ALTHEA CAPPELLI



EDUCATION

2022 - 2024 Master of Science in Physics

Leibniz University Hannover

- Coursework in theoretical physics including various computer physics lectures (Python), quantum field theory, quantum optics, quantum information, particle physics, and minor in mathematics.
- Thesis: "Cavity Response to Time Dependent Dark Matter Signals". (Grade: 1.1)
 - Supervisors: Jun.-Prof. Dr. Elina Fuchs and Prof. Dr. Klemens Hammerer
 - Used analytical computations and numerical methods (Mathematica, Python) from quantum optics to analyze the response of a high-frequency gravitational wave passing through a microwave cavity.
- Presentation of a talk at the physics conference of the German Physical Society (DPG) in Karlsruhe.

2021 - 2022 **Semester Abroad**

Helsingin Yliopisto - University of Helsinki, Finland

- Coursework focusing on particle physics and astrophysics.
- · Learned Finnish to A2 level.

2017 - 2022 Bachelor of Science in Physics

Leibniz University Hannover

- Coursework including relativistic quantum mechanics and general relativity, and minor in mathematics.
- Thesis: "Quantum mechanical description of the recovery of information from a black hole". (Grade: 1.0)
 - Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Tobias J. Osborne
 - Used tensor network techniques to estimate the error probability in recovering classical and quantum information from a black hole in Hawking's radiation model.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

2019 – 2024 **Teaching Assistant**

Institute for Theoretical Physics

- \rightarrow Holding exercise classes in theoretical physics, correcting exercise sheets including final written exams, and office hours for lecture, exercise sheets and computer exercises (Python).
 - Mathematical Methods of Physics (2×)
 - Theoretical Electrodynamics (2x)
 - Analytical Mechanics and Special Relativity
 - Introduction into Quantum Theory $(2\times)$
 - Mathematical Methods for Teachers
 - · Electrodynamics for Teachers
 - Quantum Theory and Statistical Mechanics for Teachers

2024–2025 Physics Lab Assistant

Institute for Quantum Optics

 \rightarrow Supervising students during the experiments, helping with data analysis (Python), explaining physical theoretical backgrounds, correcting laboratory reports, office hours for the reports.



- Python
- Tensorflow
- SQL
- Mathematica
- Latex



- Taekwondo
- Kickboxing
- Bouldering
- Hiking

Languages

- · Italian native
- · German fluent
- · English fluent
- · Spanish proficient
- Finnish beginner