



Department of Mathematical Sciences
RESEARCH CENTRE IN MATHEMATICS & MODELLING

ELASTICITY DAY

One-Day Workshop on Mathematical Modelling in Solid Mechanics
organised by Liverpool University, LJMU and sponsored by RCMM

Saturday, 5th May 2012

**Room 027, Proudman Lecture Theatre, Mathematical Sciences Building, University of
Liverpool**

10:30 – 11:00 Coffee and Welcome

- 11:00 – 11:35 R. Craster (Imperial College, London) ***“Buoyancy driven fracture”***
11:35– 12:10 J.R. Willis (University of Cambridge) ***“Modelling of crack front perturbations”***
12:10 – 12:45 Y. Fu (University of Keele) ***“Recent results on elastic localization”***
12:45 – 13:20 J. Kaplunov (Brunel University) ***“Explicit models for surface waves and moving load problems”***

13:20 – 14:00 L u n c h and Discussion

- 14:00 – 14:20 L. Joseph (Imperial College, London) ***“Asymptotics for waves guided along line defects in lattices”***
14:20 – 14:40 I. Argatov (Aberystwyth University) ***“Asymptotic modelling of articular contact: sensitivity analysis”***
14:40 – 15:00 M. Makwana (Imperial College, London) ***“High frequency homogenization for point defects”***
15:00 – 15:20 Y. Zhu (University of Glasgow) ***“Nonlinear buckling of three-dimensional thick-walled elastic tubes under pressure”***
15:20 – 15:40 A. Piccolroaz (Trento/Aberystwyth University) ***“Steady-state crack propagation in couple stress elastic materials”***

15:20 - 16:10 Tea / Coffee

- 16:10 - 16:30 T. Shearer (University of Manchester) ***“Antiplane wave scattering from a cylindrical void in a pre-stressed nonlinear elastic material”***
16:30 – 16:50 A. Pichugin (Brunel University) ***“Thermoelasticity in quasi-adiabatic approximation”***
16:50 – 17:10 M. Cherdantsev (Cardiff University) ***“Homogenization of nonlinear high-contrast periodic composites via two-scale Gamma-convergence”***
17:10 – 17:30 L. Morini (University of Modena and Reggio Emilia) ***“Stroh Formalism in analysis of symmetric and skew-symmetric weight functions for interfacial cracks in anisotropic bimerials”***
17:30 – 17:50 R. de Pascalis (University of Manchester) ***“Predicting the pressure-volume curve of an elastic microsphere composite”***
17:50 – 18:10 M. Nieves (Liverpool John Moores University) ***“Modelling of an advancing fault in an elastic lattice”***