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Editorial Boards (current):

Communications in Contemporary Mathematics; 2006 - present.
Electronic Research Announcements in Mathematical Sciences;
February 2007 - January 2012.
Fields Institute, Editorial Board; 2001 - present.
Journal of Dynamics and Differential Equations; 2006 - present.
London Mathematical Society Monographs; 2004 - 2008.
Mathematical Physics Electronic Journal; 2002 - present.
Mathematical Reports of the Royal Society of Canada; 2008 - present.
Nonlinear Differential Equations and Applications; 2008 - present.
Philosophical Transactions of the Royal Society - A: 2009 - 2011.
Proceedings of the AMS; Feb. 2005 - Jan. 2013.

Editorial Boards (past):

AMS, Graduate Studies in Mathematics; Feb. 2002 - Jan. 2008.
Canadian Mathematical Society, Journal and Bulletin; 2002 - 2007..
SIAM: Mathematical Analysis; 1998 - 2004.
Proceedings of the Royal Society - A; 2002 - 2008.

American Mathematical Society:

Member of the Executive Committee; 2003 - 2006.
Member at Large of Council; 2000 - 2003.
Member of the Committee on the Profession; 2001 - 2004, (chair, 2003 - 2004).
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American Association for the Advancement of Science:

Member 1985 - present
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Fields Institute, Toronto:

Scientific Advisory Panel; 2000 - 2005.
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Visiting professorships:

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Publications:

- [1] “A bifurcation theory for periodic solutions of nonlinear dissipative hyperbolic equations,” *Annali della Scuola Norm. Sup.-Pisa serie IV, Vol X,1*, pp. 125-167 (1983).
- [2] “Pure point spectrum for discrete almost periodic Schrödinger operators,” *Commun. Math. Phys.* **88** pp. 113-131 (1983).
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- [6] “On water waves in the Boussinesq and Korteweg-de Vries limits,” MSRI Berkeley report 056-84-5 (1984).
- [7] “On the Lyapunov index and the integrated density of states for stochastic Schrodinger operators,” *Infinite dimensional analysis and stochastic processes*, S. Albeverio ed. Research notes in mathematics **124**, Pitman (1985).
- [8] “An existence theory for water waves, and the Boussinesq and Korteweg-deVries scaling limits,” *Commun. PDE* **10**, no 8, pp 787-1004 (1985).
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