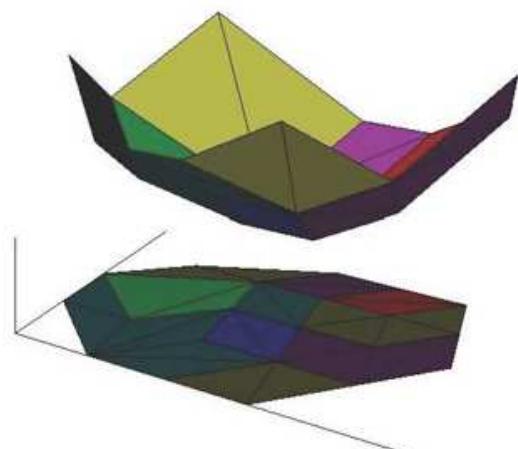


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Sunday 29 May	
17:00 – 19:00	Registration at ESF desk
Monday 30 May	
08.50-09.10	<b>Conference Opening and Welcome Message</b> <b>Stefan Nordlund</b> , Stockholm University, SE <b>Anders Björner</b> , Institut Mittag-Leffler, SE <b>Irfan Siap</b> , Yildiz Technical University, TR
Session 1 - Chair: Alicia Dickenstein, University of Buenos Aires, AR	
9:10 – 10:00	<b>Monique Laurent</b> , Centrum Wiskunde & Informatica (CWI) and Tilburg University, NL Semidefinite Programming Characterization and Computation of Real Radical Ideals
10:10 – 10:40	Coffee break

10:40 – 11:10	<b>Lars Kastner</b> and Nathan Owen Ilten, <i>Freie Universitaet Berlin, DE</i> Calculating Generators of Multigraded Algebras
11:20 – 12:50	<b>Francesca Cioffi</b> and Margherita Roggero, <i>Universita' di Napoli "Federico II", IT</i> Flat families by strongly stable ideals and a generalization of Groebner bases
12.00-12.30	<b>Mariemi Alonso</b> , Jerome Brachat and Bernard Mourrain, <i>Universidad Complutense de Madrid, ES</i> On flat deformation of points
12:30 - 14:00	Lunch
<b>Session 2 – Chair: Sandra di Rocco, KTH, SE</b>	
14:00 – 14:50	<b>Kristian Ranestad</b> , <i>University of Oslo, NO</i> Symmetric tensor decompositions
15:00 – 15:30	<b>Jenya Soprounova</b> , Olivia Beckwith, Matthew Grimm and Bradley Weaver, <i>Kent State University US</i> Minkowski Length of 3D Polytopes
15:40 – 16:10	<b>Elisa Postinghel</b> , <i>University of Oslo, NO</i> Secant Degree of Toric Surfaces and Delightful Planar Toric Degenerations
16:10 – 16:30	Coffee Break
16:30 – 17:00	<b>Felipe Rincon</b> , <i>UC Berkeley , US</i> Computing Tropical Linear Spaces
17:10 – 17:40	<b>Bernard Mourrain</b> , Jean-Bernard Lasserre, Monique Laurent, , Philipp Rostalski and Philippe Trebuchet , <i>INRIA, FR</i> Moment matrices, border bases and radical computation
17:50 – 18:20	<b>Abraham Martin del Campo</b> , Jonathan Hauenstein, Nickolas Hein, Christopher Hillar, Frank Sottile and Zach Teitler, <i>Texas A&amp;M University, US</i> The Monotone Secant Conjecture in the real Schubert calculus
<b>Tuesday 31 May</b>	
<b>Session 3 – Chair: Ragni Piene, University of Oslo, NO</b>	
9:00 – 9:50	<b>Anton Leykin</b> , <i>Georgia Institute of Technology, US</i> Certification in Numerical Algebraic Geometry
10:00 – 10:30	Coffee Break
10:30 – 11:00	<b>Joris van der Hoeven</b> , <i>CNRS, FR</i> Relaxed resolution of implicit equations
11:00 – 11:40	<b>Elias Tsigaridas</b> , Kristoffer Arnsfelt Hansen, Michal Koucky, Niels Lauritzen and Peter Bro Miltersen, <i>Aarhus University, DK</i> Separation bounds for real roots of polynomial systems
11:50 – 12:20	<b>Jeremy Berthomieu</b> and Luis Miguel Pardo, <i>École polytechnique, FR</i> Average Condition Number on great circles that contain real systems of equations
12:30	Lunch
<b>Session 4 – Chair: Wolfram Decker, Universität Kaiserslautern, DE</b>	
14:00 – 14:50	<b>Guy Casale</b> , <i>University of Rennes, FR</i> Liouvillian solutions of nonlinear differential equations

15:00 – 15:30	<b>María Cruz Fernández-Fernández</b> and Francisco-Jesús Castro-Jiménez, <i>Universidad de Extremadura, ES</i> On irregular binomial D-modules.
15:40 – 16:10	<b>Paolo Faccin</b> and Willem A. De Graaf, <i>University of Trento , IT</i> Computing generators of the unit group of an integral abelian group ring
16:20 – 16:50	<b>Thomas Cluzeau</b> , Moulay Barkatou, Carole El Bacha and Alban Quadrat, <i>Université de Limoges ; CNRS ; XLIM, FR</i> Monge parametrizations and integration of rectangular linear differential systems
16:50 – 18:30	Coffee break + Poster session
19:30	Get-together & Conference Dinner at Solliden Restaurant at Skansen Museum

### Wednesday 1 June

#### Session 5 – Chair: Marie-Françoise Roy, University of Rennes 1, FR

9:00 – 9:50	<b>Pablo Parrilo</b> , <i>Massachusetts Institute of Technology, US</i> From Sparsity to Rank, and Beyond: algebra, geometry, and convexity
10:00 – 10:30	Group picture and Coffee Break

#### Session of software presentations:

10:30 – 10:55	<b>Anne Fruehbis Krüger</b> , Andreas Steenpass and Stefan Steidel, <i>Leibniz Universität Hannover, DE</i> Singular 3-1-3 -- Tackling New Challenges
11:00 – 11:25	<b>Zach Teitler</b> , <i>Boise State University, US</i> Software for the computation of multiplier ideals
11:30 – 11:55	<b>Thomas Kahle</b> , <i>Institut Mittag-Leffler , SE</i> Decompositions of Binomial Ideals in Macaulay 2
12:00 – 12:25	<b>Eva García Llorente</b> , Isabel Bermejo and Philippe Gimenez, <i>University of La Laguna, ES</i> monomialideal.lib
12:30 – 12:55	<b>Mikael Vejdemo-Johansson and Andrew Tausz</b> , <i>Stanford University , US</i> javaPlex: a research software package for persistent (co)homology
13:00	Lunch and free afternoon
19:00	Official reception at the City Hall, Stockholm

### Thursday 2 June

#### Session 6 Chair: Marc Giusti, Ecole Polytechnique, FR

9:00 – 9:50	<b>Johannes Buchmann</b> , <i>Technische Universität Darmstadt, DE</i> Future signatures
10:00 – 10:30	Coffee break
10:30 – 11:00	<b>Luis Felipe Tabera</b> , <i>Universidad de Cantabria, ES</i> A Parametric version of Hilbert-Hurwitz method using Hypercircles.
11:10 – 11:40	<b>Patrizia Gianni</b> , Elisabetta Fortuna and Barry Trager, <i>Universita' di Pisa, IT</i> Ideals of curves given by points

11:50 – 12:20	<b>Maria-Laura Torrente</b> and Lorenzo Robbiano, <i>University of Genova, IT</i> Stable Complete Intersections
12:30	Lunch
<b>Session 7 Chair: Bernd Sturmfels, University of California, DE</b>	
14:00 – 14:50	<b>Duco van Straten</b> , <i>University of Mainz, DE</i> Algorithmic Aspects of Monodromy
15:00 – 15:30	<b>Stefano Pironio</b> , Miguel Navascues and Antonio Acín, <i>Université Libre de Bruxelles, BE</i> Noncommutative polynomial optimization
15:40 – 16:10	<b>Nicolas Borie</b> and Nicolas M. Thiéry, <i>Université Paris-Sud XI, FR</i> An evaluation approach to computing invariants rings of permutation groups
16:10 – 16:40	Coffee break
16:40 – 17:10	<b>Roberto La Scala</b> and Viktor Levandovskyy, <i>University of Bari, IT</i> Skew polynomial rings, Groebner bases and the letterplace embedding of the free associative algebra
17:20 – 18:30	Forward look and Discussions
<b>Friday 3 June</b>	
<b>Session 8 Chair: Gert-Martin Greuel, University of Kaiserslautern and MFO, DE</b>	
9:00 – 9:50	<b>Anne Fruehbis Krüger</b> , <i>Leibniz Universität Hannover, DE</i> Algorithmic Resolution of Singularities
10:00 – 10:30	Coffee break
10:30 – 11:00	<b>Frank Sottile</b> , Luis David García Puente and Chungang Zhu, <i>Institut Mittag-Leffler, SE</i> Toric degenerations of Bezier patches
11:10 – 11:40	<b>Kai Arzdorf</b> , <i>Leibniz Universität Hannover, DE</i> Calculating the Semistable Reduction of Cyclic Galois Covers of Prime Power Degree
11:50 – 12:20	<b>Alexander Aleksandrov</b> , <i>Russian Academy of Sciences. RU</i> Locus and stratum of freeness for deformations of hypersurface singularities
12:30	Lunch
<b>Session 9 Chair: Mikael Passare, University of Stockholm, SE</b>	
14:00 – 14:50	<b>Diane Maclagan</b> , <i>University of Warwick, UK</i> Tropical Algebraic Geometry
15:00 – 15:30	<b>Piotr Zwiernik</b> and Bernd Sturmfels, <i>Institut Mittag-Leffler, SE</i> Binary cumulant varieties
15:30 – 16:00	Coffee break
16:00 – 16:30	<b>Nelly Villamizar</b> and Bernard Mourrain, <i>University of Oslo, NO</i> Bounds on the dimension of spline spaces

16:40 – 17:10	<b>Mounir Nisse</b> and Frank Sottile, <i>Texas A&amp;M University, US</i> Complex and Non-Archimedean Coamoebae
<b>List of accepted posters</b>	
1. Alonso Maria Emilia	Revisiting Zariski Main Theorem from an algorithmic point of view (co-authors: Henri Lombardi and Thierry Coquand)
2. Berkech Christine	Equivariant D-modules and hypergeometric equations (co-author Laura Felicia Matusevich)
3. Timo De Wolff	Approximating amoebas and coamoebas by sums of squares (co-author: Theobald Thorsten)
4. Fernández-Ramos Oscar	Regularity 3 in edge ideals associated to bipartite graphs. (co-author Philippe Gimenez)
5. Frenk Bart	A tropical linear monoid (co-author Jan Draisma)
6. Garcia-Marco Ignacio	cisimplicial.lib (co-author: Isabel Bermejo)
7. Gross Elizabeth	Software Demonstration: A Macaulay2 interface for PHCpack (co-authors: Sonja Petrovic and Jan Verschelde)
8. Harrison Michael Corin	Explicit Solution By Radicals of Algebraic Curves of Genus 5 or 6
9. Huang Yanli	Rational General Solutions of Algebraic ODEs --- Generalization to Higher Order (co-authors: L.X.C. Ngo, F. Winkler)
10. Ito Atsushi	How to estimate Seshadri constants
11. Kogan Irina	Object-image correspondence for curves under projections (co-author: Joseph M. Burdis)
12. Koseleff Pierre-Vincent	Computing Chebyshev knot diagram (co-authors: Daniel Pecker and Fabrice Rouillier)
13. Ogata Shoetsu	Very ample but not integrally closed lattice polytopes
14. Ollivier François	Flat difference systems. A definition, some properties and open problems
15. Pfluegel Eckhard	Computing the Irregular Part of Formal Solutions of Systems of Pseudo-Linear Equations (co-author: Moulay Barkatou, Gary Broughton)
16. Roozemond Dan	On Lie Algebras Generated by Few Extremal Elements