

# Curriculum Vitae for Lionel Mason

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## Main appointments

2005—: Title of Professor of Mathematics, University of Oxford  
2000–5: Title of Reader, University of Oxford  
1994–: University Lecturer, University of Oxford, & Tutorial Fellowship, St Peter's College.  
1989-94: S.E.R.C. Advanced Fellow, University of Oxford  
1987-8: Andrew Mellon Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Pittsburgh & Syracuse University.  
1985-9: Esmée Fairbairn Junior Research Fellow, New College Oxford.

## Qualifications

1986: D.Phil.: Twistors in curved Space-time, University of Oxford.  
1982: Certificate of Advanced Study, Distinction, University of Cambridge.  
1981: BA Maths, 1st Class, University of Oxford

## Visiting positions (1999 on)

2015: Professeur Invité Université Paris VII for month of September-October and member Centre Emile Borel, Institute Henri Poincaré (programme on mathematical relativity).  
2013: August-December, Simons Center for Geometry and Physics, Stonybrook, joint organiser of programme 'The Mathematics and Physics of Scattering amplitudes'.  
2009: January-May, IHES, Bures Sur Yvette, Paris.  
2006: Newton Institute, Cambridge, September, "Painlevé equations and isomonodromy", joint programme organiser.  
2005: University of Edinburgh May-July.  
2003: December, Professeur Invité Université Paris VII for month of December, and member of Centre Emile Borel, Institute Henri Poincaré (invited lecture series, organised by Prof Gennadi Henkin).  
2003: Isaac Newton Institute, July, Nonlinear waves.  
2002: University of Edinburgh May-July.  
2002: Professeur Invité, University Bordeaux 1, April..  
2001: Member, Mathematical Sciences Research Institute, UC Berkeley, fall.  
2001: Isaac Newton Institute, Integrable systems, August and December.  
1999: Feza Gursey Institute, Istanbul (invited lecture series).  
1999: The Erwin Schrödinger Institute, Vienna (programme co-organiser) and Collegium Budapest, Budapest (co-organiser).

## Administrative positions

1998–2008: Senior Maths Tutor, St Peters College.  
1998-2000: Examiner for MSc in GMPA.

2000-1 and 2002-5: Finals examiner, Chairman 2002-3.

2002-5: Lecture list secretary.

2010-11, 2013-4: Moderator (1st year examinations).

## Research career to date

My research has mostly focussed on twistor theory both in its aspirations as a programme for basic physics and in its applications to nonlinear equations, geometry, mathematical physics and with a particular emphasis on integrable systems and general relativity. The recent developments in twistor-string theory have taken my recent research towards field theory and string theory and particularly scattering theory and amplitudes.

## Graduate teaching

I currently have 4 D.Phil. students Grigalius Tsaujanskas, Hadleigh Frost, Andrea Ferrari, Stefan Nekovar. 12 have graduated under my supervision with the starred ones still in academia: Yvonne Geyer\*, Tim Adamo\*, Mat Bullimore\*, Norman Metzner, Arman Taghavi Chabert\*, Wen Jiang, Andy Dougan, Wing Chung Fong\*, Mark Cundy, Steve Barge, Maciej Dunajski\*, Woon Wong. Of these, four have permanent positions: Maciej Dunajski (Cambridge), Arman Taghavi-Chabert (American University of Beirut), Wing Chung Fong (Chinese University of Hong Kong), Mat Bullimore (Durham).

### Postdocs:

I currently supervise Dr Eduardi Casali.

### Former postdocs:

Dr Yvonne Geyer 2016, Dr Susama Agarwala 2013-15, Dr Ricardo Monteiro 2013-15, Dr Arthur Lipstein 2011-14, Dr Mat Bullimore, 2012-13, Dr Ron Reid-Edwards 2009-13, Dr David Skinner, 2008-9, Dr Vasilisa Schramchenko 2007-10, Dr Rutger Boels 2004-6. All remain in academia and all but two are now permanent.

## Seminars

I have been running the relativity seminar in Oxford since 1998.

I regularly give seminars in maths and physics departments, meetings and international conferences, of the order of 10 per year.

## Conference organisation and grants

The following are all joint efforts (except the LMS invited lecture series).

2017: New Horizons in Twistor Theory, Oxford, January 4-7.

2016: Isaac Newton Institute Cambridge, Gravity, amplitudes and twistors, 20 June-8 July.

2016: March 21-22: Oxford-Humboldt summit.

2015: Amplitudes ETH Zurich, 6-10 July.

2014: September 22-25. New geometric structures in Scattering amplitudes, supported by Epsrc and in collaboration with the Clay Mathematical Institute.

2014: March 27-28: Oxford-Berlin summit 2 day meeting to foster relations between mathematical physics groups in Humboldt and Oxford.

2013: The Physics and Mathematics of Scattering Amplitudes, The Simons Center for Geometry and Physics, August -December.

2013: The mathematics of CCC; Mathematical Physics with a positive Lambda: Clay Maths Institute Sept 11-13.

2012: Geometry of Scattering Amplitudes: Banff International Research Station, 26-31 August.

2011: Twistors Geometry and Physics, 21-22 July, <http://people.maths.ox.ac.uk/lmason/rp80.html>.

- 2008: Geometry, Integrability and Twistor theory, 24-27 June, CMS, Cambridge.
- 2007: Durham symposium on "Twistors, Strings and Scattering Amplitudes", one week August, funded by the EPSRC, £25k plus overheads.
- 2006: Painlevé equations and Isomonodromy, 4 week meeting in the Isaac Newton Institute, September 2006 with one week an instructional meeting, and another being a research meeting. (£30k from Newton Institute.)
- 2005: Twistor-String theory in Oxford, January, LMS £12,000.
- 2001: Geometry of integrable systems, Isaac Newton Institute, 3 days in November.
- 2000: Invited Lecture Series by Prof Dubrovin with supplementary lectures. LMS: £2k
- 1999: Twistor theory, Collegium Budapest, 4 days in July.
- 1997 & 1999: programme on CR structures and spaces of geodesics, Erwin Schrodinger Institute, Vienna, 600,000 Schillings.
- 1997: Integrability in Complex methods in differential geometry, ICMS, 1 week meeting.
- 1996: Geometric Issues in the Foundations of Science, LMS £2.5k, EPSRC; £16.5k.

## Other grants and Fellowships

- 2015: EPSRC grant EP/M018911/1: Ambitwistor strings and the complex geometry of the S-matrix £374k.
- Leverhulme Research Fellowship. 2011-13, £50k.
- 2012: EPSRC grant EP/J019518/1: "Holomorphic linking and the twistor geometry of the S-Matrix" for PDRA and meeting £285k.
- 2007: EPSRC grant EP/F016654/1: "The foundations of twistor-string theory", for postdoctoral research assistant (£284k).
- 2005: Leverhulme Senior Research Fellowship, £27k to pay for replacement teaching and administration for the academic year 2005-6 (one awarded in Mathematics that year).
- 2004: Node coordinator for Enigma Marie Curie research training network, 210k euros for one postdoc, two visiting students and two workshops and travel for members of the node over a four year period.
- 1995: Nato Collaborative Research Grant, £5 k.
- 1995: Nuffield foundation new lecturer startup grant, £2.5k.

## Publications

**D.Phil Thesis:** (Oxford, 1986) *Twistors in Curved Space-Time*.

## Books

### Research Monograph:

Mason, L.J. and Woodhouse, N.M.J. (1996) *Integrability, self-duality and twistor theory*, O.U.P.

### Edited works:

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