

# Matteo ACCLAVIO

Curriculum Vitae et Studiorum

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since 01/2024	Lecturer in Computer Science (5 months, ongoing), University of Sussex
	Professional experiences
$\begin{array}{c} 01/2023  ightarrow 01/2024 \end{array}$	<b>Postdoc in theory of programming languages (12 months)</b> , University of Southern Denmark, research project: "X-IDF: Explainable Internet Data Flows"
6/2022  ightarrow 01/2023	<b>Postdoc in formal verification (12 months)</b> [Assegno di ricerca], Università Roma Tre, research grant title: "Logical Methods and Formal Verification of Cryptographic Algorithms"
6/2020  ightarrow 05/2022	<b>Postdoc in cybersecurity (24 months)</b> , University of Luxembourg, team: "Security and Trust of Software Systems"
12/2019  ightarrow 5/2020	<b>Research engineer (6 months)</b> , Télécom SudParis and LIX-École polytechnique, research grant title: "Linking Focusing and Automated Theorem Proving"
12/2019  ightarrow 5/2020	<b>Adjunct Professor (6 months)</b> , American University of Paris, Course: "Intro to computer programming II" (Object Oriented Programming)
1/2019  ightarrow 12/2019	<b>Postdoc in pedagogy of mathematics (12 months)</b> [Assegno di ricerca], Università Roma Tre, research grant title: "Research laboratories for the renewal of mathematical teaching"
$\begin{array}{c} 10/2017 \rightarrow \\ 11/2018 \end{array}$	<b>Postdoc in proof theory (14 months)</b> , Inria Saclay, France, research grant title: "Structural and Computational Proof Theory"
$01/2017 \rightarrow 06/2017$	Assistant lecturer in mathematics (6 months)[ATER plein temps], Université Caen Normandie,
00/2017	France

- $09/2015 \rightarrow$  Assistant lecturer in mathematics (12 months)[ATER plein temps], Aix-Marseille Université, 08/2016 France
- $10/2012 \rightarrow \mbox{Ph.D}$  with teaching duties (35 months), Aix-Marseille Université, France 08/2015

## Formation

 $10/2012 \rightarrow$  Ph.D. in Mathematics (50 months) 12/2016 Supervisor : Yves Lafont (I2M, Institut de Mathématiques de Marseille) Titre : String diagram rewriting: applications in category and proof theory. Jury members: Willem Heijltjes (referee), Samuel Mimram (referee), Vito Michele Abrusci, Pierre-Louis Curien, Miriam Quatrini, Luigi Santocanale, Lorenzo Tortora De Falco. 02/2011 → Franco-italian master curricula in logic (24 months), Università degli studi Roma Tre/Université 02/2013 d'Aix-Marseille II, (Roma/Marseille): Master MDFI: "Mathématiques Discrètes et Fondements de l'Informatique" (Master degree in discrete mathematics and foundations of computer science) (10/2011 - 06/2012), Università d'Aix-Marseille II, Marseille Master thesis: "Comparing various proofs of the Novikov-Boone theorem based on rewriting" Supervisors: Lorenzo Tortora de Falco / Yves Lafont Final grade: 14,44/20. Laurea magistrale in Matematica (Master degree in Mathematics) (02/2011 – 02/2013), Università degli studi Roma Tre, Roma Master thesis: "Undecidability of the word problem for groups: the point of view of rewriting theory" Supervisors : Lorenzo Tortora de Falco / Yves Lafont Final grade : 110/110 cum laude.  $09/2006 \rightarrow$ Laurea Triennale in Matematica (Bachelor degree in Mathematics, 51 months), Università 02/2011 degli studi Roma Tre, Roma. Bachelor thesis: "Algoritmi efficienti per la soluzione del problema Clique" [Efficient algorithms for the clique problem] Supervisor : Professor Marco Liverani Final grade : 98/110 .

# Publications

Note that the research in my field is driven by conference publications. Conferences evaluate submissions based on peer-reviewed reports. In the following list, publications in the top 20% venues (according to CORE and Scimago) are marked by a \*.

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#### Journals

- \* 10/2022 Matteo Acclavio, Ross Horne, Lutz Straßburger. An Analytic Propositional Proof System on Graphs. Logical Methods in Computer Science https://arxiv.org/abs/2012.01102
- \* 05/2018 Matteo Acclavio. Proof diagrams for multiplicative linear logic: syntax and semantics. Journal of Automated Reasoning https://doi.org/10.1007/s10817-018-9466-4

#### Conference proceedings

- \* to appear Matteo Acclavio. Sequent Systems on Undirected Graphs. International Joint Conference on all aspects of Automated Reasoning (IJCAR2024).
- to appear Matteo Acclavio, Roberto Maieli. Logic Programming with Multiplicative Structures.
  - 02/2024 Matteo Acclavio, Gianluca Curzi, Giulio Guerrieri. Infinitary cut elimination via finite approximations. Computer Science Logic (CLS2024). https://drops.dagstuhl.de/entities/document/10. 4230/LIPIcs.CSL.2024.8
  - 09/2023 Matteo Acclavio, Davide Catta. Lorenzen-style strategies as proof-search strategies. European Conference on Multi-Agent Systems (EUMAS2023). https://link.springer.com/chapter/10. 1007/978-3-031-43264-4\_10

- 09/2023 Matteo Acclavio, Davide Catta, Federico Olimpieri. Canonicity of Proofs in Constructive Modal Logic. Tableaux2023. https://link.springer.com/chapter/10.1007/978-3-031-43513-3\_19
- 08/2022 Matteo Acclavio, Lutz Straßburger. Combinatorial Proofs for Constructive Modal Logic. Advanced in Modal Logic (AiML2022). http://matteoacclavio.com/Archive/AiML2022.pdf
- \* 06/2022 Matteo Acclavio, Ross Horne, Sjouke Mauw, Lutz Straßburger. A Graphical Proof Theory of Logical Time. 7th International Conference on Formal Structures for Computation and Deduction (FSCD2022). https://drops.dagstuhl.de/opus/volltexte/2022/16303/
  - 12/2021 Matteo Acclavio. Exponentially Handsome Proof Nets and Their Normalization. Postproceeding of Linearity & TLLA 2020. https://doi.org/10.4204/eptcs.353.1
  - 12/2021 Matteo Acclavio, Giulio Guerrieri. A Deep Inference System for Differential Linear Logic (extended version). Postproceeding of Linearity & TLLA 2020. https://doi.org/10.4204/eptcs.353.2
  - 09/2021 Matteo Acclavio, Davide Catta, Lutz Straßburger. Game Semantics in Constructive Modal Logic. Tableaux 2021. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-86059-2\_25
- \* 07/2020 Matteo Acclavio, Ross Horne, Lutz Straßburger. Logic Beyond Formulas: A Proof System on Graphs. ACM/IEEE Symposium on Logic in Computer Science (LICS2020). https://hal.inria. fr/hal-02560105
  - 01/2020 Matteo Acclavio, Roberto Maieli. *Generalized Connectives for Multiplicative Linear Logic*. Computer Science Logic 2020 (CSL2020). https://drops.dagstuhl.de/opus/volltexte/2020/11649/ pdf/LIPIcs-CSL-2020-6.pdf
  - 09/2019 Matteo Acclavio, Lutz Straßburger. On Combinatorial Proofs for Modal Logics. Tableaux 2019. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-29026-9\_13
  - 07/2019 Matteo Acclavio, Lutz Straßburger. On Combinatorial Proofs for Logics of Relevance and Entailment. 26th Workshop on Logic, Language, Information and Computation (Wollic 2019). https://doi. org/10.1007/978-3-662-59533-6\_1
  - 07/2018 Matteo Acclavio, Lutz Straßburger. From Syntactic Proofs to Combinatorial Proofs. International Joint Conference on all aspects of Automated Reasoning (IJCAR 2018). https://doi.org/10. 1007/978-3-319-94205-6\_32
  - 06/2016 Matteo Acclavio. *Proof diagrams for multiplicative linear logic*. In EPTCS 238 and Proceeding of Linearity 2016. https://arxiv.org/abs/1606.09016

Conferences with evaluation committee (no formal publication)

- 07/2020 Matteo Acclavio. Exponentially Handsome Proof Nets. Linearity & TLLA 2020
- 07/2020 Matteo Acclavio, Giulio Guerrieri. A Deep Inference System for Differential Linear Logic. Linearity & TLLA 2020
- 06/2018 Matteo Acclavio, Proof diagrams as concurrent syntax for Sequent Calculi, Unilog 2018
- 06/2018 Matteo Acclavio, A Constructive Proof of Coherence Theorem for Symmetric Monoidal Category, Unilog 2018
- 09/2017 Matteo Acclavio, A constructive proof of coherence for symmetric monoidal categories using rewriting, HDRA 2017
- 09/2017 Matteo Acclavio, Proof diagrams for multiplicative linear logic: syntax and semantics, STRINGS 2017

#### Technical reports, preprints, submissions

- submitted Matteo Acclavio, Gianluca Curzi, Giulio Guerrieri. Non-wellfounded parsimonious proofs and non-uniform complexity. https://arxiv.org/pdf/2404.03311
- 05/2024 Matteo Acclavio, Fabrizio Montesi, Marco Peressotti. On Propositional Dynamic Logic and Concurrency. https://arxiv.org/abs/2403.18508
- 05/2023 Matteo Acclavio. Graphical Proof Theory I: Multiplicative Linear Logic Beyond Cographs. Preprint https://arxiv.org/abs/2305.12975
- 04/2024 Matteo Acclavio, Gianluca Curzi, Giulio Guerrieri. *Infinitary cut-elimination via finite approximations* (extended version). https://arxiv.org/abs/2308.07789

- 04/2021 Matteo Acclavio, Davide Catta, Lutz Straßburger. *Towards a Denotational Semantics for Proofs in Constructive Modal Logic*. https://arxiv.org/abs/2104.09115
- 07/2018 Matteo Acclavio. Gli stage Hippocampe: dall'esperienza dell'IREM di Marsiglia a quella dell'Università Roma Tre. Preprint http://matteoacclavio.com/Archive/ RapportoHippocampe.pdf
- 06/2015 Matteo Acclavio. A constructive proof of coherence for symmetric monoidal categories using rewriting. Preprint https://arxiv.org/abs/1606.01722v2

## Selected Talks

The complete list is available at https://matteoacclavio.com/research.html#Talks

#### Invited Talks

- 25/03/2024 Constructive modal logic: game semantics and lambda-calculi", DutchCat seminar, Amsterdam (NL)
- 23/02/2024 "Let me be clear", Logic Mentoring Workshop 2024, Napoli (IT)
- 15/09/2023 "The proof theory of Pomsets", (i)Po(m)set Project Online Seminar, (online)
- 28/09/2022 "Logic Beyond Formulas", Online Workshop Series "Proofs, Computation and Meaning": On the syntax of proofs, (online)
- 29/06/2022 "Game Semantics for Constructive Modal Logics, Games in Logic Workshop, Vienna (AU)
- 27/06/2021 "An introduction to combinatorial proofs", Linearity & TLLA 2021, Roma (IT, online)
- 14/01/2021 "De la simplicità des preuves: le 24e problàme de Hilbert", Journàe mondiale de la Logique, Montpellier (FR, online)

#### Presentation of works at events with evaluation committee

- 23/02/2024 Infinitary cut elimination via finite approximations", CSL2024, Napoli (IT)
- 07/09/2023 "Proof Systems Operating on Graphs", SILFS Triennal Conference 2023, Urbino (IT)
- 06/09/2023 "On Proof Equivalence and Combinatorial Proofs", SILFS Triennal Conference 2023, Urbino (IT)
- 02/07/2023 "Logic Programming with Multiplicative Structures", DCM'23 (FSCD), Roma (IT)
- 01/07/2023 "Multiplicative Logic Beyond Cographs", TLLA2023, Roma (IT)
- 01/07/2023 "Non-uniform polynomial time via non-wellfounded parsimonious proofs", TLLA2023, Roma (IT)
- 11/11/2022~ "On proof equivalence via combinatorial proofs", 4th Workshop on Proof Theory and its Applications, Utrecht (NL)
- 13/10/2022 "A Graphical Proof System for Logical Clocks", Journaes LHC 2022, Paris (FR)
- 15/09/2022 "Game Semantics for Constructive Modal Logics", Incontro AILA 2022, Caserta (IT)
- 13/09/2022 "Logic Beyond Formulas: Designing Proof Systems on Graphs, Incontro AILA 2022, Caserta (IT)
- 07/09/2022 "Logic Beyond Formulas: Designing Proof Systems on Graphs ", LATD2022, Paestum (IT)
- 24/08/2022 "Combinatorial Proofs for Constructive Modal Logics, AiML2022, Rennes (FR)
- 15/06/2022 "Graphical Proof Theory", NIETS workshop, Bath (UK)
- 10/06/2022 "On Game Semantics and Combinatorial Proofs", StrIP Kick-Off Workshop, Birmingham (UK)
- 03/12/2021 "An Analytic Proof System on Graphs", Workshop on Proof Theory and its Applications, Funchal  $(\mathsf{P})$
- 07/09/2021 "Game Semantics for Constructive Modal Logic", TABLEAUX2021, Birmingham (UK, hybrid)
- 22/01/2021 "Fantastic Connectives and Where to Find Them", Workshop Ràseaux, Montpellier (FR, online)
- 16/01/2020 "Generalized Connectives for Multiplicative Linear Logic", CSL2020, Barcellona (ES)
- 05/09/2019 "On Combinatorial Proofs for Modal Logic", Tableaux 2019, London (UK)
- 04/07/2019 "On Combinatorial Proofs for Logics of Relevance and Entailment", Wollic 2019, Utrecht (NL)
- 24/03/2019 "From Syntactic Proofs to Combinatorial Proofs"", Proof-Theoretic Semantics 2019, Tubingen (D)
- 24/01/2019 "Combinatorial Proofs for the Modal Logic K", SYSMICS 2019, Amsterdam (NL)
- 07/12/2018 "Combinatorial Proof for Modal Logic K", FISP meeting, Vienna (A)

- 09/09/2017 "Proof Diagrams for Multiplicative Linear Logic: Syntax and Semantics", STRING workshop (FSCD2017), Oxford (UK)
- 09/09/2017 "A constructive proof of coherence for symmetric monoidal categories using rewriting", HDRA workshop (FSCD2017), Oxford (UK)
- 22/06/2017 "Proof diagrams: Another parallel syntax for proof-theory", Triennial International Conference of the Italian Society for Logic and Philosophy of Science, Bologna (IT)
- 25/06/2016 "Proof diagrams for multiplicative linear logic", Linearity workshop at FSCD2016, Porto (P)

# Teaching activities

## Graduate School Teaching

- 2024 MGS2024: Midlands Graduate School 2024 (Leicester, UK)
  - **co-Lecturer** with Sonia Marin: "Session Types" (Advanced course for Master and PhD students, and young researchers).
- 2023 ESSLLI2023: European Summer School in Logic, Language and Information (Ljubljana, SI)
  - **co-Lecturer** with Paolo Pistone: "Introduction to Proof Equivalence" (Introductory course for Master and PhD students, and young researchers).

#### University Teaching

- 2024 University of Sussex
  - Lecturer "Operating Systems" (Bachelor in Computer Science, [7/22 classes, 7h]).
- $2021 \rightarrow 2022$  University of Luxembourg
  - Lecturer "Distributed Systems" (Master 1 info, 4h [2/12 classes]).
  - Lecturer "Security Protocols" (Master 2 info, 8h [4/12 classes, replacing course leader]).
  - Lecturer "Network Security" (Master info, 3h [1/4 classes]).
  - Exercise Sessions "Formal Methods" (Master 1 info, 4h).

#### $2020 \rightarrow 2021$ University of Luxembourg

- Lecturer "Security 2" (Licence 3 info, 12h [6/12 classes, replacing course leader]).
- Lecturer "Security Protocols" (Master 2 info, 2h [1/12 classes]).
- Lecturer "Network Security" (Master info, 3h [1/4 classes]).
- 2020 Contract Lecturer, American University of Paris:
  - Lecturer spring course "Intro to Computer Programming II", (Major course in computer science, 54h).
- 2019 Assegno di Ricerca, Universitá Roma Tre:
  Exercise Sessions "Teoremi sulla logica 1" (Master in Math and Master in Philosophy, 12h).
- 2017 ATER (96h), Università de Caen:
  - Exercise Sessions "Analyse 1" (Licence 1 Maths, 52h).
  - Exercise Sessions "Mathàmatiques" (Licence 1 Info/MIASHS, 38h).

#### 2015 ightarrow 2016 $4^{\grave{a}me}$ ATER (192h), Aix-Marseille Università :

- Lecturer "Passerelle pour les maths (Licence 1 Maths/Info, 20h).
- Lecturer "Gàomàtrie et Arithmàtique 1" (Licence 1 Maths/Info, 20h+20h).
- Lecturer "Introduction á l'analyse (Parcours PEIP, 35h).
- Exercise Sessions "Gàomàtrie et Arithmàtique 1" (Licence 1 Maths/Info, 20h+20h+20h).

- $2012 \rightarrow 2015$  Teaching duties during my Ph.D. (192h), Aix-Marseille Università :
  - Exercise Sessions Gaomatrie et Arithmatique 1 (Licence 1 Maths/Info, 20h+20h+20h+20h).
  - Exercise Sessions Algàbre linàaire 1 (Licence 1 Maths/Info, 20h+20h).
- $2008 \rightarrow 2010$  Tutorats :
  - Tutoring "Algebra 2: groups, ring and fields" years: 2008, 2009 and 2010 (24h+24h+24h).
  - Tutoring "Geometry 1: Linear Algebra" years 2009 and 2010 (30h+30h).

## Experimental teaching

 $2012 \rightarrow 2023$  Stages Hippocampe [research stages for high-school students]: Three-day research workshops hosted by the university in which students are guided in research on small problems in mathematics and computer science.

I was the promoter, organizer and teacher/supervisor of the following stages at Università Roma Tre (IT):

- o "Automi, Grammatiche e Macchine a Registri" (16h),
- o "I nodi" (16h),
- "Biliardi matematici" (16h+16h),
- o "Automi, Grammatiche e Macchine a Registri" (16h),
- "Matematica e giochi di carte" (16h+16h),
- o "Automi, linguaggi e modelli di calcolo" (16h),
- "L'infinito" (16h),
- o "Poligoni e Poliedri" (16h).

Information about the project: https://matteoacclavio.com/HippocampeProject.html Supervisor during the following stages at the IREM of Aix-Marseille Università (FR):

- "Les polyàdres" (12h)
- o "Maths á la carte" (12h),
- "L'infini" (12h),
- "Maths en embuscades" (12h),
- "Nœuds" (12h),
- "Mathàmatiques et arts" (12h),
- "Matrices" (12h).

Information about the stages at IREM: https://hippocampe.irem.univ-mrs.fr/

- 2019 **Professione ricercatore [summer school for high-school students]** (6h): I organized a teaching unit on the mathematics of computers (Boolean circuits). At the end of the week, we built a small hydraulic binary adder. Università Roma Tre (IT).
- 2019 Masterclass in Geometria [one-day workshop in geometry for high-school students] (6h): After introducing the notion of group and symmetry, we classified the wallpaper groups. Università Roma Tre (IT).
- 2019 Masterclass in Logica [one-day workshop in logic for high-school students] (6h): After introducing logic connective, we studied Boolean functions and circuits. We had a brief history of computers from Leibniz's calculator to von Newman's architecture. Università Roma Tre (IT).
- 2019 Liceo Matematico [teaching units coordinated between university and high schools] (6h): Algorithms, true tables, Boolean circuits. Liceo Cannizzaro et Università degli studi Roma Tre (IT).
- 2019 Liceo Matematico [teaching units coordinated between university and high schools] (6h): Wallpaper groups, symmetries, Euler characteristics and patterns on football balls. Liceo Cannizzaro et Università degli studi Roma Tre (IT).

## Science communication

https://matteoacclavio.com/Math.html?page=pop
Talks

13/01/2023 **Quando possiamo dire che due dimostrazioni non sono la stessa?**: talk at "Aperitivo di Logica", World Logic Day 2023, Rome (IT).

- 14/01/2021 **De la simplicità des preuves: le 24e problàme de Hilbert**: talk at the World Logic Day 2021, Montpellier (FR).
  - 2019 **Pensare per Paradossi** (organizing committee): scientific and philosophical writing contest on the notion of paradox in mathematics, physics and philosophy.
- 20/09/2019 **Didactic workshop**: on scientific writing during the kickoff meeting *"Eleatica per le scuole"* of the context *Pensare per Paradossi.* 
  - 5/2018 Salon Culture & Jeux Mathàmatiques 2018. Paris (FR).
- 14/3/2018 **Pourquoi les Grecs ne pouvaient-ils pas calculer**  $\pi$ **?**: talk at the de Pi-Day in Marseille
- $1 \rightarrow 6/2017 \quad \mbox{Various intervention with the Labosaique Project} \mbox{ of the laboratory LMNO of the Università Caen Normandie. https://www.lmno.cnrs.fr/equipes/dcm/labosaique.}$ 
  - 5/2017: Salon Culture & Jeux Mathàmatiques 2017. Paris (FR).

# Scientific Service

**PC of AAMAS 2024**, Program committee of the conference International Conference on Autonomous Agents and Multiagent Systems AAMAS 2024 https://www.aamas2024-conference.auckland.ac.nz/.

**PC of CSL2023**, *Program committee of the conference Computer Science Logic (CSL2023)* https://csl2023.mimuw.edu.pl/.

**Reviewer**, "Studia Logica" since 2020, "Mathematical Structures in Computer Science" since 2021, "Journal of Logic, Language and Information" since 2023, "Journal of Logic and Computation" since 2023.

Sub-reviewer, WoLLIC2019, Tableaux2021, CLS2022, CSL2023, LICS2024.

## Others

since 2024 Co-organizer, of the FoSS seminar of the University of Sussex. https://matteoacclavio.com/ FoSSseminar/calendar.html .

**Lagrance "proofzilla"**, macros for graphical syntaxes for proof theory, https://matteoacclavio.com/Math.html?page=research#Tools.

**Qualifications (FR)**, 25-Mathematics (2017-2021 and 2022-2026) and 27-Computer science (2021-2025).

- since 2022 **Founding partner and member**, of the association (for social promotion) "OILER", whose goals include promoting mathematics and science by also projecting and developing teaching activities for schools, https://en.oiler.education/.
- $2021 \rightarrow 2022 \quad \mbox{Management Committee Member}, \ of \ the \ COST \ action \ ``CA20111 European \ Research \ Network \ on \ Formal \ Proofs''. \ https://www.cost.eu/actions/CA20111/.$
- since 2016 Member, of the "International Research Network (IRN) Linear Logic". https://www. linear-logic.org/en/.
- 2020-2022 **Co-organizer**, of the SRM seminar of the group "Laboratory of Algorithmics, Cryptology and Security" of the university of Luxembourg. https://satoss.uni.lu/seminars/srm/.
- $2016 \rightarrow 2019$  Organizer, of the Stages Hippocampe at the Università Roma Tre (Rome, Italie). https: //matteoacclavio.com/ProgettoHippocampe.html.
- 2013  $\rightarrow$  2016 **Member**, of the ANR project "Catàgories, Homotopie et Rààcriture à CATHRE". http://cathre.math.cnrs.fr/.

# Past Research

Postdoc atI have been working under the supervision of Fabrizio Montesi, exploring the semantics of choreo-<br/>graphic programming languages for distributed systems, working in an interdisciplinary project (PI<br/>Fabrizio Montesi [SDU-Denmark] and Claes de Vreese [SDU-Denmark & UvA-Netherlands]) on<br/>internet data flows with the Digital Democracy Center.

Postdoc at IT, 2022-2023. I have been working under the supervision of Marco Pedicini, comparing, formal Università methods, software and programming languages used in the verification of cryptographic primitives. Roma Tre

Postdoc at During my postdoc in the group *Security and Trust of Software Systems* (https://satoss.uni. University of lu/). I have been working under the supervision of Sjouke Mauw, exploring applications of proof theoretical results to formal verification tools for security and privacy properties of cryptographic protocols. For this purpose, we studied proof systems in which certain proofs correspond to successful executions of protocols using graphical proof theory.

Research This contract was funded by the project "Linking Focusing and Automated Theorem Proving" and engineer at directed by Guillaume Burel, Kaustuv Chaudhuri and Dale Miller. We worked on the correspondence Tàlàcom between focussed proof systems and resolution proofs with selection and order. The work is still ongoing and I conjecture that an extension of classical logic with a non-commutative connective could be used to establish this connection.

- Postdoc at The main objective of the Roma Tre grant was to conceive and organize popularization ac-Roma Tre tivities targeting high school students. A detailed list of activities can be found at https: //matteoacclavio.com/Math.html?page=pop. During this period I also worked with Roberto Maieli on generalized connectives and logic programming with proof structures.
- Postdoc at During the INRIA-Saclay postdoc, I worked with Lutz Straßburger on the notion of proof equivalence using the syntax of *combinatorial proofs*. We defined a translation between this syntax and both resolution proofs and analytic tableaux, characterizing the proof equivalence induced by these translations. Moreover, we also have defined combinatorial proofs for relevant logics and modal logics.
  - PhD During my PhD, I studied string diagram rewriting in algebraic theories. The objective of my thesis was to investigate the extension of Squier's theorem for monoids to monoidal categories. This theorem links certain computational proprieties of a monoid (the existence of a confluent rewriting system) with its topological properties (finite type of its homology groups).

For this purpose, I studied string diagrams and their rewriting. This syntax captures the interaction between parallel and sequential composition, and it is suitable for representing monoidal categories, algebraic theories and concurrent systems.

My thesis also contains a proof of Mac Lane's theorem for monoidal categories using higher dimensional rewriting techniques, and the definition of an original proof system in the syntax of string diagrams able to capture part of the proof equivalence for derivations in the sequent calculus.

Master During my Master, I studied word rewriting for algebraic theories. In particular, I have been working on comparing different proofs of the Novikov-Boone theorem (undecidability of the word problem for groups).

#### Languages

Italian Native English Proficient French Proficient Spanish Basic

## Computer skills

Programming Langage C, Javascript, Java Other LATEX, Office suite, HTML, CSS