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EDUCATION	<b>University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill</b> , Chapel Hill, North Carolina B.S. Mathematics; Minor in violin performance (expected graduation, May 2029). <i>Relevant Coursework:</i> Topology (Duke University), Algebraic Geometry, Algebraic Structures, Advanced Calculus, Linear Algebra. <b>North Carolina School of Science and Mathematics</b> (NCSSM), Durham, North Carolina High School Diploma, August 2023—May 2025.
PUBLICATIONS	[1] Matias C.Y. Relyea. The Quadratic and Cubic Characters of 2. <i>Mathematics Magazine</i> . Published online January 2026. [ <a href="https://arxiv.org/abs/2410.21646">arXiv: 2410.21646</a> ] [ <a href="https://doi.org/10.1080/0025570X.2025.2574223">DOI: 10.1080/0025570X.2025.2574223</a> ].
PREPRINTS	[2] Matias C.Y. Relyea. On Finite Fields and Higher Reciprocity (2024). [ <a href="https://arxiv.org/abs/2407.03559">arXiv: 2407.03559</a> ].
PRESENTATIONS	[3] “On Finite Fields and Higher Reciprocity” (poster). NCSSM Research Symposium Spring 2024.
OTHER WRITING	[4] Peyton Jackson, Tatiana Medved, and Matias C.Y. Relyea. “Can You Even?” An Exploration of Polyominos. Accepted for publication in <i>NCSSM Broad Street Scientific</i> (forthcoming 2026). PDF: <a href="https://quadcryo.github.io/quadcryo/assets/pdf/jackson_medved_relyea_polyominos.pdf">quadcryo.github.io/quadcryo/assets/pdf/jackson_medved_relyea_polyominos.pdf</a> .
	[5] Matias C.Y. Relyea. Proofs and Applications of Quadratic Reciprocity. Summer 2022, <i>Euler Circle</i> . PDF: <a href="https://simonrs.com/eulercircle/irpw2022/matias-quadrec-paper.pdf">simonrs.com/eulercircle/irpw2022/matias-quadrec-paper.pdf</a> .
RESEARCH EXPERIENCE	<b>University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill</b> , Chapel Hill, North Carolina UNC Accelerated Research Program, Fall 2025— Directed Reading Program on Category Theory, Fall 2025 <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Completed DRP on Tom Leinster’s <i>Basic Category Theory</i> under UNC graduate student.</li></ul> <b>North Carolina School of Science and Mathematics</b> , Durham, North Carolina. Independent study on number theory and algebraic number theory, producing one arXiv preprint and one peer-reviewed publication. August 2023—May 2025. Mentored by Dr. Tamar Avineri. <b>Euler Circle</b> , Mountain View, California Attended Summer 2022 Independent Research and Paper Writing course. Independently produced 44-page expository paper on quadratic reciprocity. Mentored by Dr. Simon Rubinstein-Salzedo.
TEACHING AND SERVICE	<b>Mathematics Institute of the Triangle</b> , Chapel Hill, North Carolina Mathematics Tutor and Teaching Assistant, Fall 2025— <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Provided one-on-one tutoring to students located in the Chapel Hill area. Assisted with grading and led short problem-solving workshops.</li></ul> <b>University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill</b> , Chapel Hill, North Carolina Undergraduate Learning Assistant <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>MATH 381 (Discrete Mathematics), Fall 2025.</li></ul> <b>Chapel Hill Math Circle</b> , Chapel Hill, North Carolina Program Volunteer, Fall 2025— <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Collaborated with UNC graduate students to assist and lead teaching for various levels of mathematics circle coursework.</li></ul>
TECHNOLOGICAL SKILLS	Proficient in $\text{\LaTeX}$ , familiar with Python.