Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts, Physics

Pomona College, Claremont, CA Expected May 2014

Thesis - High Resolution Spectroscopy and Isotope Invariant Analysis of Diatomic Molecules

Bachelor of Arts, Mathematics

Pomona College, Claremont, CA

Expected May 2014

Thesis - Universal Metric Spaces and Applications to General Relativity

GPA: 3.64

Honors

Steven Chu Award for best undergraduate research at California-Nevada APS 2013- runner up Tileston Junior Physics Award

Pomona Scholar 2x

Pomona Freshman Physics Award

PUBLICATIONS

- The microwave spectrum of the odd isotope of ytterbium fluoride, ¹⁷¹YbF- to be submitted December 2013.
- From Urysohn's Universal Metric Space to a Universal Space-Time- Submitted to Mathematical Structures and Modeling.
- The rotational spectra, isotope invariant spectral analysis, and Born-Oppenheimer breakdown of KF-manuscript in preparation

PRESENTATIONS AND PROJECTS

- YbF, BOB, and the eEDM-probing zero with diatomic molecules-talk given at 2013 Annual Meeting of the American Physical Society, California-Nevada Section
- An Introduction to LaTeX- workshop given to Pomona College students regarding the basics of the LaTeX typesetting language
- Universal Spaces of Metrics and General Relativity-Talk given as part of Senior Seminar in Mathematics
- Spectroscopy and Isotope Invariant Analysis of Diatomic Molecules- Colloquim given at Pomona Department of Physics and Astronomy
- Isotopic Invariant Analysis of YbF and KF- Poster given at 2013 Summer Undergraduate Research Program poster session
- Dunham invariant analysis of YbF- poster given at 2013 Gas Phase Electron Diffraction Conference, Germany
- High Resolution Rotational Spectroscopy of Zeeman & Hyperfine Effects in PbF & YbF Poster given at 2012 Division of Atomic, Molecular and Optical Physics conference in Anaheim, CA
- Garduino Automated Gardening System- Featured article on instructables.com for design and implementation of automated gardening system using arduino micro-controller. http://www.instructables.com/id/Garduino-Automated-Gardening-System/

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant Jan 2012 –

Department of Physics and Astronomy, Pomona College, Claremont CA

- Research in High Resolution Spectroscopy of Diatomic Molecules
- Worked with advisor Dr. Richard Mawhorter at Pomona College
- Worked in lab of Dr. Timothy Steimle at Arizona State University
- Worked in lab of Dr. Jens-Uwe Grabow at Leibniz Universität Hannover

Research Assistant Sept 2013 –

Department of Mathematics, Pomona College, Claremont CA

- Research in functional analysis on Urysohn Universal Metric Space, including applications to concepts from General Relativity
- Worked with advisor Dr. Asuman Aksoy at Claremont McKenna College

Research Intern

June – Aug 2011

Department of Physics, Yale University, New Haven, CT

- Supervised by Dr. Sidney Cahn and Dr. Simon Mochrie
- Created physics lab module for Yale physics class on Brownian motion
- Used Matlab to interface equipment and perform statistical analysis

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

LATEXSpecialist and Quantitative Skills Center Fellow

September 2013 –

- As QSC fellow, mentored in both large and small group sessions.
- LATEX specialist for Pomona Mathematics department.

Tutor/Mentor 2008 –

- Tutored students in Knot Theory, Analysis, Algebra, Geometry, Calculus, Basic Math, Introductory Mechanics and Electricity and Magnetism
- Mentored mentally disabled student

Physics Grader Sept 2012 –

Department of Physics and Astronomy, Pomona College, Claremont, CA

- Graded upper level Quantum Mechanics
- Graded and gave feedback on a two pass system for freshman potential physics majors

Lab TA- Introductory Physics

Sept 2011 - May 2012

Department of Physics and Astronomy, Pomona College, Claremont, CA

- Taught proper lab technique and analysis skills
- Evaluated students on lab skills and results
- Graded lab reports

COMPUTER SKILLS

Experienced in Python, C, CUDA, Matlab, Mathematica, LATEX, HTML, CSS, Arduino, Word, Excel, Powerpoint, SPFIT (Molecular spectroscopy fitting program), SPCAT (Molecular spectroscopy prediction program)

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