# 23rd International Summer School on Global Analysis and Applications

# Braşov, Romania, August 20--24, 2018

# **Program**

# Monday, August 20

08:00 - 09:00	Registration
09:00 - 09:10	Summer school opening

# Morning session

09:10 – 10:40	Yu. Sachkov, Geometric control theory, sub-Riemannian geometry, and their applications in robotics and vision
10:40 - 11:00	Coffee break
11:00 – 12:30	N. Voicu, Foundations of Finsler geometry and its generalizations

## Afternoon session

14:30 – 15:10	D. Krupka, Variational forces
15:10 – 15:50	L. Popescu, Lie algebroids framework for drift-less control affine systems
15:50 – 16:10	Coffee break
16:10 – 16:30	G. Shan, Hamel's field variational integrators for geometrically exact beam and Chaplygin-Timoshenko sleigh
16:30 – 16:50	L. Huageng, Discrete optimal control of a car on the sphere
16:50 – 17:10	CTJ Dodson, Information geometry as a possible control tool
17:10 – 17:30	H. Tadano, Some Myers-Type Theorems for Transverse Ricci Solitons on
	Sasaki Manifolds
17:30 – 17:50	I. Harraki, Controllability of the wave equation via bilinear control

## Tuesday, August 21

#### Morning session

- 09:00 10:30 Yu. Sachkov, Geometric control theory, sub-Riemannian geometry, and their applications in robotics and vision
- *10:30 − 11:00 Coffee break*
- 11:00 12:30 N. Voicu, Foundations of Finsler geometry and its generalizations

#### Afternoon session

- 14:30 15:10 X. Cheng, Einstein Finsler Metrics and S. S. Chern's Question
- 15:10 15:50 T. Aikou, Negativity of holomorphic vector bundles and complex Finsler structures
- 15:50 16:10 Coffee break
- 16:10 16:30 L. Kozma, *On connections in sub-Finsler geometry*
- 16:30 16:50 R. Wolak, Foliations on Finsler manifolds
- 16:50 17:10 P. Walczak, Integral formulae for codimension-one foliated Randers spaces
- 17:10 17:30 B. Tiwari, On Finsler spaces with spherically symmetric metric
- 17:30-17:50 G. Prajapati, On Semi C-Reducibility of general  $(\alpha,\beta)$ -Finsler metrics
- 17:50 18:10 S.K. Narasimhamurthy, Einstein theory of Finsler-Randers Cosmological Model

# Wednesday, August 22

- *09.00-18:30 Excursions:*
- A) Trip to Bran castle and Rasnov Saxon fortress
- B) Hiking trip in Piatra Craiului National Park (hiking shoes are necessary)
- C) Tour of the city of Brasov

## Thursday, August 23

#### Morning session

- 09:00 10:30 Yu. Sachkov, Geometric control theory, sub-Riemannian geometry, and their applications in robotics and vision
- *10:30 − 11:00 Coffee break*
- 11:00 12:30 D. Krupka, Foundations of Finsler geometry and its generalizations

#### Afternoon session

- 14:30 15:10 K. Marathe, What is Physical Mathematics?
- 15:10 15:50 Z. Urban, Global variational principle
- 15:50 16:10 Coffee break
- 16:10 16:50 M.A. Javaloyes, On the definition and examples of cones and Finsler spacetimes
- 16:50 17:30 C. Pfeifer, Finsler spacetime geometry in Physics
- 17:30 18:10 M. Hohmann, Harmonic d-tensors with spherical and cosmological symmetry

# Friday, August 24

### Morning session

- 09:00 10:30 Yu. Sachkov, Geometric control theory, sub-Riemannian geometry, and their applications in robotics and vision
- 10:30 11:00 Coffee break
- 11:00 12:30 D. Krupka, Foundations of Finsler geometry and its generalizations

#### Afternoon session

- 14:30 15:10 E. Le Donne, Tangents of sub-Riemannian geodesics
- 15:10 15:50 Yu. Sachkov, Sub-Finsler problems on the Cartan and Engel groups
- 15:50 16:10 Coffee break
- 16:10 16:30 V. Kivioja, Classification of Lie groups by metric geometry
- 16:30 16:50 M. Romney, Quasiconformal mappings on sub-Riemannian manifolds
- 16:50-17:10 F. Tripaldi, On the topology of surfaces with the simple lift property
- 17:10 17:30 A. Pampano, Criticality of Sub-Riemannian Geodesics Projections and Applications
- 17:30 17:50 Y.H. Kim, Application of Laplace operator on manifolds
- 17:50 18:10 I. A. Alrhman, Lagrangian Mechanical Systems with Four Almost Complex Structures on Symplectic Geometry

#### 18:30 – 22:00 Summer School dinner

#### Poster session:

Posters will be displayed in the conference room for the whole duration of the summer school.

- C.-W. Kim, Rigidity theorems in Finsler geometry
- C. Pfeifer, Berwald extension of general relativity

- C. MacLaurin, Time slicings of black holes

- D. S. Patra, The Fisher-Marsden conjecture on contact manifold

- L. M. Alabdulsada, On non-positive curvature properties of the Hilbert metric

- L. Balko, Some numerical homotopy invariants of certain classes of flag

manifolds

- P. Chalmovianský, Envelopes of planar curves in applications

- T. Moisala, Infinite-dimensional Carnot groups and Rademacher's theorem