

# 2022 MAA MathFest Undergraduate Student Poster Session Outstanding Posters

# **28,** Applying Optimal Control With SQP to Cycling Performance Represented by Constituent Course Elements

Trevor Loe, Madison Lytle, Callan Whitney

#### **2,** Actions and Factorizations

Gradmar Maldonado Marti, Reyes Ortiz Albino

#### **3,** Zero Divisor Graphs of Certain Matrices

Wiley Debs

#### **11,** Existence of Optical Vortex Solitons in Photorefractive Media

Zihan Zhang

## **12,** Mathematically Modeling Virus Propagation on Social Media Networks with the SMIRQ Model

Justin Browning, Arnav Mazumder, Gowri Nanda, Noelle West

#### 17, Optimal control applied to wolf and moose population dynamics

Maya Bocanegra, James Kessinger

### 18, 3-Dimensional Agent-based Model of Neural Activity in the Central Nucleus of the Amygdala During Pain

Carley Reith

## **21,** Music Feature Classification: Using Techniques of Machine Learning to Detect Genre

Ashley Mullan

# **34,** An Agent-Based Model of Environmental Transmission of \textit{C. difficile} in Healthcare Settings

Malen De la Fuente, Maximus Lewis

#### **41,** A Shortcut to Cutting Triangles

Olivia Sylvester

#### 43, All Tangled Up: Geometry of Tangloid Curves

Kyle Kelley

#### **44,** Euclidean Theorems in Spherical and Hyperbolic Geometries

Kai Williams, Michael Perez Palapa

# **47,** Efficiently Computable, Stable Metrics on the Space of Chiral Merge Trees - Does One Exist?

Zach Schlamowitz, Charley Kirk, Jose Arbelo, Antonio Delgado

#### **50,** Spanning Trees of Random Cubic Graphs with Many Leaves

Sarah Acquaviva

#### **54,** Packing Edge-Colorings of Graphs

Cicely Henderson, Camille Kennedy

#### **56,** Fault-Free Tilings Using Polyominoes

Anika Homan, Samuel Webb

# **59,** Analyzing the Impact of Alternate Assessment on Growth Mindset in Mathematics Courses

Dayanna Sanchez

#### 69, Good Elliptic Curves

Elise Alvarez-Salazar, Miguel Aparicio, Calvin Henaku, Summer Soller