# Chou-Wei Kiang

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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Quantum engineering (solid-state systems for quantum sensing, computing, and communications; superconducting microwave circuits), quantum optics, and sensing technologies.

#### EDUCATION

# National Taiwan University (NTU), Taipei, Taiwan

Sept. 2018 - June 2022

B.S. in Electrical Engineering (EE) | GPA: 4.24/4.3, ranked top 4% (7/196)

Selected courses (straight A+): Solid State Electronics, Modern Physics, Integrated Circuit Design, Electromagnetics (I/II),
 Optoelectronic Electromagnetics, Electrical Engineering Lab (Photonics), Fourier Transform and Fourier Optics, RF Microwave Wireless Systems, Thermodynamics

#### Journal Articles

- [1] Chou-Wei Kiang and Jean-Fu Kiang, "Imaging on underwater moving targets with multistatic synthetic aperture sonar," *IEEE Transactions on Geoscience and Remote Sensing*, vol. 60, Nov. 2022, Art. no. 4211218, [pdf] [IEEE Xplore].
- [2] **Chou-Wei Kiang** and Jean-Fu Kiang, "Imaging and motion parameter estimation of flying helicopter with duo airborne SARs in X-Band," *IEEE Journal of Selected Topics in Applied Earth Observations and Remote Sensing*, vol. 15, pp. 9623-9638, Nov. 2022, [pdf] [IEEE Xplore].
- [3] Chou-Wei Kiang and Jean-Fu Kiang, "Quantum sensing of geomagnetic fluctuations and noise spectroscopy with hybrid short Ramsey-Haar wavelet method and NV ensembles," *IEEE Transactions on Quantum Engineering*, under revision, [pdf].
- [4] **Chou-Wei Kiang**, Jian-Jiun Ding, and Jean-Fu Kiang "Quantum sensing of fast time-varying magnetic field with Daubechies wavelets," *IEEE Access*, under review, [pdf].

# Conference Presentation (\*Presenter)

- [5] Ze-Wei Chen, **Chou-Wei Kiang**\*, Chia-Tse Tai, Hao-Chien Wang, Min-Jui Lin, Yen Chuang, and Jiun-Yun Li, "Weak antilocalization of two-dimensional hole gases in a modulation-doped GeSn/Ge heterostructure," 2024 APS March Meeting, Minneapolis, MN, USA, Mar. 3-8, 2024 (abstract submitted for review) (upcoming, oral), [abstract].
- [6] Yu-Jui Wu\*, **Chou-Wei Kiang**, Tsung-Ying Li, Ze-Wei Chen, Min-Jui Lin, Wei-Hsiang Kao, and Jiun-Yun Li, "Conductance anomalies in nanoscale quantum point contact devices on an undoped GeSn/Ge heterostructure," 2024 APS March Meeting, Minneapolis, MN, USA, Mar. 3-8, 2024 (abstract submitted for review) (upcoming, oral), [abstract].

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

#### Quantum Electronics Laboratory | Research Assistant

Mar. 2023 – present Department of EE, NTU

Advisor: Prof. Jiun-Yun Li

- Characterize 2D hole gases in undoped and modulation-doped GeSn/Ge heterostructures with Hall measurements [5]
  - investigate strain and Sn effect on Rashba spin-orbit coupling by analyzing weak localization/anti-localization patterns
  - extract effective mass and analyze electrical/magneto-transport properties through temperature-dependent SdH oscillations
- Characterize GeSn/Ge, Ge/GeSi quantum point contact devices with differential conductance measurements [6]
  - analyze  $0.25(2e^2/h)$  anomalies under large nonlinear source-drain bias attributed to spin-polarized current
  - investigate intrinsic  $0.5(2e^2/h)$  zero-bias plateau at zero field potentially induced by Rashba spin-orbit coupling
- Maintain and operate two dilution refrigerators and their peripheral instruments
- Set up apparatus and write Matlab codes to control lock-in amplifiers and voltage sources for remote measurements

# Group of Electromagnetic Applications | Research Assistant

June 2020 – present

 $Advisor:\ Prof.\ Jean\mbox{-}Fu\ Kiang$ 

Department of EE, NTU

- Simulate quantum sensing of sub-nT geomagnetic fluctuations using nitrogen-vacancy (NV) center ensembles [3]
  - propose short Ramsey sequences to control quantum sensors for extracting DC offset in arbitrary magnetic waveforms
  - examine the fidelity of arbitrary waveform reconstruction through numerical simulations that consider spin-bath noise
- Collaborate with Prof. Jian-Jiun Ding (NTU) on applying Daubechies wavelets for quantum sensing [4]
  - propose a Daubechies wavelet-modulated microwave control sequence to operate qubits for extracting wavelet coefficients
  - achieve smooth reconstruction of fast time-varying magnetic fields using qubit sensors through simulation experiments
- Design synthetic aperture sonar (SAS) imaging algorithm (remote sensing & signal processing) [1]
  - propose a multistatic SAS configuration to estimate the velocity vector of a moving submarine within an error of 3%
  - design a modified range-Doppler algorithm to acquire SAS images by integrating three different time-frequency transforms
- Design synthetic aperture radar (SAR) imaging algorithm (remote sensing & microwave radar imaging) [2]
  - propose a two-stage template matching method to separate backscattered signals from fuselage and fast-spinning rotors
  - propose a duo airborne SAR and phase matching transform to estimate target velocity within 0.03% of error
- Model and simulate optical radiation force exerted on nanoparticles (optics & electromagnetics) (Report:[pdf])
  - integrate Fourier transform for decomposing an incident Gaussian beam, Lorenz-Mie theory for computing scattered electromagnetic fields, and Maxwell stress tensor for computing the radiation force exerted on a spherical particle

### Honors & Awards

NTUEE graduation ceremony representative – Top 10 in the class of 2022

Dalongdong Baoan Temple Scholarship (5 times) – Merit-based undergraduate scholarship

2018–2022

NTU Presidential Award – Academic Excellence Award

Fall 2018

## SKILLS

Physical modeling & simulations: classical simulation of quantum systems; EM, optics, and microwave systems mK cryogenic system operations: TeslatronPT + KelvinoxJT insert, ProteoxMX (Oxford Instruments)

Transport & conductance measurements: B1500A semiconductor device analyzer (DC I-V measurement),

SR830, SR865A lock-in amplifiers, pre-amplifier, Basel low-noise/high-resolution DAC, superconducting magnet

Fabrication techniques: photolithography, reactive-ion etching (RIE)

Programming: Matlab, Python (QuTiP, Tensorflow), C/C++, Verilog

Other skills: LATFX (Texmaker, PCTeX), Visio, Linux, Solidworks, Meshlab

Languages: English (TOEFL: 106/120), Mandarin Chinese

## SELECTED COURSE PROJECTS

## Autofocus Methods for Synthetic Aperture Radar (SAR) Imaging

Spring 2022

Term paper for Fourier Transform and Fourier Optics, [pdf]

- investigate and derive phase gradient autofocus (PGA) and minimum entropy autofocus (MEA) algorithms
- implement PGA and MEA with Matlab on blurred point targets and blurred images acquired from experimental SAR data

## Digital Integrated Circuit (IC) Design of an Image Processing Filter

Spring 2021

Term project for Integrated Circuit Design

- design IC circuit with Verilog to perform pixel-wise census transform and median filter on an input image
- implement pipeline design to improve area-time (AT) performance
- simulate an entire design flow, including register transfer level (RTL) design, synthesis, and auto-place and route (APR)

#### **Double-Stub Impedance Matching Simulation**

Spring 2020

Simulation project for Electromagnetics II, demo

- derive double-stub impedance matching theory with nine phasors and nine boundary conditions
- simulate voltage and current variation with time on the main transmission line and both stubs with Matlab

## LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCES

Feb. 2016 - Jan. 2017

Vice-Chairman of Student Association, Taipei Municipal Chien-Kuo Senior High School