# **Dowling Wong**

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## **EDUCATION**

## **Brandeis University**

May 2024

Bachelor of Science in Physics

PHYS GPA: 3.73/4.00

• Relevant Coursework: Graduate Mathematical Physics, Differential Geometry, Particle Physics, Data Science and Physics, Graduate Electromagnetic Theory, Graduate Statistical Mechanics, Graduate Quantum Mechanics, Physical Continuum Mechanics, General Relativity, Differential Equation, Advanced Physics Laboratory, Electronic Laboratory

## Franklin W. Olin College of Engineering

May 2024

Certificate on Electrical & Computer Engineering

ENGR GPA: 3.90/4.00

- Relevant Coursework: Eclectronic, Fundamental Robotics, Integrated Engineering
- Engineering Skills: Computer Vision, FPGA Development, PCB design&manufacturer, Development Board design&Driver development, Singal Processing

## Research

## Particle Identification Algorithm | Brandeis/MIT

Mar 2022 - Present

Advisor: Aram Apyan, Philip Harris

- DNN based Particle ID for DarkQuest proposal
- Deploying DNN Particle ID into online analysis as particle tagger, using C interface
- Collaborate to create a pipeline for data processing and analysis at DarkQuest
- Track Reconstruction with drift chambers, EM-Calorimeter, and hodoscope
- Seed-Kmean Clsutering Algorithm for EMCal
- Optimized <u>pypi package dwong</u> for DarkQuest data analysis, Keras model for Particle ID, plotting tools, and CSV saving

#### Holographic Duality and Entanglement Entropy Brandeis

Nov 2022 – Aug 2023

Instructor: Matthew Headrick

- Presentation and notes on Theoretical foundation for black holes and the supermassive compact object at the Galactic center
- Learning notes on solutions of Einstein Field Equations, derivation of some basic AdS/CFT correspondece
- Reading and discussion on Tensor Network, and Entanglement Entropy

## Talks and Presentations

#### DarkQuest Collaboration All-Hands-on Workshop, Boston(Talk)

Oct 2023

D. Wong, A. Apyan, W.P. McCormack, P. C. Harris

[Event Link]

Seed-Kmean Clustering, Track/Particle flow reconstruction, Integrating pipeline for data analysis,

## Update on Particle ID and Simulation at DarkQuest Collaboration(Talk)

Aug 2023

D. Wong W.P.McCormack

[Event Link]

Performance and technical detail of NN based Particle ID, bench mark of using different frame.

## Brandeis SciFest XII(Presentation)

Aug 2023

A.Apyan, P.C.Harris, W.P.McCormack, D. Wong

[Event Link]

Physics for Dark Matter, Neural Network based Particle Identification, Cut-based particle discriminator

## Presentation on theoretical foundation for Black Holes(Mock Qual)

Nov 2023

D.Wong

[Event Link]

Based on Penrose's contribution to 2020 Nobel prize, introduced Einstein field Eqation, Schwarzchild metric, Penrose diagram, singularity and Hawking-Bekenstein Entropy.

## EXPERIENCE

## Visiting Student | MIT LNS

Jun 2023- Present

Visiting student to Philip Harris group to conduct further research on NN-based Particle ID and Clustering Algorithm. Learn about DataScience applications in Physics.

### Research Assistant, member of Brandeis HEP | Brandeis university

May 2022 – Present

Advised by Prof.Aram Apyan. Doing research on displaced vertexing, tracking reconstruction and particle identification for DarkQuest Collaboration.

Student | Brandeis Quantum and Gravitational Theory Group

Nov 2022 - Aug 2023

Reading papers on Quantum gravity and Tensor Network, derive Bulk-Boundary relationship start from solving Einstein Equation. Join theory group meeting to prepare for senior thesis.

### Visiting student | Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory

Mar 2022 - Present

Member of DarkQuest Collaboration, modify Pythia 8 to modify <u>e1039-core simulation</u> for combining station 2&3 study on displaced vertex.

### **Technician** | Brandeis ITS

Sep 2021 - Mar 2022

I provided general computer& software support for the Branedis campus and teaching technology ,performed maintenance work for the network and high performance computing cluster(HPCC). I also helped set up new computers and managed the safe disposal of hard drives containing sensitive information.

## Skills

Languages: C/C++, Java, Python, Mathematica, MATLAB, HTML/CSS, LATEX

Machine Learning Packages: PyTorch, Tensorflow, Keras, hls4ml, SONIC, Tensorflow C API

Editors: Vim, Emacs, nano, VSCode, IntelliJ IDEA, Jupyter Notebook

Technical skills: Git/Github, anaconda, docker, zsh, Bash

EECS skills: KiCAD, MricoPython, CircuitPython, LTspice circuit simulation analysis

## LEARNING NOTES AND PAPERS IN PROGRESS

## DarkQuest Update Paper on Track Reconstruction, Particle ID and SpinQuest Data

Paper in progress

[Paper Link] [Event Link]

## Anti-de-Sitter Space and Beyond

Learning Notes

[Paper Link]

## Particle Identification for Dark Photon Detection

Poster

[Paper Link] [Event Link]

## Penrose Singularity Theorem and Conformal Structure

Learning Notes

[Paper Link] [Event Link]

## Summary on Black Hole Entropy and Holographic Correspondence

Learning Notes

[Paper Link]

## SELECTED COURSES

PHYS 107 Particle Physics   Brandeis University	SP 2024
PHYS 167 Particle Phenomenology   Brandeis University	SP 2024
8.316 Data Science in Physics $\mid MIT$	SP 2024
CAS PY 501 Mathematical Physics   Boston University	FA 2023
PHYS 91G Introduction to Research Practice   Brandeis University	SP 2022
PHYS 99D Senior Research   Brandeis University	FA 2023
PHYS 164A First Year Tutorial I   Brandeis University	FA 2023
PHYS 163A Statistical Physics and Thermodynamics   Brandeis University	FA 2023
PHYS 162B Quantum Mechanics II   Brandeis University	SP 2023
PHYS 161A Electromagnetic Theory I   Brandeis University	FA 2023
PHYS 111A Physical Continuum Mechanics   Brandeis University	SP 2022
PHYS 102A General Relativity   Brandeis University	SP 2023
PHYS 39A Advanced Physics Laboratory   Brandeis University	FA 2022
PHYS 31A Quantum Theory I   Brandeis University	SP 2022
PHYS 31B Quantum Theory II   Brandeis University	FA 2022
PHYS 30A Electromagnetism   Brandeis University	FA 2021
PHYS 29A Electronics Laboratory I   Brandeis University	SP 2022
MATH 102A Introduction to Differential geometry   Brandeis University	SP 2023
MATH 37A Differential Equations   Brandeis University	SU 2022
COSI 12B Advanced Programming Techniques in Java   Brandeis University	SU 2022
ENGR 3390 Fundamentals of Robotics   Olin College	SP 2023
ENGR 3430 Eclectronics   Olin College	FA 2022
ENGR 2110 Principles of Integrated Engineering   Olin College	FA 2022
ENGR 3499A Special Topics in Electrical & Computer Engineering : Satellite Systems	
Olin College	SP 2023

## ELECTRONIC&CODING PROJECTS

## Pypi package dwong | Python, C

Mar 2023 - Present

- Dowling's analysis code for DQ collaboration
- Includes clustering, tracking, hodoscope inspection, st23 tracklet and Particle ID under construction.

#### **DQ Dowling** | Jupyter notebook, Python

Mar 2023 – Present

- Dowling's analysis code for DQ collaboration
- Includes clustering, tracking, hodoscope inspection, st23 tracklet and Particle ID under construction.

#### dwongs | Python

Jun 2023 – Present

• Self-designed Python package for DarkQuest Collaboration, includes data processing, plotting, machine learning kit, and decay-distance calculator.

### **DLab** | C, Python, Assembly Language

Sep 2023

- Use Python to do bottom management, I/O&CPU bound multi-threading, profiling, and dynamic memory allocation.
- Interface between C and Python, write some classes and function in C for Python code.

## My Website | HTML, CSS, JavaScript

Feb 2023 – Present

- $\bullet$  PCB design based on MOS 6502 data sheet and Ben Eater website.
- Hand soldering components and testing.

## PE6502 8bit computer | Assembly Language, PCB hand soldering

Aug 2023

- PCB design based on MOS 6502 datasheet and Ben Eater website.
- Hand soldering components and testing.

## Autopilot Robot Rover | Computer Vision, Robotic Control System, Matlab, Git

May 2023

- Developed an autopilot with AprilTag, accelerometer and GPS, following trail around Olin Oval. With real-time video sending back and human control system
- Design mechanical structure and electrical system, have low-volt control system and high-volt actuation system.
- Computer Vision for color block and PID control to walk through bridge
- Constructed website to summarize project and share code.

#### Digital Camera based on RP2040 | OS develop, PCB design and soldering, SPI interface

Dec 2022

- Prototype with Dowling Pi Pico, tested with breadboard
- Wrote a camera operating system using circuit python and micropython
- PCB designed based on Dowling Pi Pico layout, added camera and SD card slot with IOs and buttons.
- Reflow oven soldering and hand solder fixed

## **Dowling Pi Pico** | PCB design and soldering, RP 2040

Dec 2022

- Design circuit following RP2040 processor manual, draw scheme for circuit.
- PCB design for layout, replace micro-USB to USB-C port.
- Reflow oven soldering with hand soldering fixed.