

**Weizmann Workshop 2013 on Multilevel computational methods and optimization**  
**The David Lopatie Conference Centre**  
**29 April -02 May 2013**

April 29			
18:00-21:00	Wine and Cheese Informal Reception + Registration <small>**The reception will take place in Cafe' Mada at David Lopatie Conference Centre**</small>		
April 30			
09:00-09:25	Registration + Coffee		
09:25-09:30	Opening remarks by the organizers		
09:30-10:00	Ulrich Trottenberg: "The Multigrid Guide"		
10:00-11:00	Sessions	<b>1A</b>	<b>1B</b>
Sessions 1A, 1B		<b>Graphs and Circuits 1</b>	<b>Computational Fluid Dynamics 1</b>
	Chairs	Jinchao Xu	Boris Diskin
	10:00-10:30	Tony Chan: Multilevel analytical circuit placement	Eli Turkel: Fast iterative methods for the Navier-Stokes equations
	10:30-11:00	Domenico Lahaye: Fast solvers for emerging power systems	Barry Koren: Multigrid for Reynolds-Averaged Navier-Stokes
11:00-11:30	Coffee Break		
11:30-12:30	Sessions	<b>2A</b>	<b>2B</b>
Sessions 2A, 2B		<b>Graphs and Circuits 2</b>	<b>Computational Fluid Dynamics 2</b>
	Chairs	Ronen Basri	Barry Koren
	11:30-12:00	Ludmil Zikatanov: Commuting projections on graphs and two-level methods	David Sidilkover: Algebraic multigrid and transonic flow
	12:00-12:30	Boaz Nadler: Multiscale vs. global approaches to learning from graphs and high dimensional data	Boris Epstein: A multi-scale approach to analysis and optimization of practical aerodynamic configurations
12:30-14:00	Lunch Break		
14:00-15:30	Sessions	<b>3A</b>	<b>3B</b>
Sessions 3A, 3B		<b>Parallel Multigrid</b>	<b>Mechanics</b>
	Chairs	Hans Bungartz	Alfio Borzi
	14:00-14:30	Ulrich Ruede: Textbook parallel efficiency for multigrid	Kees Venner: Multigrid achievements in thin layer flow modeling of rolling bearings
	14:30-15:00	Ulrike Yang: Recent developments in parallel algebraic multigrid	Ton Lubrecht: Multilevel methods and solid mechanics
	15:00-15:30	Harald Koestler: Algorithm and software development for efficient multigrid methods on modern HPC systems	Amnon Meir: Towards multi-scale models for woven fabrics
15:30-16:00	Coffee Break		
16:00-17:30	Sessions	<b>4A</b>	<b>4B</b>
Sessions 4A, 4B		<b>Multigrid and Preconditioning</b>	<b>Multigrid Techniques</b>
	Chairs	Ulrike Yang	James Brannick
	16:00-16:30	Panayot Vassilevski: Spectral AMG numerical upscaling and solver adaptivity	Carmen Rodrigo: Multigrid methods based on distributive smoothers for vector problems on semi-structured triangular grids
	16:30-17:00	Cornelis Oosterlee: An Uzawa smoother for staggered and nonstaggered Stokes discretizations	James Brannick: AMG for QCD
	17:00-17:30	Blanca Ayuso: A combined preconditioning strategy for nonsymmetric systems	Stefan Vandewalle: Multigrid for parametric partial differential equations, with application to PDEs with interval and fuzzy coefficients
17:30-18:30	Special Panel. "Challenges in Multilevel Computation: where should we be directing our efforts – and our graduate students?"		
19:30	Conference Dinner (for invited speakers and guests from abroad)		

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May 1			
09:00-09:30	Coffee		
09:30-10:30	Sessions	<b>5A</b>	<b>5B</b>
Sessions 5A, 5B		<b>Algebraic Multigrid 1</b>	<b>Computational Fluid Dynamics 3</b>
	Chairs	Volker Schulz	Jacob Schroder
	9:30-10:00	Yvan Notay: Aggregation-based AMG for non M-matrices	Boris Diskin: Adjoint-based optimization of unsteady turbulent flows on dynamic overset unstructured grids
	10:00-10:30	Hans de Sterck: Adaptive algebraic multigrid for canonical tensor decomposition	Long Chen: Multigrid methods for Stokes equations based on distributive Gauss-Seidel relaxation
10:30-11:30	Sessions	<b>6A</b>	<b>6B</b>
Sessions 6A, 6B		<b>Optimal Control and Data Analysis</b>	<b>Sparse Grids and PDE</b>
	Chairs	Justin Wan	Ulrich Ruede
	10:30-11:00	Ronald Hoppe: Adaptive finite element methods for optimally controlled elliptic variational inequalities	Hans Bungartz: Sparse grids – exploiting hierarchy for higher dimensionalities
	11:00-11:30	Yoel Shkolnisky: A class of Laplacian multiwavelet bases for high-dimensional data	Alfio Borzi: Multigrid, sparse-grids, and model reduction for PDE optimization with uncertainty
11:30-12:00	Coffee Break		
12:00-13:00	Achi Brandt: Multiscale computation: challenges and algorithms		
13:00	Lunch		
	Jerusalem Tour ( <b>for invited speakers and guests from abroad</b> )		

May 2			
09:00-09:30	Coffee		
09:30-11:00	Sessions	<b>7A</b>	<b>7B</b>
Sessions 7A, 7B		<b>Helmholtz and Optimization</b>	<b>Imaging</b>
	Chairs	Ralf Kornhuber	Johannes Kraus
	9:30-10:00	Zhiming Chen: A source transfer domain decomposition method for Helmholtz equations in unbounded domain	Xue-Cheng Tai: A nonlinear multigrid method for curvature equations related to total variation minimization
	10:00-10:30	Kees Vuik: Deflation type methods combined with shifted Laplace preconditioners for the Helmholtz equation	Meirav Galun: Multiscale detection of faint edges in noisy images
10:30-11:00	Dorit Ron: Three decades of multilevel optimization strategies	Ronen Basri: Matching image content by enforcing global geometric consistency	
11:00-11:30	Coffee Break		
11:30-12:30	Sessions	<b>7C</b>	<b>7D</b>
Sessions 7C, 7D		<b>From Theory to Practice to Industry</b>	<b>Optimization and Control</b>
	Chairs	Kees Oosterlee	Irav Yavneh
	11:30-12:00	Jinchao Xu: Discretizations and solvers for coupled PDE systems	Volker Schulz: Experiences with MGOPT on GPU
	12:00-12:30	Klaus Stueben: AMG – from Academia to Industry	Dirk Abbeloos: A half-space analysis framework for boundary control problems
12:30-14:00	Lunch Break		
14:00-15:00	Sessions	<b>8A</b>	<b>8B</b>
Sessions 8A, 8B		<b>Inverse Problems</b>	<b>Nonlinear &amp; Interface</b>
	Chairs	Scott Maclachlan	Hans de Sterck
	14:00-14:30	Uri Ascher: Data completion and stochastic algorithms for PDE inversion problems with many measurements	Ralf Kornhuber: Nonsmooth Schur-Newton methods for vector-valued Cahn-Hilliard equations
	14:30-15:00	Eldad Haber: Solving inverse problems that are too large to be solved	Justin Wan: Multigrid methods for linear and nonlinear problems in finance
15:00-15:30	Coffee Break		
15:30-17:00	Sessions	<b>9A</b>	<b>9B</b>
Sessions 9A, 9B		<b>Algebraic Multigrid 2</b>	<b>Fourier Analysis</b>
	Chairs	Eldad Haber	Uri Ascher
	15:30-16:00	Johannes Kraus: Auxiliary space multigrid method based on additive Schur complement approximation	Scott Maclachlan: Predictive mode analysis of parabolic problems
	16:00-16:30	Raanan Fattal: A hybrid AMG/combinatorial preconditioning scheme	Matthias Bolten: Local Fourier analysis of block smoothers in multigrid
16:30	Concluding remarks		