

HDP Participating Seminar – suggested papers

- Berry’s Conjecture for random regular graphs (Bakhaus–Szegedy theorem) [BS19], see also [Ana22, Chapter 7] for a presentation better adapted for a seminar talk.
- Concentration for quadratic forms and applications [RV13], [Ver18, Chapter 6]
- Dvoretzky–Milman theorem [Ver18, Chapter 11]
- Restricted Isometry Property for sub-sampled Fourier matrices: [RV08, Bou14, HR17] (these build on each other)
- Braess’s paradox for the spectral gap of random graphs [ERS17]
- CLTs for random tensors [Mik22]
- Small ball probabilities for high-dimensional distributions [RV15]
- Spectral stability from Gaussian noise (toward applications in numerical linear algebra) [BKMS19]
- Matrix Spencer conjecture: [BJM]; see also series of three posts by Meka at the [Windows on Theory](#) blog
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