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Education

University of Toronto

Toronto, ON, Canada

Ph.D. in Medical Biophysics, Supervisor: Graham Wright

Sep 2020 - May 2025 (Expected)

Project: Evaluation of MRI Methods for Ventricular Radio-Frequency Ablation Planning in Patients with Implantable Cardioverter-Defibrillators

University of Chicago

Chicago, IL, USA

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

Sep 2016 - Jun 2020

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

Publications

FIRST-AUTHOR PUBLICATIONS

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". JCMR (In Press, 2025)

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

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

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

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 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

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 Society of Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance Meeting	Rapid-Fire Case
Quantitative Fibrosis Analysis using Wideband Post-Gd T1* Mapping in Pigs with CIEDs CALDER D. SHEAGREN, TERENZ ESCARTIN, JAYKUMAR PATEL, MELISSA LARSEN, JENNIFER BARRY, AND Graham Wright Society of Magnetic Resonance Angiography Meeting	Santiago, Chile 2024 Oral Power Pitch
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 ISMRM Motion Correction Workshop	Poster
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 International Society of Magnetic Resonance in Medicine Meeting	Digital Poster
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 Society of Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance Meeting	Rapid Fire Pitch
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 International Society of Magnetic Resonance in Medicine Meeting	Oral Presentatation
Fully-Automated LGE Thresholding using Weighted Total Variation Denoising and Persistent Homology	Virtual - 2022
CALDER SHEAGREN, TERENZ ESCARTIN, PHILIPPA KRAHN, AND Graham Wright Society of Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance Meeting	E-poster
Open-source Tools for Topological Data Analysis CALDER SHEAGREN AND Graham Wright	Virtual - 2021 Lightning Talk
CANARIE Research Software Conference	Milan Italy 2010
Atomic Layer Deposition Niobium Nitride Films for High-Q Resonators CALDER SHEAGREN, ALEXANDER ANFEROV, PETER BARRY, DAVID SCHUSTER, Erik Shirokoff, AND QING YANG TANG Low Temperature Detectors Symposium	Milan, Italy - 2019 Poster
Superconducting Thin Film Atomic Layer Deposition Titanium Nitride for Microwave Resonators	Boston, MA - 2019
CALDER SHEAGREN, PETER BARRY, RITOBAN 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, RITOBAN BASU THAKUR, RONG NIE, Erik Shirokoff, AND QING YANG TANG	Poster
American Vacuum Society Prairie Chapter Symposium	7 03667
Collaborating-Author Presentations	
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 <i>Graham Wright</i>	Poster
ISMRM Motion Correction Workshop	
3D CT to 2D X-Ray Image Registration for Improved Visualization of Tibial Vessels in	Barcelona, Spain 2024
Endovascular Procedures	· ·
MOUJAN SADERI, JAYKUMAR H. PATEL, CALDER D. SHEAGREN , JUDIT CSÖRE, TRISHA L. ROY, AND <i>Graham A. Wright</i>	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 <i>Graham Wright</i>	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	Boston, MA, USA 2024
(LGE) MRI in patients with and without ICDs after RFA Therapy TERENZ ESCARTIN, MARIA TERRICABRAS, CALDER SHEAGREN, GRAHAM WRIGHT, AND Christopher Cheung	Poster
Heart Rhythm Society Meeting	FOSIEI
3D Whole-Heart T1-weighted Imaging in a Two-Minute Free-Breathing Scan for Radio-Frequency Ablation Lesion Assessment	Singapore - 2024
Jaykumar Patel, Philippa Krahn, Terenz Escartin, Calder Sheagren , Labonny Biswas, Jen Barry, Melissa Larsen, and <i>Graham Wright</i>	Oral Presentation
International Society of Magnetic Resonance in Medicine Meeting	
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	London, UK - 2024
Graham Wright, Rachel Ospalak, Calder Sheagren, Jason Rock, Marcus Couch, Kelvin Chow, Xiaoming Bi, Jamie Near, and Idan Roifman	Rapid Fire Pitch
Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance Global Meeting	
Native T1-weighted MRI Indicates Acute Thermal Injury Post-RF Ablation in VT Patients	Montreal, QC - 2023
Terenz Escartin, Calder Sheagren, Maria Terricabras, Idan Roifman, Graham Wright, and <i>Christopher Cheung</i> Canadian Cardiovascular Conference Vascular Meeting	Digital Poster
Hierarchical Segmentation of LGE MRI	Lyon, FR - 2023
Fumin Guo, Calder Sheagren, Jaykumar Patel, and <i>Graham Wright</i> Functional Imaging and Modelling of the Heart	MYOSAIQ Challenge Submission
2D/3D Image Registration for Guidance of Endovascular Interventions in Tibial Vessels	London, ON - 2023
Moujan Saderi, Jaykumar Patel, Calder Sheagren , Trisha Roy, and <i>Graham Wright</i> Imaging Network Ontario Symposium	Pitch-and-Poster

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

London, UK - 2022

Jaykumar Patel, **Calder Sheagren**, Saqeeb Hassan, Fatemeh Rastegar Jooybari, Christopher Macgowan, and *Graham*

Wright

Digital Poster

International Society of Magnetic Resonance in Medicine Meeting

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

Virtual - 2022

Jaykumar Patel, **Calder Sheagren**, Fatemeh Rastegar Jooybari, Saqeeb Hassan, Okai Addy, Christopher Macgowan,

AND Graham Wright

E-poster

Society of Cardiovascular Magnetic Resonance Meeting

Invited Talks

Wideband Motion-Corrected T1 Mapping

Ann Arbor, MI - 2025

MICHIGAN INSTITUTE OF IMAGING TECHNOLOGY AND TRANSLATION

Low-Rank Methods for Generalizable Image Reconstruction

Washington, DC - 2025

SOCIETY OF CARDIOVASCULAR MAGNETIC RESONANCE ANNUAL MEETING

Multicontrast Cardiac MRI: Historical Perspectives and Modern Applications

Wuhan, China - 2024

CHINA ACADEMY OF SCIENCES MRI GROUP

Careers in Medical (Bio)physics

Naperville, IL - 2022

NAPERVILLE CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL

Awards.

MBP Excellence Award2020-2024University of Toronto Fund\$21k CAD totalMary H. Beatty Fellowship Award2021-2022University of Toronto\$10k CAD / year

Teaching ____

UToronto MBP 1201H: Introduction to Biostatistics

Aut 2022, Aut 2023 2022: 4.17/5, N=26

TEACHING ASSISTANT

2023: 4.19/5, N=32

UChicago MATH 131-132: Introductory Calculus

Aut 2017, Win 2020

JUNIOR TUTOR

UChicago MATH 195-196: Multivariable Calculus and Linear Algebra

Spr 2018, Win 2020

GRADER

UChicago MATH 151-153: Calculus

Win/Spr/Aut 2018, Win/Spr 2019

COURSE ASSISTANT

Outreach _____

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_

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

Linux ComputationPython, MTEX, vim, bash, gitImage ReconstructionBART, PyTorch, Sigpy, JuliaVendor Scanner ProgrammingGE EPIC, Siemens IDEA

Languages English (fluent), Mandarin Chinese (conversational)