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**Michael D. Barrus\*** (barrus@math.byu.edu), Department of Mathematics, Brigham Young University, Provo, UT 84602. *The polytope of fractional realizations of degree sequences.*

We introduce a notion of fractional realizations of a graph degree sequence  $d$  and discuss the convex polytope  $P(d)$  formed by points associated with these realizations. Simple graph realizations correspond to extreme points of  $P(d)$ , though for a typical  $d$  the extreme points include other fractional realizations as well. We characterize the extreme points of the polytope and characterize the degree degree sequences  $d$  for which the extreme points of  $P(d)$  correspond exactly to simple graph realizations. We characterize the graphs having such degree sequences and show how their structure generalizes that of the pseudo-split graphs. (Received September 12, 2013)