

# Ayden Edwards

## Education

- 2024–2028 **B.Sc. in Mathematics, Honors**, *University of Houston*, Houston, Texas
- 2024–2028 **B.S.E.E. in Electrical Engineering, Honors**, *University of Houston*, Houston, Texas
- 2022–2024 **A.Sc. in Mathematics**, *San Jacinto College*, Houston, Texas  
Modified Early College Academy Graduate
- 2020–2024 **High School Diploma**, *Crosby High School*, Crosby, Texas  
Distinguished Achievement

## Skills & Competencies

- Programming Python (PyTorch), R, MATLAB, & HTML
- Tools  $\text{\LaTeX}$ , Mathematica, Excel, Git, & Tableau
- Coursework Numerical Analysis, Partial Differential Equations, Advanced Linear Algebra, Matrix Theory, Number Theory, Probability

## Experience

### Work

- August 2023 – Present **Peer Mathematics, Statistics, and Science Tutor**, *San Jacinto College, Student Success Center*, Houston, Texas, 12 hrs/week  
Calculus, Differential Equations, Linear Algebra, Statistics, Physics, Chemistry, Biology
- August 2024 – May 2025 **General Chemistry I and II Supplemental Instructor**, *San Jacinto College, Department of Natural Sciences*, Houston, Texas, 10 hrs/week

### Projects, Papers, and Research

- Spring 2026 **Research in Graph Neural Networks**, *University of Houston*, Houston, Texas, Advisor: Dr. Therese Wu  
Provost's Undergraduate Research Scholarship
- Fall 2024 **Ordinary Differential Equations Honors Project**, *University of Houston, Honors College*, Houston, Texas, Advisor: Prof. Charles Puelz  
Honors Credit Petition
- Spring 2025 **What is a Hole? – Topology Directed Reading**, *University of Houston, Mathematics Department*, Houston, Texas, Advisor: Marco Campos, Graduate Student  
Directed Reading Program

## Activities, Organizations, and Extracurriculars

### Student Organizations

- **President**, Cougar Athletics (Fall 2024–Present)
- **Member**, Honors Ambassadors (Fall 2024–Present).

- **President**, The Mathematics Club at San Jacinto College (Fall 2022 – Spring 2024).

### Professional Societies

- **Member**, Society of Industrial and Applied Mathematics (Spring 2025–Present).
- **Member**, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (Fall 2024–Present).

### Competitions

- **Participant**, SCUDEM IX 2024 Mathematical Modeling Challenge. Meritorious Award.
- **Participant**, SCUDEM X 2025 Mathematical Modeling Challenge. Meritorious Award.
- **Participant**, 85th William Lowell Putnam Mathematical Competition.
- **Participant**, 86th William Lowell Putnam Mathematical Competition.
- **Participant**, American Mathematical Association of Two-Year Colleges Student Mathematics League Competition (December 2023–February 2024).

### Seminars and Conferences

- **Presenter**: Mathposium 2024, University of Texas at Dallas (November 2024).
- **Presenter**: Directed Reading Program Colloquium, University of Houston SIAM Chapter
- **Attendee**: UH - LSU - TAMU Undergraduate Mathematics research Conference, University of Houston (March 2025).
- **Attendee**: Texas Algebraic Geometry Symposium, Texas A&M (March 2025).
- **Volunteer**: University of Houston Undergraduate Research Day, University of Houston (April 2025).

### Community Service

- **Founder**: Crosby Association of STEM Excellence
- **Volunteer**: Churches United In Caring
- **Volunteer**: University of Houston Honors Peer Advisor

### Honors and Accolades

#### Honors

- **2× Meritorious Award**, SIMIODE (2024, 2025).
- **San Jacinto College Honors Achievement Award**, San Jacinto College (May 2024).

#### Scholarships

- **Provost's Undergraduate Research Scholarship**, University of Houston Office of Undergraduate Research & Major Awards (2026).
- **Jared Jamail Memorial Scholarship**, Jared Jamail Memorial Fund (2024–2027).
- **Highlands Rotary Club Scholarship**, Highlands Rotary Club (2024–2028).
- **Academic Excellence Scholarship**, University of Houston Honors College (2024–2028).
- **William Randolph Hearst Endowed Scholarship**, University of Houston Honors College (2024–2028).
- **Cougar Promise Scholarship**, University of Houston (2024–2028).