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Education Background

Department of Physics, Fudan University

Shanghai, China

Bachelor of Science in Physics

Sep.2018-Present

- Overall GPA: 3.74/4, Rank: top 5% in the department of physics
- Graduate Course: Advanced QM, Many-body Physics, Solid State Theory, Superconductivity, Group Theory, Statistical Physics II, Scattering Physics
- Standard Tests: TOEFL 104 (Speaking 23)
- National Scholarship 2020 (highest honor for undergraduates)

Research Interest

Emergent phenomena in strongly correlated electronic systems due to the interplay among charge, spin, lattice and orbital

- PLD growth and characterization of artificial interfaces
- Unconventional superconductors and topological superconductivity
- STM study of moiré graphene
- Theory: Majorana zero mode and transport properties of mesoscopic systems

Publication

- Tianzhong Yuan*, Da Jiang*, Huanyi Xue*, Zongqi Shen, Lijie Wang, Muyuan Zou, Junwei Ma, Guanqun Zhang, Gang Mu, Wei Peng, Xinyuan Wei, Shiwei Wu, Zhenghua An, Yan Chen and Wei Li "Time-reversal and rotational symmetries breaking in a spinel superconductor" submitted to Nature
- Zongqi Shen and Wei Li "Finite-size effects of the zero-bias peak in topological superconductors" preparation

Research Experience

Research on time-reversal and rotational symmetry breaking in superconductors

Sep.2020-Dec.2020

Supervised by Prof. Wei Li, Artificial Interface Lab, Fudan University

- Used group theory to analyze the pairing symmetry in our sample and help explain the coexistence of ferromagnetism and superconductivity. Analyzed STS data of the superconductor.
- Proposed a topological origin of the two-fold symmetry in transverse resistance, which provided a new explanation of similar results reported in *Nature* 547, 432–435 (2017)
- Gained rich experience in combining experiments with theories to better understand interplay between magnetism and superconductivity

Research on 2D materials and device fabrication

Nov.2018-June.2019

Supervised by Prof. Faxian Xiu, Nanodevice Lab, Fudan University

- Synthesized high quality Bi₂SeO₃ sample using chemical vapor deposition method (CVD)
- Peeled off single-layered graphene for heterostructure fabrication
- Helped establish a platform for stacking layers of 2D materials controlled by LabView
- Received technical training in device fabrication and transport measurement

Research on fingerprints of Majorana zero mode in topological superconductors

June.2019-Present

Supervised by Prof. Wei Li, Artificial Interface Lab, Fudan University

- Used nonequilibrium Green's function method (NEGF) and analytical methods to calculate the transport properties of p+ip and d+id superconductors
- Studied the finite-size effects of the zero-bias conductance peaks in topological superconductors
- Received systematic training in the theory of superconductivity

Skills

- Programming: band structure calculation, python, C, Mathematica
- Simulation: Kwant, Comsol

Laboratory:

- PLD and CVD growth of thin films and nanofabrication
- Transport measurement at low temperature
- LabView programming
- RHEED, AFM