**Gaussian Random Knots**
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A model for random knots is obtained by fixing an initial curve in some n-dimensional Euclidean space and projecting the curve on to random 3 dimensional subspaces. By varying the curve we obtain different models of random knots, and we will study how the second moment of the average crossing number change as a function of the initial curve.

This is based on work of Christopher Westenberger.