

Jaen Approximation Project

The Jaen Approximation Project aims to contribute to the development of research in approximation theory by encouraging the exchange of ideas through the interaction between researchers in the area, making Jaen a meeting-point in approximation theory. The Jaen Approximation Project seeks quality and wishes that its participants feel part of the project.

The Jaen Journal on Approximation is part of the Jaen Approximation Project. In addition to the journal, an international meeting, known for short as Ubeda Meeting, has been organized annually since 2000.

The Jaen Approximation Project strives to have as many new researchers as possible taking part in its activities. In addition, if the project continues with the collaboration of researchers and finds new sponsors, the Jaen Approximation Project will try to start new activities.

The Jaen Approximation Project makes an effort to provide support to participants in their activities.

The researchers/institutions who wish to show their support to this project and/or to take part in its activities can state so on the web page of the Jaen Journal on Approximation (<http://jja.ujaen.es>).

Finally, the province of Jaen in Andalusia (in the South of Spain) has rich historical and gastronomic wonders. The Renaissance is very much present in this province with towns declared by the UNESCO as World Heritage of Humanity, natural parks, castles and vast fields of groves of planted olive trees. The Jaen Approximation Project also endeavours to introduce researchers to this province and consequently, several pages in the Jaen Journal on approximation are devoted to doing so.

Ubeda Meeting on Approximation

The International Meeting on Approximation of the University of Jaen

Since its beginnings at the University of Jaen in 1993, several professors of the Department of Mathematics have worked to consolidate a solid research group in approximation theory. In 2000, an important year for the mathematical world, they decided to organize an international meeting on approximation in order to guarantee permanent research contacts with other specialists of this area of knowledge.

As far as the location of the meeting is concerned, the organizers looked for places with a sort of special charm, and after going here and there they choose as official site the hotel María de Molina in the town of Ubeda (Jaen, Spain), declared World Heritage Site by the UNESCO in 2003.

The success achieved soon made it possible to continue organizing the conference year after year and to invite prominent mathematicians from the whole world, thus making Jaen become, little by little, edition after edition, a meeting-point on approximation theory.

Each member of the Editorial Board of the Jaen Journal on Approximation has visited Jaen and attended at least one Ubeda Meeting, and since 2008 belongs to its Scientific Committee.

For the sake of quality, it was decided since the very beginning that the participation in the seminars would be by invitation only, restricting, in this way, the number of participants and making them as fruitful as possible. Any researcher who wishes to participate may contact the organization and his/her request will be attended as soon as possible by sending an invitation.

No limitations on the subject and style of the talks were imposed; contributions of all types were welcome and no parallel sessions were scheduled.

Aside from the scientific details, an important part of the time is devoted to getting to know Jaen, so the social events of the conference include visits, walks, gastronomy, etc.

The next edition will be held in the period spanning June 27-July 2, 2009. It counts on a long list of invited speakers to celebrate on one hand, the tenth anniversary and, on the other the launching of the Jaen Journal on Approximation.

The Organizing Committee wishes to express its gratitude to all participants and colleagues for so many contacts and permanent friendships and to thank all

the different people, enterprises, institutions and local governments that have offered their support:

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 Héctor Pijeira Cabrera, Spain
 Hrushikesh N. Mhaskar, USA
 Ignacio Pérez Izquierdo, Cuba
 Igor Shevchuk, Ukraine
 Ioan Gavrea, Romania
 Ioan Rasa, Romania
 Jean-Louis Merrien, France
 Jesús Illán, Spain
 Jesús M. Carnicer, Spain
 Jorge Bustamante, Mexico
 José A. Adell, Spain
 José Luis González-Llavona, Spain
 József Szabados, Hungary
 Juan José Torrens, Spain
 Juan-Manuel Peña, Spain
 Kirill A. Kopotun, Canada
 Kurt Jetter, Germany
 Manfred V. Golitschek, Germany
 Manuel Bello, Spain

María Isabel Garrido, Spain
 Mariano Gasca, Spain
 Marie-Laurence Mazure, France
 Marie-Madeleine Derriennic, France
 Martin Buhmann, Germany
 Maxim Todorov, Mexico
 Michael Prophet, USA
 Miguel A. Jiménez-Pozo, Mexico
 Miguel Antonio Goberna, Spain
 Miguel Pasadas Fernández, Spain
 Mircea Ivan, Romania
 Narendra K. Govil, USA
 Oscar Ciaurri, Spain
 Pablo González-Vera, Spain
 Paul Sablonnière, France
 Peter Vertesi, Hungary
 Ram N. Mohapatra, USA
 Sergey Tikhonov, Italy
 Ulrich Abel, Germany
 Uwe Luther, Germany
 Victoriano Ramírez González, Spain
 Vijay Gupta, India
 Vilmos Totik, Hungary
 Yuliya Babenko, USA
 Zeev Ditzian, Canada

Other Speakers (2000/08)

Abdel Kouibia, Spain
Antonia M. Delgado, Spain
Antonio López Linares, Spain
Antonio Palomares, Spain
Carmen Calvo-Jurado, Spain
Claudia Ridolfi, Argentina
Domingo Barrera, Spain
Domingo Gámez, Spain
Ignacio Alvarez Rocha, Spain
Inconorata Notarangelo, Italy
Juan M. Hernández, Spain
Luisa Fermo, Italy
María C. De Bonis, Italy
Miguel A. Fortes, Spain
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Antonio Damas Serrano
Antonio Jesús López Moreno
Antonio Molina Tébar
Daniel Cárdenas Morales
Esther García Caballero
Francisco Javier Muñoz Delgado
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Rafael Sánchez Fernández
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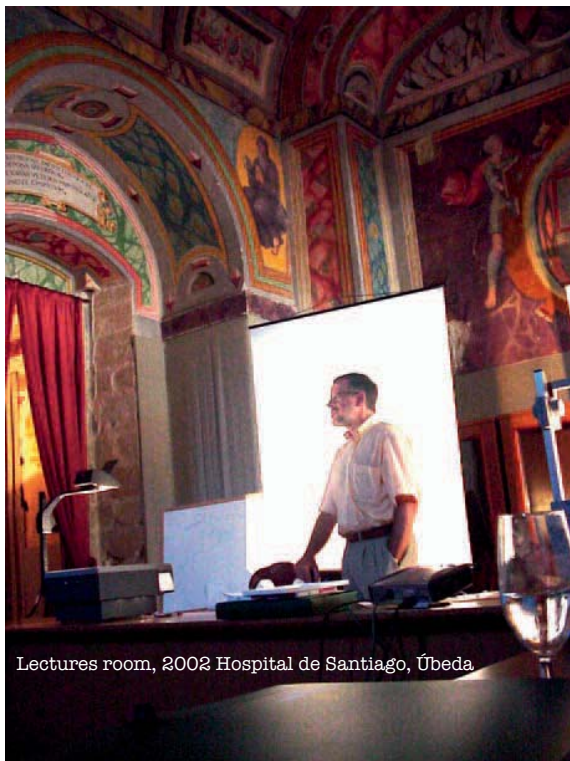
Ubeda Meeting on Approximation



Visit to Baeza, 2007 Palacio Jabalquinto



Lectures room, 2003 Hospital de Santiago, Úbeda



Lectures room, 2002 Hospital de Santiago, Úbeda



Group Picture, 2005 Hospital de Santiago, Úbeda



Group Picture, 2000 Hotel de María, Úbeda



Olive oil tasting, 2008 Úbeda



Visit to Sierra Mágina, 2003 Cuadros



Visit to Andújar, 2006 Museo del Val



Gala Dinner, 2001 Palacio Marqués de la Rambla, Úbeda



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Ubeda, June 27, July 2, 2009

Preliminary list of Invited Speakers

András Kroó, Hungary
Boris Kashin, Russia
Borislav Bojanov, Bulgaria
Claude Brezinski, France
Dany Leviatan, Israel
Francisco Marcellán, Spain
Giuseppe Mastroianni, Italy
Gradimir V. Milovanovic', Serbia
Guillermo López Lagomasino, Spain
Herbert Stahl, Germany
Hrushikesh N. Mhaskar, USA

Ioan Rasa, Romania
Joachim Stoeckler, Germany
José Antonio Adell, Spain
József Szabados, Hungary
Kirill A. Kopotun, Canada
Kurt Jetter, Germany
Manfred V. Golitschek, Germany
Mariano Gasca, Spain
Marie-Laurence Mazure, France
Martin Buhmann, Germany
Miguel A. Jiménez Pozo, Mexico

Nira Dyn, Israel
Paul Nevai, USA
Paul Sablonnière, France
Quoc Thong LeGia, Australia
Shayne Waldron, New Zealand
Tom Lyche, Norway
Vladislav F. Babenko, Ukraine
Yuan Xu, USA
Zeev Ditzian, Canada