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Education

Trinity College, University of Cambridge

Cambridge

Engineering BA and MEng

2023-2027

Grades: 4th out of 323 in University of Cambridge and 1st in Trinity College for Part IA (799/900)

2024

53rd International Physics Olympiad

Tokyo

Silver Medal, 55th out of 400+ contestants (64%)

2023

1st in the UK for the British Physics Olympiad Round 3 and NPL Theoretical Physics Prize

Nottingham High School

Nottingham

4 A* in Further Mathematics, Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry

2016-2023

Distinction in British Mathematics Olympiad Round 1 (33/60) and full marks in the Senior Maths Challenge Gold in the UK Chemistry Olympiad Round 1 (84%) and qualified for the International Chemistry Olympiad UK team selection camp

Experience and Projects

Sepal AI

Remote

Consultant — Physics Specialist

August 2024

• Validating, solving and rewriting physics questions for an AI reasoning evaluation scheme.

British Physics Olympiad

Oxford

Lecturer

April 2024

- Delivered a 2 hour lecture on AC theory and applications to the top 14 students in the British Physics Olympiad.
- Written self-made notes with LATEX. You can find these at https://coy-z.github.io/teaching/acnotes/.
- Tutored a student who subsequently qualified for the International Olympiad of Astronomy and Astrophysics UK team selection camp.

Orbyts AGN Research Paper

Nottingham

Student Researcher

October 2022 – April 2023

- Analysed data of active galactic nuclei from the XMM Newton X-ray telescope using Python.
- Published results and conclusions in the Astronomy Theory, Observations and Methods Journal.
- Delivered a final remote presentation detailing some theoretical aspects and results.

Leadership & Activities

Cambridge University Space Flight

Cambridge

Computational Fluid Dynamics Engineer

January 2024 - June 2024

• Learning COMSOL in a team to model aerodynamic flutter of rocket fins.

Trinity College Engineering Society

Cambridge

Freshers' Representative

October 2023 – Present

- Representing first year engineering undergraduates at Trinity College in social and academic matters.
- Organising engineering freshers' events according to student desires.

Skills & Interests

Technical: Python, C++, Solidworks 2022, LATEX, Microsoft Office

Language: English (Native fluency), Chinese (Conversational fluency)

Interests: Saxophone (dipABRSM) and violin (Grade 8 Merit) player, Jazz enjoyer, Badminton enthusiast