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Cirriculum Vitae

The usefulness of a pot comes from its emptiness.
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Education

BSc Physics with Honors, First Class, University of Calgary, Calgary, Alberta, GPA: 3.9. 2013–2017
Graduated April 2017.

Thesis: *Maximally entangled multipartite symmetric states*

Supervised by Gilad Gour. Characterization of maximal entanglement in pure multipartite qubit states with symmetry under exchange of qubits.

Classes: *Special classes taken during BSc*

- Solid state physics
- Introduction to Optimization
- Introduction to Nanoscience and Nanotechnology

Work Experience

Research Assistant, Nasser Moazzen-Ahmadi, Calgary, 2017-2018
University of Calgary.
Investigating the feasibility of infrared photon-induced upgrading of bitumen

- Executing and analyzing gas chromatography and mass spectrometry

Summer Researcher, Nasser Moazzen-Ahmadi, Calgary, 2015–2017
University of Calgary.
Study of rovibrational spectroscopy of molecular clusters. Included lab and computational work.

- High and low vacuum systems
- Lasers and optics
- Poster presentation at Quantum Alberta Workshop 2016

Freight Associate, The Home Depot, Calgary, Alberta. 2014
Overnight stocking

Computer skills

Programming: In order of familiarity: Python, LabVIEW, Fortran 77 and 90, Matlab, SQL, Shell and Batch scripts, Makefiles

Word Processing: Proficient with LaTeX as well as WYSIWIG editors such as MS Word

Spreadsheets: Translatable experience with data analysis

OS: Experience on Windows and Linux, as well as Mac OS.

Awards and Scholarships

NSERC Undergraduate Student Research Award: 2016

Louise McKinney Scholarship: 2015

University of Calgary Undergraduate Merit Award: 2015

Physics and Astronomy Book Award: 2015

Physics and Astronomy Undergraduate Scholarship: 2015

Jason Lang Scholarship: 2014

President's Admission Scholarship: 2013

Alexander Rutherford Scholarship: 2013

Publications

unpublished: Use of quantum-correlated twin beams for cancellation of power fluctuations in a continuous-wave optical parametric oscillator for high-resolution spectroscopy in the rapid scan mode

unpublished: Absolutely Maximally Entangled Multipartite Symmetric States

2017: Three new infrared bands of the He-OCS complex