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Education

- 2017 – Present **Northeastern University**, Boston, Massachusetts, USA
Doctor of Philosophy in Physics Candidate
Advisor: James Halverson.
- 2020 – Present *PhD student* at **The NSF AI Institute for Artificial Intelligence and Fundamental Interactions**, Boston, Massachusetts, USA.
- 2012 – 2017 **IIT Bombay**, Mumbai, India
Integrated Bachelor and Master of Technology in Engineering Physics
Advisor: Urjit Yajnik. (*Graduated with Honors in physics*).

Research Interests

Neural Networks for Quantum Field Theories. Quantum Field Theories for Neural Networks. Machine Learning for Effective Field Theories & String Theory. Physics for Machine Learning. String Theory. Machine Learning for Physics.

Publications

- A. Maiti**, K. Stoner, and J. Halverson, *Symmetry-via-Duality: Invariant Neural Network Densities from Parameter-Space Correlators*, [[arXiv:2106.00694v1](#)] .
- J. Halverson, C. Long, **A. Maiti**, B. Nelson, G. Salinas, *Gravitational waves from dark Yang-Mills sectors*, *JHEP* **05** (2021), 154, [[arXiv:2012.04071](#)].
- J. Halverson, **A. Maiti**, and K. Stoner, *Neural Networks and Quantum Field Theory*, *Mach. Learn. Sci. Tech.* **2** (2021) no. 3, 035002, [[arXiv:2008.08601](#)].

Ongoing Projects

- Non-Gaussianity & Locality of Neural Network Field Theories* - with James Halverson, Keegan Stoner, Matthew D. Schwartz (ongoing)
- RL Exploration of Chiral Gauge Theories* - with James Halverson (ongoing)

Invited Conference Talks and Colloquia

- Sept 2022 Non-perturbative Non-Lagrangian Neural Network Field Theories
Online Seminar, Computational Algebra Seminar Series, University of Nottingham, UK
- June 2022 Non-Gaussianities in Neural Network Field Theories [\[Slides\]](#)
Short Talk, Workshop: A Deep-Learning Era of Particle Theory, Mainz Institute for Theoretical Physics, Johannes Gutenberg University
- Dec 2021 A Tale of Symmetry and Duality in Neural Networks [\[Slides, Video\]](#)
Plenary Session Talk, String Data 2021, U. of Witwatersrand & U. of Cape Town
- May 2021 NN-QFT Correspondence and Symmetries via Duality [\[Slides\]](#)
QFT Research Seminar, Institute for Theoretical Physics - Münster (WWU)
- May 2021 NN-QFT Correspondence and Symmetries [\[Slides\]](#)
Joint High Energy Theory & Machine Learning Seminar - Heidelberg University, LMU Munich and Northeastern University
- Oct 2020 The NN-QFT Correspondence [\[Slides, Video\]](#)
Online Seminar, Seminar Series on String Phenomenology
- Feb 2021 The NN-QFT Correspondence [\[Slides\]](#)
Journal Club, The NSF AI Institute for Artificial Intelligence and Fundamental Interactions
- Jan 2020 RL Exploration of Chiral Gauge Theories [\[Slides\]](#)
Gong Show Talk, Strings, Geometry, and Data Science, Simons Center for Geometry and Physics

Contributed Talks

- July 2022 Neural Network Field Theories [\[Slides\]](#)
Parallel Session Talk, String Phenomenology 2022, University of Liverpool, UK
- May 2022 Non-Gaussianities of Neural Network Field Theories [\[Slides\]](#)
Lightning Talk, Discovering Latent Structure in Artificial and Physical Systems - Internal Workshop, The NSF AI Institute for Artificial Intelligence and Fundamental Interactions
- Mar 2022 Symmetries and Dualities in Neural Networks / Field Theory Correspondence [\[Slides\]](#)
Lightning Talk, IAIFI-AIMLAC Workshop, The NSF AI Institute for Artificial Intelligence and Fundamental Interactions

- June 2021 Neural Networks - QFT Correspondence [\[Slides\]](#)
Gong Show Talk, TASI 2021
- Dec 2020 Output Dimension Effects in Untrained NN [\[Slides\]](#)
Gong Show Talk, String Data 2020, CERN

Awards and Honors

- Summer 2022 Travel Grant (Northeastern University Dept. of Physics)
- Summer 2022 Travel Grant (PhD Network, Northeastern University)
- Spring 2021 Dean's Graduate Student Excellence Award in Research (Northeastern University College of Science)
- Spring 2018 Lawrence Award for Graduate Academic Excellence (Northeastern University Dept. of Physics)
- Summer 2014 Indian Academy of Sciences Summer Research Fellowship (Indian Academy of Sciences)

Schools Attended

- IAIFI PhD Summer School*, The NSF AI Institute for Artificial Intelligence and Fundamental Interactions Aug 2022
- Deep Learning Theory Summer School at Princeton*, Princeton University Jul 2021
- Theoretical Advanced Study Institute (TASI) – Black Holes, Quantum Information, and Dualities*, University of Colorado, Boulder June 2021

Professional Service Activities and Outreach

- Referee:** NeurIPS 2021 workshop on Machine Learning and the Physical Sciences; Foundations of Physics; NeurIPS 2020 workshop on Machine Learning and the Physical Sciences
- Member:** Graduate Student Council, Northeastern University College of Science (Sept 2020 - Present)
- Member:** Early Career and Equity Committee, The NSF AI Institute for Artificial Intelligence and Fundamental Interactions. (Jan 2021 - Present)
- Coordinator & Initiator:** Graduate Women in Physics Society, Northeastern University Dept. of Physics (Sept 2021 - Present)
- Volunteer:** Contributed as a student organizer to String Phenomenology 2020, Northeastern University

Conferences, Seminars, Workshops Attended

<i>IAIFI Summer Workshop</i> , The NSF AI Institute for Artificial Intelligence and Fundamental Interactions	Aug 2022
<i>String Phenomenology 2022</i> , University of Liverpool	Jul 2022
<i>Bethe Forum ‘Machine Learning: Where to Apply in Theoretical Physics’</i> , Bethe Center for Theoretical Physics, Bonn	June 2022
<i>A Deep-Learning Era of Particle Theory</i> , Mainz Institute for Theoretical Physics, Johannes Gutenberg University	June 2022
<i>IAIFI-AIMLAC Workshop</i> , The NSF AI Institute for Artificial Intelligence and Fundamental Interactions	Mar 2022
<i>String Data 2021</i> , University of Witwatersrand & University of Cape Town	Dec 2021
<i>String Phenomenology 2021</i> , Northeastern University	Jul 2021
<i>String Data 2020</i> , CERN	Dec 2020
<i>String Phenomenology 2020</i> , Northeastern University	June 2020
<i>Strings, Geometry, and Data Science</i> , Simons Center for Geometry and Physics, Stony Brook University	Jan 2020
<i>APS 2019 Meeting of the Division of Particles & Fields</i> , Northeastern U.	Jul 2019
<i>Indian String Meeting 2018</i> , IISER Thiruvananthapuram, India	Dec 2018
<i>F-Theory Conference</i> , CMSA, Harvard University	Sept 2018
<i>Workshop on Data Science and String Theory</i> , Northeastern University	Nov 2017

Teaching

Northeastern University, Boston, Massachusetts

Teaching Assistant	PHYS 7325: Quantum Field theory 1 (Fall 2020, Fall 2019); PHYS 5115: Quantum Mechanics (Spring 2020, Spring 2019); PHYS 3601: Classical Dynamics (Fall 2018); PHYS 2305: Thermo and Statistical Mechanics (Spring 2018)
Instructor	PHYS 1155: Physics for Engineering 2 (Fall 2017); Advanced Physics Lab - PHYS 3600; Undergraduate Physics lab - PHYS 1148, 1152, 1156; College of Professional Studies Physics Lab - PHYS 1201, 2201

IIT Bombay, Mumbai, India

Instructor	PH 117: Undergraduate Physics lab (Spring 2017); EP 215: Undergraduate Electronics lab (Fall 2016)
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Technical skills

Programming languages

Python, C, C++, Mathematica, Matlab, Pytorch

Software

L^AT_EX, Git

References

- (1) Professor James Halverson,
Dept. of Physics, Northeastern University,
The NSF AI Institute for Artificial Intelligence and Fundamental Interactions