Edward Berman

Education

Northeastern University

2021 - present

Bachelor of Science Mathematics

(Full list of coursework at https://ebrmn.space/courses.)

Selected Work Experience

Research....

Center for Astrophysics Harvard | Smithsonian. AstroAl: Visiting Scientist

Summer 2025

- Looking for life on other planets
- O First author on one journal paper in submission to the Astronomical Journal
- O Contributed to the design of a neural network architecture that predicts chemical absorption spectra with state of the art accurarcy
- O Used the neural network to predict the chemical composition of exoplanet atmospheres

Khoury College Geometric Learning Lab: Undergraduate Researcher 12/2024 – present

- O Symmetry in Deep Learning
- O First author on one journal paper in submission to the journal Transactions on Machine Learning Research
- O Proved upper bounds on calibration error for equivariant functions [invited talk, Harvard]
- O Provided machine learning practitioners with a theoretical framework for understanding how equivariance can affect the reliability of a neural networks uncertainty estimate

Northeastern Cosmology Group: Research Co-op

07/2023-12/2023

- O James Webb Space Telescope Near Infrared Camera Fixer-upper. COSMOS Cartographer.
- O First author on three journal papers in top Astrophysics journals (AJ, OjA)
- One oral spotlight at NeurIPS ML4PS Workshop (top 2% accepted papers) [spotlight talk, NeurIPS ML4PS]
- O Produced open source software for characterizing optical defects of the James Webb Space Telescope Near Infrared Camera for over 200 scientists with the COSMOS-Web astronomical survey
- O Co-investigator on accepted X-shooter telescope observing proposal
- O Awarded over \$15,000 in total grant money from Northeastern internal awards
- O Contributed to various COSMOS-Web survey lensing research projects as **co-author**, including **the highest resolution** dark matter map ever produced (in submission to Nature), and the discovery of over strong lensing systems, with three papers in submission to the Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society (MNRAS).

[Google Scholar]

Teaching

Math 4571 Advanced Linear Algebra: Course Assistant Spring 2024

Math 2331 Linear Algebra: Course Assistant Fall 2022

Service

Mathematics Engagement and Mentorship Association (Northeastern): Co-President

Society of Physics Students Northeastern Chapter: Events Planner