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### Education:

Fall 2000 – now Fellowship of **New York University**, PhD at **Courant Institute** of Mathematical Sciences, Interests: Stochastic/Malliavin Calculus, Jump processes, Finance; Advisor: **S. Varadhan**  
Oct 1999 – Jun 2000 **Cambridge University**, Certificate of Advanced Studies in Mathematics, scholarship and member of **Trinity College**, elected Fellow of **Cambridge European Trust**  
Sep 1997 – Jun 1999 **Ecole Centrale Paris**, Physics and Engineering, top 5% ranking of entire class; double-degree program with  
1993–1999 **Vienna University of Technology** (Austria), Computer science, highest honors

### Teaching experience:

Fall 2000 – now Teaching at NYU (Calculus, Case Studies in Financial Modeling)  
Aug 1999 Teaching undergraduate-maths for "classe prépa" students in Paris, France  
Sep 1995 – Jan 1997 Teaching-assistant at the TU-Vienna, Austria

### Professional and research experience:

Summer 2001 **BNP-Paribas** (New York), Fixed-Income research: project on Bermudan Swaptions  
Summer 2000 Research project at the **Ecole Normale Supérieure** (Paris, France), results published  
Summer 1998 Research project at **Oxford University** (Dept. of Applied Mathematics), results published  
Feb 1996 Network installation at BOEHLER (Milan, Italy)  
Summer 1991–94 Several IT-internships in Vienna, Austria (including **IBM**)

### Languages:

German Mother tongue  
English Studies in UK/USA since 99  
French Studies in France for 2 years, "Diplôme de Langue Française" (Alliance Française)  
Italian 4 years at school, summer lectures (95), internship in Italy  
Russian Humble reading skills (with dictionary)

### Computing / programming skills (not exhaustive):

C, C++, MatLab, Mathematica, Excel

### Publications:

– *Application of large deviation methods to the pricing of index options in finance* **C.R.Acad.Sci.Paris (to appear)**, joint with M.Avellaneda, D. Boyer-Olson, Jerome Busca  
– *Reconstruction of Volatility: Pricing index options using the steepest-descent approximation* **RISK (Oct. 2002)**, joint with M.Avellaneda, D. Boyer-Olson, Jerome Busca  
– *Constructing elementary measures on spaces of projections* **J.Math.Analysis Appl. 267 (2002)**, with J.C.R.  
– *Nodal parametrisation of attractors for Dirichlet boundary conditions* **Discr.Cont.Dyn.Syst.(2001)**, joint with I. Kukavica & J.C.Robinson  
– *Parametrising the attractor of the two-dimensional Navier-Stokes equation with a finite set of nodal value* **Physica D 148 (2001)**, joint with J.C. Robinson  
– *Smooth attractors have zero "thickness"* **J.Math.Analysis Appl. 240 (1999)**, with J.C.R.

### Others:

Jul 96 – Jun 97 Military Service in Vienna (military brass band)  
Sep 96 – Jun 97 Admission to Vienna Music Conservatory, Jazz department (saxophone)

**Conferences:**

- *Probability 2000* Courant, Fall 2000
- *Advances in Mathematics* Harvard University, Fall 2000
- *Stochastic PDE* Trento/Italy, Jan 2002
- *Geometry Festival* Courant, Spring 2002
- *Applied Math Days* RPI, Spring 2002

**Talks:**

- *Malliavin Calculus* Courant, Fall 2001
- *Geometric Aspects in Diffusions* TU–Vienna, Jan 2002
- *Transformation Behaviour in Backward Stoch. Diff. Equ.* RPI, Spring 2002

**Prizes:**

- *"Wuerdigungspreis des BMBWK "* Fall 2000
- *Courant PhD–Fellowship* Summer 2000
- *Elected Fellow of the Cambridge European Trust* Spring 1999
- *Trinity College Maths Scholarship* Spring 1998
- *"Leistungsstipendium des BMBWK"* 1994–98
- *"Stiftungsstipendium der TU–Wien"* 1994–98