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Fourier Analysis
Geometric Discrepancy
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Recent courses at Milano-Bicocca:

Calculus I (undergraduate)
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Selected professional duties:

Deputy Director of the Department of Mathematics and Applications (2001-2002)
Director of Undergraduate and Graduate Studies in Mathematics (2002-2006)
Deputy Director of the Department of Statistics (2011-2012)
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List of conferences organized:

Varenna (2016), Workshop on Discrepancy Theory
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Milano (2001), Workshop on Fourier Analysis and Convexity
Como (2000), *Convegno Nazionale di Analisi Armonica*
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Publications

books

1. G. Travaglini, “Numbers and Figures: Six Math Conversations Starting from Scratch”, American Mathematical Society (2023).
2. M. Bramanti, G. Travaglini, “Studying Mathematics: The Beauty, the Toil and the Method”, Springer (2018).
3. G. Travaglini, “Number theory, Fourier analysis and Geometric discrepancy”, Cambridge University Press (2014).
4. W. Chen, A. Srivastav, G. Travaglini (Editors), “Panorama of Discrepancy Theory”, Springer (2014).
5. G. Travaglini, “Appunti su Teoria dei numeri, Analisi di Fourier e Distribuzione di punti”, Unione Matematica Italiana - Pitagora (2010).
6. M. Bramanti, G. Travaglini, “Matematica. Questione di metodo”, Zanichelli (2009).
7. L. Brandolini, L. Colzani, A. Iosevich, G. Travaglini (Editors), “Fourier Analysis and convexity”, Applied and Numerical Harmonic Analysis, Birkhäuser (2004).
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papers

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2. G. Travaglini, *I numeri primi di padre Mersenne*, preprint.
3. L. Brandolini, L. Colzani, G. Travaglini, *Irregularities of distribution and Fourier transforms of multi-dimensional convex bodies*, preprint.
4. G. Travaglini, *Terne Pitagoriche*, Emmequadrato **90** (2025).
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6. G. Travaglini, *Gerrymandering*, Emmequadrato **86** (2024).
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8. G. Travaglini, *Il Problema delle Monete*, Archimede **3** (2022), 141–148.
9. L. Brandolini, G. Travaglini, *Irregularities of distribution and geometry of planar convex sets*. Adv. Math. **396** (2022) 108162.
10. L. Brandolini, L. Colzani, S. Robins, G. Travaglini, *An Euler-Maclaurin formula for polygonal sums*, Trans. Amer. Math. Soc. **375** (2022), 151–172.
11. M. Barbieri, L. Brandolini, G. Travaglini, *Euclide e la preparazione agli studi universitari*, Emmequadrato **79** (2021).
12. G. Travaglini, *Numeri e Figure*, Emmequadrato **79** (2021).
13. L. Brandolini, L. Colzani, S. Robins, G. Travaglini, *Convergence of multiple Fourier series and Pick’s theorem*, Amer. Math. Monthly **5128** (2021), 41-49.

14. L. Brandolini, G. Travaglini, *Fourier analytic techniques for lattice point discrepancy*, in “Discrepancy Theory” (D. Bilyk, J. Dick, F. Pillichshammer Editors), De Gruyter (2020), 173–216.
15. L. Brandolini, L. Colzani, B. Gariboldi, G. Gigante, G. Travaglini, *Discrepancy for convex bodies with isolated flat points*, Rev. Mat. Iberoam. **36** (2020), 1597–1626.
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