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Mathematical Modelling for Next-Generation Cryptography

The aim of the book is to present mathematical background underlying a security modelling of the next-generation cryptography. The book will introduce new mathematical results in order to strengthen information security, simultaneously making fresh insights and developing the respective areas of mathematics. This project is supported by CREST - a funding program, which is run by the Japan Science and Technology Agency (JST) (<https://cryptomath-crest.jp/english>).

The book is planning to be published on July 2017.

Original research papers/surveys on all technical aspects of mathematical cryptography related to the next-generation cryptography are solicited. The topics include (but are not restricted to): (1) Mathematical background for the next-generation cryptography such as: number theory, algebraic geometry, lattice theory, representation theory, multivariate polynomial theory, quantum computation and mathematical physics; (2) Cryptosystems that have the potential to be safe against quantum computers such as: hash-based signature schemes, lattice-based cryptosystems, code-based cryptosystems, multivariate cryptosystems and quantum cryptographic schemes.

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