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Jeffrey was born in the US and grew up in Canada and Norway. She was educated in the US and England. She is a full professor at the University of Toronto, having earlier held positions at Princeton and McGill. She works in symplectic geometry and mathematical physics, often applying techniques from pure mathematics to prove results proposed by theoretical physicists. Jeffrey has supervised eighteen PhD

students, two of them women. Jeffrey won the Canadian Mathematical Society's Krieger-Nelson Prize (2001) and Coxeter-James Prize (2002). She gave the AWM's Noether Lecture (2017), and was an AMS Fellow (2012) and Royal Society of Canada Fellow (2007).

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