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## Education

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### University of Michigan

Ann Arbor, MI, USA

POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCH FELLOW, DEPARTMENT OF RADIOLOGY, SUPERVISOR: JESSE HAMILTON, PHD

June 2025 - Present

Project: Artifact-Robust Cardiac Magnetic Resonance Fingerprinting

### University of Toronto

Toronto, ON, Canada

PH.D. IN MEDICAL BIOPHYSICS, SUPERVISOR: GRAHAM WRIGHT, PHD

Sep 2020 - May 2025

Project: MRI Methods for Pre-Ablation Imaging in Patients with Implantable Cardioverter-Defibrillators

### University of Chicago

Chicago, IL, USA

B.S. IN MATHEMATICS WITH HONORS, SUPERVISOR: ERIK SHIROKOFF, PHD

Sep 2016 - Jun 2020

Project: Atomic Layer Deposition Titanium Nitride and Niobium Nitride for Microwave Kinetic Inductance Detectors

## Publications

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### FIRST-AUTHOR PUBLICATIONS

**Calder D. Sheagren**, Terenz Escartin, Jaykumar H. Patel, Jennifer Barry, Kelvin Chow, Xiaoming Bi, Maria Terricabras, and *Graham A. Wright*, “Arrhythmia Substrate Identification using Wideband Motion-Corrected Late Gadolinium Enhancement Magnetic Resonance Imaging in a Swine Model of Myocardial Infarction with Taped Implantable Cardioverter-Defibrillators”. Heart Rhythm O2 (In Press, 2025)

**Calder D. Sheagren**, Naseem Shadafny, Terenz Escartin, Maria Terricabras, Christopher C. Cheung, Idan Roifman, and *Graham A. Wright*, “Cardiac Function Evaluation in Healthy Volunteers and Patients with Implantable Cardioverter-Defibrillators using High-Bandwidth Spoiled Gradient-Echo Cine”. Journal of Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance 27:1 (2025) <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jocmr.2025.101893>

**Calder D. Sheagren**, Terenz Escartin, Jaykumar H. Patel, Jennifer Barry, and *Graham A. Wright*, “Automated Fibrosis Segmentation from Wideband Post-Contrast  $T_1^*$  Mapping in an Animal Model of Ischemic Heart Disease with Implantable Cardioverter-Defibrillators”. Magnetic Resonance in Medicine 93:2401-2413 (2025). doi:10.1002/mrm.30468

**Calder D. Sheagren**, Brenden T. Kadota, Jaykumar H. Patel, Mark Chiew, and *Graham A. Wright*, “Accelerated Cardiac Parametric Mapping using Deep Learning-Refined Subspace Models”. In: O. Camara et al, Statistical Atlases and Computational Models of the Heart. Regular and CMRxRecon Challenge Papers. STACOM 2023. Lecture Notes in Computer Science, vol 14507. Springer, Cham. (2024)

[https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-52448-6\\_35](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-52448-6_35)

**Calder D. Sheagren**, Tianle Cao, Jaykumar H. Patel, Zihao Chen, Hsu-Lei Lee, Nan Wang, Anthony G. Christodoulou, and *Graham A. Wright*, “Motion-Compensated  $T_1$  Mapping in Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance Imaging: A Technical Review.” Front. Cardiovasc. Med. 10:1160183. (2023) doi:10.3389/fcvm.2023.1160183

**Calder Sheagren**, Peter Barry, Erik Shirokoff, and Qing Yang Tang, “Atomic Layer Deposition Niobium Nitride Films for High-Q Resonators”, Journal of Low Temperature Physics 199, 875–882 (2020). <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10909-020-02336-2>

### COLLABORATING-AUTHOR PUBLICATIONS

Terenz Escartin, Maria Terricabras, **Calder Sheagren**, Philippa Krahn, Graham Wright, and *Christopher C. Cheung*, “Feasibility Study: Characterizing Acute Lesion Dimensions in Patients With and Without Devices Using Non-Contrast (Native T1-weighted) MRI After VT/PVC Radiofrequency Ablation”. Heart Rhythm (In Press, 2025)

Jaykumar H. Patel, Brenden T. Kadota, **Calder D. Sheagren**, Mark Chiew, and *Graham A. Wright*, “Low-Rank Conjugate Gradient-Net for Accelerated Cardiac MR Imaging”. In: O. Camara et al, Statistical Atlases and Computational Models of the Heart. Workshop, CMRxRecon and MBAS Challenge Papers. STACOM (2024). Lecture Notes in Computer Science, vol 15448. Springer, Cham. [https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-87756-8\\_33](https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-031-87756-8_33)

Nikki van Pouderoijen, Luuk H.G.A. Hopman, Terenz Escartin, **Calder Sheagren**, Philippe J. van Rosendael, Cornelis P. Alaart, Mark B.M. Hofman, Graham Wright, and Marco Götte, “Visualization of Acute Atrial Injury Post-Ablation Using Contrast-Enhanced T1-Weighted Short Inversion Time MRI”. Heart Rhythm (In Press, 2025)

Claudia Prieto, Mahmud Mossa-Basha, Anthony Christodoulou, **Calder D. Sheagren**, Yin Guo, Aleksandra Radjenovic, Xihai Zhao, Jeremy D. Collins, René M. Botnar, and Oliver Wieben, "Highlights of the 2024 Society of Magnetic Resonance Angiography Meeting". Journal of Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance 27:1 101878 (2025)

Moujan Saderi, Jaykumar H. Patel, **Calder D. Sheagren**, Judit Csöre, Trisha L. Roy, and Graham A. Wright, "3D CT to 2D X-ray image registration for improved visualization of tibial vessels in endovascular procedures", International Journal of Computer Assisted Radiology and Surgery (2025) <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11548-024-03302-z>

Xinrui Guo, Liwen Li, **Calder Sheagren**, Jaykumar Patel, Graham Wright, and Fumin Guo, "Accelerated Reconstruction of Highly Undersampled Cardiac MR Image Navigators", SPIE Medical Imaging (2024).

<https://www.spiedigitallibrary.org/conference-proceedings-of-spie/12926/129260C/Accelerated-reconstruction-of-highly-undersampled-3D-cardiac-MRI-image-navigators/10.1117/12.3006138.full>

Gregor G. Taylor, Dmitry V. Morozov, Ciaran T. Lennon, Peter S. Barry, **Calder Sheagren**, and Robert H. Hadfield, "Infrared single-photon sensitivity in atomic layer deposited superconducting nanowires", Applied Physics Letters 118, 191106 (2021) <https://doi.org/10.1063/5.0048799>

## Conference Presentations

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### FIRST-AUTHOR PRESENTATIONS

#### **Sequential CMR Imaging in a Nonischemic Cardiomyopathy Patient with an ICD Before and After Radio-Frequency Ablation**

Washington, DC 2025

**CALDER SHEAGREN**, TERENZ ESCARTIN, NASIM SHADAFNY, MARIA TERRICABRAS CASAS, STEPHANIE POON, IDAN ROIFMAN, GRAHAM WRIGHT, AND Christopher Cheung

Rapid-Fire Case

Society of Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance Meeting

#### **Quantitative Fibrosis Analysis using Wideband Post-Gd T1\* Mapping in Pigs with CIEDs**

Santiago, Chile 2024

**CALDER D. SHEAGREN**, TERENZ ESCARTIN, JAYKUMAR PATEL, MELISSA LARSEN, JENNIFER BARRY, AND Graham Wright

Oral Power Pitch

Society of Magnetic Resonance Angiography Meeting

#### **Preclinical Validation of Arrhythmia Substrate Characterization with Wideband Motion-Corrected Phase-Sensitive LGE**

Quebec City, Canada 2024

**CALDER D. SHEAGREN**, TERENZ ESCARTIN, JAYKUMAR PATEL, MELISSA LARSEN, JENNIFER BARRY, KELVIN CHOW, XIAOMING BI, AND Graham Wright

Poster

ISMRM Motion Correction Workshop

#### **SyntheticLGE.jl: An Open-Source Toolbox for Retrospective T1 Fitting and Synthetic LGE Image Generation**

Singapore - 2024

**CALDER SHEAGREN**, BRANDON TRAN, JAYKUMAR PATEL, ANGUS LAU, AND Graham Wright

Digital Poster

International Society of Magnetic Resonance in Medicine Meeting

#### **Quantifying Cardiac Function in the Presence of Implantable Cardioverter Defibrillators with Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance Imaging: Evaluation in Healthy Volunteers**

San Diego, CA - 2023

**CALDER SHEAGREN**, XIULING QI, IDAN ROIFMAN, AND Graham Wright

Rapid Fire Pitch

Society of Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance Meeting

#### **A Minimal Cardiac MRI Protocol for Catheter Ablation Planning in Patients with Cardiac Implantable Electronic Devices**

Los Angeles, CA - 2022

**CALDER SHEAGREN**, TERENZ ESCARTIN, PHILIPPA KRAHN, JUDI PAULSON, MELISSA LARSEN, MARTIN JANICH, IDAN ROIFMAN, AND Graham Wright

Oral Power Pitch

Society of Magnetic Resonance Angiography Meeting

#### **Validation of Automated Topological LGE Thresholding for Peri-Infarct Substrate Characterization**

London, UK - 2022

**CALDER SHEAGREN**, TERENZ ESCARTIN, PHILIPPA KRAHN, JAYKUMAR PATEL, FUMIN GUO, AND Graham Wright

Oral Presentation

International Society of Magnetic Resonance in Medicine Meeting

## Fully-Automated LGE Thresholding using Weighted Total Variation Denoising and Persistent Homology

Virtual - 2022

CALDER SHEAGREN, TERENZ ESCARTIN, PHILIPPA KRAHN, AND Graham Wright

E-poster

Society of Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance Meeting

## Open-source Tools for Topological Data Analysis

Virtual - 2021

CALDER SHEAGREN AND Graham Wright

Lightning Talk

CANARIE Research Software Conference

## Atomic Layer Deposition Niobium Nitride Films for High-Q Resonators

Milan, Italy - 2019

CALDER SHEAGREN, ALEXANDER ANFEROV, PETER BARRY, DAVID SCHUSTER, Erik Shirokoff, AND QING YANG TANG

Poster

Low Temperature Detectors Symposium

## Superconducting Thin Film Atomic Layer Deposition Titanium Nitride for Microwave Resonators

Boston, MA - 2019

CALDER SHEAGREN, PETER BARRY, RITOBAK BASU THAKUR, RONG NIE, Erik Shirokoff, AND QING YANG TANG

Talk

American Physical Society March Meeting

## Applications of Thin Film Atomic Layer Deposition Superconducting Titanium Nitride to Astronomical Measurements

Chicago, IL - 2018

CALDER SHEAGREN, PETER BARRY, RITOBAK BASU THAKUR, RONG NIE, Erik Shirokoff, AND QING YANG TANG

Poster

American Vacuum Society Prairie Chapter Symposium

## COLLABORATING-AUTHOR PRESENTATIONS

### Improved-Contrast Accelerated 3D Cones LGE using Cardiac Binning and Keyhole-Filtered View Sharing

Honolulu, Hawaii 2025

JAYKUMAR H. PATEL, CALDER D. SHEAGREN, TERENZ ESCARTIN, LABONNY BISWAS, JENNIFER BARRY, AND Graham Wright

Poster

International Society of Magnetic Resonance in Medicine Meeting

### Unsupervised Reconstruction of Highly Undersampled 3D cones Cardiac Image Navigators using a Dual-Branch Joint Training Framework

Honolulu, Hawaii 2025

XINRUI GUO, CALDER D. SHEAGREN, JAYKUMAR H. PATEL, LIWEN LI, GRAHAM A. WRIGHT, AND Fumin Guo

Poster

International Society of Magnetic Resonance in Medicine Meeting

### Fast Motion Correction of 3D Cones Imaging for Acute Radiofrequency Ablation Lesion Characterization

Quebec City, Canada 2024

JAYKUMAR PATEL, TERENZ ESCARTIN, CALDER SHEAGREN, MELISSA LARSEN, JENNIFER BARRY, LABONNY BISWAS, PHILIPPA KRAHN, AND Graham Wright

Poster

ISMRM Motion Correction Workshop

### 3D CT to 2D X-Ray Image Registration for Improved Visualization of Tibial Vessels in Endovascular Procedures

Barcelona, Spain 2024

MOUJAN SADERI, JAYKUMAR H. PATEL, CALDER D. SHEAGREN, JUDIT CSÖRE, TRISHA L. ROY, AND Graham A. Wright

Lecture Presentation

Computer Aided Radiology and Surgery Conference

### Radiofrequency Ablation (RFA) Lesion Mass Identified from Native T1-weighted MRI Correlates with Average Catheter Contact Force Following Late Gadolinium Enhancement (LGE) MRI-guided Scar Homogenization In A Swine Model of Infarction

Boston, MA, USA 2024

TERENZ ESCARTIN, MARIA TERRICABRAS, PHILIPPA KRAHN, CALDER SHEAGREN, CHRISTOPHER CHEUNG, JENNIFER BARRY, MELISSA LARSEN, AND Graham Wright

Poster

Heart Rhythm Society Meeting

### Pilot Study: Lesion volume identified from native T1-weighted MRI correlates with microvascular obstruction (MVO) volume identified from late gadolinium enhancement (LGE) MRI in patients with and without ICDs after RFA Therapy

Boston, MA, USA 2024

TERENZ ESCARTIN, MARIA TERRICABRAS, CALDER SHEAGREN, GRAHAM WRIGHT, AND Christopher Cheung

Poster

Heart Rhythm Society Meeting

## **3D Whole-Heart T1-weighted Imaging in a Two-Minute Free-Breathing Scan for Radio-Frequency Ablation Lesion Assessment**

JAYKUMAR PATEL, PHILIPPA KRAHN, TERENZ ESCARTIN, CALDER SHEAGREN, LABONNY BISWAS, JEN BARRY, MELISSA LARSEN, AND Graham Wright

International Society of Magnetic Resonance in Medicine Meeting

Singapore - 2024

Oral Presentation

## **3D High SNR Cardiac MRI via Motion-Corrected Averaging of Multi-Heartbeat Acquisitions**

LIWEN LI, JAYKUMAR H. PATEL, XINRUI GUO, CALDER D. SHEAGREN, GRAHAM A. WRIGHT, AND Fumin Guo

International Society of Magnetic Resonance in Medicine Meeting

Singapore - 2024

Digital Poster

## **Wideband Motion-Corrected T1 Mapping at 3 Tesla: Evaluation in Healthy Volunteers**

Graham Wright, RACHEL OSPALAK, CALDER SHEAGREN, JASON ROCK, MARCUS COUCH, KELVIN CHOW, XIAOMING BI, JAMIE NEAR, AND IDAN ROIFMAN

Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance Global Meeting

London, UK - 2024

Rapid Fire Pitch

## **Native T1-weighted MRI Indicates Acute Thermal Injury Post-RF Ablation in VT Patients**

TERENZ ESCARTIN, CALDER SHEAGREN, MARIA TERRICABRAS, IDAN ROIFMAN, GRAHAM WRIGHT, AND Christopher Cheung

Canadian Cardiovascular Conference Vascular Meeting

Montreal, QC - 2023

Digital Poster

## **Hierarchical Segmentation of LGE MRI**

FUMIN GUO, CALDER SHEAGREN, JAYKUMAR PATEL, AND Graham Wright

Functional Imaging and Modelling of the Heart

Lyon, FR - 2023

MYOSAIQ Challenge Submission

## **2D/3D Image Registration for Guidance of Endovascular Interventions in Tibial Vessels**

MOUJAN SADERI, JAYKUMAR PATEL, CALDER SHEAGREN, TRISHA ROY, AND Graham Wright

Imaging Network Ontario Symposium

London, ON - 2023

Pitch-and-Poster

## **3D Multiscale Weighted Total Variation Registration for MR Image-Guided Catheter Interventions**

JAYKUMAR PATEL, CALDER SHEAGREN, SAQEEB HASSAN, FATEMEH RASTEGAR JOOYBARI, CHRISTOPHER MACGOWAN, AND Graham Wright

International Society of Magnetic Resonance in Medicine Meeting

London, UK - 2022

Digital Poster

## **3D Motion Compensation with Cone Trajectories - in silico Validation Using the MR-XCAT Framework**

JAYKUMAR PATEL, CALDER SHEAGREN, FATEMEH RASTEGAR JOOYBARI, SAQEEB HASSAN, OKAI ADDY, CHRISTOPHER MACGOWAN, AND Graham Wright

Society of Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance Meeting

Virtual - 2022

E-poster

## **Invited Talks**

### **Wideband Motion-Corrected T1 Mapping**

MICHIGAN INSTITUTE OF IMAGING TECHNOLOGY AND TRANSLATION

Ann Arbor, MI - 2025

### **Low-Rank Methods for Generalizable Image Reconstruction**

SOCIETY OF CARDIOVASCULAR MAGNETIC RESONANCE ANNUAL MEETING

Washington, DC - 2025

### **Multicontrast Cardiac MRI: Historical Perspectives and Modern Applications**

CHINA ACADEMY OF SCIENCES MRI GROUP

Wuhan, China - 2024

### **Careers in Medical (Bio)physics**

NAPERVILLE CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL

Naperville, IL - 2022

## **Awards**

### **MBP Excellence Award**

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO FUND

2020-2024

\$21k CAD total

### **Mary H. Beatty Fellowship Award**

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

2021-2022

\$10k CAD /year

## **Teaching**

## **UToronto MBP 1201H: Introduction to Biostatistics**

TEACHING ASSISTANT

*Aut 2022, Aut 2023*

*2022: 4.17/5, N=26*

*2023: 4.19/5, N=32*

## **UChicago MATH 131-132: Introductory Calculus**

JUNIOR TUTOR

*Aut 2017, Win 2020*

## **UChicago MATH 195-196: Multivariable Calculus and Linear Algebra**

GRADER

*Spr 2018, Win 2020*

## **UChicago MATH 151-153: Calculus**

COURSE ASSISTANT

*Win/Spr/Aut 2018, Win/Spr 2019*

## **Outreach**

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### **ISMRM Motion Correction Workshop Organizing Committee**

*Member, 2023-2024*

### **Society of Magnetic Resonance Angiography Early Career Committee**

*Co-Chair, 2024-Present*

*Member, 2022-Present*

### **Medical Biophysics Graduate Student Association**

*Intl. Student Rep., 2023-2024*

*Communications Rep., 2022-2023*

## **Journal and Conference Reviewing**

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### **JOURNALS**

#### **Journal of Magnetic Resonance Imaging**

#### **Quantitative Imaging in Medicine and Surgery**

#### **Magnetic Resonance Imaging**

#### **Magnetic Resonance in Medicine (Code Reviewer)**

#### **Journal of Vacuum Science and Technology**

### **CONFERENCES**

#### **Society of Magnetic Resonance Angiography**

#### **ISMRM Motion Correction Workshop**

#### **ISMRM Annual Meeting**

## **Skills**

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**Linux Computation** Python,  $\text{\LaTeX}$ , vim, bash, git

**Image Reconstruction** BART, PyTorch, Sigpy, Julia

**Vendor Scanner Programming** GE EPIC, Siemens IDEA

**Languages** English (fluent), Mandarin Chinese (conversational)