Curriculum Vitae

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Personal Information

Citizenship: Argentina and USA.

Education

Ph.D. Mathematics May 2005

University of Texas, Austin, TX Advisor: Prof. Luis Caffarelli

Licenciado en Matematica

December 2000

Universidad Nacional de La Plata, Argentina.

Positions

Full Professor September 2018 - present

University of Chicago. Chicago, IL.

Associate Professor September 2013 - August 2018

University of Chicago. Chicago, IL.

Assistant Professor September 2008 - August 2013

University of Chicago. Chicago, IL.

Courant Instructor Fall 2005 - August 31st 2008

Courant Institute. New York University. New York, NY.

Fellowships and Awards

First Prize in the Paenza Mathematical Contest
 Liftoff Fellowship from the Clay Mathematics Institute.
 Summer 2005

• Sloan Research Fellowship 2009 - 2011

• NSF grant DMS-1001629 June 2010 - May 2013

• NSF FRG Project DMS-1065971 - with Luis Caffarelli, Yanyan Li, Fanghua Lin and Henri Berestycki 2011 - 2014

• NSF CAREER grant DMS-1254332 June 2013 - May 2018

• Invited speaker for the ICM 2014 in Seoul, South Korea August 2014

• NSF grant DMS-1764285 July 2018 - June 2021

• NSF grant DMS-2054888 July 2021 - June 2024

• Fellow of the AMS class 2024.

Publications

- 1. On the monotonicity of the Fisher information for the Boltzmann equation. Cyril Imbert, Luis Silvestre and Cedric Villani. Preprint.
- 2. Partial regularity in time for the space-homogeneous Boltzmann equation with very soft potentials. François Golse, Cyril Imbert and Luis Silvestre. Preprint.
- 3. The Landau equation does not blow up. Nestor Guillen and Luis Silvestre. Preprint.
- 4. Conditional L^{∞} estimates for the non-cutoff Boltzmann equation in a bounded domain. Zhimeng Ouyang and Luis Silvestre. Archive of Rational Mechanics and Analysis. Accepted for Publication.
- 5. Entropy dissipation estimates for the Boltzmann equation without cut-off Jamil Chaker and Luis Silvestre. Kinet. Relat. Models 16 (2023), no. 5.
- 6. Holder estimates for kinetic Fokker-Planck equations up to the boundary Luis Silvestre. Ars Inveniendi Analytica. 2022, Paper No. 6, 35
- 7. Regularity estimates and open problems in kinetic equations Luis Silvestre. Barrett lectures 2021.
- 8. Solutions to the non-cutoff Boltzmann equation uniformly near a Maxwellian Stanley Snelson and Luis Silvestre. Mathematics in Engineering 5 (2023), no. 2, Paper No. 034.
- 9. Singular solutions to parabolic equations in nondivergence form. Luis Silvestre. Annali della Scuola Normale Superiore, Classe di Scienze 2022: VOL. XXIII, ISSUE 2.
- 10. Regularity for the Boltzmann equation conditional to macroscopic bounds Cyril Imbert and Luis Silvestre. EMS Surveys in Mathematical Sciences 7 (2020), no. 1.
- 11. Global regularity estimates for the Boltzmann equation without cut-off Cyril Imbert and Luis Silvestre. Journal of the American Mathematical Society. 35 (2022), no. 3.
- 12. Coercivity estimates for integro-differential operators. Jamil Chaker and Luis Silvestre. Calc. Var. Partial Differential Equations 59 (2020), no. 4, Paper No. 106.
- 13. Gaussian lower bounds for the Boltzmann equation without cut-off. Cyril Imbert, Clement Mouhot and Luis Silvestre. SIAM J. Math. Anal. 52 (2020), no. 3, 2930–2944.
- 14. The Schauder estimate for kinetic integral equations. Cyril Imbert and Luis Silvestre. Anal. PDE 14 (2021), no. 1, 171–204.
- 15. Multi-dimensional Burgers equation with unbounded initial data: well-posedness and dispersive estimates. Denis Serre and Luis Silvestre. Archive of Rational Mechanics and Analysis. Arch. Ration. Mech. Anal. 234 (2019), no. 3, 1391–1411.
- 16. Decay estimates for large velocities in the Boltzmann equation without cut-off. Cyril Imbert, Clement Mouhot and Luis Silvestre. J. Éc. polytech. Math. 7 (2020), 143–184.
- 17. Oscillation properties of scalar conservation laws. Luis Silvestre. Communications on Pure and Applied Mathematics. 72 (2019), no. 6, 1321–1348.
- 18. Global a priori estimates for the inhomogeneous Landau equation with moderately soft potentials. Stephen Cameron, Stanley Snelson and Luis Silvestre. Annales de l'Institut Henri Poincare (C) Anal. Non Lineaire. 35 (2018), no. 3,
- 19. The Weak Harnack inequality for the Boltzmann equation without cut-off. Cyril Imbert and Luis Silvestre. Journal of the European Mathematical Society. Accepted for publication.
- 20. Hölder gradient estimates for a class of singular or degenerate parabolic equations. Cyril Imbert, Tianling Jin and Luis Silvestre. Advances in Nonlinear Analysis. 8 (2019), no. 1, 845–867.
- 21. Upper bounds for parabolic equations and the Landau equation. Luis Silvestre. Journal of Differential Equations 262 (2017), no. 3, 3034-3055.
- 22. An integro-differential equation without continuous solutions. Luis Silvestre and Stanley Snelson. Mathematical Research letters 23 (2016), no. 4, 1157-1166.

- 23. Hölder gradient estimates for parabolic homogeneous p-Laplacian equations. Tianling Jin and Luis Silvestre. Journal de Mathematiques Pures et Appliquees. (9) 108 (2017), no. 1.
- 24. Regularity estimates for fully non linear elliptic equations which are asymptotically convex. Luis Silvestre and Eduardo Teixeira. Progress in Nonlinear Differential Equations and their Applications, 86, Birkhäuser/Springer, Cham, 2015.
- 25. A new regularization mechanism for the Boltzmann equation without cut-off. Luis Silvestre. Communications in Mathematical Physics 348 (2016), no. 1, 69-100.
- 26. Regularity for parabolic integro-differential equations with very irregular kernels. Russell Schwab and Luis Silvestre. Analysis and PDE 9 (2016), no. 3, 727-772.
- 27. Propagation in a non local reaction diffusion equation with spatial and genetic trait structure. Henri Berestycki, Tianling Jin and Luis Silvestre. Nonlinearity 29 (2016), no. 4, 1434-1466.
- 28. Regularity estimates for parabolic integro- differential equations and applications. Luis Silvestre. Proceedings of the ICM 2014.
- 29. On a transport equation with nonlocal drift. Luis Silvestre and Vlad Vicol. Transactions of the American Mathematical Society 368 (2016), no. 9, 6159-6188.
- 30. A non local Monge-Ampere equation. Luis Caffarelli and Luis Silvestre. Communications in Analysis and Geometry 24 (2016), no. 2, 307-335.
- 31. On Landis' conjecture in the plane Carlos Kenig, Luis Silvestre and Jenn-Nan Wang. Communications in Partial Differential Equations. 40 (2015), no. 4, 766-789.
- 32. Overdetermined problems for fully nonlinear elliptic equations. L. Silvestre and B. Sirakov. Calculus of Variations and PDE. 54 (2015), no. 1, 989-1007.
- 33. Boundary regularity for viscosity solutions of fully nonlinear elliptic equations. L. Silvestre and Boyan Sirakov. Communications in Partial Differential Equations. 39 (2014), no. 9, 1694-1717.
- 34. Estimates on elliptic equations that hold only where the gradient is large. C. Imbert and L. Silvestre. Journal of the European Mathematical Society 18 (2016), no. 6, 1321-1338.
- 35. Uniqueness of radial solutions for the fractional Laplacian. R. L. Frank, E. Lenzmann and L. Silvestre. Communications on Pure and Applied Mathematics 69 (2016), no. 9, 1671-1726.
- 36. Holder regularity for generalized master equations with rough kernels. L. Caffarelli and L. Silvestre. Advances in Analysis: The Legacy of Elias M. Stein. Princeton University Press, 2014.
- 37. On the loss of continuity for super-critical drift-diffusion equations. L. Silvestre, V. Vicol, A. Zlatos. Archive of Rational Mechanics and Analysis. 207 (2013), no. 3, 845-877.
- 38. Global well-posedness of slightly supercritical active scalar equations. M. Dabkowski, A. Kiselev, L Silvestre and V. Vicol. Analysis and PDE. 7 (2014), no. 1, 43-72.
- 39. $C^{1,\alpha}$ regularity of solutions of degenerate fully non-linear elliptic equations. C. Imbert and L. Silvestre. Advances in Mathematics. 233 (2013), 196-206.
- 40. Holder continuity to Hamilton-Jacobi equations with superquadratic growth in the gradient and unbounded right-hand side. P. Cardaliaguet and L. Silvestre. Communications in Partial Differential Equations. 37 (2012), no. 9, 1668–1688.
- 41. Partial regularity of solutions of fully nonlinear uniformly elliptic equations. S. Armstrong, L. Silvestre and C. Smart. Communications on Pure and Applied Mathematics. 65 (2012), no. 8, 1169-1184.
- 42. Holder continuity for a drift-diffusion equation with pressure. V. Vicol and L. Silvestre. Annales de l'Institut Henri Poincare (C) Anal. Non Lineaire. 29 (2012), no. 4, 637-652.
- 43. Unique continuation for fully nonlinear elliptic equations. S. Armstrong and L. Silvestre. Mathematical Research Letters. Volume 18, Issue 5, September 2011 pp. 921-926.
- 44. On the differentiability of the solution to an equation with drift and fractional diffusion. L. Silvestre. Indiana University Mathematical Journal. 61 (2012), no. 2, 557-584.

- 45. On divergence free drifts. G. Seregin, L. Silvestre, V. Sverak and A. Zlatos. Journal of Differential Equations 252 (2012), no. 1, 505-540.
- 46. Holder estimates for advection fractional-diffusion equations. L. Silvestre. Annali della Scuola Normale Superiore di Pisa. Classe di Scienze (5) 11 (2012), no. 4, 843-855.
- 47. Full regularity of a free boundary problem with two phases. H. Jiang, C. Larsen and L. Silvestre. Calculus of Variations and PDE 42 (2011), no. 3-4, 301-321.
- 48. Holder continuity for integro-differential parabolic equations with polynomial growth respect to the gradient. L. Silvestre. Discrete and Continuous Dynamical Systems Volume: 28, Number: 3, November 2010. A special issue Dedicated to Louis Nirenberg on the Occasion of his 85th Birthday Part II
- 49. Eventual regularization of the slightly supercritical fractional Burgers equation. C. H. Chan, M. Czubak and L. Silvestre. Discrete and Continuous Dynamical Systems Volume: 27, Number: 2, June 2010. A special issue Trends and Developments in DE/Dynamics Part I.
- 50. On the differentiability of the solution to the Hamilton-Jacobi equation with critical fractional diffusion. L. Silvestre. Advances in Mathematics. 226 (2011), no. 2, 2020-2039
- 51. Smooth approximations to solutions of nonconvex fully nonlinear elliptic equations. L. Caffarelli and L. Silvestre. American Mathematical Society Translations–Series 2 Advances in the Mathematical Sciences 2010; Volume: 229. Nonlinear Partial Differential Equations and Related Topics: Dedicated to Nina N. Uraltseva.
- On the Evans-Krylov theorem. L. Caffarelli and L. Silvestre. Proceedings of the AMS. 138 (2010), 263-265.
- 53. The Evans-Krylov theorem for non local fully non linear equations. L. Caffarelli and L. Silvestre. Annals of Mathematics. 174 (2011), no. 2, 1163-1187.
- 54. Regularity results for nonlocal equations by approximation. L. Caffarelli and L. Silvestre. Archive of Rational Mechanics and Analysis. Volume 200, Issue 1 (2011), Page 59.
- 55. Eventual regularization in the slightly supercritical quasi-geostrophic equation. L. Silvestre. Annales de l'Institut Henri Poincare (C) Non Linear Analysis 27 (2010), Issue 2, Pages 693-704.
- 56. The Dirichlet Problem for the Convex Envelope A. Oberman and L. Silvestre. Transactions of the AMS 363 (2011), no. 11, 5871-5886.
- 57. Regularity theory for fully nonlinear integro-differential equations. L. Caffarelli and L. Silvestre. Communications on Pure and Applied Mathematics. 62 (2009) Issue 5, 597–638.
- 58. A characterization of optimal two-phase multifunctional composite designs. L. Silvestre. Proc. of the Royal Soc. of London A 463, Number 2086 (2007).
- Regularity estimates for the solution and the free boundary to the obstacle problem for the fractional Laplacian. L. Caffarelli, S. Salsa and L. Silvestre. Inventiones Mathematicae. 171, Number 2 (2008).
- 60. Regularity for the nonlinear Signorini problem. E. Milakis and L. E. Silvestre. Advances in Mathematics. 217, Issue 3 (2008).
- 61. An extension problem related to the fractional laplacian. L. A. Caffarelli and L. E. Silvestre. Communications in Partial Differential Equations, 32 (2007) 8, 1245.
- 62. Regularity of the obstacle problem for a fractional power of the laplace operator. L. E. Silvestre. Communications on Pure and Applied Mathematics. 60 (2007), no. 1, 67–112.
- 63. Issues in homogenization for problems with nondivergence structure. L. A. Caffarelli and L. E. Silvestre. Calculus of variations and nonlinear partial differential equations, 43–74, Lecture Notes in Math., 1927, Springer, Berlin, 2008.
- 64. Hölder estimates for solutions of integro differential equations like the fractional laplace. L. E. Silvestre. Indiana University Mathematical Journal 55 (2006), 1155-1174.

- 65. Regularity for fully nonlinear elliptic equations with Neumann boundary data. E. Milakis and L. E. Silvestre. Communications in Partial Differential Equations 31 (2006), No. 8
- 66. The two membranes problem. L. E. Silvestre. Communications in Partial Differential Equations 30 (2005), no. 1-3, 245–257
- 67. Weak Matrix Majorization. F. D. Martínez Pería, P. Massey and L. E. Silvestre. Linear Algebra Appl. 403 (2005), 343–368.

Some selected talks

- International Congress of Mathematicians. Seoul, South Korea. August 2014.
- Annual meeting of the Argentinian Mathematical Union. Plenary speaker. Argentina. September 2016.
- Rivière-Fabes symposium. University of Minnesota. Minneapolis, April 2017.
- International Congress of Mathamtical Physics. Invited talk. Geneva (and Zoom). August 2021.

Editorial boards

- Advances in Calculus of Variations
- Analysis in Theory and Applications
- Discrete and Continuous Dynamical Systems A.
- Interfaces and Free boundaries.
- Journal of Functional Analysis.
- Orbita Mathematicae
- Potential Analysis
- Revista de la Union Mathematica Argentina

Other service

- Refereed articles for many journals.
- Organizer of the workshop "Nonlocal PDEs, Variational Problems and their Applications" at IPAM. 2012
- Organized of the concentration period on nonlinear elliptic PDEs. Chicago. May 2012.
- Organizer of the Inaugural Chicago Summer School In Analysis. June 2014.
- Scientific committee of the 3rd Conference on Nonlocal Operators and Partial Differential Equations. Bedlewo, Poland, June 2016.
- Organizing committee for the SIAM Conference on Analysis of Partial Differential Equations (PD17)
- Centennial Fellowship Committee. July 2017 to June 2019.
- Organizer of the Fourth Chicago Summer School In Analysis. June 2017.
- Organizer of the conference Non Standard Diffusions in Fluids, Kinetic Equations and Probability. Marseille. December 2018.