Qianle (Bill) Chen

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EDUCATION

Arnold O. Beckman High School

Tustin, CA

GPA: Unweighted 3.97/4.00 & Weighted 4.67/4.00 Aug 2022 - Present

Irvine, CA

Irvine Valley College, Dual Enrollment • GPA: 4.00/4.00

Jun 2023 - Present

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Harmony with Nature Non-Profit 501(c)(3)

Orange County, CA

Aug 2022 – Present

• Established an environmental stewardship club promoting sustainability on campus and in the Orange County.

Organized educational workshops and clean-up activities, involving 15+ board members; 250+ participants.

California State Summer School for Mathematics and Science

Los Angeles, CA

Research Summer Program

Founder and President

July 2025 – Aug 2025

Led a first-author poster project titled Satellite Measurements of Evapotranspiration Predict Plant Water Stress.

Certified Scuba Diver for Ocean Conservation

Irvine, CA

Recreational Volunteer Scuba Diver

Mar 2022 – Present

 PADI-certified Rescue and Dive Against Debris diver dedicated to marine conservation through hands-on underwater cleanup and data reporting initiatives. Partnered with environmental organizations to conduct targeted dives that remove debris, mitigate pollution, and contribute critical findings to the PADI global database. Additionally certified in First Aid and CPR by the Red Cross, ensuring safety leadership in all diving operations.

Wind Ensemble & Band Organization - Harmony Sounds

Tustin, CA

First Chair, Principle, and Section Leader

Mar 2022 – Present

- Joined prestigious Pacific Symphony to perform at Carnegie Hall and Renée and Henry Segerstrom Concert Hall.
- Represented the TUSD honor band at major school and community events, showcasing 8+ years of dedication and expertise in playing the Euphonium and Tuba.

Narrak E-Bikes LLC

Chino Hill, CA

Environmental Research Intern

Jun 2022 – Aug 2022

- Conducted research on sustainable recycling methods and eco-friendly packaging solutions to reduce waste by 30% and improve the environmental impact of e-bike production.
- Developed a patent focusing on innovative packaging designs that incorporated biodegradable and recyclable materials, enhancing the company's sustainability practices and aligning with green manufacturing standards.

RESEARCH LAB EXPERIENCE

Joint Institute for Regional Earth System Science and Engineering @ UCLA

Los Angeles, CA

Research Assistant and Project Coordinator - Prof. Joshua B. Fisher

Aug 2025 – Present

- Analyzed thermal satellite imagery to study wildfire progression and urban heat patterns. Developed GIS visualizations and thermal analytics; findings featured in NASA Caltech Jet Propulsion Lab's ECOSTRESS gallery.
- Coordinated a \$1M research project with the Orange County Fire Department to develop an AI-based decisionsupport model for wildfire response, serving as the primary liaison to translate operational needs into research goals and contributing to the design of algorithms for resource allocation and multi-incident decision-making.

Languages and Transcultural Studies @ UCLA

Los Angeles, CA

Lab Assistant and Coordinator - Prof. Nina Bjekovic

Aug 2020 – Present

- Received training under professor's supervision, developing expertise in language program outreach and student engagement. Organized multilingual education initiatives, including language fairs and information sessions.
- Served as the primary liaison between UCLA's language programs and 30+ high schools in Southern California, managing outreach efforts for the German, French, Chinese, and Spanish language departments. Facilitated access for over 300 students to linguistic and cultural learning opportunities.

SELECTED PROJECTS

Air Quality Sensor Development Project

- Engineered a continuous environmental monitoring sensor that leverages BME280, LTR-559, and MICS6814 sensor technology and Python-based analytics for comprehensive, real-time pollutant tracking.
- Developed AtmoFlow, a cross-platform mobile app for Android and iOS that tracks live air quality data, utilizing user-centered design principles to ensure accessibility and a seamless user experience. Download available by invitation.

Chen, Qianle. The Little Tree That Could.

- Wrote and self-published an illustrated book on urban reforestation and environmental stewardship, categorized under Forest & Tree Books and Recycling & Green Living Books.
- Organized a book launch with 50+ attendees, donating all proceeds to One Tree Planted NPO, supporting global reforestation efforts and funding the planting of over 500 trees in deforested and urban areas worldwide.