

## **Semidefinite Programming in Multiview Geometry**

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Optimization problems that can be presented by polynomials admit natural relaxations via semidefinite programming, a generalization of linear programming. In this talk I will describe our work on applying semidefinite programming to the triangulation problem in computer vision. When noise is small, these relaxations solve triangulation exactly. This behavior is shared by several other problems that come from applications.