimetic finite difference method for PDEs*, CCMA PDEs and Numerical Methods Seminar Series, Department of Mathematics, PennState University, May 2008.
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34. *Second-order accurate discretization method for diffusion problems with tensor coefficients on polyhedral meshes*, Sandia National Laboratory, Albuquerque, NM, August 2007.
35. *Optimal and quasi-optimal meshes for numerical solution of PDEs*, Innovative Computing Laboratory, University of Tennessee, Knoxville TN, December 2006.
36. *The new error-minimization-based moving mesh method: theoretical and numerical analysis*, SIAM annual meeting, Boston, MA, July 2006.
37. *The error-minimization-based rezone strategy for arbitrary Lagrangian-Eulerian methods*, Seminar "Applied and Computational Mathematics", Tulane University, LA, January 2005.
38. *Mimetic finite difference methods on unstructured polyhedral meshes*, 8th US National Congress for Computational Mechanics, Austin, TX, July 2005.
39. *Convergence of mimetic finite difference discretizations for diffusion equations*, Workshop on Mimetic Discretizations of Continuum Mechanics, San Diego, CA, July 2003.
40. *Mimetic finite difference methods for diffusion equations on non-orthogonal AMR meshes*, Workshop on Mimetic Discretizations of Continuum Mechanics, San Diego, CA, July 2003.

Conferences:

41. *Upwinding in the mimetic finite difference method for nonlinear parabolic equations*, SIAM Conference on Computational Science & Engineering, Salt Lake City, UT, March 2015.
42. *M-adaptation*, Workshop on Discretization methods for fluid flows, University of Provence, Marseille, FRANCE, September 2011.
43. *A framework for developing a mimetic tensor artificial viscosity for Lagrangian hydrocodes on arbitrary polygonal and polyhedral meshes*, NECDC–Nuclear Explosives Code Developers’ Conference, Los Alamos, NM, October 2010.
44. *Mimetic Finite Difference (MFD) Methods: Theory and Applications*, 2010 DOE Applied Mathematics Program Meeting, Berkeley, CA, May 2010.
45. *Anisotropic mesh adaptation for solution of finite element problems using edge-based error estimates*, 18th international Meshing Roundtable, Salt Lake City, UT, October 2009.
46. *Local flux mimetic finite difference method for diffusion problems*, The Mathematics of Finite Elements and Applications (MAFELAP), Brunel University, London, UK, June 2009.
47. *Solving the diffusion and Stokes problems on polygonal and polyhedral meshes*, Finite Element Methods in Engineering and Science (FEMTEC 2009), Granlibakken Conference Center, Lake Tahoe, CA, January 2009.
48. *A mimetic finite-difference method for acoustic-wave modeling on arbitrary meshes*, Annual meeting of the Society of Exploration Geophysicists (SEG), Las Vegas, NV, November 2008.
49. *Hessian-free metric-based mesh adaptation via geometry of interpolation error*, 17th international Meshing Roundtable, Pittsburgh, PA, October 2008.
50. *Generation of quasi-optimal meshes based on a posteriori error estimates*, 16th international Meshing Roundtable, Seattle, WA, October 2007.
51. *Mimetic finite difference methods on polyhedral meshes*, SIAM Conference on Mathematical and Computational Issues in the Geosciences, Santa Fe, NM, March 20, 2007.
52. *Mimetic finite difference methods on generalized polyhedral meshes*, NECDC–14th Joint Laboratory Biennial Conference, Los Alamos, NM, October 2006.
53. *Numerical analysis of Hessian recovery methods for generating adaptive meshes*, 15th International Meshing Roundtable, Birmingham, LA, September 2006.
54. *New discretization methodology for diffusion problems on generalized polyhedral meshes*, LACSI Symposium, Santa Fe, NM, October 2005.
55. *On discrete boundaries and solution accuracy in anisotropic adaptive meshing*, 14th International Meshing Roundtable, San Diego, CA, September 2005.

56. *A family of mimetic finite difference methods on polygonal and polyhedral meshes*, SIAM Annual Meeting, New Orleans, LA, July 2005.
57. *Convergence of mimetic finite difference method for diffusion problems on polyhedral meshes*, SIAM Conf. on Computational Science & Engineering, Orlando, FL, February 2005.
58. *Convergence of mimetic finite difference method for diffusion problems on polyhedral meshes*, LACSI Symposium, Santa Fe, NM, October 2004.
59. *Error estimates for Hessian-based mesh adaptation algorithms with control of adaptivity*, 13th International Meshing Roundtable, Williamsburg, VA, September 2004.
60. *The EMB rezone strategy for ALE methods*, SIAM annual meeting, Portland, OR, July 2004.
61. *Error-minimization-based rezone strategy for ALE methods*, 8th Copper Mountain Conference, Copper Mountain, CO, April 2004.
62. *Mimetic discretizations for diffusion equation on polygonal meshes in Cartesian and cylindrical geometries*, LACSI Symposium, Santa Fe, NM, October 2003.
63. *Moving grids for problems of gas dynamics*, 7th US National Congress on Computational Mechanics, Albuquerque, NM, July 2003.
64. *Robust parallel algorithm for anisotropic adaptive tetrahedral meshes*, 7th US National Congress on Computational Mechanics, Albuquerque, NM, July 2003.
65. *Algebraic multilevel preconditioner with projectors*, 11th Copper Mountain Conference, Copper Mountain, CO, April 2003.
66. *Mimetic finite difference methods for diffusion equations on AMR meshes*, SIAM Conference on Mathematical and Computational Issues in the Geosciences, Austin, TX, March 2003.

Miscellaneous:

67. *Mimetic Finite Difference Schemes with Conditional Maximum Principle*, FVCA7 - The International Symposium of Finite Volumes for Complex Applications VII Berlin, June 15-20, 2014 (poster).
68. *Mimetic Finite Difference Method: Theory and Applications*, Computational Physics and Applied Math (CPAM) Review, Los Alamos National Laboratory, 2013.
69. *M-Adaptation*, 2011 DOE Applied Mathematics Program Meeting, Reston, VA, October 17-19, 2011 (poster).
70. *Mimetic Finite Difference Method for Generalized Polyhedral Meshes*, 6th International Symposium on Finite Volumes for Complex Applications, June 6-10, 2011, Prague, Czech Republic (poster).

71. *Mimetic Finite Difference Method for Modeling Subsurface Flows*, SIAM Conference of Mathematical & computational Issues in the Geosciences, Los Angeles, CA, March 2011 (poster).
72. *Amanzi: Transport Process Kernel*, Amanzi Developers ICE 2011 Workshop, Albuquerque, NM, February 2011.
73. *Amanzi: Flow & Transport Process Kernels*, Amanzi Developers ICE 2011 Workshop, Albuquerque, NM, February 2011.
74. *Mimetic finite difference methods: theory & applications*, Computational Physics and Applied Math (CPAM) Capability Review, Los Alamos National Laboratory, NM, June 2010 (poster).
75. *Anisotropic mesh adaptation for solution of finite element problems using edge-based error estimates*, Conference "Monge-Kantorovich Optimal Transport Theory and Applications", Santa Fe, NM, October 2009 (poster).
76. *A multilevel multiscale mimetic (M^3) method for two-phase flows in porous media*, ExxonMobil Upstream Research Company, Houston, TX, September 10, 2009.
77. *Mimetic Methods for Solving Diffusion Problems on Polyhedral Meshes*, ExxonMobil Upstream Research Company, Houston, TX, September 2007.
78. *Monotone Finite Volume Methods on Unstructured Triangular and Shape-Regular Polygonal Meshes*, ExxonMobil Upstream Research Company, Houston, TX, September 2007.
79. *A new discretization method for solving pressure equation on arbitrary meshes*, Los Alamos National Laboratory, September 2007.
80. *Mimetic discretizations*, OASCR Applied Mathematics PI Meeting, Livermore, CA, May 2007 (poster).

Workshop Organization:

1. **Co-organizer:** Minisymposium "Advanced Discretizations for Complex Applications", SIAM Conference on Computational Science & Engineering, Salt Lake City, UT, March 14-18, 2015.
2. **Co-organizer:** Minisymposium "Advanced Discretization Methods", International Conference "The Mathematics of Finite Elements and Applications", Brunel University, London, June 2009.
3. **Co-organizer:** *Adaptive anisotropic mesh generation: Advances in analysis and practice*, Minisymposium in the SIAM Conference on Mathematical and Computational Issues in the Geosciences, Avignon, France, June 7-10, 2005.
4. **Organizer:** *Moving mesh methods*, Minisymposium in the SIAM Annual Meeting, Portland, OR, July 12-16, 2004.

Panels & Committees:

1. *Committee Member*: Los Alamos National Laboratory, Laboratory-Directed Research and Development, Exploratory Research (LDRD/ER), *Computational and Numerical Methods*, 2016.
2. *Scientific Committee Member*: The International Symposium of Finite Volumes for Complex Applications VII Berlin, June 16-20, 2014.
3. *Invited External Reviewer*: Italian Research and University Evaluation Agency, 2012.
4. *Committee Member*: Dissertation by Danail Vassilev for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy, University of Pittsburgh, July 16, 2010.
5. *Panel Member*: DOE SciDAC Mid-Term Review of Applied Partial Differential Equations Center (APDEC), Washington DC, April 21, 2009.
6. *Panel Member*: "Research at Fundamental Scales" at Computational Subsurface Sciences Workshop, Washington DC, January 10-12, 2007.
7. *Committee Member*: Los Alamos National Laboratory, Laboratory-Directed Research and Development, Exploratory Research (LDRD/ER), *Mathematics and Computational Science*, 2006.

Awards:

- Outstanding Paper Award "A multiscale multilevel mimetic (M^3) method for well-driven flows in porous media" presented by Elsevier and Journal of Computational Science at the International Conference on Computational Science in Amsterdam, May 31-June 2, 2010.

Journal Referee:

- Applied Mathematics and Computations
- Journal of Computational Physics
- Journal of Computational and Applied Mathematics
- SIAM Journal on Numerical Analysis
- SIAM Journal on Scientific Computing
- Multiscale Modeling and Simulation
- Numerical Methods for PDEs
- Communications in Computational Physics
- Transport in Porous Media
- Acta Mathematica Scientia
- Applied Numerical Mathematics
- Physics Letters A
- Discrete Applied Mathematics
- Computational Mathematics and Mathematical Physics
- Computers and Mathematics with Applications
- IMA Journal on Numerical Analysis
- International Journal on Finite Volumes
- Engineering with Computers
- Mathematics and Computers in Simulations
- Computer Methods in Applied Mechanics and Engineering
- Russian Journal of Numerical Analysis and Mathematical Modelling
- Applied Mathematics and Computations
- Calcolo
- Computational and Applied Mathematics
- Computers & Fluids
- International Journal for Numerical Methods in Fluids
- Mathematical Models and Methods in Applied Sciences (M3AS)
- SPE Journal
- Mathematical Modelling and Numerical Analysis (M2AN)

The total number of reviewed manuscripts is 135.

Book Referee:

- John Wiley & Sons

Academic Activities:

1. mentor of the DOE SCGSR Fellow Eugenia Kim, 2015-2016
2. mentor of the postdoctoral researcher, Vitaliy Gyrya, 2010-2013
3. mentor of the summer student, Maranda Bean, 2013, 2014
4. mentor of the summer student, Oleksandr Misiats, 2011
5. mentor of the postdoctoral researcher, Daniil Svyatskiy, 2006–2009
6. mentor of the summer student, Vitaliy Gyrya, 2007, 2008
7. mentor of the summer student, Danail Vassilev, 2006
8. mentor of the summer student, Daniil Svyatskiy, 2005
9. reviewer for "Mathematical Reviews". 22 reviewed articles.

Professional Memberships:

- Society of Industrial and Applied Mathematics (SIAM)
- American Mathematical Society (AMS), until 2008

Computing Experience:

- *Numerical Analysis:*

I have 18 years of experience in developing algorithms for the numerical solution of partial differential equations. Knowledge of discretization techniques includes finite differences, finite elements, spectral elements, and finite volume methods. Knowledge of iterative solution techniques includes preconditioned Krylov subspace, multigrid and domain decomposition methods.

- *Programming:*

Experience with many languages, including Fortran, C, C++, MPI, Matlab, L^AT_EX, PostScript, HTML, XML. Currently working on a few multi-developer projects that use various version control systems (CVS, SVN, Mercurial).

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